



State of West Virginia
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 Purchasing Division
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Request for Quotation

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***** ADDENDUM NO. 1 *****						
ADDENDUM ISSUED AS A RESULT OF PRE-BID ON 04/25/07 FOR THE OVERFIELD REFUSE & MINING EQUIPMENT PROJECT IN PHILIPPI, (BARBOUR CO.), WV.						
ADDENDUM INCLUDES INSTRUCTIONS FOR BIDDING REGARDING THE LOW WATER CROSSING, A REVISED BID SCHEDULE, AND THE PRE-BID SIGN-IN SHEET.						
BID DATE AND OPENING HAVE BEEN EXTENDED TO 05/17/2007, AT 1:30 PM.						
***** NO OTHER CHANGES *****						
0001	1	JB		962-73	\$	729,680.00
RECLAMATION RESTORATION OF LAND & OTHER PROPERTIES						

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SIGNATURE <i>Kelley Carpenter</i>	TELEPHONE 9841115	DATE 5/17/07
TITLE <i>President</i>	FEIN 550693493	ADDRESS CHANGES TO BE NOTED ABOVE

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OVERFIELD REFUSE & MINING EQUIPMENT
ADDENDUM #1 – 4/26/07
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This project shall be bid in accordance with the attached revised Bid Schedule dated 4/26/07. The revisions are as follows:

Item 4.3 “Debris Removal”, per Lump Sum has been included on the Bid Schedule to correspond with the Pay Items in Section 4 of the Specifications.

Item 7.1 “6’ Grass Lined Channel”, per LF and 7.2 “6’ Grouted Riprap Channel”, per LF have been reversed in order to correspond with the Pay Items in Section 7 of the Specifications.

Item 11.2 “Conveyance Pipe”, per LF has replaced the former Item 11.2 to correspond with the Pay Items in Section 11 of the Specifications.

Item 11.3 has been removed from the Bid Schedule to correspond with the Method of Measurement for “Stone Check Dams” in accordance with Section 7.4.2 of the Specifications.

The Contractor shall contact Frank Jernejcic at (304) 825-8797 for any special provisions pertaining to the design and installation of the “Low Water Crossing”. Such provisions may include but are not limited to requirements for flow capacity of pipes and restrictions on the time period for disturbance of the stream due to spawning season.

MANDATORY PRE-BID SIGN-IN ATTENDANCE SHEET

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RFQ # : 13910
 Project: Overfield Refuse + Mining Equip.

Bid Date: 5/10/07
 Pre-Bid Date: 4/25/07

Name : DAVID H. Bowman
 Company: GREEN MOUNTAIN CO
 Address: 511 50th STREET
Charleston WV
25304
 Phone #: 304 925 0253
 Fax # : 9230
 Email : Jody.Maye@OLCOM

Name : Junior Stanley
 Company: Stanley Industries, Inc
 Address: 7 Maple Lake
Bridgeport WV
26330
 Phone# : 304 842 8560
 Fax # : 304 842 8609
 Email : _____

Name : Jim KEFLEY
 Company: GROUND BREAKERS
 Address: PO BOX 1227
MARKSBURG, W.VA.
26301
 Phone #: 304 622-2400
 Fax # : 304-622-2410
 Email : _____

Name : ANN WARDWELL
 Company: EASTERN ARROW
 Address: P.O. BOX 365
CHARLTON HTS WV
25040
 Phone# : 304-332-5522
 Fax # : 304-332-5525
 Email : _____

+Name : Steve Jurasko
 Company: Polino Contracting Inc.
 Address: Po Box 230
ELKINS WV
 Phone #: 636-3886
 Fax # : 259-5861
 Email : SJurasko@Polino.com

Name ★ : Kevin Bradford
 Company: Pineville Paving + Excavating Inc.
 Address: P.O. Box 1290
Pineville WV 24874
 Phone# : 304-732-8303
 Fax # : 304-732-7855
 Email : _____

Name : Robert Barnes
 Company: BARNES EXC. INC.
 Address: P.O. BOX 13384
Sissonville
WVA. 25360
 Phone #: 304-984-1725
 Fax # : 304-984-0074
 Email : _____

Name : GEORGE FRESHOUR
 Company: EAGLE EXCAVATION INC.
 Address: P.O. BOX 218
KENNA, WV 25248
 Phone# : (304) 372-4378
 Fax # : (304) 372-4378
 Email : NONE

MANDATORY PRE-BID SIGN-IN ATTENDANCE SHEET 005

RFQ # : 13910
 Project: Overfield

Bid Date: _____
 Pre-Bid Date: _____

Name : Gerald Goode
~~Mountain News~~
 Company: Mountain News Press
 Address: 305 3rd St.
CHARLESTON WV 25304

Name : GARY Long
 Company: M Court & Son Const. Inc.
 Address: 2790 Centralia Rd.
Sutton WV 26601

Phone #: 925-4834
 Fax #: 925-4032
 Email : _____

Phone#: 304 765-5288
 Fax #: 304 765-5293
 Email : _____

Name : Randy Carpenter
 Company: Carpenter Reclamation
 Address: PO BX 13015
Sissonville, WV
25360

Name : Doug Vincent
 Company: BRECKWAY Inc.
 Address: 1075 Old Turnpike Rd
Sutton WV 26601

Phone #: 304-984-1115
 Fax #: 304-984-2770
 Email : RCarpenter03@aol.com

Phone#: 765-5317
 Fax #: 765-5389
 Email : _____

Name : Spencer Wooddell
 Company: Cowgirl Up Inc.
 Address: PO Box 243
Simpson WVa 26435

