**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

**ELANCO WATER MAIN CONNECTION**

JURISDICTION OF ***CITY OF FORT DODGE, IOWA*** PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

Sealed bids for the work comprising each improvement as stated below must be filed before ***10:00 A.M.*** according to the clock at the office of ***City Clerk at City Hall*** on ***November 19, 2024***, in the office of the ***City Clerk at City Hall***. Bids received after the deadline for submission of bids as stated herein shall not be considered and shall be returned to the late bidder unopened.

 Sealed proposals will be opened and bids tabulated at ***10:00 A.M.*** on ***November 19, 2024***, in the ***City Hall*** for consideration by the ***City of Fort Dodge, Iowa*** at its meeting at 6:00 P.M., on ***November 25, 2024,*** in said ***City Council Chambers at City Hall.***

 Work on the improvement shall be commenced immediately upon approval of the contract by the Council, and be completed as stated below.

 Complete digital project Bidding Documents and Contract Documents and Plans are available at [www.questcdn.com](http://www.questcdn.com). You may download the digital documents at no cost by inputting Quest project number 8395520 on the website’s Project Search page. Please contact QuestCDN.com at 952.233.1632 or info@questcdn.com for assistance in free membership registration, downloading, and working in this digital project information.

 By virtue of statutory authority, preference will be given to products and provisions grown and coal produced within the State of Iowa, and to Iowa domestic labor, to the extent lawfully required under Iowa statutes.

 In accordance with Iowa statutes, a resident bidder shall be allowed a preference as against a nonresident bidder from a state or foreign country if that state or foreign country gives or requires any preference to bidders from that state or foreign country, including but not limited to any preference to bidders, the imposition of any type of labor force preference, or any other form of preferential treatment to bidders or laborers from that state or foreign country. The preference allowed shall be equal to the preference given or required by the state or foreign country in which the nonresident bidder is a resident. In the instance of a resident labor force preference, a nonresident bidder shall apply the same resident labor force preference to a public improvement in this state as would be required in the construction of a public improvement by the state or foreign country in which the nonresident bidder is a resident.

General Nature of the Public Improvement

 The Elanco Water Main Connection project is located just east of the Elanco facility within right of way of 5th Street NW, crossing under 5th Street NW to the east, and then continuing east to 2nd Street NW. Work proceeds south along 2nd Street NW to the intersection with 7th Avenue NW, heads east along 7th Avenue NW, and continues south along 1st Street NW ending at the intersection with 6th Avenue NW. The project includes the installation of 1,686 LF of 12-inch diameter PVC water main, 32 LF of 12-inch diameter DIP water main, 1,577 LF of 12-inch diameter trenchless water main, 64 LF of 12-inch diameter trenchless water main with steel casing, 44 LF of 8-inch diameter PVC water main, 40 LF of 6-inch diameter PVC water main, and associated appurtenances to create additional water supply to the Elanco facility. The project also includes the abandonment of existing water main on 1st Street NW and 2nd Street NW and the installation of new water services to connect to the new water main.

City of Fort Dodge, Iowa

Dawn Siebken, City Clerk