



ZCWD SBAC SSTP SUPPLEMENTAL BID BULLETIN NO. 2024-02

Subject: PR No. 23-0204 – Proposed Design, Build, Testing & Commissioning of 4,000 Cu. M. per Day Sewage & Septage Treatment Plant

This ZCWD SBAC SSTP SUPPLEMENTAL BID BULLETIN is issued to clarify, modify, or amend items in the issued Bidding Documents for the above-subject procurement in view of the **Pre-Bid Conference** last September 19, 2024, at the Board Room, 2nd Floor, ZCWD Bldg., Pilar Street, Zamboanga City and via Zoom Video Conferencing.

This Supplemental is issued in line with Government Procurement Policy Board (GPPB) Circular 02-2018 (March 9, 2018) to **“minimize the occasions of bidders’ disqualification due to non-compliance with bidding requirements”** particularly 4.2.2, which states, **“The BAC shall likewise discuss the common reasons of bidders’ disqualifications based on its experiences in previous procurement projects. Accordingly, the BAC shall present and explain the ways to prevent similar occasions of disqualification.”**

Revision in the Performance Specifications & Parameters as approved by the Head of Procuring Entity (HoPE) through Board Resolution No. 124 Series of 2024, which effectively revises the Performance Specifications & Parameters, Terms of Reference, and all other documents and provisions inconsistent thereto:

1.	The SSTP shall be capable of treating 15 cu.m./day of septage. The Septage Treatment System of this SSTP project shall be tested to 15 cu.m./day only; however, the proposed facility shall be able to expand capacity to 30 cu.m./day.
2.	DAO 2021-19, as the latest Water Quality Guidelines and General Effluent standards, shall be adopted and followed in this project.
3	The required number of sludge dewatering units shall be two (2) units for full operation, and the other unit is for standby/redundancy.
4	The dewatered sludge shall be discharged via enclosed discharge chutes into enclosed inclined screw conveyors and shall be accurately discharged in a collector system that will convey directly to the hauling truck and shall be disposed of at ZCWD lot located at Lupong Road, Brgy. Cabatangan. Hence, no storage facility is required.

5	Only one (1) Hopper is required for this project
6	During testing, the Contractor shall first accumulate the wastewater to create a shock load of 4,000 cu.m./day to test the Plant to its maximum capacity.

These clarifications shall form an integral part of the Bidding Documents. All items, conditions, and instructions to bidders specified in the Bidding Documents inconsistent with this Supplemental Bid Bulletin are hereby superseded and modified accordingly.

Important Notes:

It is the responsibility of the bidder to take steps to carefully examine all of the Bidding Documents. The Procuring Entity shall not assume any responsibility regarding erroneous interpretations or conclusions by the prospective or eligible bidder out of the data furnished by the Procuring Entity.

A prospective eligible bidder must be responsible for having: 1. Taken steps to carefully examine all of the bidding documents; 2. Acknowledged all conditions, local or otherwise, affecting the implementation of the contract; 3. Made an estimate of the facilities available and needed for the contract to be bid, if any; and 4. Complied with his responsibility that it shall be the responsibility of all those who have properly secured the bidding documents to inquire and secure supplemental/bid bulletins that may be issued by the BAC (Government Procurement Manual Volume 3).

Failure to observe any of the above responsibilities shall be at the risk of the prospective bidder concerned. The Procuring Entity shall not be responsible for any erroneous interpretation or conclusions by the prospective or eligible bidders of the data it furnished (Government Procurement Manual Volume 3).

For guidance and information of all concerned.


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