

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
(Chapter 103D, HRS)

SEALED BIDS for **JOB NO. 2023-1233, EMERGENCY POWER TRANSFER SWITCHES AT 'ŌLA'A #3, 'ŌLA'A #4, PI'IHONUA #1, AND PI'IHONUA #3**, Island Wide, County of Hawai'i, State of Hawai'i, will be received ELECTRONICALLY by the Department of Water Supply, County of Hawai'i, until **January 9, 2025 at 2:00 p.m.** when they will be publicly opened and read aloud. Bids received after the time fixed for opening or delivered elsewhere other than specified herein will not be considered.

This project generally consists of furnishing and installing power transfer switches, termination cabinets, conduit, conductors, supports, accessories, and incidentals, in accordance with the plans and specifications.

A pre-bid meeting shall be scheduled for **December 19, 2024, at 9:00 a.m.** at the Pi'ihonua #3 site located off Punawai Street, Hilo, HI, 96720. A site visit to the Pi'ihonua #1, 'Ōla'a #3, & 'Ōla'a #4 sites shall immediately follow the pre-bid meeting. Please notify the project engineer, Mr. Warren Ching, wching@hawaiidws.org, (808) 961-8050, by **December 17, 2024, 4:30 p.m.** to indicate your attendance and for exact directions to the pre-bid meeting site. Should no notifications be received, the pre-bid meeting and site visits shall be cancelled.

To be eligible to submit a bid, the Bidder and subcontractors, must possess a valid State of Hawai'i Contractor's license appropriate for the work involved.

Upon registration, forms of specifications, instructions, terms and conditions, and proposal may be obtained from the Office of the Manager-Chief Engineer, through PUBLIC PURCHASE (www.publicpurchase.com), an e-procurement system.

Prospective bidders must file with the Manager-Chief Engineer their "Intent to Bid" no later than ten (10) calendar days prior to the time advertised for opening of bids.

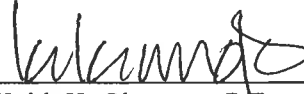
The original executed and notarized Standard Qualification Questionnaire for Offerors form ("SQQ") provided by the Department of Water Supply is required to be filed with the Manager-Chief Engineer for evaluation no later than eight (8) days prior to the time advertised for the opening of bids unless the bidder has previously filed a Questionnaire within the previous two (2) years of the date of opening of bids.

The bidder's attention is directed to the following:

The Department of Water Supply reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids, and to waive informalities.

Dated at Hilo, Hawai'i, this 2nd day of December, 2024.

BY AUTHORITY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF
WATER SUPPLY, COUNTY OF HAWAI'I



Keith K. Okamoto, P.E.
Manager-Chief Engineer

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Posted on the Internet on December 2, 2024 at:

Public Purchase, Electronic Procurement System (www.publicpurchase.com)

State of Hawai'i, State Procurement Office website (<http://hawaii.gov/spo>)

Department of Water Supply website (<http://www.hawaiidws.org>)