Name : ARTHUR LAUTE
 Company: Halls Contracting Inc.
 Address: Rt 6, Box 85
Buckhannon WV 26201

Phone #: 304 739 4397
 Fax #: 304 739 4397
 Email : _____

Phone#: 472-6408
 Fax #: 473-1722
 Email : _____

Name : LEONDIS GILKERSON
 Company: G.L. STONE & SON
 Address: 24 FIRST STREET
HAMLIN, WV
25523

Name : MARK ARSO
 Company: BEAR CON
 Address: Post Office Box 1196
Bridgport WV 26330

Phone #: 304 824 3800
 Fax #: 304 824 3848
 Email : _____

Phone#: 304-677-2195
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MANDATORY PRE-BID SIGN-IN ATTENDANCE SHEET 006

RFQ # : 13910
 Project: Doverfield

Bid Date: _____
 Pre-Bid Date: _____

Name : JAMES ALLEN
 Company: JF ALLEN CO
 Address: P.O. Box 2049
Buckhannon WV

Name : _____
 Company: _____
 Address: _____

Phone #: 304 472 8890
 Fax #: 304 472 8897
 Email : _____

Phone# : _____
 Fax # : _____
 Email : _____

Name : JAMES ALLEN
 Company: JH JENNINGS
 Address: RT 1 Box 464
Clarkburg WV

Name : _____
 Company: _____
 Address: _____

Phone #: 304 623 5503
 Fax #: 304 624 9222
 Email : _____

Phone# : _____
 Fax # : _____
 Email : _____

Name : Roger L. Collins Jr.
 Company: Collins Building & Contracting INC
 Address: 390 Conly Rd
Flatwoods, WV
26021

Name : _____
 Company: _____
 Address: _____

Phone #: 304-765-3521
 Fax #: same
 Email : _____

Phone# : _____
 Fax # : _____
 Email : _____

Name : Rick R DAY
 Company: Gold Diggers Inc
 Address: #14 Chenoweth PR
Bridgeport WV 26330

Name : _____
 Company: _____
 Address: _____

Phone #: 304-842-3375
 Fax #: 304-842-3378
 Email : Gold Diggers @ MA.RR.com

Phone# : _____
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RECLAMATION: RESTORATION OF LAND & OTHER PROPERTIES THE WEST VIRGINIA PURCHASING DIVISION, FOR THE AGENCY, THE WV DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, IS SOLICITING BIDS FROM QUALIFIED CONTRACTORS FOR A CONTRACT TO PROVIDE ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR THE RECLAMATION OF 17 ACRE ABANDONED MINE PROJECT KNOWN AS THE "OVERFIELD REFUSE & MINING EQUIPMENT DRAINAGE" PROJECT. THE SITE IS LOCATED NEAR PHILIPPI, WV (BARBOUR CO.). A MANDATORY ON SITE PREBID CONFERENCE SHALL BE HELD ON 04/25/07 @ 10:00 AM. FAILURE TO ATTEND THE PREBID CONFERENCE WILL RESULT IN BID DISQUALIFICATION. DIRECTIONS TO PREBID: FROM I-79 NORTH OR SOUTH, TAKE THE STONEWOOD-NUTTERFORT EXIT (EXIT 115) AND STATE ROUTE 20 SOUTH TOWARD PHILIPPI FOR APPROX. 3.9 MILES TO ITS JUNCTION WITH STATE ROUTE 57. CONTINUE ON STATE ROUTE 57 EAST FOR 6.6 MILES AND TURN RIGHT ONTO ISAACS RUN RD. (57/6). PROCEED APPROX. 300' AND TURN LEFT THROUGH A GATE ONTO THE OLD B&O RAILROAD GRADE. TRAVEL THE RAILROAD GRADE FOR 1,800 FEET TO A CROSSING. SITE IS ON BOTH SIDES OF ELK CREEK. CONTACT & PHONE #: GREGG SMITH, 304-457-3219. PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS MAY BE OBTAINED FROM WVDEP, OFFICE AML&R, 601 57TH ST., SE, CHARLESTON, WV 25304 PH.304-926-0485 UPON PAYMENT OF \$10.00 NON-REFUNDABLE FEE. PAYMENT MUST BE MADE BY CHECK OR MONEY ORDER.						

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<p>NO CASH WILL BE ACCEPTED.</p> <p>EXHIBIT 5</p> <p>NOTICE TO PROCEED: THIS CONTRACT IS TO BE PERFORMED WITHIN 365 CALENDAR DAYS AFTER THE NOTICE TO PROCEED IS RECEIVED. UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED, THE FULLY EXECUTED PURCHASE ORDER WILL BE CONSIDERED NOTICE TO PROCEED.</p> <p>CANCELLATION: THE DIRECTOR OF PURCHASING RESERVES THE RIGHT TO CANCEL THIS CONTRACT IMMEDIATELY UPON WRITTEN NOTICE TO THE VENDOR IF THE MATERIALS OR WORKMANSHIP SUPPLIED ARE OF AN INFERIOR QUALITY OR DO NOT CONFORM WITH THE SPECIFICATIONS OF THE THE BID AND CONTRACT HEREIN.</p> <p>WAGE RATES: THE CONTRACTOR OR SUBCONTRACTOR SHALL PAY THE HIGHER OF THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR MINIMUM WAGE RATES AS ESTABLISHED FOR BARBOUR COUNTY, PURSUANT TO WEST VIRGINIA CODE 21-5A, ET,SEQ.</p> <p>ARBITRATION: ANY REFERENCES MADE TO ARBITRATION OR INTEREST FOR PAYMENTS DUE (EXCEPT FOR ANY INTEREST REQUIRED BY STATE LAW) CONTAINED IN THIS CONTRACT OR IN ANY AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS DOCUMENTS PERTAINING TO THIS CONTRACT ARE HEREBY DELETED.</p> <p>WORKERS' COMPENSATION: VENDOR IS REQUIRED TO PROVIDE A CERTIFICATE FROM WORKERS' COMPENSATION IF SUCCESSFUL.</p> <p>ALL OF THE ITEMS CHECKED BELOW WILL BE A REQUIREMENT OF THIS CONTRACT:</p> <p>(XX) INSURANCE: SUCCESSFUL VENDOR SHALL FURNISH PROOF</p>						

