TERRELL COUNTY

Advertisement and Invitation for Bids

Sealed Bids for the Acquisition of Fire Protection Equipment of the CDBG – Terrell County *FAST* Fund CDBG Contract No. 22-0033 will be received, from all interested Bidder's, by Terrell County, at the office of the County Judge, Dale Carruthers 105 E. Hackberry Street until 9:00 AM September 11, 2023 at which time the Bids received will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Bids shall be on a lump sum and/or unit price basis, with additive alternate bid items as indicated in the Bid Form.

Bids are invited for the several items and quantities as follows:

- 1. Pumper Fire Truck
- 2. Brush Fire Truck
- 3. Cutter/Spreader Battery Operated
- 4. Snaptite Hoses
- 5. 2.5" Nozzle

Bid/Contract Documents, including Technical Specifications are on file at the Terrell County Courthouse 105 E. Hackberry Street Sanderson, Texas 79848, and at the Terrell County Volunteer Fire Department 105 E. Oak Street, Sanderson, Texas.

Please submit questions for this Project 72 hours prior to bid opening through Esser & Company Consulting LLC, carl.esser@hotmail.com.

A Pre-Bid Conference will not be conducted. A bid bond in the amount of 5 percent of the bid issued by an acceptable surety is required with each bid for those contracts that exceed \$100,000. A certified check or bank draft payable to Terrell County or negotiable U.S. Government Bonds (as par value) may be submitted in lieu of the Bid Bond.

The award will be made on the basis of the lowest responsible bid. Terrell County

reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding. Bids

may be held by Terrell County for a period not to exceed 30 days from the date of the bid

opening for the purpose of reviewing the bids and investigating the bidders' qualifications

prior to the contract award.

The project to be constructed will be financed with assistance from the Texas Department

of Agriculture (TDA) under U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development

Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program and is subject to all applicable

Federal and State laws and regulations.

Contractors who apply or bid for an award of \$100,000 or more shall provide the required

certification that it will not and has not used Federal appropriated funds to pay any person

or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer of employee of any

agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a

member of Congress in connection with obtaining any Federal contract, grant or any other

award covered by 31 USC § 1352.

Minority Business Enterprises, Small Business Enterprises, Women Business

Enterprises, and Historically Underutilized Business firms are encouraged to submit bids.

Bid security shall be furnished in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders.

Owner: Terrell County **Dale Carruthers**

By: Title:

Terrell County Judge

All contractors and/or subcontractors who are debarred, suspended or otherwise

excluded from or ineligible for participation on federal assistance programs may not

undertake any activity in part or in full under this project.