HR Green, Inc. Project No. 191375.03 SRF Sponsored Project Old Mans Creek Vegetation Establishment Williamsburg, Iowa

## NOTICE TO BIDDERS SRF SPONSORED PROJECT OLD MANS CREEK VEGETATION ESTABLISHMENT WILLIAMSBURG, IOWA

<u>Time and Place for Filing Sealed Proposals.</u> Sealed bids for the work comprising the improvement as stated below must be filed before 12:00:00 PM on November 7, 2024 in the office of the City Clerk, City Hall, 210 W. State Street, PO Box 596, Williamsburg, IA 52361.

<u>Time and Place Sealed Proposals Will be Opened and Considered.</u> Sealed proposals will be opened and bids tabulated at 12:00:00 PM on November 7, 2024 in the office of City Clerk, City Hall, 210 W. State Street, PO Box 596, Williamsburg, IA 52361 for consideration by the City Council of City of Williamsburg at its meeting on November 12, 2024 at 6:30:00 PM. The City of Williamsburg reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

The City of Williamsburg, in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 78 Stat. 252, 42U.S.C. 2000d to 2000d-4 and Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Part 21, Nondiscrimination in Federally-assisted programs of the Department of Transportation issued pursuant to such Act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively ensure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award.

<u>Time for Commencement and Completion of Work.</u> Work on the improvement shall commence within 10 days of the date specified on the Notice to Proceed. Notice to Proceed shall be no later than March 3, 2025, work shall be substantially complete on or before April 14, 2028, and shall be fully completed on or before April 28, 2028. Damages in the amount of Five Hundred & 00/100 Dollars (\$500.00) per day will be assessed for each day the work remains incomplete.

<u>Bid Security.</u> Each bidder shall accompany its bid with bid security, as defined in Section 26.8 of the lowa Code in an amount equal to Ten (10%) of the total amount of the bid.

<u>Contract Documents.</u> Copies of the Plans and Specifications for this project may be obtained from HR Green, Inc., 8710 Earhart Lane SW, Iowa 52404, Ph: 319-841-4150 or e-mail request to <u>kellijo.ernst@hrgreen.com</u>. Plans and Specifications are available at no cost.

Pre-Bid Conference. None.

Interpretation of the Contract Documents. If any prospective bidder is in doubt as to the true meaning of any parts of the contract documents, the bidder may request an interpretation from the Engineer, 5525 Merle Hay Road, Suite 200 Johnston, IA 50131, Ph: 515-657-5280 or email to <a href="mailto:dbraun@hrgreen.com">dbraun@hrgreen.com</a> per SUDAS Section 1020, 1.05.

<u>Public Hearing on Proposed Contract Documents and Estimated Costs for Improvement.</u> A public hearing will be held by the City Council of the City of Williamsburg on the proposed contract documents (plans, specifications and form of contract) and estimated cost for the improvement at its meeting at 6:30:00 PM on November 12, 2024 in the City Hall, 210 W. State Street, Williamsburg, IA 52361.

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<u>Preference of Products and Labor.</u> Preference shall be given to domestic construction materials by the contractor, subcontractors, material, men, and suppliers in performance of the contract and, further, by virtue of statutory authority, preference will be given to products and provisions grown and coal produced within the State of Iowa, and to Iowa domestic labor, to the extent lawfully required under Iowa statues.

<u>Sales Tax Exemption Certificates.</u> The bidder shall not include sales tax in the bid. The City of Williamsburg will distribute tax exemption certificates and authorization letters to the Contractor and all subcontractors who are identified. The Contractor and subcontractor may make copies of the tax exemption certificates and provide a copy to each supplier providing construction materials. These tax exemption certificates and authorization letters are applicable only for this specific project under the Contract.

General Nature of Public Improvement. The vegetation establishment of 8 locations along the south bank of Old Man's Creek totaling a length of approximately 2,900 feet. Installation includes turf reinforced mats, rolled erosion control product, and seeding. Monitoring and maintenance activities are included and to follow the vegetation establishment.

This Notice is given by authority of the City of Williamsburg

Niki Osweiler, City Clerk City of Williamsburg

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