

**COUNTY OF SAN MATEO
STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that

Sealed bids will be received either by mail to the office of the County Executive's Office, or hand-delivered prior to the bid opening to the County of San Mateo at 500 County Center, 5th Floor, Redwood City, California, 94063 until the hour of

2:00 p.m., Wednesday, March 25, 2026

where the bids will be publicly opened and read aloud for the following project in accordance with the specifications therefore and to which special reference is made as follows:

**COUNTY SERVICE AREA NO.7 WATER SYSTEM
DISTRIBUTION PIPELINE IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT**

**BASE BID PROJECT APPROXIMATELY 2.1 MILES OF PIPE
WITH APPURTENANT WORK THERETO
IN SAN MATEO COUNTY**

**COUNTY PROJECT NO. PC021
PROJECT FILE NO. E5032**

Bids are required for the entire work described herein.

- 1. Contractor should be placed on a Plan Holders List for bidding. To be placed on the Plan Holders List, the Contractor shall either:**
 - a. Bidder shall register and create an account on the Public Purchase website to download all bidding documents including forms of proposal and contract, directly from www.publicpurchase.com.**

Project's Public Purchase Reference Number

**RFP – County Service Area No.7 Water System Distribution Pipeline
Improvements Project - Bid Id: 209338**

- b. If bidding documents are obtained through a source other than those outlined in 1a above, complete and sign the following Plan Holder's Affidavit and return to the County by PDF via email to mwong4@smcgov.org, and qdeng@smcgov.org**

Plan Holder's Affidavit	
Project Title	<u>CSA7 Water System Distribution Pipeline Improvements Project</u>
Project No.	<u>PC021</u>
Project Engineer:	<u>Milton Wong</u>
Project Manager:	<u>Tiffany Deng</u>
Bid Open Date and Time:	<u>2:00 p.m., Wednesday, March 25, 2026</u>
Company Name:	_____
Mailing Address:	_____
Phone Number:	Fax Number: _____
E-mail Address:	_____
(Name and Title of Authorized Representative of Bidder)	
(Signature of Authorized Representative of Bidder)	

2. **The Plan Holders List will be posted to the County of San Mateo's Public Works website two (2) working days prior to the bid open date.**

3. **Questions regarding the Contract Documents concerning items such as discrepancies, conflicts, omissions, doubts as to meanings, or regarding scope of bid items shall be referred to the Engineer. Inquiries must be received in writing via email, to mwong4@smcgov.org and qdeng@smcgov.org, by Wednesday, March 18, 2026 by 5pm. Inquiries will be answered in writing via email response if written clarification is warranted, in the opinion of the Engineer, then inquiries and responses will be posted to the Project's page on the County of San Mateo's Public Works website. It will be the Contractor's sole responsibility to ensure that they receive responses, *if any*. The County will not be responsible for oral clarifications.**

4. **It will be the Contractor's sole responsibility to ensure that they have received addendums, *if any*, which will be posted to the County of San Mateo's Public Works website on the same day issued. Said addendums will also be sent to all current plan holders and made available during purchase of Plans and Specifications.**

5. **Proposals in which the prices obviously are unbalanced may be rejected.**

6. **No contractor or subcontractor may be listed on a bid proposal for a public works project unless registered with the Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to Labor Code section 1725.5 [with limited exceptions from this requirement for bid**

purposes only under Labor Code section 1771.1(a)]. No contractor or subcontractor may be awarded a contract for public work on a public works project unless registered with the Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to Labor Code section 1725.5. This project is subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the Department of Industrial Relations.

For bids and contract updates, the Department of Public Works website will be updated as needed and can be accessed under the Department's tab found on the County of San Mateo website (<https://www.smcgov.org/publicworks/csa-7-water-system-distribution-pipeline-improvement-project>).

ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE**COUNTY SERVICE AREA NO.7 WATER SYSTEM
DISTRIBUTION PIPELINE IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT****BASE BID PROJECT APPROXIMATELY 2.1 MILES OF PIPE
WITH APPURTENANT WORK THERETO
IN SAN MATEO COUNTY****COUNTY PROJECT NO. PC021
PROJECT FILE NO. E5032**

Bid Additive Alternate No.	Bid Additive Alternate Description	Engineer's Estimate of Cost ¹
Base	Treated Water Distribution Line	\$3,370,000
1	Memory Lane	\$460,000
2	Pope Road	\$180,000
3	Caltrans Bridge Crossing and West	\$760,000
4	Raw Water Line	\$2,820,000

¹ Total Engineer's Estimate is provided. The estimated quantities by individual bid item number specific to each Bid Additive Alternate number are provided below. Contractor shall utilize these estimated quantities to complete the Proposal Bid Schedules.

**ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE OF PROBABLE CONSTRUCTION COST
for Base Bid and Bid Additive Alternates: \$7,590,000**

The following Bid Tables are for all work indicated on project drawings as County/CSA-7 responsibility for all the Bid Additives.

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Base Bid - Treated Water Distribution Line				
Base Bid Item No.	Section No.	Base Bid Item Description	Estimated Quantity	Unit of Measure
1	100-30	Mobilization	1	LS
2	100-31	Construction Waste Management	1	LS
3	100-32	Water Pollution Control	1	LS
4	100-33	Develop and Apply Water	1	LS
5	100-34	Contractor Potholing	29	EA
6	100-35	Traffic Control	1	LS
7	100-36	Biological Constraints	1	LS
8	100-37	Permits	1	LS
9	100-38	Sheeting and Shoring	1	LS
10	100-39	Trenching, Piping, Trench Backfill	11,080	LF
10a	100-40	Combination Air Release and Vacuum Valve (CARV)	6	EA
10b	100-41	Blow-off Valve (BOV)	5	EA
10c	100-42	Gate Valve (GAV)	10	EA
10d	100-43	Permanent Trench Restoration (2-Inch HMA)	9,070	LF
10e	100-44	Permanent Trench Restoration (3-Inch HMA)	2,010	LF
11	100-45	Cleaning, Inspection, and Testing	11,080	LF
12	100-46	Demolish Existing Water Facilities	1	LS
13	100-47	Service Connections	5	EA
14	100-48	Utility Crossing	26	EA
15	100-49	Water Treatment Plant (WTP) Site Improvements	1	LS

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Bid Additive Alternate 1 - Memory Lane				
Bid Add. Alt. 1 Item No.	Section No.	Bid Additive Alternate 1 Item Description	Estimated Quantity	Unit of Measure
1.1	100-30	Mobilization	1	LS
2.1	100-31	Construction Waste Management	1	LS
3.1	100-32	Water Pollution Control	1	LS
4.1	100-33	Develop and Apply Water	1	LS
5.1	100-34	Contractor Potholing	11	EA
6.1	100-35	Traffic Control	1	LS
7.1	100-37	Permits	1	LS
8.1	100-38	Sheeting and Shoring	1	LS
9.1	100-39	Trenching, Piping, Trench Backfill	900	LF
9.1a	100-40	Combination Air Release and Vacuum Valve (CARV)	1	EA
9.1b	100-43	Permanent Trench Restoration (2- Inch HMA)	900	LF
10.1	100-45	Cleaning, Inspection, and Testing	900	LF
11.1	100-46	Demolish Existing Water Facilities	1	LS
12.1	100-47	Service Connections	9	EA
13.1	100-48	Utility Crossing	2	EA
14.1	100-50	Memory Lane Improvements	13,500	SF

Bid Additive Alternate 2 – Pope Road				
Bid Add. Alt. 2 Item No.	Section No.	Bid Additive Alternate 2 Item Description	Estimated Quantity	Unit of Measure
1.2	100-30	Mobilization	1	LS
2.2	100-31	Construction Waste Management	1	LS
3.2	100-32	Water Pollution Control	1	LS
4.2	100-33	Develop and Apply Water	1	LS
5.2	100-34	Contractor Potholing	3	EA
6.2	100-35	Traffic Control	1	LS
7.2	100-37	Permits	1	LS
8.2	100-38	Sheeting and Shoring	1	LS
9.2	100-39	Trenching, Piping, Trench Backfill	460	LF
9.2a	100-40	Combination Air Release and Vacuum Valve (CARV)	1	EA
9.2b	100-43	Permanent Trench Restoration (2- Inch HMA)	460	LF
10.2	100-45	Cleaning, Inspection, and Testing	460	LF
11.2	100-46	Demolish Existing Water Facilities	1	LS
12.2	100-47	Service Connections	5	EA
13.2	100-48	Utility Crossing	1	EA

