

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST 2020 SEWER SUBMERSIBLE PUMPS & RELATED MATERIALS

Sealed Bids will be received by St. John the Baptist Parish Purchasing and Procurement Department in the St. John the Baptist Parish Government Complex, 1811 W. Airline Highway, LaPlace, La. 70068, at the receptionist's desk, until **2:45 p.m., November 13, 2019.**

Bids shall be addressed to the St. John the Baptist Parish Purchasing and Procurement. Bid envelopes shall be sealed, display the name and address of the bidder, and be clearly marked on the outside of the envelope **"2019 Sewer Submersible Pumps and Related Materials."** Any bids received after the specified time and date will not be considered. The sealed bids will be publicly opened and **read aloud** at 3:00 o'clock p. m. November 13, 2019 in the St. John the Baptist Parish Government Complex Council Chambers located at 1811 W. Airline Highway, LaPlace, LA 70068.

Bid Forms may be viewed and electronic bids are being accepted at www.centralbidding.com. Bid documents are also available for viewing on www.sibparish.com and can be obtained by contacting Janice Gauthier at j.gauthier@stjohn-la.gov or Jean Stewart at j.stewart@stjohn-la.gov. All questions must be received in writing by November 6, 2019 to Janice Gauthier or Jean Stewart to the emails listed above.

St. John the Baptist Parish Council reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids and to waive any irregularities or informalities incidental thereto, and to accept any bid, which St. John the Baptist Parish Council feels, serves their best interest. Such action will be in accordance with Title 38 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes.

*St. John the Baptist Parish Council, being a government agency, is exempt from all sales tax. Therefore, **the amount you bid should contain no sales tax.***

The Specifications have been prepared by St. John the Baptist Parish Utility Department setting forth those items deemed necessary by St. John the Baptist Parish personnel.

Pumps and materials will be awarded individually.

Each item of bid shall be awarded to the lowest bidder meeting Specifications and at the same time, best fulfilling the needs of St. John the Baptist Parish. The Utility Department will be the sole judge of equality of products and comparability to Specifications.

The term of this agreement shall be for two (2) years, starting from the award date through December 31, 2021.

Order placement and order quantity will be determined by the St. John the Baptist Parish Council on an "as needed" basis. Purchase orders will be issued for all materials.

No bidder may withdraw his/her bid within thirty (30) days after the actual date of opening thereof.

Any person with disabilities requiring Special Accommodation must contact St. John the Baptist Parish at (985) 652-9569 no later than seven (7) days prior to bid opening. Participation by minority and female owned business, as well as businesses located in this Parish is encouraged.

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST PARISH COUNCIL

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