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City of Aurora Bid 24-110 NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Time and Place of Opening of Bids

Sealed proposals for the improvement described below will be received at the office of the City Clerk, 44 E Downer Place, First Floor, Aurora, IL 60505 until 11:00 AM, Wednesday, October 30, 2024. Quotes will not be opened publicly.

Description of Work

Name: 2025 Water & Sewer Division - Materials and Sup-

Proposed Improvement: The City of Aurora is requesting quotations for the anticipated purchase of certain materials and supplies to be used by the Water & Sewer Maintenance Division during 2025.

Bidder Instructions

1. Plans, specifications, and proposal forms will be available on Monday, October 14, 2024 and may be obtained online at: https://www.aurora-il.org/bids.aspx.

2. The City of Aurora reserves the right to reject any or all of the bids and to waive any and all irregularities and technicalities whenever such rejection is in the best interest of the City of Aurora.

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3. All bid items will be evaluated separately and the supplier for each bid item will be chosen based on cost and availability of the item at the time of need.

4. Any bidder who owes the City money may be disqualified at the City's discretion.

5. The City encourages minority business firms to submit proposals and encourages the successful contract bidder to utilize minority businesses as subcontractors for supplies, equipment,

tractors for supplies, equipment, services, and construction.

6. The City of Aurora has a local preference ordinance that would apply to this contract.

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