HOUSTON COUNTY, TEXAS JIM LOVELL, COUNTY JUDGE 401 E. GOLIAD, STE 201, CROCKETT, TX 75835 936-544-3255 X 224 – FAX-936-544-8053

BID NUMBER: 2023-3

INVITATION TO BID

ITEM: ARPA GRANT - ROAD MATERIAL ONLY PCT 4

DEADLINE: April 20, 2023 @ 11:00 am Date of Opening: April 20, 2023 @ 11:05 am

Location: Houston County Auditor's Office, County Annex Building

401 E. Goliad, Ste 204, Crockett, TX 75835

Date of Award: April 25, 2023 @ 10:00 am

Location: Houston County Commissioners Court Room

401 E Goliad, Crockett, TX 75835

Period of Contract: Length of Project

GENERAL CONDITIONS/INSTRUCTIONS

- Bids are solicited for furnishing the materials set forth in this invitation to bid. Completed bid proposals must be received in the <u>County Auditor's Office</u>, <u>401 E. Goliad</u>, <u>Ste 204</u>, <u>Crockett</u>, <u>Texas 75835</u> by the deadline stated above. All bids must be in a sealed envelope clearly marked with the bid item and opening date on the outside of the envelope.
- 2. Bids received in the County Auditor's Office after the submission deadline shall be returned unopened and will be considered void and unacceptable. Houston County is not responsible for delayed mail, carrier, etc. and the time/date stamp clock used upon receipt of any bid in the purchasing office shall be the official time of receipt.

 No fax bids will be accepted.
- 3. Bids may be withdrawn at any time prior to the official opening. Alterations made before opening time must be initialed by bidder guaranteeing authenticity. After the official opening, bids may not be amended, altered or withdrawn without the recommendation of the Houston County Auditor and the approval of the Commissioners Court.

- 4. The County is exempt from federal excise and state sales tax; therefore, tax must not be included in this bid
- 5. The bidder agrees if this bid is accepted, to furnish any and all materials upon which prices are offered, at the price(s) and upon the terms and conditions contained in the specifications. The period for acceptance of this bid proposal will be sixty (60) calendar days unless a different period is noted by bidder at the time the bid is submitted by bidder.
- 6. The County reserves the right to accept or reject in part or in whole any bids submitted, and to waive any technicalities related to the bidding process for the benefit of the County, granted that such waiver is allowed under federal and state laws.
- 7. Invoices shall be sent directly to the Houston County Auditor's Office, 401 E. Goliad, Ste 204, Crockett, Texas 75835. Payments will be processed after confirmation that all materials have been received satisfactorily and no unauthorized materials have been received.
- 8. Houston County terms of invoice are net thirty (30) days from statement date.
- 9. Bidder shall furnish the required materials at the price quoted and will not raise the price for the first one hundred and eighty (180) days of the contract regardless of price increases.
- 10. The County may extend the contract associated with an accepted bid provided that all terms and conditions of the contract remain unchanged and in full force and effect. Exceptions to this section shall be made for extensions of the contract period and adjustment of any price cited in the contract. The County's option to renew shall be in writing and shall be signed by both parties prior to the expiration of this contract. The normal extension period shall be in ninety (90) day increments. The total period of this contract, including all extensions as a result of exercising this option may not exceed a maximum combined period of original contract period plus one hundred and eighty (180) days.
- 11. Bidder's failure to comply with the terms and conditions of a contract associated with an accepted bid, shall be a basis for the determination of the contract by the County. The County shall not pay for supplies which are unsatisfactory. The County may give Contractor a reasonable opportunity before termination to correct the deficiencies. This, however, shall in no way be construed as negating the validity of the County's termination for non-performance.
- 12. If quantities are indicated in the bid they are estimated based upon information at the time bids are requested. The County reserves the right to increase or decrease the quantities by any amount it deems necessary to meet its needs without any adjustment in the contract price.
- 13. The extension of the contract associated with an accepted bid is contingent on the appropriation of necessary funds by Commissioners Court for the fiscal year in question. Upon the failure of Commissioners Court to so appropriate in any fiscal year, Contractor may elect to terminate this agreement, with no additional liability to the County. County and Contractor agree that termination shall be Contractor's sole remedy under this circumstance.

