

**EASTERN MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT
SPECIFICATION NO. 1404W
MURRIETA ROAD TRANSMISSION PIPELINE**

2021

NOTICE INVITING BID

NIB-1. Receipt of Bids. Electronic proposals (bids) for this project to be emailed to eichpera@emwd.org no later than **5:00 p.m., TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2021** Original Bid Bond and attachments to be mailed to the District within that week. You are NOT to drop them off at the District.

Due to COVID-19 the District is closed to public access; therefore, bids will not be publicly opened. The Preliminary Bid Summary will be posted on the website www.emwd.org no later than 10:00 a.m. the next day.

Fed Ex Bid Bond to: EMWD, 2270 Trumble Road, Perris, CA, 92570
Mail Bid Bond to: EMWD, P O Box 8300, Perris, CA 92572-8300

All bids submitted will become the property of EMWD and subject to disclosure under the Public Records Act. All bids will be posted on the website www.emwd.org approximately 10 days from bid opening.

NIB-2. Pregualification. Due to the special requirements of the project, the DISTRICT has performed a public invitation to pre-qualify bidders for the project. ***Only firms that have pre-qualified shall be entitled to submit a bid for this project.***

LIST OF PREQUALIFIED GENERAL CONTRACTORS ELIGIBLE TO BID

COMPANY/ADDRESS	CONTACT/PHONE/E-MAIL
E.J. Meyer Company P.O. Box 277 Highland, CA 92346	Kristian Corona Ph: (909) 425-4025 Fax: (909) 425-4020 Email: kcorona@ejmeyer.com
J.F. Shea Construction, Inc. 667 Brea Canyon Road, Suite 30 Walnut, CA 91789	Roy A. Valdez Ph: (909) 595-4397 Fax: (909) 444-4268 Email: roy.valdez@jfshea.com
James W. Fowler Co. 12775 Westview Drive Dallas, OR 97338	Jeremy Hynum Ph: (503) 623-5373 Fax: N/A Email: estimating@jwfowler.com

COMPANY/ADDRESS	CONTACT/PHONE/E-MAIL
MNR Construction Inc. 1880 Wright Ave. La Verne, CA 91750	Scott Barnett Ph: (909) 592-2760 Fax: (909) 599-0946 Email: scott@mnrconst.com
Norstar Plumbing & Eng., Inc. 8780 19 th Street, Suite 310 Alta Loma, CA 91701	Sue Plummer Ph: (909) 481-9488 Fax: (909)481-9488 Email: sue@norstarpipeline.com
OHL USA, Inc. dba Group OHL N. America 1920 Main Street, Suite 310 Irvine, CA 92614	Craig Huss Ph: (949) 242-4432 Fax: (949) 231-1255 Email: craig.huss@ohlina.com
Steve P. Rados, Inc. 2002 E. McFadden Ave, Suite 200 Santa Ana, CA 92705	Noe Guerrero Ph: (714) 835-4612 Fax: (714) 835-2186 Email: nguerrero@radoscompanies.com
W.A. Rasic Construction Company, Inc. 4150 Long Beach Blvd. Long Beach, CA 90807	Walter A. Rasic, Jr. Ph: (562) 928-6111 Fax: (562) 928-7339 Email: wrasic@warasic.com
Weka, Inc. 27075 5 th Street Highland, CA 92346	Jared Himle Ph: (909) 425-8700 Fax: (909) 425-8706 Email: wekainc@gmail.com

NIB-3. Contract Documents. The contract documents, which include instructions to bidders, plans and specifications, are available at www.emwd.org. To view and download these documents, navigate to ***Doing Business, Construction*** and select ***Construction Bid Opportunities***. If obtaining the contract documents online, please complete the Planholder Registration form to receive email notification of addenda issued. *Bidders shall use full size drawings to prepare bid.*

NIB-4. Location and Description of Work.

The work consists of three schedules identified as Schedule A, B, and C, as follows:

Schedule A- Murrieta Road Transmission Pipeline.

The work associated with Schedule A is located in Menifee, CA, along Murrieta Road, between Camino Del Sol Sur and La Piedra Road, and along La Piedra Road, between Murrieta Road and Boulder Estates Way.

