

## NOTICE INVITING BIDS

### 2025-2026 WATER METER REPLACEMENT PROJECT, PROJECT NO. 25-5563

**BID ACCEPTANCE DEADLINE:** SEALED BIDS will be received by the City Clerk of the City of Calistoga until **2:00 p.m. on January 21, 2026** for the **2025-2026 WATER METER REPLACEMENT PROJECT, PROJECT NO. 25-5563**. All sealed bids shall be addressed and noted as follows:

City of Calistoga, City Clerk  
1232 Washington Street  
Calistoga, CA 94515

Sealed Bid for 2025-2026 WATER METER REPLACEMENT PROJECT, PROJECT NO. 25-5563

Bids will be publicly opened and declared on **January 21, 2026 at 2:00 p.m.** at the office of the City Clerk, 1232 Washington Street, Calistoga, California 94515.

Bids are accepted for furnishing all labor, materials, equipment, and performing all work necessary and incidental to the construction of the project known as **2025-2026 WATER METER REPLACEMENT PROJECT, PROJECT NO. 25-5563**, according to drawings and specifications and according to the Contract Documents and other work not specifically mentioned herein, but which may be required as directed by the Engineer or his designated representative.

**Bids tendered after this deadline will not be accepted.** The official time clock for accepting bids will be the City Clerk's clock. In order to be accepted, bids must be received prior to 2:00 p.m. Therefore, a bid received at 1:59 p.m. will be accepted, but one delivered at or after 2:00 p.m. is late and will not be accepted.

Bidders may obtain copies of the bidding documents at [www.blueprintexpress.com/Calistoga](http://www.blueprintexpress.com/Calistoga) or by calling BPXpress Reprographics at (707) 745-3593. Bidding documents may also be picked up at BPXpress Reprographics at 4740 East Second Street, #29, Benicia, California, 94510. These items may be obtained at a set price of \$80.00, plus shipping, and is non-refundable. All bidders must purchase a complete bid set from BPXpress Reprographics in order to be added to the plan holder's list, considered responsive and to receive addenda notifications.

Requests for Information before or after the award of contract shall be directed to Brandon Gray at [bgray@calistogaca.gov](mailto:bgray@calistogaca.gov) The subject line shall be "Request for information for 2025-2026 WATER METER REPLACEMENT PROJECT, PROJECT NO. 25-5563".

General Description of Work: The work, in general, consists of installation of Metron Prism cellular registers on approximately 694 existing domestic water meters, meter and register replacement of approximately 85 domestic water meters, and related items of work as specified in the Standard Specifications and these special provisions, and as directed by the Engineer.

**The Engineer's Estimate for the Base Bid is \$561,000.**

This project is subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the Department of Industrial Relations.

Pursuant to Section 1770, et seq. of the California Labor Code, the successful bidder and all subcontractors shall pay not less than the prevailing rate of per diem wages as determined by the Director of the California Department of Industrial Relations. Copies of such prevailing rate of per diem wages are on file at the office of the City Engineer, City of Calistoga, to view and will be made available to any interested party on request or may be referenced at the Department of Industrial Relations website at [www.dir.ca.gov/DLSR/statistics\\_research.html](http://www.dir.ca.gov/DLSR/statistics_research.html).

The contractor and subcontractors must furnish electronic certified payroll records to the Labor Commissioner.

In accordance with Labor Code Section 1725.5 (with limited exceptions from this requirement for bid purposes only under Labor Code Section 1771.1(a)), no contractor or subcontractor may be listed on a bid proposal for a public works project unless registered with the Department of Industrial Relations.

In accordance with provisions of California Public Contract Code Section 3300, the City has determined that the Contractor shall possess a valid Class A (General Engineering), Class C-34 (Pipeline), or Class C-36 (Plumbing) License at the time that the contract is awarded.

The lowest bid shall be determined based on the lowest total of the bid prices on the base contract, without regard to additive or deductive bid items, for all responsive, responsible bidders. If the low bidder is determined to be non-qualified the City will then proceed to the second lowest bidder and review their qualifications.

Each Bidder must submit with its bid security in the amount of not less than ten percent (10%) of the aggregate amount of the base bid in one of the following forms: cashier's check made payable to the City, a certified check made payable to the City, or a bidder's bond executed by a corporate surety authorized to engage in such business in the State, made payable to the City.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish a payment bond in the amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the Contract Price, as well as a faithful performance bond, in the amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the Contract Price.

The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids; to make any awards or any rejections in what it alone considers to be in the best interest of the City, and waive any informalities or minor irregularities in the bids. By order of the City Council, City of Calistoga, Napa County, California.

Date: December 19, 2025

By:  Digitally signed by Derek Rayner, DN: cn=Derek Rayner, o=City of Calistoga, ou=Department of Public Works, email=Derek.Rayner@calistoga.ca.gov, c=US

Derek Rayner, Public Works Director/ City Engineer

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