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<p>BIDDING DOCUMENTS YOU CAN CONTACT THE AVS OFFICE AT 800-643-9748 OR WWW.AVS.OSMRE.GOV *****</p> <p style="text-align: center;">CONTRACTORS LICENSE</p> <p>WEST VIRGINIA STATE CODE 21-11-2 REQUIRES THAT ALL PERSONS DESIRING TO PERFORM CONTRACTING WORK IN THIS STATE MUST BE LICENSED. THE WEST VIRGINIA CONTRACTORS LICENSING BOARD IS EMPOWERED TO ISSUE THE CONTRACTORS LICENSE. APPLICATIONS FOR A CONTRACTORS LICENSE MAY B MADE BY CONTACTING THE WEST VIRGINIA DIVISION OF LABOR, CAPITOL COMPLEX, BUILDING 3, ROOM 319, CHARLESTON, WV 25305 OR PHONE 304-558-7890.</p> <p>WEST VIRGINIA STATE CODE 21-11-11 REQUIRES ANY PROSPECTIVE BIDDER TO INCLUDE THE CONTRACTORS LICENSE NUMBER ON THEIR BID. BIDDER TO COMPLETE:</p> <p>CONTRACTORS NAME: <i>Carpenter Reclamation</i>.....</p> <p>CONTRACTORS LICENSE #: <i>WV.007728</i>.....</p> <p>THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER WILL BE REQUIRED TO FURNISH A COPY OF THEIR CONTRACTORS LICENSE PRIOR TO ISSUANCE OF A PURCHASE ORDER/CONTRACT.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">APPLICABLE LAW</p> <p>THE WEST VIRGINIA STATE CODE, PURCHASING DIVISION RULES & REGULATIONS, PURCHASING DIVISION POLICY STATEMENTS, AND THE INFORMATION PROVIDED IN THE "REQUEST FOR QUOTATION" ISSUED BY THE PURCHASING DIVISION IS THE SOLE AUTHORITY GOVERNING THIS PROCUREMENT.</p>						

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<p>ANY INFORMATION PROVIDED IN SPECIFICATION MANUALS, OR ANY OTHER SOURCE, VERBAL OR WRITTEN, WHICH CONTRADICTS OR ALTERS THE INFORMATION PROVIDED FROM THE SOURCES AS DESCRIBED IN THE ABOVE PARAGRAPH IS VOID AND OF NO EFFECT.</p> <p>(1) NOTICE TO PROCEED: THE CONSTRUCTION WORK SPECIFIED HEREIN IS TO BE COMPLETED WITHIN 365 CALENDAR DAYS AFTER THE OFFICIAL NOTICE TO PROCEED IS RECEIVED. IN THE EVENT THAT A PRE-CONSTRUCTION CONFERENCE IS REQUIRED, THE NOTICE TO PROCEED SHALL BE THE SPECIFIC DATE ESTABLISHED IN THE PRE-CONSTRUCTION CONFERENCE.</p> <p>(2) GUARANTEE AND MAINTENANCE: (A) THE MATERIALS AND WORKMANSHIP AFFECTED BY THE CONTRACTOR ARE SUBJECT TO THE GUARANTEE ESTABLISHED BY CUSTOM OF THE RESPECTIVE TRADES. IN THE ABSENCE OF A TRADE GUARANTEE CUSTOM OR A SPECIAL GUARANTEE PROVISION, THE WORK, BOTH AS TO THE MATERIALS AND WORKMANSHIP, SHALL UPON ACCEPTANCE OF FINAL PAYMENT BY THE CONTRACTOR BE CONSIDERED GUARANTEED BY THE CONTRACTOR FOR ONE YEAR FROM THE DATE OF THE ACCEPTANCE OF THE WORK. NEITHER THE FINAL ACCEPTANCE NOR THE FINAL PAYMENT SHALL RELIEVE THE CONTRACTOR OF RESPONSIBILITY FOR NEGLIGENCE OR FAULTY MATERIALS, AND FOR DEFECTS APPEARING WITHIN THE GUARANTEE PERIOD SHALL BE REMEDIATED AT THE EXPENSE OF THE CONTRACTOR UPON WRITTEN NOTICE. (B) DURING THE ONE-YEAR GUARANTEE PERIOD, THE CONTRACTOR WILL MAINTAIN THE PROJECT TO THE CONDITIONS EXISTING AT THE DATE OF THE ACCEPTANCE OF THE WORK. ANY FAILURES DUE TO THE NEGLIGENCE OR WORKMANSHIP OF CONTRACTOR IN ANY OF THE WORK THAT DEVELOPS DURING THE GUARANTEE PERIOD SHALL BE CORRECTED BY THE CONTRACTOR</p>						