The work associated with Schedule A includes but is not limited to the following: Furnishing, delivery and installation of approximately 5,900 linear feet (LF) of 36-inch CML&C pipe, 800 LF of 42-inch CML&C pipe, trenchless microtunnel construction to cross Salt Creek including 500 LF of 54-inch welded steel casing and 500 LF of 42-inch carrier pipeline, 1 water-tight jacking shaft, 1 water-tight receiving shaft; valves, manways, blowoffs, fittings, air valves and other

appurtenances; connections to existing underground piping, including shutdown coordination, dewatering, hot taps, and highlines; design and construction of temporary pedestrian walkway bridge, and removal and disposal of temporary pedestrian walkway; encroachment permits and other permits as necessary to perform the work; preparation, approval and implementation of engineered traffic control plans and any required updates as construction advances, including coordination with and securing approval from the City of Menifee; saw cutting, removal, disposal and grinding of pavement; trench sheeting, shoring and bracing; excavation, backfill, and compaction; pavement removal and replacement, site restoration; traffic control signage, striping, and repair as required, hardscaping, and curb and gutter, and all appurtenant roadway repairs per City of Menifee standards; painting and coatings; cathodic protection system; all testing, disinfection and startup as specified; approval and implementation of SWPPP and all other Work required to complete the project as shown on the plans and specified herein.

Schedule B- Perris Valley South Pipeline.

The work associated with Schedule B is located in Menifee, CA, at the EMWD Desalination Complex located west of the Murrieta Road and Camino Del Sol Sur intersection.

Work to be constructed for Schedule B includes but is not limited to the following: Furnishing, delivery and installation of approximately 695 LF of 36-inch CML&TW and mortar coated pipe, 125 LF of 24-inch CML&TW and mortar coated pipe, 125 LF of 18-inch pipe CML&TW and mortar coated and CML&EC pipe; valves, blowoffs, air valves and other appurtenances; connections to existing underground piping, including shutdowns, dewatering, and highlines; right of way and encroachment permits; other permits as necessary to perform the work; preparation, approval and implementation of final engineered traffic control plans and any required updates as construction advances, including coordination with and securing approval from the City of Menifee; coordination with EMWD for Facility Site access and security requirements, trench sheeting, shoring and bracing; excavation, backfill, and compaction; Desalination Facility site restoration including saw cutting, removal, disposal and grinding of pavement; finish pavement overlays, pavement removal and replacement, curb, gutter and steel security fence removal and replacement; landscape restoration including hardscape, plantings and irrigation restoration; all appurtenant roadway repairs per City of Menifee standards; painting and coatings; cathodic protection system; all testing, disinfection and startup as specified; preparation, approval and implementation of SWPPP and all other Work to complete the project as shown on the plans or specified herein.

Schedule C – Brackish Water Pipeline.

The work associated with Schedule C is located in Menifee, CA, at the EMWD Desalination Complex and in Valley Blvd.

Work to be constructed for Schedule C includes but is not limited to the following: Furnishing, delivery and installation of approximately 225 LF of 24-inch PVC and all appurtenances; connections, including shutdowns, dewatering, and highlines; encroachment permits; other permits as necessary to perform the work; preparation, approval and implementation of final

engineered traffic control plans and any required updates as construction advances, including coordination with and securing approval from the City of Menifee; coordination with EMWD for Facility Site access and security requirements, trench sheeting, shoring and bracing; excavation, backfill, and compaction; saw cutting, removal, disposal and grinding of pavement; finish pavement overlays, pavement removal and replacement; all appurtenant roadway repairs per City of Menifee standards; painting and coatings; all testing and startup as specified; preparation, approval and implementation of SWPPP and all other Work to complete the project as shown on the plans or specified herein.

Quantities are approximate. Bidders are responsible to verify actual quantities from the detailed design drawings to accurately calculate quantity take-offs.

NIB-5. Mandatory Pre-Bid Walk-Through will be conducted by EMWD on **TUESDAY, JANUARY 19, 2021 starting at 9:00 a.m. and will be by appointment only** to ensure compliance with COVID-19 distancing mandate. If you would like to attend the walk-thru please contact Amy Eichperger eichpera@emwd.org or (951) 928-3777 ext. 4435 no later than 2:00 p.m. **THURSDAY, JANUARY 14, 2021** to schedule .

