

INVITATION TO BID (ITB)

25ITB003

CONSTRUCTION SERVICES BSL3 CIVIL & SITE IMPROVEMENTS

PWP-CL-2025-093

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280 South Decatur Boulevard Las Vegas, Nevada 89107

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SECTION I - INTRODUCTION

A. Purpose

The Southern Nevada Health District ("SNHD") invites bids from qualified general contractors to install utilities in the public right of way and perform on-site improvements in preparation for the construction of a new Biosafety Level 3 (BSL-3) laboratory in Las Vegas, Nevada ("Project").

B. Entity Information

SNHD was created in 1962 when the State Legislature combined the health departments of the county and several adjoining cities. SNHD is one of the largest local public health organizations in the United States, serving approximately 2.3 million residents and safeguarding the public health of approximately 40 million visitors to Las Vegas annually.

SNHD's mission is, "To assess, protect, and promote the health, environment, and well-being of Southern Nevada communities and visitors."

The Southern Nevada District Board of Health (Board) is SNHD's governing body vested with jurisdiction over all public health matters within Clark County Nevada.

C. Funding

Any contract awarded under this ITB will be funded through a grant award from the City of North Las Vegas, Nevada. Any contract resulting from this ITB shall be terminated immediately if funding is withdrawn, limited, or impaired.

D. Anticipated Contract Type

The contract type will be a firm-fixed priced contract.

E. Anticipated Contract Term

The anticipated contract term will be 12 months from commencement date.

F. Ethics in Public Procurement

It is unlawful for any vendor to offer, or any SNHD employee or their immediate family to solicit or accept a gratuity in connection with the solicitation, award, or administration of an ITB.

SECTION II - SCOPE OF SERVICES

A. Project Description

- 1. The Nevada Office of the Labor Commissioner ("OLC") Public Works Identifying Number (PWP) for the Project is PWP-CL-2025-093.
- 2. The selected GC will work with SNHD's contracted Architectural/Engineering, **EWINGCOLE** ("Architect"), to provide the services required per this ITB.
- 3. Work will be performed in phases as follows:
 - a. Phase 1a Public Improvements

To prepare the BSL-3 site for construction (Phase 2), the following utilities shall be installed in the Public Right of Way:

i. Domestic Water Installation

- 1. Install a 3" domestic water feed for the BSL-3 lab.
- 2. This includes a double manifold consisting of two (2) 2" meters and a 4" Reduced Pressure Backflow Device (RPBD).
- 3. The RPBD will be installed on private property but within an easement to the Las Vegas Valley Water District.
- 4. A new valve will be installed at the tee connection to the City system.
- 5. Confirm whether the backflow device can be included in the public package.

ii. Fire Water Installation

- 1. Install an 8" fire service for the BSL-3 lab.
- 2. Include an 8" Watts 957 Reduced Pressure Detector Assembly (RPDA).
- 3. The RPDA will be placed on private property but within an easement to the Las Vegas Valley Water District.
- 4. Coordinate with local authorities to determine if this can be included in the public package.

iii. Sewer Lateral Installation

- 1. Install a 4" sewer lateral to service the BSL-3 lab.
- 2. The connection to the main sewer line will be done using a wye or tapping saddle.

iv. Storm Drain Installation

- 1. Install approximately 500 linear feet of storm drain within the public road, which includes the installation of four (4) manholes.
- 2. Depth of the storm drain will vary between 6 feet and 9 feet.
- 3. A new drop curb inlet will be installed as part of the stormwater drainage system.

v. Cross Gutter and Sidewalk Improvements

- 1. Remove and replace at least half of the cross gutter due to trenching for public utility installation.
- 2. Replace an existing driveway with new sidewalk construction around the east half of the turnaround.
- 3. Install a 5-foot sidewalk with new curb and gutter.

vi. Trenching and Resurfacing

- 1. Perform trenching for all utility installations as required.
- 2. Resurface and repair all trenching areas, with the limits of the asphalt overlay to be determined by the City of Las Vegas.

b. Phase 1b - On-site Improvements

To support the construction of the new BSL-3 building, the following on-site improvements are required:

i. Pad Prep and Grading

- 1. Perform pad prep and grading in accordance with the geotechnical report.
- 2. Remove existing unsuitable soils and import new fill below the building pad as necessary.
- 3. Conduct minor grading work for the proposed parking lot area.

ii. On-site Utility Installation

Install all on-site utilities, including domestic water, fire water, natural gas, storm drain, and sewer systems to serve the BSL3 building.

iii. Trenching for Electric and Gas

Trench across the existing BSL-3 site (north) to install new electric and gas lines.

iv. Asphalt and Concrete Improvements

Install new asphalt and concrete for the surrounding building site, including roadways, driveways, and walkways.

v. Parking Lot Striping

Stripe the new parking lot to include both ADA-compliant stalls and standard parking spaces, ensuring compliance with local regulations.

vi. New Wall at Existing Driveway

Construct a new wall at the existing driveway location as per the structural plans provided.

