SECTION 00020

INVITATION TO BID

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City of Norwich, Kansas Water System Improvements KDHE Project No. 2832 CDBG Project No. 17-PF-011

You are invited to bid on a single general contract for Water System Improvements described in general as follows:

Water Treatment Facility: Work includes furnishing all the labor, materials, and equipment for construction of a water treatment plant that includes: 42'-0" yre-engineered metal building; site and building concrete work; masonry block construction; metal frame gypsum board construction; process piping; mechanical and electrical equipment; valves & appurtenances; 400 gpm nitrate treatment and regeneration equipment (pre-negotiated by Owner); automated vacuum operated chlorine gas equipment; two ~280 gpm centrifugal high service booster pumps; bathroom/office equipment; complete septic system; one bolted steel potable water storage tank (15,500 gallon operational storage) and diffuser system; generator; piping; electrical; grading; gravel surfacing; two cell synthetic lagoon process waste treatment system with monitoring collection well; well electrical control work; well house process piping improvements; telemetry; bulk water loading station and appurtenances; and all other incidental and appurtenant work required to complete the improvements as shown and specified.

<u>Alternates</u>: Change to remove bulk water loading station from bid, change to replace bolted steel potable water storage tank with a glass-fused-to-steel bolted tank.

OWNER will receive sealed bids until 1:30 PM, Tuesday, November 14, 2017, at the office of the City Clerk, City of Norwich; PO Box 100; Norwich, KS 67118. Bids received after this time will not be accepted. All interested parties are invited to attend. Bids will be opened publicly and read aloud, immediately following closing time for receipt of bids.

Bidding Documents in electronic Adobe Portable Document Format (pdf) can be viewed or downloaded through the online Plan Room at http://www.wilsonco.com/plan-room at no charge. Printed copies of the proposed Bidding Documents may be obtained from the Issuing Office upon receipt of a non-refundable deposit in the amount of \$175.00 for each set, not including tax and shipping costs. Contractors, subcontractors, suppliers, etc. must register or log-in to view and/or download Bidding Documents. Complete sets of Bidding Documents must be used in preparing Bids; neither OWNER nor ENGINEER assumes any responsibility for errors or misinterpretations resulting from the use of incomplete sets of Bidding Documents. For any questions regarding ordering or viewing of the Bidding Documents please contact the following:

Wilson & Company, Inc. Engineers & Architects, Salina, Kansas. Telephone: 785-827-0433 – Dawn Smith; Email: planroom.salina@wilsonco.com

Addendums and plan holder list will also be available through Wilson & Company, Inc. Engineers & Architects (http://www.wilsonco.com/plan-room).

Bid Security will be required in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders.

Bidder qualifications may be required in accordance with Instructions to Bidders.

Contract time will be set in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders and Agreement.

OWNER reserves the right to reject any or all Bids and to waive irregularities in bidding. OWNER reserves the right to accept or reject any line item in the bid form.

Bidder's attention is called to the required compliance with the Kansas Department of Health and Environment, Kansas Public Water Supply Loan Fund (KPWSLF) Requirements and the Kansas Department of Commerce, Community Development Block Grant Program Requirements.

Attention to bidders is particularly called to the requirements as to conditions of employment to be observed and Federal prevailing wage rates to be paid under the contract, Section 3 of the 1968 Housing Act, Segregated Facility. Section 109 of the 1964 Housing and Community Development Act and Executive Ordre 11246 and the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

All contracts and subcontracts exceeding \$100,000, at any tier under a KPWSLF Loan Agreement shall comply with the Anti-Lobbying Act, Section 319 of Public Law 101-121, and file an Anti-Lobbying Certification form, and the Disclosure of Lobbying Activities form, if required, to the next tier above.

Bidders on this work will be required to comply with the presidents Executive Order No. 11246 (Equal Employment Opportunity) as amended. Requirements for bidders and contractors under this order are explained in the specifications.

Bidders must fully comply with Subpart C of 2 CFR Part 180 and 2 CFR Part 1532, entitled Responsibilities of Participants Regarding Transactions. Contractors, subcontractors, or suppliers that appear on the Excluded Parties List System at www.sam.gov are not eligible for award of any contracts funded by the KDHE State Revolving Fund Programs.

Any questions regarding the Bidding Documents should be directed to ENGINEER at the following address:

WILSON & COMPANY, INC., ENGINEERS & ARCHITECTS Attn: Craig Stockebrand 1700 East Iron Avenue Salina, Kansas 67401 Telephone (785) 827-0433, Fax (785) 827-5949

CITY OF NORWICH, KS Carol Poe, City Clerk