Walk-thru: meeting at Pete Peterson Park, 29621 Park City Ave, Menifee, CA 92584.

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE). For your safety, attendees shall bring and wear hard hats, safety vests, and close-toed shoes, if construction is present.

QUESTIONS: All questions must be submitted **in writing** by **5:00 p.m. on FRIDAY, JANUARY 22, 2021** to Mr. Sam Valdez c/o Bea Pillow; EMAIL: valdeza@emwd.org & pillowb@emwd.org. ***Questions received after this time may not be responded to.***

NIB-6. Contract Bonds. All bonds shall be executed by admitted surety insurers, as defined in Code of Civil Procedure section 995.120. Each proposal must be accompanied by a certified check or satisfactory surety bond (**by utilizing the District's Bid Bond form BB-1**) for not less than 10% of the bidder's total contract price as a guarantee that the bidder shall, within **seven (7)** days after the mailing of a notice of acceptance of bid by the District to the bidder, enter into the written contract supplied by the District. The District shall return the bid bond, upon request. The Contractor shall furnish a faithful performance bond in an amount equal to 100% of the amount of the contract and a labor payment bond in an amount equal to 100% of the contract amount.

Micro-tunneling/Boring and Jacking Subcontractor. Prior to boring and jacking any casings, the micro-tunneling/boring & jacking Subcontractor shall furnish a faithful performance bond in an amount equal to 100% of the amount of the subcontract work and a labor payment bond in an amount equal to 100% of the amount of the subcontract work for the boring and jacking work.

Pursuant to Section 995.660(a) of the Code of Civil Procedure, the Contractor shall submit the following documents with the performance and payment bonds:

- (1) The original, or a certified copy, of the unrevoked appointment, power of attorney, bylaws, or other instrument entitling or authorizing the person who executed the bond to do so;
- (2) A certified copy of the certificate of authority of the insurer issued by the State of California's Insurance Commissioner; and
- (3) Copies of the insurer's most recent annual and quarterly statements filed with the Department of Insurance.

NO PAYMENT SHALL BE MADE UNTIL THE BONDS ARE APPROVED BY THE DISTRICT

NIB-7. Safety. Safety of all activities in connection with the work is of paramount and overriding importance to the District. The District is recognized by the California Occupational Safety and Health Administration (Cal OSHA) as an active participant in the California Voluntary Protection Program (Cal VPP). The District is designated a Cal STAR site due to our high-level commitment to safety. Bidders on this project will be required to comply with and meet all applicable Cal OSHA requirements of Title 8 of the California Code of Regulations, including their current Injury and Illness Prevention Plan, T8 CCR Section 3203.

All bidders shall complete the C-16 Annual Summary of Work Related Injuries and Illness (Cal/OSHA Form 300A) and the C-17 Contractor's Cal/OSHA Compliance History and SIC Code form. *Failure to fully divulge, complete and submit these forms may deem your bid non-responsive*

A safety conference shall be scheduled prior to the preconstruction conference to review the experience modification rating, the respective safety requirements, and to discuss implementation of all health and safety provisions related to this project.

NIB-8. Contract Time. No bid or bid security may be withdrawn for **seventy-five (75)** calendar days after the date bids are received. The successful bidder shall, within **seven (7)** calendar days after the District mails a notice of acceptance of bid, return the signed agreement and bonds, and attend the pre-construction conference at the District office. **The contract period shall commence seven (7) calendar days from the date of the Notice-of-Acceptance-of-Proposal. The Contractor shall complete all work, including testing, within Four Hundred Twenty (420) calendar days.**

NIB-9. Contractor Classification. Bidders on this work will be required to be licensed by the State of California as **Classification A - General Engineering Contractor and/or Classification C-34 - Pipeline Contractor** at the time of the bid and at the time of award as such license is defined in Section 7056 and/or Section 7058 of the Business and Professional Code and Section 732 of the California Administrative Code.