4. Compliance and Regulations

- a. The GC's Project Manager shall meet with SNHD at least weekly or as needed.
- b. All work must adhere to the approved drawings provided with this ITB.
- c. All work must comply with local building codes, regulations, and safety standards.
- d. The GC and all subcontractors working on the Project shall comply with Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) requirements, NRS 338 and all applicable federal, state and local statutes, regulations, and codes.
- e. The GC shall ensure that all employees on the Project are paid, at a minimum, the Prevailing Wages for Clark County Nevada established by the Nevada OLC. Obtain Clark County Prevailing Wages here.
- f. The GC and all subcontractors working on the Project shall comply with the <u>Nevada</u> Apprenticeship Utilization Act.

B. Project Schedule

The Project schedule includes two phases starting in January 2025 and completing with final acceptance by SNHD as Project Owner by 12/31/2025. These schedule assumptions are subject to change at SNHD's discretion.

C. Project Team

- 1. SNHD's Project representative is Chief Facilities Officer Sean Beckham.
- 2. The Architect's Project representative is David Keith, AIA, QPCR.

D. Other Contractor Requirements

Contractor agrees to perform the services requested herein in a professional and workmanlike manner. Only the highest quality workmanship will be acceptable. SNHD may reject any equipment and/or work it deems unacceptable. Contractor shall correct any unacceptable equipment and/or work on a timely basis at no additional cost to SNHD.

SECTION III - TIMETABLE AND PROVISIONS

A. Timetable

ITB Issuance	10/08/2024
Mandatory Site Visit	10/14/2024
Deadline to Submit Questions	10/18/2024
Deadline to Disseminate Questions and Answers	10/22/2024
Deadline to Submit Bids	11/19/2024
Notification of Intent to Award	11/20/2024
Contract Development / Board Consent	November-December 2024
Estimated Project Start Date	January 2025
Project Completion / Owner Acceptance	12/31/2025

B. Authorized Contact

- 1. All questions about this ITB from ITB Issuance to Notification of Intent to Award shall be directed only to the Authorized Contact, Kevin Bratcher, at procurement@snhd.org. No other person has the authority to respond to questions about this ITB unless authorized by written addendum issued by Kevin Bratcher.
- 2. Communication about this ITB with anyone associated with SNHD other than the Authorized Contact is prohibited. Bids will be rejected for noncompliance with this prohibition.

C. Mandatory Site Visit

- 1. A mandatory site visit will occur at 1:00 p.m. PDT on 10/14/2024, at 700 S. Martin Luther King Blvd., Las Vegas, NV 89106.
- 2. Complete Attachment A Mandatory Site Visit Form and email it to procurement@snhd.org. Please return Attachment A by 9:00 a.m. PDT on 10/14/2024.
- 3. While Project representatives may answer questions during the site visit, questions must be submitted in writing as specified in Section III.D to be valid.

D. Questions

- 1. Written questions about this ITB must emailed to <u>procurement@snhd.org</u> by **2:00 p.m. PDT on 10/18/2024**. Indicate "25ITB003 Questions" in the email subject line.
- 2. Written questions and answers will be posted to **SNHD's Public Notices website** by **5:00 p.m. PDT on 10/22/2024**.

E. Deadline to Submit Bids

Bids must be received by **2:00 p.m. PST on 11/19/2024**.

F. Late Bids

Bids received after 2:00 p.m. PST on 11/19/2024 will be rejected as late.

G. Submission of Bids

- 1. Email **one** (1) **PDF file** to <u>procurement@snhd.org</u>. Indicate "25ITB003 Bid" in the email subject line.
- 2. Mailed, hand-carried or faxed bids or hyperlinks to bids will not be accepted or considered.

H. Public Opening and Recording of Bids

- 1. Bids will be publicly opened at 2:00 p.m. PST on 11/19/2024 at 280 S. Decatur Blvd., Las Vegas, NV 89107.
- 2. Bidders' names and bid amounts will be read aloud and recorded on the Receipt of Bids. The Receipt of Bids will be certified by signature of the Authorized Contact and a witness.
- 3. The Authorized Contact will email the certified Receipt of Bids to Bidders by 5:00 p.m. PST on 11/19/2024. The certified Receipt of Bids will be posted to SNHD's Public Notices website by 5:00 p.m. PST on 11/20/2024.

