

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

**LEE COUNTY PUBLIC SERVICE AUTHORITY  
BLACKWATER COMMUNITY WATER PROJECT – PHASE II**

Separate sealed Bids for the construction of the **Blackwater Community Water Project – Phase II** will be received by Tracy Puckett, Executive Director, at the Lee County Public Service Authority Office, 397 Park Street, Jonesville, Virginia 24263 until **2:00 p.m.** local time on **Thursday, October 6, 2022**, at which time the Bids received will be **publicly opened and read aloud**.

The Project consists of approximately 445 linear feet of 6-inch ductile iron waterline, 12,897 linear feet of 6-inch waterline, 4,027 linear feet of 4-inch waterline, 845 linear feet of 2-inch waterline, 23 service reconnections, and related water system appurtenances.

Bids will be received for a single prime Contract. Bids shall be on a lump sum and unit price basis.

MBE/WBE firms are encouraged to submit bids. Bidders must comply with the following: the President's Executive Order # 11246 prohibiting discrimination in employment regarding race, color, creed, sex, or national origin; the President's Executive Orders # 12138 and 11625 regarding utilization of MBE/WBE firms; the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Davis-Bacon Act; the Presidents Executive Order #13658 regarding minimum wages on federal funded contracts. Bidders must certify that they do not or will not maintain or provide for their employees any facilities that are segregated on the basis of race, color, creed, or national origin.

The Issuing Office for the Bidding Documents is: **The Lane Group, Inc., 316 East 5<sup>th</sup> Street South, PO Box 452, Big Stone Gap, Virginia 24219, Phone 276.523.3771, e-mail Jennifer Carter at [jcarter@thelanegroupinc.com](mailto:jcarter@thelanegroupinc.com)**. Prospective Bidders may examine and obtain the Bidding Documents at the Issuing Office on **Monday through Thursday between the hours of 7:30 am – 5:30 pm and Friday between the hours of 8:00 am – 12:00 pm**. Prospective Bidders may also examine copies of the Bidding Documents provided by the Issuing Office at the locations identified below.

Bidding Documents also may be examined at:

- Lee County Public Service Authority, 397 Park Street, Jonesville, Virginia 24263

Online at, (subscription required):

- Builders Exchange of Tennessee
- Construct Connect
- Valley Construction News

Printed copies of the Bidding Documents may be obtained from the Issuing Office, during the hours indicated above, upon payment of **\$200.00**, (non-refundable) for each set. Contractors have the option to purchase an electronic set of bidding documents (PDF Format) for a **\$50.00** non-refundable fee. Checks for Bidding Documents shall be payable to The Lane Group, Inc. Upon request and receipt of the document deposit indicated above plus a non-refundable shipping charge, the Issuing Office will transmit the Bidding Documents via delivery service. The shipping charge amount will depend on the shipping method selected by the prospective Bidder. The date that the Bidding Documents are transmitted by the Issuing Office will be considered the Bidder's date of receipt of the Bidding Documents. Partial sets of Bidding Documents will not be available from the Issuing Office. Neither Owner nor Engineer will be responsible for full or partial sets of Bidding Documents, including Addenda if any, obtained from sources other than the Issuing Office.

A pre-bid conference will be held at **10:00 a.m.** local time on **Tuesday, September 20, 2022**, at the Lee County Public Service Authority Office, 397 Park Street, Jonesville, Virginia 24263. Attendance at the pre-bid conference is highly encouraged; however, it is not mandatory.

Bid security shall be furnished in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders.

Owner: **Lee County Public Service Authority**  
By: **Tracy Puckett**  
Title: **Executive Director**  
Date: **September 4, 2022**