Hazel Collins  
Purchasing Agent  

April 13, 2021  
BID # 21-04-08  
INVITATION TO BID  

Sealed bids for Dumpster Services, will be received by the Purchasing Agent, Jefferson County Department of Health, General Service Annex, 401 14th Street South, Birmingham, AL 35233, until 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, April 28, 2021, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read.  

Bidders wishing to bid can download the complete solicitation including the specifications and bid forms via the internet at www.jcdh.org (go to the ABOUT header and click on BIDS), or by visiting the Purchasing Office at the address shown above, or by calling (205) 930-1961, fax (205) 930-1060 and requesting a copy be mailed to you. Any addenda will be available on the internet. Bidder is responsible for checking for addenda until bid opening date. Addenda will be mailed only to those vendors who were provided a copy in person or by mail.  

All bids must be submitted on Bid Form in a sealed envelope indicating “SEALED BID – Bid # 21-04-08 Dumpster Services” with opening date and bid number printed on outside of envelope.  

All bidders must complete and return the notarized State of Alabama disclosure form included in the bid package and the Addendum to Bid Agreement Contract; and must provide their E-verify number and a copy of their E-verify certificate and all other documents listed in the enclosure.  

It is required for any contract/purchase exceeding $10,000.00 that the bidder submits with their bid either certified check, a cashier’s check or a bid bond payable to the Jefferson County Department of Health in the amount of $500.00. In order for any bid award to be considered that exceeds $10,000, it must be accompanied by an acceptable bid bond or check. Bid bonds will be returned to all unsuccessful bidders after the formal award is made and to the successful bidder after acceptance of the award. Should the successful bidder fail to accept the award, the bid bond or check shall be forfeited.  

No bid may be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days after the date of the bid opening. Jefferson County Department of Health is exempt from all tax. This statement in no way is to be construed as relieving a seller or contractor from paying any tax assessed to him as a seller or contractor.  

Jefferson County Department of Health (JCDH) expressly reserves the right to reject any or all bids, or parts of bids and to make the award all or none or per line item on the merit and/or feature of method and quality, delivery, and service availability as the best interest of the Jefferson County Department of Health appears.  

Jefferson County Department of Health reserves the right to require documentation that each bidder is an established business and is abiding by the ordinances, regulations, and laws of their community and the State of Alabama. If you are required by any regulatory agency to maintain professional license or certification to provide any product and/or service solicited under this Invitation To Bid (ITB), the JCDH reserves the right to require documentation of current license and/or certification before considering and awarding the bid.
Telephone inquiries with questions regarding clarification of all specifications of the ITB will not be accepted. All questions concerning the bid service specifications must be e-mailed to Hazel Collins, Purchasing Agent at hazel.collins@jcdh.org and Glenda Smith at glenda.smith@jcdh.org. Please reference the bid number and title in the e-mail subject.

Hazel Collins
Hazel Collins, Purchasing Agent

HC/gs
BN: 04-16-21
Enclosures
SPECIFICATIONS

GENERAL
The Jefferson County Department of Health (JCDH) is to establish a professional service contract with firm pricing for Dumpster Services. Successful bidder will be notified of bid award via Jefferson County Department of Health’s Notice of Award letter and the approved Standard Addendum to Bid Agreement Contract.

GUARANTEE
Bidder certifies by bidding that he is fully aware of the conditions of service and purpose for which item(s) included in this bid are to be purchased, and that their offering will meet these requirements of service and purpose to the satisfaction of the Jefferson County Department of Health and its Agent.

INCURRING COSTS
The Jefferson County Department of Health will not be liable for any costs incurred in preparing bid responses.

TERMS
The bid will be from June 1, 2021 until May 31, 2024.

TERMINATION
The bid may be terminated by JCDH with a thirty (30) day written notice of cancelation to the other party regardless of reason. Any violation of this agreement shall constitute a breach and default of this agreement. Such termination shall not relieve the contractor of any liability to JCDH for damages sustained by virtue of a breach by the contractor.

PRICE
Price will remain firm for the entire duration of the bid period. Price is to include all related fees. Invoice(s) must be itemized.

FREIGHT
Price includes transportation, fuel, handling, service, freight charges and deliveries/pick-up as specified and JCDH will pay no additional fees.

PRE-PAY
No pre-payments will be made prior to shipment.

COMMUNICATION DURING BID EVALUATION
There shall be no communication during the evaluation period between any vendor and JCDH agency requisitioning the good or service to be procured. Any communications, written, oral, or electronic between the vendor and the requisition agency must come through the Division of Purchasing Buyer administering the ITB.

AWARD
Award will be made in whole to the lowest responsible bidder provided the vendor meet all requirements and specifications required by the JCDH.
SPECIFICATIONS (Cont’d)

ADDITIONS TO CONTRACT
The Jefferson County Department of Health (JCDH) has attempted to list the locations for “Dumpster Services” that will be required during the term of the contract. However, JCDH reserves the right to purchase additional or delete locations that require dumpster services as needed from the successful bidder.