- 14. The bid award shall be based on, but not necessarily limited to the following factors:
 - Total price
 - Special needs and requirements of Houston County
 - Houston County's evaluation of Contractor's ability
 - · Contractor's past performance record with any Texas County
- 15. If this bid is accepted and approved by the Commissioners Court then this bid shall be incorporated into a contract. No oral agreements either expressed or implied shall be valid. No different or additional terms will become part of this contract unless agreed upon by both parties.
- 16. The Contractor shall make himself familiar with and at all times shall observe and comply with all federal, state, and local laws, ordinances and regulations that, in any manner, affect the conduct of the work.
- 17. All insurance requirements, including workers' compensation and liability, as outlined under state law, shall be met prior to any services rendered and shall remain in effect during the time of the contract associated with an accepted bid. Payments shall not become due and payable until such certificates have been filed.
- 18. The parties herein agree that the contract associated with an accepted bid shall be enforceable in Houston County, Texas; and, if legal action is necessary to enforce it, exclusive venue shall lie in Houston County, Texas.
- 19. The contract associated with an accepted bid shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas and all applicable federal laws.
- 20. The contract shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas and all applicable federal laws.
- 21. This bid, when properly accepted by Houston County Commissioners' Court, shall constitute a contract equally binding between the successful bidder and Houston County. No different or additional terms will become a part of this contract.
- 22. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS THE COUNTY AND ITS DULY APPOINTED OFFICERS, AGENTS AND EMPLOYEES FOR ALL SUITS, ACTIONS, LOSSES, DAMAGES, CLAIMS, OR LIABILITY OF ANY CHARACTER, TYPE, OR DESCRIPTION, INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITING THE GENERALITY OF THE FOREGOING ALL EXPENSES OF LITIGATION, COURT COSTS, AND ATTORNEYS' FEES FOR INJURY OR DEATH TO ANY PERSON, OR INJURY TO ANY PROPERTY, RECEIVED OR SUSTAINED BY ANY PERSON OR PERSONS OR PROPERTY, ARISING OUT OF, OR OCCASIONED BY, THE ACTS OF CONTRACTOR'S OFFICERS, AGENTS OR EMPLOYEES.
- 23. If a court of competent jurisdiction determines that any term of the contract associated with an accepted bid is invalid or unenforceable to any extent under applicable law, the remainder of the contract associated with an accepted bid (and the application of this agreement to other) shall not be affected thereby, and each remaining term shall be valid and enforceable to the fullest extent permitted by law.

- 24. If the Contractor defaults in the performance of the terms and conditions contained herein, or materially breaches any of its provisions, the County shall have the right to terminate the contract associated with an accepted bid by giving written notice of termination within thirty (30) days of the occurrence of the default or material breach.
- 25. By accepting this invitation to bid and bidding on the item(s) set forth above you are accepting any and all of the general conditions set forth above and any additional specifications and conditions contained within the contract attached.

Respectfully,

Jim Lovell

Houston County Judge

HOUSTON COUNTY, TEXAS JIM LOVELL, COUNTY JUDGE 401 E. GOLIAD, STE 201, CROCKETT, TX 75835 936-544-3255 X 224 – FAX-936-544-8053

CONTRACT

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF HOUSTON

WHEREAS, The attached "Bid Package" which includes the Invitation to Bid, General Conditions/Instructions, Specifications, Proposal, and Bid Sheet(s) for the item(s) being published for competitive bid, were solicited pursuant to Texas Local Government Code 262.021; and

WHEREAS, the Houston County Commissioners Court as the governing body of Houston County did on award a contract to (Contractor/Bidder/Supplier) for furnishing the materials in quantities and at prices as set forth in the above-attached Bid Package; and

THEREFORE, knowing all men by these present, that this contract is entered into by Houston County, Texas (hereinafter called "County") and the undersigned Contractor (hereinafter called "Contractor" or "Bidder" or "Supplier").

WITNESSETH

THAT IN ACCORDANCE with the above attached Bid Package in every particular, the Contractor will perform in accordance with the terms thereof and the County agrees to make payment for such items or services purchased on appropriate purchase orders in accordance with the items of said Bid Package which is made a part of this contract and incorporated herein for all purposes.

