

NOTICE INVITING BIDS

(A Cash Contract)

Sealed proposals will be received by the City Clerk of the City of Hawthorne, California at the office of the City Clerk, located on the first floor in City Hall, 4455 West 126th Street, Hawthorne, California until **4:00 P.M., TUESDAY, DECEMBER 9, 2025.**

Proposals will be publicly opened and recorded on a Bid List at **4:15 P.M.** of the same day in the City Clerk's Office. Bidders, as well as the general public, are invited to view the proceedings.

Proposals will be read at a meeting of the City Council starting at **6:00 P.M., TUESDAY, DECEMBER 9, 2025** for the following:

ALLEY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT CDBG FUNDS (City Project # 25-08)

SCOPE OF WORK

The work consists of grinding, excavation and removal of existing pavement and construction of PCC pavement, curb and gutter, sidewalks, alleys, driveways and ADA ramps and adjustment of utilities and all other work necessary to complete the improvements in accordance with the Plans and Specifications.

ESTIMATED QUANTITIES

ITEM#	ITEM DESCRIPTION	UNIT	QUANTITY
1	Construction Survey	LS	1
2	Clearing and Grubbing/Implementation of BMPs	LS	1
3	Adjust Manhole(MH) Frames and Cover to Grade	EA	7
4	Adjust Utility Covers to Grade	EA	2
5	Excavation (unclassified) for Excess Excavation.	CY	300
6	Asphalt Concrete (PG-64-16)	TONS	100
7	Remove and excavate existing curb and gutter and construct new curb and gutter per SPPWC Std. 120-2 type A2-8(200) over 6" CMB	LF	200
8	Remove and excavate existing sidewalk and construct new 4" thick. sidewalk over 4" CMB	SF	2000
9	Remove and excavate existing 16" deep alley pavement (asphalt, concrete) and base materials and construct new dowelled 8" PCC pavement over 8" CMB.	SF	24,000
10	Remove and excavate existing ADA curb ramp and Construct new ADA curb ramp over 4" CMB per SPPWC Std. 111-4 and Cal-Trans Std. A88A.	SF	2,500
11	Crushed Miscellaneous Base (CMB) for Excess Backfill.	CY	200

TIME OF COMPLETION

Time of completion for this project will be 35 working days. Project must be completed by March 26, 2026.

ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE

The engineer's estimate for this project is \$500,000.00

CLASSIFICATION OF CONTRACTORS

Contractors bidding this project must possess a valid State of California A or C-8 Contractors' License.

MANDATORY PRE-BID JOB WALK

A **MANDATORY** pre-bid meeting/job walk will be conducted at the **Hawthorne City Hall, Department of Public Works, Engineering Division (second floor), 4455 West 126th Street, Hawthorne, CA 90250** on **Thursday, November 20, 2025, at 10:00 a.m.** All Bidders shall sign in on the Sign-In sheet at the job walk. All Bidders' questions will be answered at this time or by addenda. In addition, Bidders will have the opportunity to tour the proposed improvement and have an opportunity to talk to the City's staff concerning any aspect of the job or the site.

BIDS WILL BE NULL AND VOID IF CONTRACTOR DOES NOT ATTEND THIS PRE-BID JOB WALK.

CERTIFICATION OF OFFEROR/BIDDER REGARDING DEBARMENT

By submitting a bid/proposal under this solicitation, the bidder or offeror certifies that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred or suspended by any Federal department or agency from participation in this transaction.

Certification of Lower Tier Contractors Regarding Debarment

The successful bidder, by administrating each lower tier subcontract that exceeds \$25,000 as a "covered transaction", must verify each lower tier participant of a "covered transaction" "under the project is not presently debarred or otherwise disqualified from participation in this assisted project, The bidder is to provide a Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS) number. The bidder will accomplish this by:

1. Checking the system for Award Management at website: <http://www.sam.gov>
2. Collecting a certification statement similar to the Certification of Offeror/Bidder Regarding Debarment, above.
3. Inserting a clause or condition in the covered transaction with the lower tier contract

The Contractor is required to obtain an "Active Status". If the City of Hawthorne later determines that a lower tier participation failed to disclose a higher tier participant that it was excluded or disqualified at the time it entered the covered transaction, the City of Hawthorne may pursue any available remedies, including suspension and debarments of the non-compliant participant.