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<p>AT ITS EXPENSE.</p> <p>(C) THE ONE-YEAR GUARANTEE PERIOD SHALL NOT BE CONSTRUED AS BEING AN EXTENSION OF THE PERFORMANCE TIME ALLOTTED FOR WORK UNDER THE CONTRACT.</p> <p>(D) GUARANTEES CONCERNING REVEGETATION MAY BE FURTHER DEFINED IN THE TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS CONTAINED HEREIN.</p> <p>(3) TERMINATION:</p> <p>(1) THIS CONTRACT MAY BE CANCELLED IN WHOLE OR IN PART IN WRITING BY THE DIRECTOR OF PURCHASING, WITHOUT PREJUDICE TO ANY OTHER RIGHT OR REMEDY IT MAY HAVE, PROVIDED THAT THE CONTRACTOR IS GIVEN NOT LESS THAN THIRTY CALENDAR DAYS WRITTEN NOTICE, (DELIVERED BY CERTIFIED MAIL, RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED) OF INTENT TO TERMINATE.</p> <p>(4) IT SHALL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE SUCCESSFUL VENDOR TO:</p> <p>(A) OBTAIN ALL NECESSARY DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS PERMITS FOR ALL TRANSPORTATION OF EQUIPMENT AND MATERIALS TO AND FROM THE JOB SITE.</p> <p>(B) OBTAIN ANY AND ALL REQUIRED CONSTRUCTION PERMITS OR RELATED JOB PERMITS.</p> <p>(5) TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS:</p> <p>ALL WORK UNDER THIS CONTRACT SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE SPECIFICATIONS PREPARED FOR THE RECLAMATION OF THE "OVERFIELD REFUSE AND MINING EQUIPMENT DRAINAGE" PROJECT. SAID PLANS & SPECS ARE INCORPORATED HERE IN BY REFERENCE AND ALL PROVISIONS, CLAUSES AND CONDITIONS THEREIN ARE MADE PROPERLY A PART OF THIS CONTRACT, AND CONSISTS OF 10 DRAWINGS AS PREPARED BY CONSULTANT NAME.</p> <p>(6) PAYMENTS AND COMPLETION:</p>						

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<p>THE CONTRACTOR SHALL FURNISH TO DEP AN APPLICATION FOR PAYMENT WITH AN ITEMIZED SCHEDULE OF VALUES AS HEREIN BEFORE REQUESTED. THE FORM INCLUDED IN THE SPECIFICATIONS SHALL BE USED FOR APPLICATIONS OF PAYMENT. IT IS THE DEP'S INTENT THAT THE PAYMENT TO THE CONTRACTOR BE MADE WITHIN 60 DAYS AFTER RECEIPT OF APPLICATION FOR PAYMENT.</p> <p>(7) APPLICATION FOR PARTIAL PAYMENT: THE CONTRACTOR MAY, ON A PERIODIC BASIS, SUBMIT FOR PARTIAL PAYMENT BASED ON THE AMOUNT OF WORK COMPLETED AT THE TIME OF THE SUBMITTAL. THE AMOUNT OF PAYMENT WILL BE DETERMINED FROM THE ACTUAL QUANTITY OF WORK COMPLETED IF BASED UPON UNIT MEASURES OR THE PERCENT COMPLETED IF BASED UPON A LUMP SUM.</p> <p>BANKRUPTCY: IN THE EVENT THE VENDOR/CONTRACTOR FILES FOR BANKRUPTCY PROTECTION, THIS CONTRACT IS AUTOMATICALLY NULL AND VOID, AND IS TERMINATED WITHOUT FURTHER ORDER.</p> <p>REV. 9/98</p> <p>PREFERENCE FOR USE OF DOMESTIC STEEL PRODUCTS</p> <p>1. EXCEPT WHEN AUTHORIZED BY THE DIRECTOR OF THE PURCHASING DIVISION PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION 2 BELOW, NO CONTRACTOR MAY USE OR SUPPLY STEEL PRODUCTS FOR A STATE CONTRACT PROJECT OTHER THAN THOSE STEEL PRODUCTS MADE IN THE UNITED STATES. AS USED USED I THIS CONTRACT,</p> <p>A. "STATE CONTRACT PROJECT" MEANS ANY ERECTION OR CONSTRUCTION OF, OR ANY ADDITION TO, ALTERATION OF OR OTHER IMPROVEMENT TO ANY BUILDING OR STRUCTURE, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, ROAD</p>						

