

# INVITATION TO BIDDERS

The Rio Grande City Economic Development Corp. would like to invite you to submit a bid on the following:

Bid No.:	Bid Description:	Opening Date:
RFB # ENG 23.008	LOS VELAS RD. STREET WIDENING IMPROVEMENTS	Wednesday, September 20, 2023 10:00 a.m.

**Specifications:** A copy of drawings and technical specifications may be obtained between 8am to 5pm, Monday through Friday, at **SAMES, Inc., 200 S. 10<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 1500, McAllen, TX 78501. Phone number: (956) 702-8880.** A non-refundable deposit of **\$150.00** will be assessed for each set of paper documents or an electronic file can be requested via email at no cost to [mmartinez@samengineering-surveying.com](mailto:mmartinez@samengineering-surveying.com). Be advised that SAMES, Inc. is the primary source of all bid documents and bidders list. Obtaining bid information from a third-party planning room may lead to incomplete submissions. SAMES, Inc. will issue out any applicable addendums to those listed on their bidders list. Bidders are responsible for obtaining all the necessary information required for a compliant bid.

**Pre-Bid Conference:** A non-mandatory Pre-Bid Conference will be held on **Tuesday, September 12th, 2023 at 2:00pm** at City of Rio Grande City - City Hall, 5332 E US HWY 83 Ste A, Rio Grande City

**Requirements:** Upon submitting sealed bid, bidders are required to properly identify (handwritten, typed, or printed) sealed envelope and/or packet as follows: Bidder's name and address on the upper left-hand corner of the sealed envelope and/or package **RFB # ENG 23.008 "LOS VELAS RD. STREET WIDENING IMPROVEMENTS"** on the lower left-hand corner of sealed envelope/and or packet. Overnight mail must also be properly labeled on the outside of an express envelope or package. All addenda issued shall become part of the contract documents. **Incomplete bid packages will not be accepted.**

Bidder understands that the Rio Grande City Economic Development Corporation reserves the right to accept or reject bids submitted; waive formalities in bidding; accept bid deemed most advantageous to the project owner; and hold the bids for a period of (60) calendar days without taking action.

**The sealed bid must contain (2) original complete bid required documents (including all bonds) and must be clearly identified and addressed for delivery to:**

Angela Solis, City Secretary  
City of Rio Grande City

**Physical Location:**  
City of Rio Grande City – City Hall  
5332 E. US Highway 83  
Rio Grande City, TX 78582

**Deadline:** Sealed bids will be accepted until **Wednesday, September 20, 2023, at 10:00 a.m.** at which time they will be opened in the City of Rio Grande Conference room at Physical Location: City of Rio Grande City - City Hall, 5332 E US HWY 83 Ste A, Rio Grande City. No facsimiles or late arrivals will be accepted. Any bid received after that time will not be opened and will be returned.

**Bid Security:** Bid Security in the amount of 5% of the largest possible total of bids submitted must accompany each bid in accordance with the Instruction to Bidders. The surety must be a guaranteed or surety company acceptable to the Rio Grande City EDC.

**Please direct your questions regarding bid documents and specifications to SAM Engineering and Surveying at 956-702-8880 or by email to [mmartinez@samengineering-surveying.com](mailto:mmartinez@samengineering-surveying.com).** Any request for interpretation must be received at least 5 days prior to the bid opening date.