

INVITATION TO BID

NOTICE AND INSTRUCTIONS TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS

SOCORRO ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.

Tri-State Bernardo Burris Rebuild

BIDS: June 12th, 2024 2:30 P.M.

Socorro Electric Cooperative, Inc. (SEC) with headquarters in Socorro, New Mexico will be accepting bids for the rebuild of approximately 24 miles of 24.9kV distribution line. A lashed fiber cable will be installed on the line. An existing 24.9kV distribution line is in the alignment and will be will also be retired upon completion of the new line. The bid shall include the supply of necessary labor and equipment for this electrical project known as the Tri-State Bernardo Burris Rebuild. Materials will be Owner-furnished, with the exception of items needed in the construction process. The project is located between Socorro, Bernardo and Bernardo west down highway 60.

SEC will receive bids at the office of its Engineer, Transmission & Distribution Services, LLC (T&D) located at 9550 San Mateo Blvd, NE, Suite G, Albuquerque, NM 87113 on or before 2:30 P.M. on June 12th, 2024, and then at said office, publicly opened and read aloud. Work is expected to commence by the end of July 2024.

The Construction Contract and Specifications package will be available from T&D, electronically. Phone requests for the bid package will be fulfilled by calling (505) 344-4234. Bid documents should be printed out, completed, and submitted by the bidder to T&D. All bids must be on a unit price basis.

All bidders must have a Bidder's Qualification form filed with T&D, without exception. The form, available from T&D, must be submitted to T&D's office by June 10th, 2024. Bids will not be considered unless the Bidder's Qualification form is on file, as provided herein.

Each bidder must deposit with their bid security in the amount, form, and in compliance with the conditions provided in the Notice and Instructions to Bidders. Attention is called to the requirements for a Power of Attorney of any surety bond and the fact that any surety must appear on the most current list of sureties listed by the United States Treasury Department as Acceptable Sureties.

A pre-bid meeting is scheduled for May 29th, 2024 virtually on zoom at 9:30 AM local time. To attend, please RSVP to Garrett Chavez and Adam Roybal with T&D at (gchavez@t-d-services.com, 915-478-7974 aroybal@t-d-services.com , 575-420-0769).

The Project's construction commencement date shall be based on Material arrival with a goal of July 31st, 2024. Construction shall be completed within 12 months after the commencement date. Liquidated damages of \$1000.00 per day may be assessed as provided for in the required Contractor's proposal form, Rural Utility Service (RUS) Form 830, Proposal, Article V - Remedies, Section 2. Liquidated Damages.

SEC reserves the right to waive any informality or reject any and all bids.

Any questions concerning the Project should be addressed to Adam G. Roybal, at T&D (575) 420-0769, aroybal@t-d-services.com.

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