



## ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

City of Hoschton - Waste Water Treatment Plant Modifications

**Sealed Proposals** for the modification of the Waste Water Treatment Plant for the City of Hoschton will be received by the OWNER at City Hall, located at 79 City Square, Hoschton, GA 30548 (706) 654-3034, until 2:00 PM o'clock, eastern standard time, on May 1, 2009. The OWNER will evaluate all bids received and award the contract based on bid price and qualifications. The OWNER will notify the selected CONTRACTOR in writing. No bid may be withdrawn after the closing time for the receipt of bids for a period of sixty (60) calendar days.

**The work to be done** consists of converting the existing forty-foot diameter circular digester into a functioning secondary clarifier and converting the existing fifty-five-foot rectangular phase separator into a functioning digester. Changes necessary to convert the existing digester into a secondary clarifier will include adding a turntable and dual skimmer arm with scum trough; relocating the existing return activated sludge pumps; and ensuring the bottom of the tank is adequately sloped to accommodate scraper arms. A connecting elevated walkway is to be constructed between the unit and the existing aeration basin. Changes necessary to convert the existing phase separator into a functioning digester will include the addition of diffused air and a decant valve. One pneumatic blower shall be furnished with concrete pad along with provision for installation of a second blower. Bids should reflect price with one blower as well as with a second blower. All bidders must visit the site and prepare detailed drawings showing their intended solution and implementation.

**Bidding Documents and Contract Documents** may be obtained from Hoschton City Hall, 79 City Square, Hoschton, GA, (706) 654-3034.

**Bonds:** A 5% Bid Bond or certified check or cash deposit equal to 5% of the contract amount must accompany all bids. The Successful Bidder, if awarded the Contract, will be required to furnish a Performance Bond and Payment Bond, each in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the Contract amount. The OWNER reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive formalities, to re-advertise, or to procure the project by other means.

Contractors bidding on this Project and their Sub-Contractors will be required to comply with all Federal, State, and local laws.

**Note:** Surety companies executing Bonds must appear on the Treasury Department's most current list (Circular 570 as amended) and be authorized to transact business in Georgia.