Public Notice

THE BIDDING BOARD OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF CAGUAS WILL RECEIVE SEALED PROPOSALS (ORIGINAL AND COPY) FOR THE FOLLOWING ARCHITECTURE AND ENGINEERING SERVICES:

DEADLINE: FRIDAY FEBRUARY 25, 2022 BEFORE 3:00 P.M. VIRTUAL ORIENTATION MEETING: (MICROSOFT TEAMS)	
DESCRIPTION	ORIENTATION MEETING
STUDY AND DESIGN FOR ROUNDABOUTS CONSTRUCTION: • LUIS MUÑOZ MARÍN AVENUE (PR-32) INT. PR-183 (PR-CRP-000175) • GAUTIER BENITEZ AVENUE (PR-1) INT. AVE. JOSÉ MERCADO (PR-33) (PR-CRP-000178)	
STUDY AND DESIGN FOR ROAD IMPROVEMENTS (PR-CRP-000252) • LUIS MUÑOZ MARÍN AVENUE AND OTHERS • GAUTIER BENÍTEZ AVENUE (PR-1) AND OTHERS • LEONCIO VELÁZQUEZ BOULEVARD, PR-156 Y PR-34	TUESDAY FEBRUARY 1, 2022 9:00 AM (VIRTUAL MEETING MICROSOFT TEAMS)
STUDY AND DESIGN FOR ROUNDABOUTS CONSTRUCTION AND ROAD IMPROVEMENT RAFAEL CORDERO AVENUE (CRP-000252 AND CRP-000177)	
Questions until February 14, 2022	Answers: February 18, 2022

A detailed request for proposal (RFP) package will be provided to stakeholders outlining submission requirements and selection methodology. All RFP documentation will be available in digital format and may be accessed by visiting https://caguas.gov.pr/avisos-publicos-y-subastas. A complete submission register providing all documentation detailed in the request for proposal must be submitted via email to the following address: subastasenlinea@caguas.gov.pr. All emails must identify the title of the proposed project. Once the registration email is received, a link will be sent to obtain the required documentation. Any technical issues arising that limit access to documentation can be resolved by calling the Purchasing and Bids Office at 787-653-8833, Ext. 1990. The deadline for submitting detailed responses to this RFP will be Friday, February 25, 2022 at 3:00 PM. All submissions should be directed to the Municipal Purchasing and Bids Office, Angel Rivera Rodrígiez Municipal Government Center, 222 Alejandro Tapia y Rivera Street and delivery must be previously coordinated by calling the Purchasing and Bids Department, 787-653-8833, Ext 1990 or by emailing subastasenlinea@caguas.gov.pr.

The Bidding Board reserves the right to reject or refuse any or all proposals or award the proposal which suits the best interests of the Municipality. Likewise, the Municipality reserves the right to cancel the award before the execution of the agreement or before a purchase order has been issued without any liability to the Municipality. Stakeholders must be available to begin the work immediately, once agreement with the Municipality has been executed. This RFP process is designed to promote an open and fair competition, and in turn seeks a cost-competitive option.

Stakeholders will be evaluated by the Municipality as described in the RFP and in accordance with applicable local and federal laws and regulations, including HUD's requirements, among others. Proposals will be confidencial and will not be released for public review until the final awards is completed.

Prior to award of an agreement, the Municipality must obtain contractor clearance. To obtain clearance, the Municipality will search https://www.sam .gov/SAM/ to verify whether the contractor is or has been debarred using the Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS). THEREFORE, STAKEHOLDERS MUST POSSESS A DUNS NUMBER AND BE REGISTERED IN THE SYSTEM FOR AWARD MANAGEMENT (SAM) AT THE TIME OF PROPOSAL SUBMISSION OR MUST INITIATE REGISTRATION PROCESS IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE PROPOSAL SUBMISSION. FOR MORE INFORMATION REGARDING SYSTEM FOR AWARD MANAGEMENT (SAM) GO TO https://www.sam.gov/SAM/. Awards will only be issued to entities, which are cleared, and not ineligible for contracting due to suspension, debarment, or HUD imposed limited denial of participation. The Municipality is an equal opportunity employer and does not discriminate as to sex, gender or sexual identity, race, age, national origin, religious creed, civil status, veteran status, or disability.

This RFP process will follow 2 C.F.R. §§ 200.318.327 of the Department of Housing Federal Development, CDBG-DR Program and City Revitalization Program managed by the Puerto Rico Department of Housing. The Municipality of Caguas encourages and will give priority to applicants who are certified as Minority Business Enterprise (MBE), Disadvantage Business Enterprise (DBE), and Women's Business Enterprise (WBE).

On Caguas, Puerto Rico on January 24, 2022.

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