

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**  
**CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF UNION**  
**DWSRF PROJECT DW-7705A**  
**2024 WATER SYSTEM UPGRADES**  
**DIVISION B: WATER MAIN TRANSMISSION & EXTENSIONS**

**General Notice**

The Charter Township of Union (Owner) is requesting Bids for the construction of the following Project:

**2024 Water System Improvements – Division B : Water Main Transmission & Extensions**

Bids for the construction of the Project will be received at the Charter Township of Union office located at **5228 South Isabella Road, Mt Pleasant, MI 48858**, until **Wednesday July 31, 2024 at 10 a.m.** local time. At that time the Bids received will be **publicly** opened and read.

The Project includes the following Work:

1. Isabella WTP to Mission WTP Transmission Main

Installation of approximately 4,800 ft of 16" water main and 1,500 ft of 12" water main to be installed along US BR-127 Hwy as a transmission line to connect the Isabella Water Treatment Plant and the Mission Treatment Plant. All crossings will be installed via directional drill and longitudinal will be open cut. An alternative for directional drilling is provided. An alternative for directional drilling is provided.

2. Deerfield Rd & Mission Rd Transmission Main

Installation of approximately 3,300 ft of 12" water main to be installed along Deerfield Road and Mission Road as a transmission line to connect water well supplies located at Township owned properties. All crossings will be installed via directional drill and longitudinal will be open cut.

3. E Pickard Rd Water Main Extension

Installation of approximately 1,000 ft of 8" and 1,400 ft of 12" water main to be installed along Summerton Rd and E Pickard Rd within the public owned Right-of-Way. All crossings will be installed via directional drill and longitudinal will be open cut.

Bids are requested for the following Contract: **2024 Water System Improvements – Division B : Water Main Extensions**

**Obtaining the Bidding Documents**

Information and Bidding Documents for the Project can be found at the following designated website:

[www.gfa.tc](http://www.gfa.tc) – Project Center

Bidding Documents may be downloaded from the designated website. Prospective Bidders are urged to register with the designated website as a plan holder, even if Bidding Documents are obtained from a plan room or source other than the designated website in either electronic or paper format. The designated website will be updated periodically with addenda, lists of registered plan holders, reports, and other information relevant to submitting a Bid for the Project. All official notifications, addenda, and other Bidding Documents will be offered only through the designated website. Neither Owner nor

Engineer will be responsible for Bidding Documents, including addenda, if any, obtained from sources other than the designated website.

The Issuing Office for the Bidding Documents is:

**Gourdie Fraser, Inc.,  
123 W. Front St., Traverse City, MI 49684;  
phone 231-946-5874 or [andreab@gfa.tc](mailto:andreab@gfa.tc)**

Prospective Bidders may obtain or examine the Bidding Documents at the Issuing Office on Monday through Friday between the hours of **8 am to 5 pm**, and may obtain copies of the Bidding Documents from the Issuing Office as described below. Partial sets of Bidding Documents will not be available from the Issuing Office. Neither Owner nor Engineer will be responsible for full or partial sets of Bidding Documents, including addenda, if any, obtained from sources other than the Issuing Office.

Printed copies of the Bidding Documents may be obtained from the Issuing Office by paying a deposit of **\$100** for each set. Bidders who return full sets of the Bidding Documents in good condition within 10 days after receipt of Bids will receive a full refund. Non-Bidders, and Bidders who obtain more than one set of the Bidding Documents, will receive a refund of **\$35** for documents returned in good condition within the time limit indicated above. Make deposit checks for Bidding Documents payable to **“Gourdie Fraser, Inc.”**.

Bidding Documents may be purchased from the Issuing Office during the hours indicated above. Cost does not include shipping charges. Upon Issuing Office’s receipt of payment, printed Bidding Documents or electronic documents on compact disk will be sent via the prospective Bidder’s delivery service. The shipping charge amount will depend on the shipping method chosen. Bidding Documents are available for purchase in the following formats:

<b>Format</b>	<b>Cost</b>
Bidding Documents (including Full-Size Drawings)	\$100
USB Drive containing Bidding Documents in portable document format (PDF)	\$25
Electronic download of Bidding Documents from <a href="http://www.gfa.tc">www.gfa.tc</a>	\$25

#### **Instructions to Bidders.**

For all further requirements regarding bid submittal, qualifications, procedures, and contract award, refer to the Instructions to Bidders that are included in the Bidding Documents.

#### **Funding Source Requirements**

This project is funded through the Michigan Clean Water State Revolving Fund Grant (DW-7705A), all state and/or federal funding requirements shall apply.

Davis–Bacon Act, as amended (40 U.S.C. 3141–3148) and Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 U.S.C. 3701–3708) will be required. In accordance with the statute, contractors must be required to pay wages to laborers and mechanics at a rate not less than the prevailing wages specified in a wage determination made by the U.S. Secretary of Labor.

#### **This Advertisement is issued by:**

Owner: **Charter Township of Union**

By: **Jennifer Graham, P.E.**

Title: **Director of Engineering**

Date: **July 1, 2024**