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Bid Additive Alternate 3 – Caltrans Bridge Crossing & West				
Bid Add. Alt. 3 Item No.	Section No.	Bid Additive Alternate 3 Item Description	Estimated Quantity	Unit of Measure
1.3	100-30	Mobilization	1	LS
2.3	100-31	Construction Waste Management	1	LS
3.3	100-32	Water Pollution Control	1	LS
4.3	100-33	Develop and Apply Water	1	LS
5.3	100-34	Contractor Potholing	3	EA
6.3	100-35	Traffic Control	1	LS
7.3	100-37	Biological Constraints	1	LS
8.3	100-38	Permits	1	LS
9.3	100-39	Sheeting and Shoring	1	LS
10.3	100-40	Trenching, Piping, Trench Backfill	1,120	LF
10.3a	100-41	Blow-off Valve	1	EA
10.3b	100-44	Permanent Trench Restoration (3-Inch HMA)	1,120	LF
11.3	100-45	Cleaning, Inspection, and Testing	1,120	LF
12.3	100-46	Demolish Existing Water Facilities	1	LS
13.3	100-47	Service Connections	2	EA
14.3	100-48	Utility Crossing	1	EA
15.3	100-51	Bridge Pipe Attachment	1	LS

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Bid Additive Alternate 4 – Raw Water Line				
Bid Add. Alt. 4 Item No.	Section No.	Bid Additive Alternate 4 Item Description	Estimated Quantity	Unit of Measure
1.4	100-30	Mobilization	1	LS
2.4	100-31	Construction Waste Management	1	LS
3.4	100-32	Water Pollution Control	1	LS
4.4	100-33	Develop and Apply Water	1	LS
5.4	100-34	Contractor Potholing	29	EA
6.4	100-35	Traffic Control	1	LS
7.4	100-36	Biological Constraints	1	LS
8.4	100-37	Permits	1	LS
9.4	100-38	Sheeting and Shoring	1	LS
10.4	100-39	Trenching, Piping, Trench Backfill	10,210	LF
10.4a	100-40	Combination Air Release and Vacuum Valve (CARV)	4	EA
10.4b	100-41	Blow-off Valve (BOV)	3	EA
10.4c	100-42	Gate Valve (GAV)	3	EA
10.4d	100-43	Permanent Trench Restoration in County ROW (2-Inch HMA)	9,020	LF
10.4e	100-44	Permanent Trench Restoration in Caltrans ROW (3-Inch HMA)	1,190	LF
11.4	100-45	Cleaning, Inspection, and Testing	10,210	LF
12.4	100-48	Utility Crossing	26	EA
13.4	100-49	Water Treatment Plant (WTP) Site Improvements	1	LS

(Note: Gaps in section numbering, above, indicate the Section is blank or does not apply.)

The foregoing quantities are approximate only, being given as a basis for the comparison of bids, and the County of San Mateo does not, expressly or by implication, agree that the actual amount of work will correspond herewith, but reserves the right to increase or decrease the amount of any class or portion of the work, or to omit any portion of the work, as may be deemed necessary or expedient by the Engineer.

Payment to the Contractor for materials furnished and work completed shall be made by the County in accordance with Section 9 of the “Special Provisions” portion of these Contract Documents. Pursuant to Section 22300 of the Public Contract Code, Contractor may, upon his request and at Contractor's expense, substitute equivalent securities for any moneys retained from such payment for the fulfillment of the Contract.

When applicable, both Contractor and Subcontractor hereby agree to pay not less than prevailing rates of wages and be responsible for compliance with all the provisions of the California Labor Code, Article 2-Wages, Chapter 1, Part 7, Division 2, Section 1770 et seq and Section 1810 et seq. A copy of the prevailing wage scale established by the Department of Industrial Relations is on file in the office of the Director of Public Works, and available at www.dir.ca.gov/DLSR or by phone at 415-703-4774. California Labor Code Section 1776(a) requires each contractor and subcontractor keep accurate payroll records of trades workers on all public works projects and to submit copies of certified payroll records upon request.

