

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
2010 Phase I – Farmstead Ring Dikes
**Project A (Anderson), Project B (Stevenson),
Project C (Roesch)**
Wild Rice Watershed District
Ada, Minnesota
February 2010

The Board of Managers of the Wild Rice Watershed District will receive sealed bids on the 26th day of February, 2010, at the office of the Wild Rice Watershed District, 11 East 5th Avenue, Ada, MN, at which time they will be publicly opened and read, for the supplying of all labor and materials necessary for the construction of each of the 2010 Phase I – Farmstead Ring Dikes. The schedule for receiving and opening of each individual project will be completed between 9:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. as listed in the following schedule.

The bid opening schedule will be as follows:

1. Project A (Anderson) – Bid Opening 9:00 a.m.
2. Project B (Stevenson) – Bid Opening 9:30 a.m.
3. Project C (Roesch) – Bid Opening 10:00 a.m.

The Contract Documents may be examined at the following locations:

Wild Rice Watershed District, 11 East 5th Avenue, Ada, MN
Houston Engineering, Inc., 1401 21st Avenue North, Fargo, ND

Copies of the Contract Documents may be obtained at the office of Houston Engineering, Inc., 1401 21st Avenue North, Fargo, ND 58102, upon payment of \$25.00 for each project, nonrefundable.

Each project will be treated and contracted for separately. As a result, prospective contractors may submit quotes on any or all of the farmstead ring dikes. Contract award will be based on the lowest and/or best qualified responsible Bidder, ability to complete the work within the specified time frame, or at the discretion of the Board. Contract award will be made individually for each project (A, B, and C).

The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all Proposals or to waive any informality or technicality in any Proposal in the interest of the Owner. The Owner reserves the right to hold all bids for a period of thirty (30) days after the date of opening thereof.

Times have been set on February 16, 2010 (10:00 a.m. – Anderson, 10:45 a.m. – Roesch, 11:30 a.m. – Stevenson) for contractors to visit the sites and clarify questions prior to the bid opening. A representative for the Wild Rice Watershed District will be available to answer questions. It is strongly recommended that any Contractor planning to submit a bid on any of the projects visit the sites to clarify the scope and required work.

The Project is made possible in part by a grant provided by the Minnesota Department of Natural

Resources, through an appropriation by the Minnesota State Legislature. Funding is also being provided by the Red River Watershed Management Board, Natural Resources Conservation Service, Wild Rice Watershed District, and individual landowners.

All work on the projects must be completed by July 31, 2010.

1/29/10
Date

/s/ Mike Christensen
Wild Rice Watershed District, Chairman
Ada, Minnesota