THAT IN ACCORDANCE with the attached the County's acceptance of equipment, supplies and services shall be contingent on (1) they conform, (2) they were delivered (if applicable), and (3) services have been satisfactorily performed in the sole determination of the County.

PRIOR AGREEMENTS SUPERSEDED

This Contract, with the entire Bid Package incorporated herein for all purposes, including any required supporting literature, brochures, and/or data sheets or sample, constitutes the sole agreements of the parties to the agreement and supersedes all oral or written previous and contemporary agreements between the parties and relating to matters herein. This contract along with the Bid Package shall be considered a "Contract associated with an accepted bid" as referenced in the Bid Package.

AMENDMENT

No amendment, modification or alteration of the terms of this contract shall be binding unless same is in writing, dated subsequent to the date of this contract, and duly executed by an authorized representative of each party.

CONTRACTOR/BIDDER'S AFFIRMATION

Contractor/Bidder affirms that they are duly authorized to execute this contract, that this company, corporation, firm, partnership or individual has not prepared this bid in collusion with any other bidder, and that the contents of this bid as to price, terms or conditions of said bid have not been communicated by the undersigned nor by any employee or agent to any other person engaged in this type of business prior to the official opening of this bid.

Pursuant to 262.0276 of the Texas Local Government Code, Contractor/Bidder hereby affirms that Contractor/Bidder is not indebted to Houston County.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF: Witness our hands at Houston County, Texas, effective as of the date awarded above, if any.

HOUSTON COUNTY	•	
BY Jim Lovell, County Judge	ATTEST: _	Terri Meadows, County Clerk
CONTRACTOR/SUPPLIER		
Name of Contracting Company		
Contact Name		
Title		
Mailing Address		
City State		Zip Code
Signature of Company Official Authorizing Bid/Offer		
Printed Name		
Phone	Fax	E-mail address

**Failure to sign the contract page(s) may disqualify the bid from being considered by the Commissioners Court. However, this contract is not valid until awarded in Commissioners Court and signed by both parties.

SPECIFICATIONS/REQUIREMENTS

1. PRIMARY BID:

- a. Requested Materials per ton:
 - i. 13,440 TONS STANDARD BASE
- Scope Vendor shall provide Houston County with the specified supplies to meet or exceed the specifications listed. Bids are solicited for furnishing the materials set forth in this bid request for the length of completing the projects approved by the American Rescue Plan Act Grant Program.
- 2. Delivery Houston County will designate an official/individual per precinct to order any items that may be awarded to the successful bidder for delivery on a scheduled date. All Limestone materials and Precinct 2 oil sand materials will be picked up and delivered to Houston County be a selected/designated contractor. Precinct 4 oil sand materials will be picked up and delivered to Houston County by County Employees in county-owned equipment.
- 3. **Delays** Supplier will be required to notify the designated official/individual placing the order in the event of unforeseen delays in the availability of materials on the scheduled pickup day and provide reasons for the delay.

It is expressly understood and agreed that in case Houston County should need any item(s) not available within the time frame requested from the successful vendor during the term of this contract, Houston County reserves the right to purchase these items from another than the successful vendor. This shall not be in violation of any terms or conditions of said contract. Further, Houston County reserves the right to seek another vendor if, any time, vendor's prices do not conform to public pricing.

- 4. **HB 1295 -** Vendor must complete Form 1295 online with the Texas Ethics Commission ("TEC"). The TEC website can be accessed at http://www.ethics.state.tx.us/file/. Business entities MUST complete Form 1295 online prior to contracting with Houston County.
 - a. Upon completing the form, the TEC website will generate a PDF version of the business entity's Form 1295, including creating a unique "Certificate Number" that is stamped in the upper right hand corner of the form.
 - b. The business entity must then execute a hard copy of the form and submit it to Houston County with the submitted bid documents. Failure to submit Form 1295 with bid documents will result in disqualification.
 - c. Example form can be found on Page 10.