Additionally, pursuant to State Senate Bill SB 854 (Stat. 2014, chapter 28), effective January 1, 2015:

- (1) No contractor or subcontractor may be listed on a bid proposal for a public works project (submitted on or after March 1, 2015) unless registered with the Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to Labor Code section 1725.5 [with limited exceptions from this requirement for bid purposes only under Labor Code section 1771.1(a)].**
- (2) No contractor or subcontractor may be awarded a contract for public work on a public works project (awarded on or after April 1, 2015) unless registered with the Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to Labor Code section 1725.5.**
- (3) This project is subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the Department of Industrial Relations.**

Wage rates for overtime shall be paid at not less than one and one-half (1-1/2) times the above rates. Wage rates for Sundays and holidays shall be paid at not less than two (2) times the above rates.

The holidays upon which such rates shall be paid shall be all holidays recognized in the collective bargaining agreement applicable to the particular craft, classification, or type of worker employed on the Project.

It is the policy of the County that Contractors on public projects employ their workers and craftsmen from the local labor market whenever possible. "Local Labor Market" is defined as the labor market within the geographical confines of the County of San Mateo, State of California. Consistent with this policy, the Contractor is requested to employ craftsmen and other workers from the local labor market whenever possible to do so.

Each bidder shall submit with the bid, Certificates of Compliance and Intent on a form

provided in the "Proposal" section of these Contract Documents, a certificate that bidder is in compliance with the provisions of the Equal Employment Opportunity Requirement of Executive Order 11246, Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the California Fair Employment and Housing Act and any other federal, State and local laws and regulations relating to equal employment opportunity. With the execution of said certificates, bidder also agrees that bidder will maintain or develop and implement, during the course of the work concerned, a program of hiring and employment, conducted without regard to race, religion, color, national origin, ancestry, sexual orientation, or sex of the applicants. With this certification, bidder shall submit any and all information that may be required by the County in connection with the particular project.

Each bidder is hereby notified of the Section 9204 and Section 20104 et seq. of the Public Contract Code as those Sections (attached hereto as Appendix E) relate to resolution of construction claims, and to Section 3186 of the Civil Code, as amended January 1, 1999 with regard to stop notices and public entity's rights to retain monies in order to provide for that entity's reasonable cost of litigation. The bidder is further notified that all provisions of Section 9204 and Section 20104 et seq. of the Public Contract Code and Section 3186 of the Civil Code, as outlined above shall be considered as incorporated into and become an integral part of these specifications.

Questions relating to equal employment should be directed to the San Mateo County Department of Public Works, Equal Employment Opportunity Program, 555 County Center, 5th Floor, Redwood City, CA 94063-1665, telephone (650) 363-4100.

Plans and Specifications and forms of Proposal and Contract may be seen and obtained at the office of the Director of Public Works, 555 County Center, 5th Floor, Redwood City, California, 94063-1665. Plans and specifications may be obtained for a:

NON-REFUNDABLE FEE OF \$100.00 PER SET

Additional technical questions should be directed to the office of the Director of Public Works, 555 County Center, 5th Floor, Redwood City, California, 94063-1665, telephone (650) 363-4100.

The Contractor shall possess either a Class A License or a combination of Class C licenses that are applicable for the majority of the work at the time this contract is awarded. No Contract will be awarded to a Bidder who is not licensed as required by laws of the State of

California.

