

## ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed bids will be received by the General Manager of Delano Municipal Utilities, Delano, Minnesota, at 1051 McKinley Pkwy, Delano, MN 55328 **before 1:30 PM, February 12, 2025**, for Furnishing 15 kV Switchgear and a 69 kV Control Panel - McKinley Substation, at which time the bids shall be publicly opened and read aloud.

The equipment is described in general as follows:

**A new lineup of 15 kV indoor metalclad switchgear including eight (8) vacuum circuit breakers, with related controls and accessories. One (1) new control panel and related equipment for a 69-12.47 kV power transformer and 69 kV circuit switcher.**

The above equipment shall be in accordance with the specifications and proposed form of contract now on file in Delano Municipal Utilities offices in said city of Delano, Minnesota, by this reference made a part hereof as though fully set out and incorporated herein.

Each bid shall be made on bid form furnished by the Engineer and shall be accompanied by bid security in the form of a certified check or bid bond, made payable to Delano Municipal Utilities, in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the bid, which security becomes the property of Delano Municipal Utilities in the event the successful bidder fails to enter into a contract and post satisfactory performance and payment bonds.

Material suppliers desiring a copy of the proposal forms and specifications for individual use may obtain them from the office of DGR Engineering, Rock Rapids, Iowa, telephone (712) 472-2531, website [www.dgr.com](http://www.dgr.com), e-mail [dgr@dgr.com](mailto:dgr@dgr.com), no deposit required.

Payment to the Supplier for the equipment shall be made on the basis of ninety-five percent (95%) of the contract price for the equipment after installation. The final five percent (5%) of the contract shall be paid within thirty-one (31) days after final completion, field testing, required test reports, record drawings, final documentation and certification by Engineer.

All materials shall be delivered per the dates set in the Specifications. If the bidder is unable to meet this delivery date, the next available date should be listed on the bid form and the Owner will take that into consideration.

Delano Municipal Utilities reserves the right to defer acceptance of any proposal for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days after the date proposals are received and no proposal may be withdrawn during this period. Delano Municipal Utilities also reserves the right to reject any or all bids and enter into such contract as it shall deem to be in the best interest of Delano Municipal Utilities.

Dated this 22<sup>nd</sup> Day of January, 2025.

DELANO PUBLIC UTILITIES  
DELANO, MINNESOTA

By /s/ Paul Twite  
General Manager