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3. A CONTRACTOR WHO USES STEEL PRODUCTS IN VIOLATION OF THIS SECTION MAY BE SUBJECT TO CIVIL PENALTIES PURSUANT TO W. VA. CODE SECTION 5A-3-56.						
REV. 10/01/01						
EXHIBIT 7						
DOMESTIC ALUMINUM, GLASS & STEEL IN PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS						
IN ACCORDANCE WITH WEST VIRGINIA CODE 5-19-1 ET., SEQ., EVERY CONTRACT FOR CONSTRUCTION, RECONSTRUCTION, ALTERATION, REPAIR, IMPROVEMENT OR MAINTENANCE OF PUBLIC WORKS, WHERE THE COST IS MORE THAN \$50,000 AND, IN THE CASE OF STEEL ONLY, WHERE THE COST OF STEEL IS MORE THAN \$50,000 OR WHERE MORE THAN 10,000 POUNDS OF STEEL ARE REQUIRED, THE STATE WILL ACCEPT ONLY ALUMINUM GLASS, OR STEEL PRODUCTS PRODUCED IN THE UNITED STATES. IN ADDITION, ITEMS OF MACHINERY OR EQUIPMENT PURCHASED FOR USE AT THE SITE OF PUBLIC WORKS SHALL BE MADE OF DOMESTIC ALUMINUM, GLASS OR STEEL, UNLESS THE COST OF THE PRODUCT IS LESS THAN \$50,000 OR LESS THAN 10,000 POUNDS OF STEEL ARE USED IN PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS.						
FOREIGN MADE ALUMINUM, GLASS OR STEEL PRODUCTS MAY BE ACCEPTED ONLY IF THE COST OF DOMESTIC PRODUCTS IS FOUND TO BE UNREASONABLE. SUCH COST IS UNREASONABLE IF IT IS 20% OR MORE HIGHER THAN THE BID PRICE FOR FOREIGN MADE PRODUCTS. IF THE DOMESTIC ALUMINUM, GLASS OR STEEL PRODUCTS TO BE SUPPLIED OR PRODUCED IN A "SUBSTANTIAL LABOR SURPLUS AREA", AS DEFINED BY THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, FOREIGN PRODUCTS MAY BE SUPPLIED ONLY IF DOMESTIC PRODUCTS ARE 30% OR MORE HIGHER IN						

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 Purchasing Division
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304-558-2157

VENDOR

*709060417 304-984-1115
CARPENTER RECLAMATION INC
PO BOX 13015

SISSONVILLE WV 25360-0015

SHIP TO

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
DEPARTMENT OF
OFFICE OF AML&R
601 57TH STREET SE
CHARLESTON, WV
25304 **304-926-0499**

DATE PRINTED	TERMS OF SALE	SHIP VIA	F.O.B	FREIGHT TERMS
04/11/2007				

BID OPENING DATE: **05/10/2007** BID OPENING TIME **01:30PM**

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<p>PRICE THAN THE FOREIGN MADE PRODUCTS.</p> <p>IF, PRIOR TO THE AWARD OF A CONTRACT UNDER THE ABOVE PROVISIONS, THE SPENDING OFFICER OF THE SPENDING UNIT DETERMINES THAT THERE EXISTS A BID FOR LIKE FOREIGN ALUMINUM, GLASS OR STEEL THAT IS REASONABLE AND LOWER THAN THE LOWEST BID FOR DOMESTIC PRODUCTS, THE SPENDING OFFICE MAY REQUEST, IN WRITING, A REEVALUATION AND REDUCTION IN THE LOWEST BID FOR SUCH DOMESTIC PRODUCTS. ALL VENDORS MUST INDICATE IN THEIR BID IF THEY ARE SUPPLYING FOREIGN ALUMINUM, GLASS OR STEEL.</p> <p>REV. 3/88</p> <p>EXHIBIT 9</p> <p>NOTICE FOR ISSUANCE & ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF CONSTRUCTION PROJECT ADDENDA</p> <p>THE ARCHITECT/ENGINEER AND/OR AGENCY SHALL BE REQUIRED TO ABIDE BY THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE IN ISSUING CONSTRUCTION PROJECT ADDENDA FOR STATE AGENCIES:</p> <p>(1) THE ARCHITECT/ENGINEER SHALL PREPARE THE ADDENDUM AND A LIST OF ALL PARTIES THAT HAVE PROCURED DRAWINGS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE PROJECT. THE ADDENDUM AND LIST SHALL BE FORWARDED TO THE BUYER IN THE STATE PURCHASING DIVISION. THE ARCHITECT/ENGINEER SHALL ALSO SEND A COPY OF THE ADDENDUM TO THE STATE AGENCY FOR WHICH THE CONTRACT IS ISSUED.</p> <p>(2) THE BUYER SHALL SEND THE ADDENDUM TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND, IF NECESSARY, EXTEND THE BID OPENING DATE. ANY ADDENDUM SHOULD BE RECEIVED BY THE BUYER WITHIN FOURTEEN (14) DAYS PRIOR TO THE BID</p>						

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<p>I UNDERSTAND THAT FAILURE TO CONFIRM THE RECEIPT OF THE ADDENDUM(S) MAY BE CAUSE FOR REJECTION OF BIDS.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"> <i>Kelley Carpenter</i> SIGNATURE <i>Carpenter Reclamation</i> COMPANY 5/17/07 DATE </p> <p>REV. 11/96</p> <p style="text-align: center;">NOTICE</p> <p>A SIGNED BID MUST BE SUBMITTED TO:</p> <p style="text-align: center;"> DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION PURCHASING DIVISION BUILDING 15 2019 WASHINGTON STREET, EAST CHARLESTON, WV 25305-0130 </p> <p>THE BID SHOULD CONTAIN THIS INFORMATION ON THE FACE OF THE ENVELOPE OR THE BID MAY NOT BE CONSIDERED:</p> <p>SEALED BID</p> <p>BUYER: CB-23</p>						

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				BID OPENING TIME:		1;30 PM
PLEASE PROVIDE A FAX NUMBER IN CASE IT IS NECESSARY TO CONTACT YOU REGARDING YOUR BID: <i>304-984-2770</i>						
CONTACT PERSON (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY): <i>RANDY CARPENTER 543-1726</i>						
***** THIS IS THE END OF RFQ DEP13910 ***** TOTAL: _____						

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AML CONTRACTOR INFORMATION FORM

You must complete this form for your AML contracting officer to request an AML eligibility evaluation from the Office of Surface Mining to determine if you are eligible to receive an AML contract. This eligibility requirement applies to contractors and their sub-contractors and is found under OSM's regulations at 30 CFR 874.16.

