

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

**OWNER**                   The Oak Creek Water & Sewer Utility hereby gives notice that sealed proposals will be received in the Utility’s office at 170 W. Drexel Avenue, Oak Creek, Wisconsin, 53154.

**PROJECT**                The work, officially known as Project No. 14110, BACKWASH SUPPLY ELEVATED TANK REPAINTING, consists of surface preparation and repainting the interior wet portions of a 300,000-gallon single-pedestal spheroid elevated tank located at the water treatment plant site with the following approximate quantities:

Item	Quantity	Units
Elevated Tank Repainting	1	Lump Sum

**TIME**                   Proposals must be received by the office of the Utility, 170 W. Drexel Avenue, no later than 9:00 a.m., Thursday, May 1, 2014, at which time and place the proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud.

**CONTRACT DOCUMENTS**       Bid documents may be obtained at the Utility’s website: [www.water.oak-creek.wi.us](http://www.water.oak-creek.wi.us) under the public contracts section after April 17, 2014.

**STATUTORY PROVISIONS**       The Contract letting shall be subject to the provisions of Section 62.15, 66.0901, 66.0903, and 779.16 Wisconsin Statutes. The minimum wage scale to be paid on this project shall be in accordance with the prevailing minimum wage as determined by federal or state law, whichever applies, and such wage is incorporated by reference, as it may be amended from time to time. If the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development or State of Wisconsin, Department of Workforce Development has issued a wage rate determination, then it shall apply.

**BID GUARANTEE**           A certified check or bank draft payable to the Oak Creek Water & Sewer Utility, or a satisfactory bid bond, in an amount not less than 5% of the bid shall accompany each bid as a guarantee that if the bid is accepted, the bidder will execute and file the proposed contract and bond within 10 days after the award of the contract. In case the bidder fails to file such contract and bond within the time set by the Utility, the check or bid bond shall be forfeited to the Utility as liquidated damages pursuant to SS.62.15(3).

**EQUAL  
OPPORTUNITY**

The Oak Creek Water & Sewer Utility hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the ground of race, color, sex, or national origin in consideration for an award.

**BID REJECTION**

The Oak Creek Water & Sewer Utility Commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids, waive any informalities in bidding, or to accept the bid or bids, which best serves the interest of the Utility.

**BID  
WITHDRAWAL**

No bid shall be withdrawn for a period of 30 days after the scheduled opening of the bids without the consent of the Oak Creek Water & Sewer Utility Commission.