



REQUEST FOR BID PROPOSAL

Owensboro Municipal Utilities will receive sealed bids until 2:00 P.M. (CDT) (prevailing time) on October 5, 2017, at which time bids will be opened and acknowledged. This is NOT a public bid opening:

BID #17-10-066 OMU-ESS UNIT #2 CONDENSER-EXHAUSTER

Owensboro Municipal Utilities (OMU) requests proposals for the purchase replacement of one of the Elmer Smith Station (ESS) Unit 2 Condenser-Exhauster (vacuum pump) units with new equipment that will fully remove the entrained gases from the condenser. This new unit will allow OMU to improve startup reliability and eliminate heat rate losses due to inhibited heat transfer in the main turbine condenser. The Elmer Smith Generation Station is located at 4301 State Route 144, Owensboro, KY 42303.

The new condenser-exhauster unit will be delivered prior to February 28th 2018. Installation supervision will be provided by the exhauster manufacturer, with OMU providing the mechanical and electrical assembly. A representative from the exhauster manufacturer will be on-site to commission the new exhauster system.

PRE-BID

There will be an optional pre-bid meeting on September 20, 2017 @ 1:30 p.m. at the Training and Development Center, located at 1531 East 4th Street, Owensboro, KY 42303. The Bidder is offered to discuss the scope of work required to complete the job, review the plant site for access, working conditions, etc., and to answer any questions related to the work per these specifications. No additional money shall be awarded due to the Bidder's failure to review the work site. It is highly recommended any company wishing to submit a bid, attend the Pre-Bid meeting.

Prospective bidders may obtain copies of the bid documents and specifications by sending an e-mail with your Company Name and a brief description of your business. Contact Louise Keach, Purchasing and Inventory Manager, via e-mail: keachel@omu.org.

OMU reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive irregularities. No e-mail, fax, or late bids will be accepted.