Part A: General Information

Contractor Name: Carpenter Reclamation Payer ID No.: 550693493
Address: P.O. 1301st
City: Sissonville State: WV Zip Code: 25360 Phone: 984-1115
Fax No.: 984-2770 E-mail address: RCARPEN103@AOL.COM

Part B: Legal Structure

Corporation Sole Proprietorship Partnership LLC
 Other (please specify) _____

Part C: Certifying and updating information in the Applicant/Violator System (AVS).

Select only one of the following options, follow the instructions for that option, and sign below.

I, Kelley Carpenter, have the express authority to certify that:
(print name)

Information on the **attached** Entity OFT from AVS is accurate, complete, and up-to-date. If you select this option, you **must** attach an Entity OFT from AVS to this form. Sign and date below and do not complete Part D.

_____ Part of the information on the **attached** Entity OFT from AVS is missing or incorrect and the information in AVS for my company must be updated. If you select this option, you **must** attach an Entity OFT from AVS to this form. Use Part D to provide missing or corrected information. Sign and date below and complete Part D.

_____ Our company currently has no information in AVS. If you select this option, you must provide all information required in Part D. Sign and date below and complete Part D.

5/17/07 Kelley Carpenter President
Date Signature Title

IMPORTANT!
In order to certify in Part C to the accuracy of existing information in AVS, you must obtain a copy of your business' Entity OFT. To obtain an Entity OFT, contact the AVS Office, toll-free, at 800-643-9748 or request it from www.avs.osmre.gov on the Internet.

Part D.

Contractor Name: Carpenter Reclamation

If the current entity and Entity OFT information for your business is incomplete or incorrect in AVS, or if there is no information in AVS for your business, you must provide all of the following information as it applies to your business affiliations. Please make as many copies of this page as you require.

- Every officer (President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, etc.);
- All Directors;
- All persons performing a function similar to a Director;
- Every person or business that owns 10% or more of the voting stock in your business;
- Every partner, if your business is a partnership;
- Every member and manager, if your business is a limited liability company; and
- Any other person(s) who has the ability to determine the manner in which the AML reclamation project is being conducted.

N/A

Name	_____	Position/Title	_____
Address	_____	Telephone #	_____
	_____	% of Ownership	_____
Begin Date:	_____	Ending Date:	_____

Name	_____	Position/Title	_____
Address	_____	Telephone #	_____
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PAPERWORK REDUCTION STATEMENT

The Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501) requires us to inform you that: Federal Agencies may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. This information is necessary for all successful bidders prior to the distribution of AML funds, and is required to obtain a benefit.

Public reporting burden for this form is estimated to average 45 minutes per response, including time for reviewing instructions, gathering and maintaining data, and completing and reviewing the form. Direct comments regarding the burden estimate or any other aspect of this form to the Information Collection Clearance Officer, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Room 210 SIB, Constitution Ave., NW, Washington, D.C. 20240.

BID BOND

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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, the undersigned, _____
of _____, as Principal, and _____
of _____, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of _____
with its principal office in the City of _____, as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto the State
of West Virginia, as Obligee, in the penal sum of _____ (\$ _____) for the payment of which,
well and truly to be made, we jointly and severally bind ourselves, our heirs, administrators, executors, successors and assigns.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the Principal has submitted to the Purchasing Section of the
Department of Administration a certain bid or proposal, attached hereto and made a part hereof, to enter into a contract in writing for

NOW THEREFORE,

- (a) If said bid shall be rejected, or
- (b) If said bid shall be accepted and the Principal shall enter into a contract in accordance with the bid or proposal attached
hereto and shall furnish any other bonds and insurance required by the bid or proposal, and shall in all other respects perform the
agreement created by the acceptance of said bid, then this obligation shall be null and void, otherwise this obligation shall remain in full
force and effect. It is expressly understood and agreed that the liability of the Surety for any and all claims hereunder shall, in no event,
exceed the penal amount of this obligation as herein stated.

The Surety, for the value received, hereby stipulates and agrees that the obligations of said Surety and its bond shall be in no
way impaired or affected by any extension of the time within which the Obligee may accept such bid, and said Surety does hereby
give notice of any such extension.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Principal and Surety have hereunto set their hands and seals, and such of them as are corporations
have caused their corporate seals to be affixed herunto and these presents to be signed by their proper officers, this
_____ day of _____, 20____.

Principal Corporate Seal

See Attached

Surety Corporate Seal

(Name of Principal)
By _____
(Must be President or
Vice President)

(Title)

(Name of Surety)

Attorney-in-Fact

IMPORTANT - Surety executing bonds must be licensed in West Virginia to transact surety insurance. Corporate seals must be affixed,
and signature of attorney must be attached.

BID BOND PREPARATION INSTRUCTIONS

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AGENCY (A)
RFQ/RFP# (B)

Bid Bond

- (A) WV State Agency
(Stated on Page 1 "Spending Unit")
Request for Quotation Number (upper
right corner of page #1)
- (C) Your Company Name
- (D) City, Location of your Company
- (E) State, Location of your Company
- (F) Surety Corporate Name
- (G) City, Location of Surety
- (H) State, Location of Surety
- (I) State of Surety Incorporation
- (J) City of Surety Incorporation
- (K) Minimum amount of acceptable bid
bond is 5% of total bid. You may state
"5% of bid" or a specific amount on
this line in words.
- (L) Amount of bond in figures
- (M) Brief Description of scope of work
- (N) Day of the month
- (O) Month
- (P) Year
- (Q) Name of Corporation
- (R) Raised Corporate Seal of Principal
- (S) Signature of President or Vice
President
- (T) Title of person signing
- (U) Raised Corporate Seal of Surety
- (V) Corporate Name of Surety

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, the undersigned,
(C) of (D), (E)

as Principal, and (F) of (G),
(H), a corporation organized and existing under the laws
of the State of (I) with its principal office in the City of
(J), as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto The State
of West Virginia, as Obligee, in the penal sum of (K)
(\$ (L)) for the payment of which, well and truly to be made,
we jointly and severally bind ourselves, our heirs, administrators, executors,
successors and assigns.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the Principal
has submitted to the Purchasing Section of the Department of Administration
a certain bid or proposal, attached hereto and made a part hereof to enter into a
contract in writing for (M)

NOW THEREFORE.