I. Review and Verification of Bids

Bids shall be reviewed and verified by the Project Team to determine the lowest responsive and responsible Bidder.

J. Notification of Intent to Award

Following the Project Team's determination of the lowest responsive and responsible Bidder, the Authorized Contact will notify all Bidders via email of SNHD's Intent to Award.

SECTION IV - INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

A. Bid Preparation

1. Cover Letter

Submit a cover letter including Bidder's (Company's) name, address, phone number and website URL; Bidder's authorized (principal-in-charge) representative's name, address, phone number and email address; the ITB number, name, and issue date; and a brief statement of interest.

2. General Requirements (Tab 1)

- a. Complete and submit <u>Attachment B Bid Form</u>.
- b. Submit a copy of Bidder's Nevada business license.
- c. Submit a copy of Bidder's Contractor license.
- d. Answer/explain the circumstances as applicable the following:
 - 1) Has Bidder ever been terminated from a project prior to completion?
 - 2) Has Bidder (including officers or principal of Bidder, of this organization, or of another organization) ever failed to complete a project/contract?
 - 3) Has Bidder ever been disciplined or fined by the Nevada State Contractors' Board or another government agency due to inability to perform work like this ITB?
 - 4) Has Bidder ever been excluded or debarred from doing business with a government agency?
 - 5) Has Bidder ever been disqualified from being awarded a contract pursuant to NRS 338.017, NRS 338.13895, NRS 338.1475 or NRS 408.333?

3. Company Description and Qualifications (Tab 2)

a. Description of Bidder (Company)

- 1) Company name and the number of years Bidder has operated under that name. Also list any other names and the number of years Bidder has operated under those names.
- 2) Location of Bidder's principal and branch offices.
- 3) Ownership type including date of formation/organization and names of all principals, members, partners, officers and/or owners.
- 4) Length of time in business as a Nevada-licensed contractor.
- 5) List all jurisdictions and trade categories in which Bidder is legally qualified to do business and indicate registration or license numbers.
- 6) List all work Bidder is licensed to self-perform.

b. Insurance

- 1) Provide name of Bidder's insurance carrier(s).
- 2) Provide name and address of Bidder's insurance agent(s) and a Certificate of Insurance for each policy or evidence of contractual insurance agreements.
- 3) Provide total amount of Bidder's excess liability insurance coverage.
- 4) Provide Bidder's general liability insurance rate.

c. Safety

- 1) Describe in detail Bidder's safety program.
- 2) Provide Bidder's safety officer's name, address, phone number, email address and resume.
- 3) Provide any violations of OSHA regulations Bidder has been found guilty of by OSHA within the last five (5) years.
- 4) Provide a summary of Bidder's safety violations within the last five (5) years.

d. Bonding Information

- 1) Provide name and address of Bidder's bonding company.
- 2) Provide name and address of Bidder's bonding agent.
- 3) Provide Bidder's maximum bond amount currently available.
- 4) Provide evidence from Bidder's bonding company of Bidder's current project-specific bonding capacity.
- 5) Provide Bidder's bond rate.

e. Bonding Requirements

- 1) Each Bidder must submit with its bid a bid guarantee equivalent to five percent (5%) of its bid price. The bid guarantee must consist of a firm commitment such as a bid bond or certified check as assurance that the Bidder will, upon acceptance of its bid, execute such contractual documents as may be required within the time specified.
- 2) The successful Bidder/contractor shall obtain and deliver, within ten (10) business days of issuance of the Notice of Intent to Award, **performance**, and **payment bonds** equivalent to the amount of its bid, executed by a surety company authorized to do business in Nevada. The bond shall stay in full force and effect until SNHD has accepted the Project as per the resulting executed contract. Should any surety become insolvent or cease to do business in Nevada, the successful Bidder/contractor shall immediately provide a new surety satisfactory to SNHD. No payment will be made under the contract until the new surety is qualified and the bond is accepted by SNHD.

4. Project Experience and References (Tab 3)

- a. Describe Bidder's experience with projects of similar size and scope.
- b. Provide a minimum of three (3) verifiable references for similar projects completed within the last five (5) years. Include contract dates, amounts, and points of contact (name, address, phone, and email). Bidder authorizes SNHD to contact all references.

