ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS ALEXANDER COUNTY

STREAMFLOW REHABILITATION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM DEBRIS REMOVAL IN LOWER LITTLE RIVER, MIDDLE LITTLE RIVER, AND THIRD CREEK

Bids for the project entitled Streamflow Rehabilitation Assistance Program Debris Removal in Lower Little River, Middle Little River, and Third Creek will be received by McGill Associates, P.A. until 5 p.m. local time on Wednesday, February 15, 2023 in the McGill Associates Hickory Office located at 1240 19th Street Lane NW, Hickory, NC 28601 or submitting electronically via email attachment (15 MB or less) to jonathan.herman@mcgillassociates.com.

THE PROJECT GENERALLY CONSISTS OF: installation of erosion control devices; upland vegetation clearing for site access; removal of trees, stumps, and brush within the perimeter of the channel to ground level; removal of down trees, logs, drifts, debris and other obstructions lying wholly or partially within the channel; felling of damaged trees to natural channel bottom; bank shaping to re-establish stable channel banks; hauling and disposal of material at approved on-site disposal areas; chipping or burning of disposed debris; grading, seeding, and mulching and site restoration. Completion of work is expected with 90 days of notice to proceed.

Pre-Bid Meeting

An **optional** pre-bid meeting will be held for all interested bidders on Thursday, January 26, 2023 at 10 a.m. in the Alexander County Services Center located at 151 West Main Avenue, Suite 3, Taylorsville, NC 28681. The meeting will address project specific questions, issues, bidding procedures and bid forms. The sites will be open following the pre-bid meeting until 5pm for all interested parties to visit and inspect the site. All questions must be submitted at the pre-bid meeting or emailed to Jonathan Herman (jonathan.herman@mcgillassociates.com) at least (7) days prior to bid deadline.

The Bidding Documents for the project may be examined online by visiting <u>www.mcgillbidline.com</u> and entering the Quest Project Number: 8366606.

Digital copies of Bid Documents are available for purchase at www.mcgillassociates.com for a fee of \$22.00 per set. These documents may be downloaded by selecting this project from the "Bids" link and by entering the Quest Project Number: 8366606. For assistance and free membership registration, contact QuestCDN at (952) 233-1632 or info@questcdn.com.

Bidders must comply with all laws and regulations of the State of North Carolina.

Bidders are encouraged to only secure project bid documents as noted above. Neither the Owner nor the Engineer will be responsible for full or partial sets of Bidding Documents, including any Addenda, obtained from any source other than the Engineer and their representative plan provider, QuestCDN. Each Bidder shall be responsible for the review of all addenda for the project and shall acknowledge the addenda on the bid form.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any and all Bids, to waive informalities, or to reject non-conforming, non-responsive, or conditional bids. The Owner reserves the right to award a contract to the lowest, responsive, responsible bidder or bidders, taking into consideration quality, performance and time.

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