(a) If said bid shall be rejected, or
(b) If said bid shall be accepted and the Principal shall enter into a
contract in accordance with the bid or proposal attached hereto and shall furnish
any other bonds and insurance required by the bid or proposal, and shall in all
other respects perform the agreement created by the acceptance of said bid then
this obligation shall be null and void, otherwise this obligation shall remain in full
force and effect. It is expressly understood and agreed that the liability of the
Surety for any and all claims hereunder shall, in no event, exceed the penal
amount of this obligation as herein stated

The Surety for value received, hereby stipulates and agrees that the
obligations of said Surety and its bond shall be in no way impaired or affected by
any extension of time within which the Obligee may accept such bid: and said
Surety does hereby waive notice of any such extension.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Principal and Surety have hereunto set their
hands and seals, and such of them as are corporations have caused their corporate
seals to be affixed hereto and these presents to be signed by their proper officers,
this (N) day of (O), 20 (P).

Principal Corporate Seal

(R)

(Q)
(Name of Principal)
By (S)
(Must be President or
Vice President)

(T)
Title

Surety Corporate Seal

(U)

(V)
(Name of Surety)

(X)
Attorney-in-Fact

IMPORTANT - Surety executing bonds must be licensed in West Virginia to
transact surety insurance. Corporate seals must be affixed, a power of attorney
must be attached.

A F F I D A V I T**West Virginia Code §5A-3-10a states:**

No contract or renewal of any contract may be awarded by the state or any of its political subdivisions to any vendor or prospective vendor when the vendor or prospective vendor or a related party to the vendor or prospective vendor is a debtor and the debt owned is an amount greater than one thousand dollars in the aggregate

DEFINITIONS:

"Debt" means any assessment, premium, penalty, fine, tax or other amount of money owed to the state or any of its political subdivisions because of a judgment, fine, permit violation, license assessment, defaulted workers' compensation premium, penalty or other assessment presently delinquent or due and required to be paid to the state or any of its political subdivisions, including any interest or additional penalties accrued thereon.

"Debtor" means any individual, corporation, partnership, association, limited liability company or any other form or business association owing a debt to the state or any of its political subdivisions. "Political subdivision" means any county commission; municipality; county board of education; any instrumentality established by a county or municipality; any separate corporation or instrumentality established by one or more counties or municipalities, as permitted by law; or any public body charged by law with the performance of a government function or whose jurisdiction is coextensive with one or more counties or municipalities. "Related party" means a party, whether an individual, corporation, partnership, association, limited liability company or any other form or business association or other entity whatsoever, related to any vendor by blood, marriage, ownership or contract through which the party has a relationship of ownership or other interest with the vendor so that the party will actually or by effect receive or control a portion of the benefit, profit or other consideration from performance of a vendor contract with the party receiving an amount that meets or exceed five percent of the total contract amount.

EXCEPTION:

The prohibition of this section does not apply where a vendor has contested any tax administered pursuant to chapter eleven of this code, workers' compensation premium, permit fee or environmental fee or assessment and the matter has not become final or where the vendor has entered into a payment plan or agreement and the vendor is not in default of any of the provisions of such plan or agreement.

LICENSING:

Vendors must be licensed and in good standing in accordance with any and all state and local laws and requirements by any state or local agency of West Virginia, including, but not limited to, the West Virginia Secretary of State's Office, the West Virginia Tax Department, West Virginia Insurance Commission, or any other state agencies or political subdivision. Furthermore, the vendor must provide all necessary releases to obtain information to enable the Director or spending unit to verify that the vendor is licensed and in good standing with the above entities.

CONFIDENTIALITY:

The vendor agrees that he or she will not disclose to anyone, directly or indirectly, any such personally identifiable information or other confidential information gained from the agency, unless the individual who is the subject of the information consents to the disclosure in writing or the disclosure is made pursuant to the agency's policies, procedures and rules. Vendors should visit www.state.wv.us/admin/purchase/privacy for the Notice of Agency Confidentiality Policies.

Under penalty of law for false swearing (West Virginia Code, §61-5-3), it is hereby certified that the vendor acknowledges the information in this said affidavit and are in compliance with the requirements as stated.