5. Price (Tab 4)

Complete and submit <u>Attachment C - Price Form</u>.

6. Subcontractor Lists (Tab 5)

Bidder shall submit the name of each subcontractor that will be paid an amount exceeding one percent (1%) and five percent (5%) of the total base bid amount (firm-fixed-price). Bidder must verify prior to submitting its bid that all subcontractors listed are properly licensed. Bidder may use the Nevada OLC's Subcontractor List for Public Works Projects form as a template.

B. Bidder Representations

Bidders are expected to examine all ITB documents including addenda as applicable. Failure to do so will be at Bidder's risk. By submitting a bid, Bidder represents and/or certifies that Bidder:

- 1. Has read and understands this ITB including all addenda.
- 2. Has independently derived without collusion its bid in accordance with this ITB.
- 3. Has not communicated about this ITB with anyone associated with SNHD other than the Authorized Contact.
- 4. Is qualified to bid on public works projects pursuant to NRS 338.1379.
- 5. Is registered in the System for Award Management (SAM). A GC that is not registered in SAM when bid is submitted, will be required to register prior to contract development. GC's status will be verified in SAM.
- 6. Has visited the Project site and is aware of the conditions under which work will be performed.
- 7. Shall comply with the Nevada OLC requirements regarding Prevailing Wages and the Apprenticeship Utilization Act.
- 8. Shall comply with all applicable provisions of NRS Chapter 338 and Nevada Administrative Code 338, incorporated herein by this reference whether explicitly stated.
- 9. Shall comply with the Federal Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Equal Employment Opportunity Act, the President's Executive Order Number 11246 (requirements under this order are explained in Executive Order 11246, As Amended) and regulations issued pursuant to those acts/orders.
- 10. Has read and shall comply with **SNHD's Code of Conduct**.
- 11. Shall submit certified payroll to <u>procurement@snhd.org</u> for the duration of the Project.

C. General Conditions

- 1. Interpretation or Correction of Solicitation Documents
 - a. Bidder shall promptly email <u>procurement@snhd.org</u> regarding any error, inconsistency, or ambiguity in and/or to request clarification or interpretation of this ITB by the Deadline to Submit Questions, except as related to addenda issued after that date.
 - b. Changes to this ITB will be only by written addenda issued by the Authorized Contact or designee. Addenda will be posted to <u>SNHD's Public Notices website</u>. Bidder shall be responsible for ensuring that its bid reflects all addenda (see <u>Attachment B</u>).

2. Responsive Bid

A responsive bid is one that conforms to all material terms and conditions of the ITB. SNHD reserves its right to waive any technicality, irregularity, or informality in determining a bid's responsiveness.

3. Responsible Bidder

A responsible bidder is one who submits a responsive bid and possesses the ability to perform successfully under the terms and conditions of the ITB, considering bidder's integrity, compliance with public policy, record of past performance, and financial and technical resources, that will assure good faith performance.

4. Rejection and Cancelation

SNHD reserves its right to reject any bid that does not conform to the ITB requirements, to reject any or all bids, and to cancel this ITB for any or no reason.

5. Modification or Withdrawal of Bid

Bidder may modify or withdraw its bid by submitting a written request to the Authorized Contact prior to the Deadline to Submit Bids.

6. All or None Offers

Bids that restrict acceptance to the entire offer or to a portion thereof will be rejected as nonresponsive.

7. Bid Costs

SNHD will not reimburse Bidder for any costs incurred to prepare or submit a bid.

8. No Guaranteed Contract

This ITB neither creates an offer to contract nor commits SNHD to award a contract.

9. Limited Contract

SNHD reserves its right to contract for less than all the services specified herein.

10. Exclusivity

Nothing in this ITB or any resulting contract shall preclude SNHD from obtaining services like those specified herein from other sources.

11. Public Records

Bid must not contain confidential or proprietary information. SNHD is subject to the Nevada Public Records Act. Pursuant to NRS 239.010, et seq., documents provided to SNHD are considered public records open to inspection and copying by any person. Bids must contain sufficient information to be evaluated without reference to any confidential or proprietary information. Any bid marked "confidential" or "proprietary" or that contains materials so marked may be returned to Bidder and not considered for award. SNHD will produce documents provided by any Bidder, even if marked "confidential" or "proprietary," pursuant to a public records request and will not be liable for disclosure of any Bidder's documents or information.

SECTION V - EVALUATION AND AWARD

Bids submitted by the Deadline to Submit Bids will be reviewed for responsiveness to the ITB requirements. Responsive bids will be evaluated as follows.