SUBMISSION OF PROPOSALS

Proposals must be submitted on the blank forms, specifications and plans prepared and furnished for that purpose, which may be obtained through the City of Hawthorne's Citizen self-service:

<http://hawthorneca-energovweb.tylerhost.net/apps/selfservice#home>

No bid will be considered unless it conforms to the Proposal Requirements and Conditions. The City Council of the City of Hawthorne, also referred to as the City, reserves the right to reject any and all proposals. Bids must be returned in the special envelopes provided, marked "SEALED BIDS", and addressed to the City Clerk.

Each proposal shall be accompanied by one of the following forms of bidder's security: cash, cashier's check, certified check, or bidder's bond, equal to ten percent (10%) of the bid price. A payment bond and a performance bond, each in an amount equal to 100% of the total contract amount, shall be required concurrently with the execution of the contract and shall be in the form set forth in the contract documents.

A list of subcontractors shall be submitted with the bid on the form provided by the City.

**** NOTE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS: THE COST OF PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS IS \$50.00 (non-refundable). ****

WAGES AND EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

This proposed Contract is under and subject to Executive Order 11246, as amended, of September 24, 1965, and to the Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO) and Federal Labor Provisions. The EEO requirements, labor provisions, and wage rates are included in the Specifications and Bid documents and are available for inspection at the City Clerk's Office, City Hall, City of Hawthorne.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the City Council has obtained the general federal prevailing rate of per diem wages in accordance with the law to be paid for the construction of the above entitled Works and Improvements. The schedule has been obtained from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development for Community Block Grant Programs of the type and nature proposed by the City, and reference is hereby made to copies thereof on file in the Office of the City Engineer, which said copies are available to any interested party upon request. Further, a copy shall be posted at the job site during the course of construction. All Contractors submitting bids must conform to current federal minimum prevailing wages.

In addition to the Contractor's obligations as to minimum wage rates, the Contractor shall abide by all other provisions and requirements stipulated in Sections 1770-1780, inclusive, of the Labor Code of the State of California, including, but not limited to, those dealing with the employment of registered apprentices. The responsibility of compliance with Section 1777.5 of the Labor Code shall be with the prime contractor.

DBE REQUIREMENTS

The bidder shall make good faith efforts, as defined in Title 49 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 26, and the State of California, Department of Transportation Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Program Plan.

The City of Hawthorne established an AADPL of 13%. The contractor or subcontractor shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, or sex in the performance of this contract. The contractor shall carry out applicable requirements of 49 CFR, Part 26 in the award and administration of DOT-assisted contracts. Failure by the contractor to carry out these requirements is a material breach of this contract, which may result in the termination of this contract or such other remedy, as recipient deems appropriate.

NONDISCRIMINATION

In performance of the terms of this contract, the Contractor shall not engage in, nor permit such subcontractors as he may employ from engaging in, discrimination in employment of persons because of the race, color, place of national origin or ancestry, sex, age or religion of such persons.

PERFORMANCE RETENTIONS

The successful bidder will be required to provide for performance security as provided by law. Requirements for performance retentions may be satisfied by deposit or securities specified in Section 16430 of the Government Code, and in accordance with Section 22300 of the Public Contract Code.

CONTRACTOR REGISTRATION

A contractor or subcontractor shall not be qualified to bid on, be listed in a bid proposal, subject to the requirements of Section 4104 of the Public Contract Code, or engage in the performance of any contract for public work, unless currently registered and qualified to perform public work pursuant to Labor Code Section 1725.5. An unregistered contractor may only submit a bid if authorized by Section 7029.1 of the Business and Professions Code or by Section 10164 or 20103.5 of the Public Contract Code, provided the contractor is registered to perform public work pursuant to Section 1725.5 at the time the contract is awarded.

PROJECT INFORMATION

Plans and Specifications are available digitally through the City of Hawthorne's Citizen Self Service portal:

<http://hawthorneca-energovweb.tylerhost.net/apps/selfservice#home>

All contractors will need to create a free account. Once they have created an account then they will need to apply for the **Public Works Bid Plans and Specifications**. Fill in all necessary information and once the application is submitted the Contractor will receive an invoice (see project information section above for price). Once all fees have been paid the Contractor will then receive three (3) PDFs: 1) general information/provisions PDF, 2) bid proposal forms (see SUBMISSION OF PROPOSALS section below for instructions on how to submit all proposals) and 3) specifications/plans PDF.

If you have any questions regarding this project, please contact the Project Engineer, **Selena Acuna** in the Department of Public Works, Engineering Division, at **(310) 349-2980** or via email at sacuna@cityofhawthorne.org