Vendor's Name: Carpenter Reclamation
 Authorized Signature: Kelley Carpenter Date: 5/17/07

Date: 19-Jan-2006

Applicant Violator System
Organizational Family Tree (OFT)

Time : 08:20:59

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(140618) CARPENTER RECLAMATION INC

Total Number: 4

Entity ID	Name	Desc Code	Begin Date	End Date	Pct. Own.	Hold Code
140616	CARPENTER, KELLEY	PRS	1-Oct-1989			
140616	CARPENTER, KELLEY	SH	1-Oct-1989		50%	
140617	CARPENTER, MARY	VP	1-Oct-1989			
140617	CARPENTER, MARY	SH	1-Oct-1989		50%	

Current Information
K. Carpenter - President
5/17/07

BID BOND

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, the undersigned, Carpenter Reclamation, Inc
of PO Box 13015 Sissonville, WV 25360, as Principal, and Western Surety Company
of U.S. Steel Tower, 600 Grant Street, Suite 500, Pittsburgh, PA a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of South Dakota with its principal office in the City of Sioux Falls, as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto the State of West Virginia, as Obligee, in the penal sum of Five Percent (\$ 5%) for the payment of which, well and truly to be made, we jointly and severally bind ourselves, our heirs, administrators, executors, successors and assigns.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the Principal has submitted to the Purchasing Section of the Department of Administration a certain bid or proposal, attached hereto and made a part hereof, to enter into a contract in writing for DEP 13910, Overfield Refuse & Mining Equipment Drainage project, according to plans and specifications.

NOW THEREFORE,

- (a) If said bid shall be rejected, or
- (b) If said bid shall be accepted and the Principal shall enter into a contract in accordance with the bid or proposal attached hereto and shall furnish any other bonds and insurance required by the bid or proposal, and shall in all other respects perform the agreement created by the acceptance of said bid, then this obligation shall be null and void, otherwise this obligation shall remain in full force and effect. It is expressly understood and agreed that the liability of the Surety for any and all claims hereunder shall, in no event, exceed the penal amount of this obligation as herein stated.

The Surety, for the value received, hereby stipulates and agrees that the obligations of said Surety and its bond shall be in no way impaired or affected by any extension of the time within which the Obligee may accept such bid, and said Surety does hereby waive notice of any such extension.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Principal and Surety have hereunto set their hands and seals, and such of them as are corporations have caused their corporate seals to be affixed hereunto and these presents to be signed by their proper officers, this 18th day of April, 2007.

Principal Corporate Seal

Carpenter Reclamation
(Name of Principal)
By Kelley Carpenter
Kelley Carpenter (Must be President or Vice President)
President
(Title)

Surety Corporate Seal

Western Surety Company
(Name of Surety)
Ross E Johnson
Ross E Johnson Attorney-in-Fact

IMPORTANT – Surety executing bonds must be licensed in West Virginia to transact surety insurance. Corporate seals must be affixed, and a power of attorney must be attached.

Western Surety Company

POWER OF ATTORNEY APPOINTING INDIVIDUAL ATTORNEY-IN-FACT

Know All Men By These Presents, That WESTERN SURETY COMPANY, a South Dakota corporation, is a duly organized and existing corporation having its principal office in the City of Sioux Falls, and State of South Dakota, and that it does by virtue of the signature and seal herein affixed hereby make, constitute and appoint

Ross E. Johnson, Patricia C Baire, Beverly A Holstine, Kathryn K Arthur, Individually

of Charleston, WV, its true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact with full power and authority hereby conferred to sign, seal and execute for and on its behalf bonds, undertakings and other obligatory instruments of similar nature

- In Unlimited Amounts -

and to bind it thereby as fully and to the same extent as if such instruments were signed by a duly authorized officer of the corporation and all the acts of said Attorney, pursuant to the authority hereby given, are hereby ratified and confirmed.

This Power of Attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the By-Law printed on the reverse hereof, duly adopted, as indicated, by the shareholders of the corporation.

In Witness Whereof, WESTERN SURETY COMPANY has caused these presents to be signed by its Senior Vice President and its corporate seal to be hereto affixed on this 23rd day of October, 2006.



WESTERN SURETY COMPANY

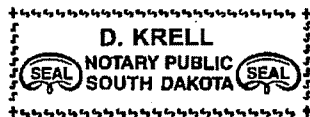
Paul T. Bruflat, Senior Vice President

State of South Dakota }
County of Minnehaha } ss

On this 23rd day of October, 2006, before me personally came Paul T. Bruflat, to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say: that he resides in the City of Sioux Falls, State of South Dakota; that he is the Senior Vice President of WESTERN SURETY COMPANY described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knows the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to the said instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed pursuant to authority given by the Board of Directors of said corporation and that he signed his name thereto pursuant to like authority, and acknowledges same to be the act and deed of said corporation.

My commission expires

November 30, 2012



D. Krell, Notary Public

CERTIFICATE

I, L. Nelson, Assistant Secretary of WESTERN SURETY COMPANY do hereby certify that the Power of Attorney hereinabove set forth is still in force, and further certify that the By-Law of the corporation printed on the reverse hereof is still in force. In testimony whereof I have hereto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of the said corporation this 18th day of April, 2007.



WESTERN SURETY COMPANY

L. Nelson, Assistant Secretary

Authorizing By-Law

ADOPTED BY THE SHAREHOLDERS OF WESTERN SURETY COMPANY

This Power of Attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the following By-Law duly adopted by the shareholders of the Company.

Section 7. All bonds, policies, undertakings, Powers of Attorney, or other obligations of the corporation shall be executed in the corporate name of the Company by the President, Secretary, and Assistant Secretary, Treasurer, or any Vice President, or by such other officers as the Board of Directors may authorize. The President, any Vice President, Secretary, any Assistant Secretary, or the Treasurer may appoint Attorneys in Fact or agents who shall have authority to issue bonds, policies, or undertakings in the name of the Company. The corporate seal is not necessary for the validity of any bonds, policies, undertakings, Powers of Attorney or other obligations of the corporation. The signature of any such officer and the corporate seal may be printed by facsimile.