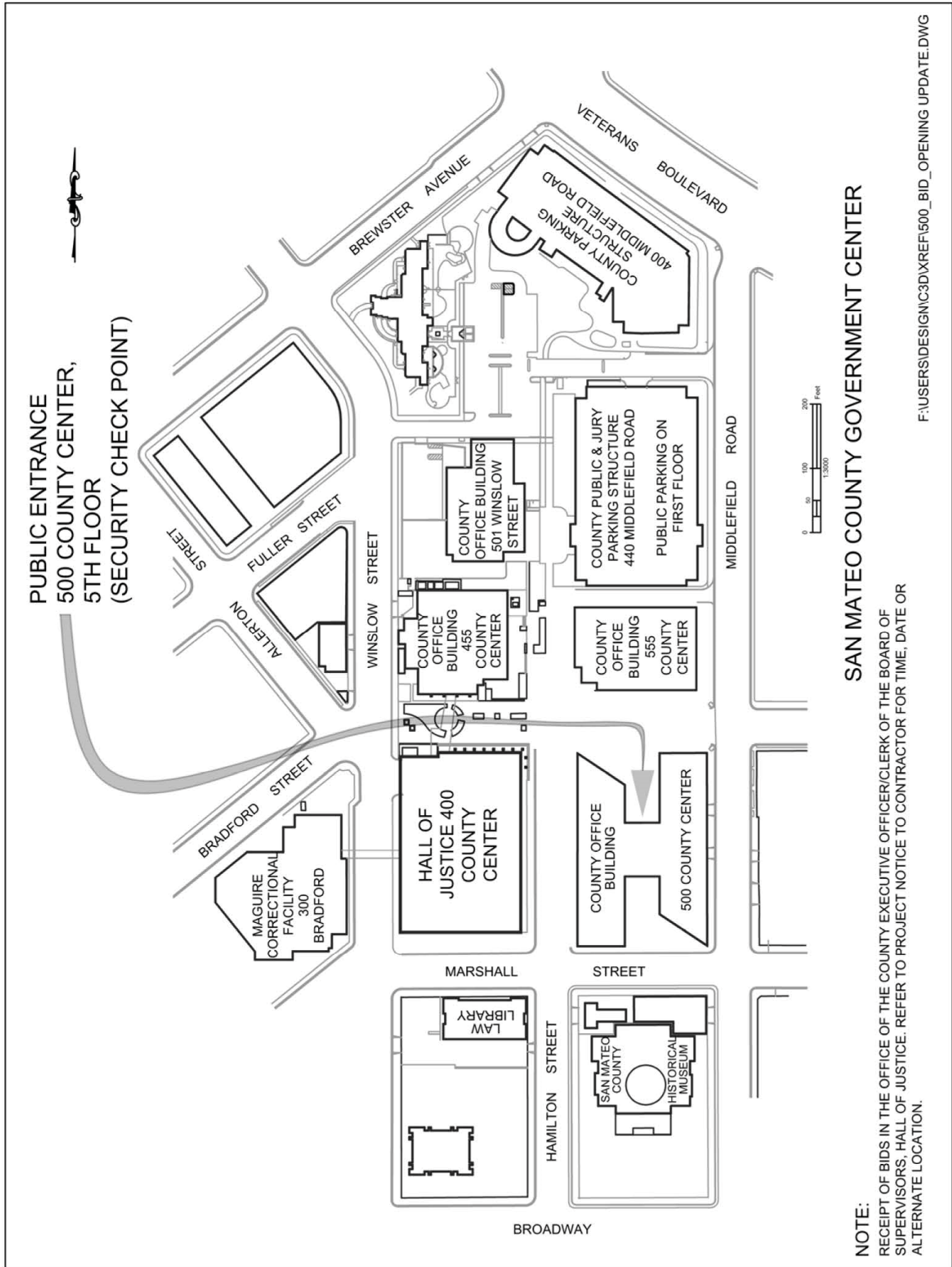
The County of San Mateo reserves the right to reject any or all bids and/or waive any informalities or irregularities in any bid received.

Bidders may not withdraw their bid for a period of **FORTY-FIVE (45) DAYS** after the date set from the opening thereof.

DATE: February 20, 2026

BY ORDER OF THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

**Michael Callagy, County Executive/
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors**



SAN MATEO COUNTY GOVERNMENT CENTER

NOTE:
RECEIPT OF BIDS IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE OFFICER/CLERK OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, HALL OF JUSTICE. REFER TO PROJECT NOTICE TO CONTRACTOR FOR TIME, DATE OR ALTERNATE LOCATION.

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