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Sealed bids for the SBDD Culvert Slip-Lining Project will be received at the Headquarters of the South Broward Drainage District located at 6591 S.W. 160 Avenue, Southwest Ranches, Florida 33331, until **3:00 p.m. on Tuesday, September 13, 2011**. The bids will be opened publicly at 3:15 p.m. by District staff.

Project Title: South Broward Drainage District Culvert Slip-Lining Project

The principal items of the contract include, but are not limited to:

1. The cleaning of culverts and the lining of one existing 48" CMP for a distance of 160'.
2. The cleaning of culverts and lining of one 42" culvert for a distance of 153' (Existing pipe material varies).
3. The cleaning of a 48" RCP and two structures for a total distance of 125'.

Each bid must be submitted in an envelope which is sealed and plainly marked " South Broward Drainage District Culvert Slip-Lining Project", and then shall be delivered to the South Broward Drainage District at 6591 S.W. 160 Avenue, Southwest Ranches, Florida 33331.

A mandatory pre-bid meeting is scheduled for Thursday, September 8th, 2011 at 10:00 AM at the Headquarters of the South Broward Drainage District located at 6591 S.W. 160 Avenue, Southwest Ranches, Florida 33331. If a Bidder/Contractor fails to attend the pre-bid conference or if he is more than 10 minutes late, his bid will not be considered.

The Information for Bidders, Proposal, Agreement, and other Contract Documents may be examined at the offices of the South Broward Drainage District at 6591 S.W. 160 Avenue, Southwest Ranches, Florida 33331. The bid documents will be made available to Bidders at no charge via email or for \$15.00 delivered via mail or picked up. Any questions should be directed to Luis Ochoa or Joseph Certain. They can be reached at the Office at 954-680-3337 or you can email them at the following email addresses: luis@sbdd.org or joe@sbdd.org.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within sixty (60) days after the actual date of the opening.

Bidders are hereby notified that any person or affiliate who has been placed on the State Department of Management Services convicted vendor list following a conviction for a public entity crime may not submit a bid, proposal, or reply on a contract to provide any goods or services to a public entity; may not submit a bid, proposal, or reply on a contract with a public entity for the construction or repair of a public building or public work; may not submit bids, proposals, or replies on leases of real property to a public entity; may not be awarded or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or consultant under a contract with any public entity; and may not transact business with any public entity in excess of the threshold amount provided in the Florida Statutes section 287.017 for CATEGORY TWO (\$25,000) and for a period of 36 months following the date of being placed on the convicted vendor list.

All bid responses must conform to the Information to Bidders section of the bid documents and must include a properly executed Bid Form, OSHA Acknowledgment, Trench Safety Act Form, Water Use/Dewatering Form and acceptable bid guarantee in the form of a Bid Bond or certified check made payable to the South Broward Drainage District in the amount of five percent (5%) of the total bid as stated in the Bid Proposal Form.

The Owner reserves the right to consider a bidder's qualifications in awarding Project.