

PUBLIC NOTICE

INVITATION TO BID

Rio Grande City Economic Development Corporation, Texas, (MUNICIPALITY) will receive bids for the Basilio Villarreal Municipal Park Entrance Signage project **until 10 AM. on December 9, 2022**, at the City Secretary's Office located at 5332 E. US Highway 83 Rio Grande City, Texas 78582. All bids should be in a sealed envelope clearly marked "Basilio Villarreal Municipal Park Entrance Signage". Include (2) original complete bids with bond document and a digital (USB) copy of the same. No facsimiles or late arrivals will be accepted. Any bid received after that time will not be opened and will be returned. The bids will be publicly opened and read aloud immediately following bid receipt via a GoToMeeting. Please join the meeting from your computer, tablet or smartphone via this link <https://meet.goto.com/988866365>. You can also dial in using your phone +1 (646) 749-3122, Access Code: 988-866-365.

The work shall include, but not be limited to, signage, lighting, fence adjustments, and small miscellaneous items.

A non-refundable deposit of \$75.00 will be assessed for each set of paper documents. Make all checks payable to the Rio Grande City Economic Development Corporation. Documents will be available on, and after, November 15th, 2022 at RGV Reprographics, 519 S. Broadway Street, McAllen, TX 78501. To request a free digital copy or have questions on how to retain a copy of paper documents, please call (956) 686-1525 or email vickie@rgvrepro.com.

A pre-bid meeting will be held at 10 A.M. on November 29, 2022, via GoToMeetings. Please join the meeting from your computer, tablet or smartphone via this link <https://meet.goto.com/545522853>. You can also dial in using your phone +1 (571) 317-3122, Access Code: 545-522-853.

A bid bond from a reputable surety licensed to operate in the State of Texas or certified cashier's check, payable without recourse to the Municipality, for an amount of not less than five (5) percent (%) of the total bid shall accompany the bid as a guaranty that, if awarded the contract, the bidder will enter into a contract with the Municipality. A certified check or bank draft payable to the Municipality or negotiable U.S. Government Bonds (as par value) may be submitted in lieu of the Bid Bond.

This project is being funded by the Municipality and is subject to the following Requirements: Title IV of the Civil Rights Act of 1964; the Architectural Barriers Act of 1968, Texas Architectural Barriers Act, and other State laws and regulations. In addition, the successful bidder must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of race, color, religion, sex, age, gender, sexual orientation, or national origin. The Municipality is an equal opportunity employer and affirmative action organization. Minority and women owned businesses are encouraged to participate.

The Municipality reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding. Bids may be held by Municipality for a period not to exceed 60 days from the date of the bid receipt for the purpose of reviewing the bids and investigating the bidders' qualifications prior to the contract award.