INSURANCE
Bidder shall furnish to the Board upon execution of this Agreement, a certificate of insurance as evidence of adequate professional and public liability insurance insuring vendor, the Board and Board’s agents, servants and employees as additional insured.

Bid proposals will be rejected if there is reason to believe that collusion exists among the bidders. No participants in such collusion will be considered in future proposals for the same work.

Bidder must have all necessary business licenses as required by the State of Alabama and Jefferson County. All items must conform strictly to the specifications and shall be subjected to evaluation upon acceptance. In the event that any item is deemed unacceptable or not in conformity with the specifications, items will be rejected and items of proper quality as set forth in these specifications shall be furnished in place thereof at the expense of the successful bidder.

PICK-UP LOCATIONS:
The following locations for dumpster pickup are as follows:

Central Health Center  General Services Annex
1400 Sixth Avenue South  401 14th Street South
Birmingham, AL 35233  Birmingham, AL 35233

Western Health Center  Eastern Health Center
631 Bessemer Super Highway  601 West Blvd.
Midfield, AL 35228  Birmingham, AL 35206

Failure to pick-up as specified and in accordance with the bid submitted, including promised delivery, will constitute sufficient grounds for cancelation of the order and contract at the option of JCDH.

Use of specific names and numbers is not intended to restrict the bidding of any seller and/or manufacturer, but is solely for the purpose of indicating the type, size and quality, material, service, or equipment considered best adapted to the JCDH’s intended use.

If requested, successful bidder will furnish a minimum of three (3) references. References will be accepted only from companies that provide similar services with same type and scope as requested herein.

No bidder shall be allowed to offer more than one price on each line item. If said bidder should submit more than one price per line item, then ALL prices for that line item shall be rejected.
BID FORM FOR BID #21-04-08
DUE: Wednesday, April 28, 2021
TIME: 10:00 a.m.

Hazel Collins
Purchasing Agent
Jefferson County Department of Health
General Services Annex Building
401 14th Street South
Birmingham, AL 35233

Submitted below is my firm bid for specified Dumpster services in accordance with your ITB #21-04-08.

(1a.) Central Health Center
1400 Sixth Ave. So.
B’ham, AL 35233
Cost per month
06/01/21 – 05/31/22
06/01/22 – 05/31/23
06/01/23 - 05/31/24

Pick up four (4) days a week, Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Furnish one 10-yard dumpster front-end load. Each load is to be picked up between 5:30 a.m. and 7:00 a.m. The gate will be locked. Therefore, driver will have to ring bell at back door for guard to come open the gate.

(1b.) Extra Pick-up at
Central Health Center
Cost per pick-up

(2a.) Western Health Center
631 Bessemer Super Hwy
Midfield, AL 35228
Cost per month
06/01/21 – 05/31/22
06/01/22 – 05/31/23
06/01/23 - 05/31/24

Pick up each Monday & Thursday; furnish one 10-yard dumpster (front-end load).
Each load is to be picked up before 7:00 a.m.

(2b.) Extra Pick-up at
Western Health Center
Cost per pick-up

(3a.) Eastern Health Center
601 West Blvd.
B’ham, AL 35212
Cost per month
06/01/21 – 05/31/22
06/01/22 – 05/31/23
06/01/23 - 05/31/24

Pick up weekly on Tuesday & Friday; furnish one 6-yard dumpster (front-end load).

(3b.) Extra Pick-up at
Eastern Health Center
Cost per pick-up

(4a.) General Service Annex
401 South 14th Street
B’ham, AL 35233
Cost per month
06/01/21 – 05/31/22
06/01/22 – 05/31/23
06/01/23 - 05/31/24

Pick up weekly on Monday and Thursday; furnish one 8-yard dumpster (front-end load).

(4b.) Extra Pick-up at
General Service Annex
Cost per pick-up

Note: Special pick-ups at any center with a 6-hour notice only. Dumpster is to remain clean & sanitized with lids closed after each pick-up. All spills that occur are to be cleaned up after each pick-up. Jefferson County Department of Health (JCDH) personnel will not clean spills around dumpster if left by dumpster service.
Name of Company  ____________________________________________________________

Please enclose your business card with your bid.

Bidder acknowledges receipt of ______________ addenda. This page must be returned with bid.

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Alabama Law (Section 41-4-116, Code of Alabama 1975) provides that every bid submitted and contract executed shall contain a certification that the vendor, contractor, and all of its affiliates that make sales for delivery into Alabama, or leases for use in Alabama, are registered, collecting, and remitting Alabama state and local sales, use, and/or lease tax on all taxable sales and leases into Alabama.

**BY SUBMITTING THIS BID, THE BIDDER IS HEREBY CERTIFYING THAT THEY ARE IN FULL COMPLIANCE WITH ACT NO. 2006-557, THEY ARE NOT BARRED FROM BIDDING OR ENTERING INTO A CONTRACT PURSUANT TO 41-4-116, AND ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THE AWARDING AUTHORITY MAY DECLARE THE CONTRACT VOID IF THE CERTIFICATION IS FALSE.**