

**CITY OF MADISON
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

Notice is hereby given that on the 7th day of April, 2020, until 2:00 p.m., sealed bids will be received by the Board of Commissioners of the City of Madison, South Dakota, at the Office of the Finance Officer, 116 W Center Street, Madison, South Dakota 57042 and will then be publicly opened and read.

**BID NO. 892 - CONSTRUCTION OF UNDERGROUND ELECTRIC PRIMARY, SECONDARY,
SERVICE AND STREET LIGHT CIRCUITRY, INCLUDING THE INSTALLATION OF
CABLES, BOX PADS, GROUND SLEEVES, PEDESTALS, AND OTHER RELATED
EQUIPMENT AND MATERIAL**

The above work shall be in accordance with the specifications and proposed form of contract now on file in the City offices in said City of Madison, South Dakota, by this reference made a part hereof, as though fully set out and incorporated herein.

Complete digital project bidding documents are available at www.questcdn.com. You may download the digital plan documents for \$20.00 by inputting Quest project #6892882 on the website's Project Search page. Please contact QuestCDN.com at 952-233-1632 or info@questcdn.com for assistance in free membership registration, downloading, and working with this digital project information. An optional paper set of the proposal forms and specifications for individual use may be obtained from the office of the Engineer, DGR Engineering, 1302 South Union, P.O. Box 511, Rock Rapids, Iowa 51246, telephone 712-472-2531, Fax 712-472-2710, e-mail: dgr@dgr.com, upon payment of \$75.00, none of which is refundable.

Each proposal shall be made out on proposal forms furnished by the Engineer and shall be accompanied by either (1) a cashier's check or draft or check certified and drawn on a solvent State or National bank, in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the amount of the Bid; or (2) a bid bond executed by a corporation authorized to contract as a surety in the State of South Dakota, in an amount not less than ten percent (10%) of the amount of the Bid. The bid security shall be made payable to the City of Madison, South Dakota. The bid security must not contain any conditions either in the body or as an endorsement thereon. Such bid security shall be forfeited to the City as liquidated damages in the event the successful bidder fails or refuses to enter into a contract within ten (10) days after the award of contract and post satisfactory Performance and Payment Bonds.

Bid envelopes must be clearly marked Bid No. 892 - Construction of Underground Electric Primary, Secondary, Service and Street Light Circuitry.

Payment to the Contractor will be made on the basis of ninety percent (90%) upon certification of work completed; ten percent (10%) thirty-one (31) days after final completion and acceptance.

The construction may be started after the execution of the Construction Agreement. All work shall be fully completed by October 1, 2020. See Section 01 3213 "Construction Schedule" in the Technical Specifications for more details on construction timing requirements.

The Board of Commissioners reserves the right to defer acceptance of any bid for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days after the date bids are received and no bid may be withdrawn during this period. The Board also reserves the right to waive irregularities and to reject any or all bids.

By Order of the Board of Commissioners
City of Madison
Madison, South Dakota
Jennifer Eimers
Finance Officer