- 5. **Conflict of Interest Questionnaire** Beginning January 1, 2006 a new state law (Chapter 176 of the Texas Local Government Code) requires the filing of Conflict of Interest Questionnaires by individuals and businesses. The questionnaire requires disclosures describing certain business and gift giving relationships (if any) the filers may have with the Houston County Commissioners Court members and other elected/appointed officials.
 - a. The law applies to:
 - i. Businesses and individuals who contract with Houston County,
 - ii. Businesses and individuals who seek to contract with Houston County, (regardless of whether a bidder is awarded the contract), and
 - iii. Agents who represent such businesses in their business dealings with Houston County.
 - b. If you have any questions about compliance, please consult your own legal counsel. Compliance is the individual responsibility of each individual, business, and agent who is subject to the law's filing requirement.
 - c. This form can be accessed at https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/forms/CIQ and <u>must be returned with the submitted bid documents</u>. The form is on Page 11 and Page 12.
- 6. **References** Provide at least three (3) companies or governmental agencies where the same or similar products and/or services as contained in this specification package were recently provided on attached form Page 13.
- 7. Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification Vendor must complete a W-9 Form as attached with bid documents. See Page 14.

BID SHEET TO BE COMPLETED BY BIDDER

(May choose one or any combination to bid)

American Rescue Plan Act Grant Program PCT 4

			PCT 4			
			MATERIALS	BID		
		DEAL	LINE - APRIL 20, 20)23 @ 11:00 A.I	И.	
	PRECINCT	MATERIALS NEEDED	ESTIMATED AMOUNT NEEDED	BID AMOUNT		ADDRESS WHERE MATERIALS ARE LOCATED
PRIMARY BID	4	STANDARD BASE	13,440 TONS	\$	Per ton	
SUMMARY:						
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Email:						

							
CERTIFICATE OF INTERESTED PARTIES			FORM 129				
Complete Nos. 1 - 4 and 6 if there are interested parties. Complete Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, and 6 if there are no interested parties.				CE USE ONLY			
Name of business entity filing form, and the city, state and country of the business entity's place of business.				Jelfile			
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ADD	ADDITIONAL PAGES AS NEC	ESSARY	,				

Form provided by Texas Ethics Commission

www.ethics.state.tx.us

Revised 12/22/2017

HOUSTON COUNTY, TEXAS



CONFLICT OF INTEREST QUESTIONNAIRE FORM CIQ

For vendor doing business with local governmental entity

This questionnaire reflects changes made to the law by H.B. 23, 84th Legislature, Regular Session. This questionnaire is being filed in accordance with Chapter 176, Local Government Code, by a vendor who has a business relationship as defined by Section 176.001(1-a) with a local governmental entity and the vendor meets requirements under Section 176.006(a).(SEE BACK OF FORM FOR COMPLETE DEFINITIONS)

By law this questionnaire must be filed with the Houston County Auditor (401 F. Golfad, Sta 2014, Constant, TV 75835) and later than the

7th busine	se day after the date the vendor becomes aware of facts that require the statement to be A vendor commits an offense if the vendor knowingly violates Section 176.00 An offense under this section is a misdemeanor.	filed. Section 176.006(a-1), Local Govi Code. 6, Local Government Code.
If Vendor If none, c	has an affiliation with <u>any</u> local government officer. Vendor mu complete section 1, write NONE in section 3, sign and date secti	ist complete the rest of the form. on 7, then return form.
	of vendor who has a business relationship with local governmental entity.	
_ L @	Check this box if you are filing an update to a previously filed questionnaire. (The completed questionnaire with the appropriate filing authority not later than the 7th you became aware that the originally filed questionnaire was incomplete or inaction.	business day after the date on which
3 Name o	of local government officer about whom the information is being disclosed.	
	Name of Officer	•
officer, Comple	be each employment or other business relationship with the local governm as described by Section 176.003(a)(2)(A). Also describe any family relations ate subparts A and B for each employment or business relationship described necessary.	ship with the local government officer
	A. Is the local government officer or a family member of the officer receive other than investment income, from the vendor?	ring or likely to receive taxable income.
	Yes No	
	B. Is the vendor receiving or likely to receive taxable income, other than invofithe local government officer or a family member of the officer AND the flocal governmental entity?	estment income, from or at the direction axable income is not received from the
	Yes No	
other	ibe each employment or business relationship that the vendor named in Sect business entity with respect to which the local government officer serves rship interest of one percent or more.	tion 1 maintains with a corporation or as an officer or director, or holds an
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CONFLICT OF INTEREST QUESTIONNAIRE

For vendor doing business with local governmental entity

A complete copy of Chapter 176 of the Local Government Code may be found at http://www.statutes.legis.state.tx.us/ Docs/LG/htm/LG.176.htm. For easy reference, below are some of the sections cited on this form.