NIB-10. Non-Discrimination. Bidders on this work will be required to comply with the provisions of the California Labor Code and with the President's Executive Order No. 11246 and supplements thereto. The requirements for bidders and contractors under this order are explained in the specifications.

NIB-11. Minimum Wages. In accordance with the provisions of the California Labor Code, the Director of Industrial Relations has ascertained the general prevailing rates of wages and the general prevailing rates for legal holiday and overtime work in Riverside County (refer to Section F-General Conditions). Copies of said rates are on file at the office of the District, which copies shall be made available for review to any interested party on request. The successful bidder shall post a copy of such determinations at the jobsite.

NIB-12. Public Works Requirements California Administrative Code, Title 8, Group 3, Section 16100 apply, which are/include:

- A. all applicable requirements of sections 1771, 1774 - 1776, 1813, and 1815.
- B. the appropriate number of apprentices are on the job site, as set forth in Labor Code Section 1777.5.
- C. workers' compensation coverage, set forth in Labor Code Sections 1860 and 1861.
- D. to keep accurate records of the work performed on the public works project, as set forth in Labor Code Section 1812.
- E. inspection of payroll records pursuant to Labor Code Section 1776, and as set forth in Section 16400 (e) of these regulations.
- F. and other requirements imposed by law.

NIB-13. Public Works Contractor and Subcontractor Registration. This project is subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the Department of Industrial Relations.

No contractor or subcontractor may be listed on a bid proposal or be awarded a contract 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)].

BIDDERS AND THEIR SUBCONTRACTORS (listed on the Designation of Subcontractors List C-05) are to provide an extract (pdf or excel) at time of bid showing active registration from the Public Works Contractor Registration online registration at:
<https://cadir.secure.force.com/ContractorSearch>

All contractors and subcontractors, including soils, survey and inspection services must furnish electronic certified payroll records directly to the Labor Commissioner (aka Division of Labor Standards Enforcement). Additionally, the awarded Contractor shall submit certified payroll records to the District.

In addition, awarded Contractor must post jobsite notices prescribed by regulations.

NIB-14. Ineligibility of Contractor or Subcontractor. Pursuant to Section 1777.1 and 1777.7 of the Labor Code, any contractor or subcontractor who is found by the Labor Commissioner to be in violation of certain provisions of law and is debarred for a specific period of time, is ineligible to bid or work on, or be awarded, a public works contract.

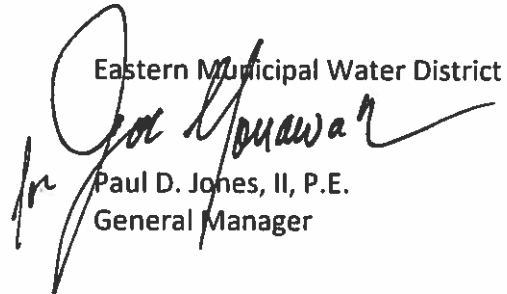
NIB-15. Substitution of Securities. Substitution of securities shall be permitted for any monies withheld to ensure contract performance, in accordance with the provisions of law and Section F-General Conditions of the contract specifications.

NIB-16. No Equal Clause. The application of California Public Contract Code Section 3400 (b) applies. The District's Board of Directors has authorized the General Manager to approve purchase and installation of certain equipment, material and services which has been designated sole-sourced and as no-equal in order to match other equipment and services already completed or in the course of construction.

NIB-17. Covid-19 Special Notice. By submitting a Bid for this work, Bidder agrees to proceed with the work as proposed and to execute the contract in the form provided. Any conditions, caveats, or force majeure notices submitted with a bid will not be accepted and may result in a determination that the bid is non-responsive. Any such conditions, caveats, or notices submitted after award may result in the forfeiture of Bidder's bid security and award to the next lowest bidder. Bidders shall comply with all governmental requirements for safety during the COVID-19 pandemic, including but not limited to orders and guidance of the California Department of Public Health, orders and guidelines of Cal/OSHA, and orders of the public health officer of the County of Riverside. The costs of adhering to and complying with such COVID-19 safety measures shall be the responsibility of the bidders and shall be included and incorporated into their respective bid amounts.