A. Evaluation

- 1. Any recommended award shall be to the lowest responsive and responsible Bidder pursuant to this ITB in accordance with applicable federal and state requirements.
- 2. SNHD reserves its right to verify bid amounts and information to determine the lowest responsive and responsible Bidder.

B. Clarification, Additional Information, Site Visits, Interviews and Presentations

SNHD reserves its right to contact Bidders to clarify bids or to obtain additional information, and/or to conduct site visits and/or interviews, and/or to request that Bidders make presentations. Failure to comply with such requests may eliminate Bidders from further consideration.

C. Selection and Award

- If a satisfactory contract with the lowest responsive and responsible Bidder cannot be finalized within 45 days, SNHD at its sole discretion will formally terminate discussions with that Bidder and begin discussions with the second lowest responsive and responsible Bidder or cancel or reissue the ITB.
- 2. Any contract resulting from this ITB will be presented to the Board for consent as applicable.

D. Disqualification of Bidders and Rejection of Bids

Bidders may be disqualified, and bids may be rejected for many reasons including:

- 1. Bidder is not qualified to bid.
- 2. Bidder is not responsive or not responsible.
- 3. Failure to comply with submission instructions.
- 4. Failure to submit information and/or documents required per the ITB or as requested.
- 5. Providing incorrect or false information or misrepresentation in any form.
- 6. Failure to use or sign any ITB form or altering any ITB form.
- 7. Failure to acknowledge receipt of addenda (posted to SNHD's Public Notices website).
- 8. Evidence of collusion among Bidders.
- 9. Omission of required bid security in an acceptable form.
- 10. Demonstrated poor performance or defaulting on a prior contract(s).
- 11. The quality of services, materials, equipment, or labor offered does not conform to this ITB.
- 12. Communicating about this ITB with anyone other than the Authorized Contact.
- 13. The public interest would be served by disqualifying the Bidder or rejecting the bid.

ATTACHMENT A Mandatory Site Visit Form

PUBLIC WORKS IDENTIFYING NUMBER (PWP NUMBER): PWP-CL-

The mandatory site visit is scheduled for 1:00 p.m. PDT on 10/14/2024.

Complete/email this Form to procurement@snhd.org by 9:00 a.m. PDT on 10/14/2024.

The Authorized Contact will reply to the contact emails provided with pertinent information as applicable. Attendance is limited to two (2) persons per Bidder.

Company Name:	
Company Address:	
Company Phone:	
Contact Name:	
Contact Title:	
Contact Phone:	
Contact Email:	
A441 #1 N	
Attendee #1 Name:	
Attendee #1 Title:	-
Attendee #1 Phone:	
Attendee #1 Email:	
Attendee #2 Name:	
Attendee #2 Title:	
Attendee #2 Phone:	
Attendee #2 Email:	

ATTACHMENT B Bid Form

PUBLIC WORKS IDENTIFYING NUMBER (PWP NUMBER): PWP-CL-	
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Provide the following information. Indicate "None" as applicable.

The undersigned, as an authorized representative of the company named below, having examined this Invitation to Bid and any related documents, hereby offers to furnish all labor, materials, tools, supplies, equipment, and services necessary to comply with the specifications, terms and conditions set forth herein.

Company name:					
Company address:					
Company website:					
Ownership type (i.e., partnership, corp	oration):				
Company officers' names, titles, and nof years each has worked in the constrindustry:					
Number of years in business:					
Number of employees:					
Federal tax ID number:					
Nevada business license number:					
Nevada general contractor license num	nber:				
Sam.gov unique entity identifier (UEI)):				
Does the proposal include exceptions t RFP specifications/requirements?	to any		Yes	No	
Signer acknowledges receipt of adden	da issued/po	osted to SNE	ID's Public	Notices website:	
Addendum No	Issue Date	e			
Addendum No	Issue Date	e			
Addendum No	Issue Date	e			
Addendum No Issue Da		e			
Authorized Signature:				Date	
Printed Name and Title:					
Phone(s):		Email:			

ATTACHMENT C Price Form

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The undersigned, as an authorized representative of Bidder's company named below, offers to complete the Project for the firm-fixed price indicated below. The firm-fixed price comprises **all costs** required to complete and deliver the finished Project, including but not limited to, labor, materials, equipment, subcontractors, insurance, bonds, overhead and associated costs (taxes, freight, travel, etc.).

Firm-Fixed Price:	\$ -	
Authorized Signature:		
Printed Name and Title:		
Company Name:		
Date:		