<u>Local Government Code § 176.001(1-a)</u>: "Business relationship" means a connection between two or more parties based on commercial activity of one of the parties. The term does not include a connection based on:

(A) a transaction that is subject to rate or fee regulation by a federal, state, or local governmental entity or an agency of a federal, state, or local governmental entity;

(B) a transaction conducted at a price and subject to terms available to the public; or

(C) a purchase or lease of goods or services from a person that is chartered by a state or federal agency and that is subject to regular examination by, and reporting to, that agency.

Local Government Code § 176.003(a)(2)(A) and (B):

- (a) A local government officer shall file a conflicts disclosure statement with respect to a vendor if:
 - (2) the yendor:
 - (A) has an employment or other business relationship with the local government officer or a family member of the officer that results in the officer or family member receiving taxable income, other than investment income, that exceeds \$2,500 during the 12-month period preceding the date that the officer becomes aware that

(i) a contract between the local governmental entity and vendor has been executed;

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- (ii) the local governmental entity is considering entering into a contract with the
- (B) has given to the local government officer or a family member of the officer one or more gifts that have an aggregate value of more than \$100 in the 12-month period preceding the date the officer becomes aware that:
 - (i) a contract between the local governmental entity and vendor has been executed; or
 - (ii) the local governmental entity is considering entering into a contract with the vendor.

Local Government Code § 176,006(a) and (a-1)

(a) A vendor shall file a completed conflict of interest questionnaire if the vendor has a business relationship with a local governmental entity and:

(1) has an employment or other business relationship with a local government officer of that local governmental entity, or a family member of the officer, described by Section 176.003(a)(2)(A);

- (2) has given a local government officer of that local governmental entity, or a family member of the officer, one or more gifts with the aggregate value specified by Section 176.003(a)(2)(B), excluding any gift described by Section 176.003(a-1); or
- (3) has a family relationship with a local government officer of that local governmental entity.
- (a-1) The completed conflict of interest questionnaire must be filed with the appropriate records administrator not later than the seventh business day after the later of:
 - (1) the date that the vendor:
 - (A) begins discussions or negotiations to enter into a contract with the local governmental entity; or
 - (B) submits to the local governmental entity an application, response to a request for proposals or bids, correspondence, or another writing related to a potential contract with the local governmental entity; or
 - (2) the date the vendor becomes aware:
 - (A) of an employment or other business relationship with a local government officer, or a family member of the officer, described by Subsection (a);
 - (B) that the vendor has given one or more gifts described by Subsection (a); or
 - (C) of a family relationship with a local government officer.

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VENDOR REFERENCES

Please list at least three (3) companies or governmental agencies (preferably a municipality) where the same or similar products and/or services as contained in this specification package were recently provided.

THIS FORM MUST BE RETURNED WITH YOUR BID.

	REFERENCE ONE
Government/Company Name:	
Address:	
Contact Person and Title:	
Phone:	Fax:
Contract Period:	Scope of Work;
	REFERENCE TWO
Government/Company Name:	
Address:	
Contact Person and Title:	
Phone:	Fax:
Contract Period:	Scope of Work:
	REFERENCE: THREE
Government/Company Name:	
Address:	
Contact Person and Title:	
Phone:	Fax:
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Form (Rev. December 2014) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Give Form to the requester. Do not send to the IRS.

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	7 List account number(s) here (optional)						•				
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Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident allen, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I Instructions on page 3. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see <i>How to get a TIN</i> on page 3. Note, if the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1 and the chart on page 4 for guidelines on whose number to enter.			a or		ecurity			iber			
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Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted,		Form 1099-C (canceled debt)									
Future developments, information about developments affecting Form W-9 (such as legislation enacted after we release it) is at www.irs.gov/fw9.		 Form 1099-A (acquisition or abandonment of secured property) Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to 									
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	1099-S (proceeds from real estate transactions)	page 2 for further informa	auon.								
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Form W-9 (Rev. 12-2014)