The federal government has identified 16 critical infrastructure sectors whose assets, systems, and networks are considered so vital to the United States that their incapacitation or destruction would have a debilitating effect on security, national economic security, or national public health or safety. These 16 critical infrastructure sectors may continue their work even when Stay At Home Orders are placed into effect, because of the importance of these sectors to Californians' health and well-being.

Eastern Municipal Water District provides water and wastewater services. Therefore, the company is within the Water and Wastewater sector specified by the State of California and the federal government as a critical infrastructure sector. Any Contractor or Consultant whose position is essential to maintain continuity of our operations, is therefore exempt from any potential Stay at Home Order.


Eastern Municipal Water District
Paul D. Jones, II, P.E.
General Manager

Official Bid Publication: EMWD Website (www.emwd.org)

Posted date: January 12, 2021

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Pre-Bid Walk-thru Map and Directions

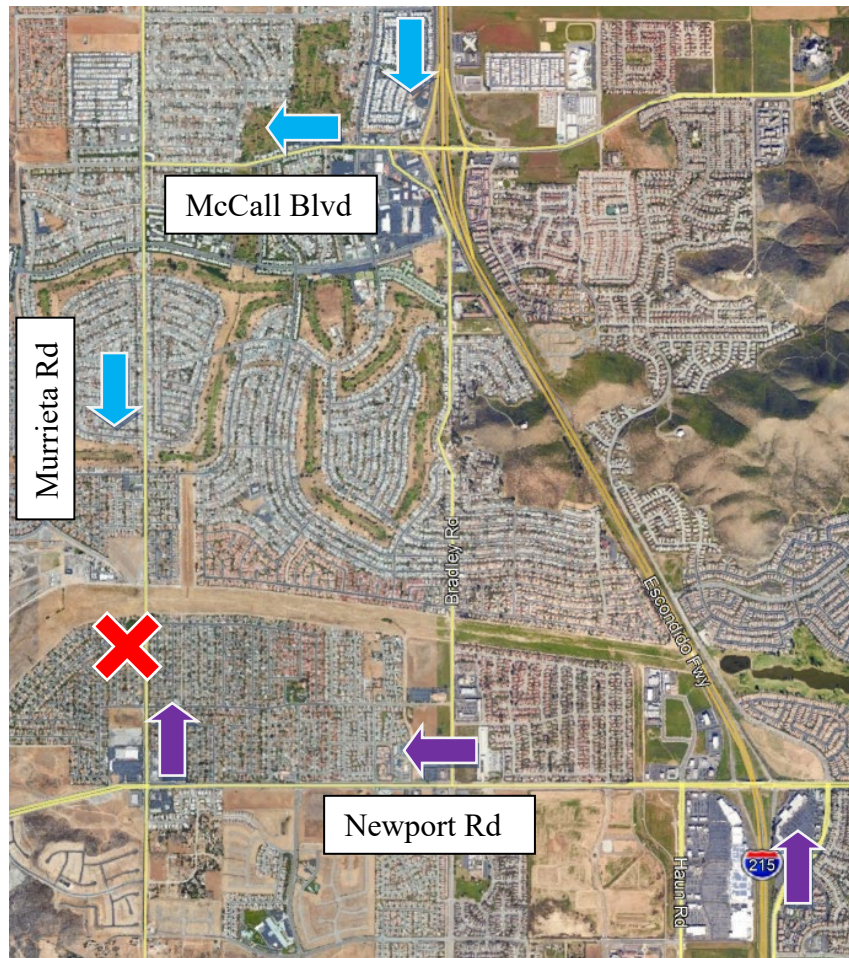
From the North:

Take the I-215 south to McCall Blvd exit. Turn right on McCall Blvd and head west to Murrieta Road. Turn left and head south on Murrieta Road. Travel 1.7 miles and turn Right onto Park City Ave to arrive at 29621 Park City Ave, Menifee, CA 92584 E.L. Pete Peterson Park.

From the South:

Take the I-215 north to Newport Rd exit. Turn left on Newport Rd and head west for 2 miles to Murrieta Rd. Turn right and head north on Murrieta Rd. Travel 0.5 miles and turn left onto Park City Ave to arrive at 29621 Park City Ave, Menifee, CA 92584 E.L. Pete Peterson Park.

From the North



From the South

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