

LOUISIANA UNIFORM PUBLIC WORK BID FORM

TO: St. James Parish  
5800 Highway 44  
Convent, LA 70723

BID FOR: CDBG-DR Lutchter Sewerage Pond Improvements  
PUBLIC WORKS PROJECT NO. \_\_\_\_\_  
A/E PROJECT NO. N011076.001  
PROPOSAL NO. \_\_\_\_\_

The undersigned bidder hereby declares and represents that she/he; a) has carefully examined and understands the Bidding Documents, b) has not received, relied on, or based his bid on any verbal instructions contrary to the Bidding Documents or any addenda, c) has personally inspected and is familiar with the project site, and hereby proposes to provide all labor, materials, tools, appliances and facilities as required to perform, in a workmanlike manner, all work and services for the construction and completion of the referenced project, all in strict accordance with the Bidding Documents prepared by: WAGGONER ENGINEERING, INC. and dated: JANUARY 2015.

Bidders must acknowledge all addenda. The Bidder acknowledges receipt of the following ADDENDA: (Enter the number the Designer has assigned to each of the addenda that the Bidder is acknowledging) WEI #N011076.001

**TOTAL BASE BID:** For all work required by the Bidding Documents (including any and all unit prices designated "Base Bid," consisting of Mobilization/Demobilization, Lutchter Avenue - 100 kW Diesel Engine Generator and Appurtenances, North Courseault Street - 100 kW Diesel Engine Generator and Appurtenances, and 5th Street - 100 kW Diesel Engine Generator and Appurtenances, \* but not alternates) the sum of:

Two hundred thirteen thousand five hundred eighty-five Dollars (\$ 213,585.00)

**ALTERNATES:** For any and all work required by the Bidding Documents for Alternates including any and all unit prices designated as alternates in the unit price description.

**Alternate No. 1 -** 9th Street - 13 kW Diesel Engine Skid Mounted Generator and Appurtenances

Fifty-two thousand eight hundred Dollars (\$ 52,800.00)

**TOTAL BASE BID + ALTERNATE 1:**

Two hundred sixty-six thousand four hundred eighty five Dollars (\$ 266,485.00)

**Alternate No. 2 -** Baffle Wall Replacement

One hundred four thousand five hundred Dollars (\$ 104,500.00)

**TOTAL BASE BID + ALTERNATE 1 + ALTERNATE 2:**

Three hundred seventy thousand nine hundred eighty-five Dollars (\$ 370,985.00)

**Alternate No. 3-** Cabanose Street - 100 AMP Manual Transfer Switch and Appurtenances for 13 kW Diesel Engine Skid Mounted Generator (Generator not Included)

Eighteen thousand two hundred twenty-five Dollars (\$ 18,225.00)

**TOTAL BASE BID + ALTERNATE 1 + ALTERNATE 2 + ALTERNATIVE 3:**

Three hundred eighty-nine thousand two hundred ten Dollars (\$ 389,210.00)

NAME OF BIDDER: SEMS, Inc.

ADDRESS OF BIDDER: 11628 S. Choctaw Drive, Baton Rouge, LA 70815

LOUISIANA CONTRACTOR'S LICENSE NUMBER: 27770

NAME OF AUTHORIZED SIGNATORY OF BIDDER: Mike Hebert

TITLE OF AUTHORIZED SIGNATORY OF BIDDER: VP of Remediation/Construction

SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED SIGNATORY OF BIDDER \*\*: 

DATE: 4-29-15

\* The Unit Price Form shall be used if the contract includes unit prices. Otherwise it is not required and need not be included with the form. The number of unit prices that may be included is not limited and additional sheets may be included if needed.

\*\* If someone other than a corporate officer signs for the Bidder/Contractor, a copy of a corporate resolution or other signature authorization shall be required for submission of bid. Failure to include a copy of the appropriate signature authorization, if required, may result in the rejection of the bid unless bidder has complied with La. R.S. 38:2212(A)(1)(c) or RS 38:2212(O) .

**BID SECURITY** in the form of a bid bond, certified check or cashier's check as prescribed by LA RS 38:2218.A is attached to and made a part of this bid.

**LOUISIANA UNIFORM PUBLIC WORK BID FORM**  
**UNIT PRICE FORM**

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UNIT PRICES: This form shall be used for any and all work required by the Bidding Documents and described as unit prices. Amounts shall be stated in figures and only in figures.

DESCRIPTION	✓Base Bid or □ Alt.# Mobilization / Demobilization			
REF NO	QUANTITY	UNIT OF MEASURE	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
1	1	LS	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00

DESCRIPTION	✓Base Bid or □ Alt.# Lutchter Avenue - 100 kW Diesel Engine Generator and Appurtenances			
REF NO	QUANTITY	UNIT OF MEASURE	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
2	1	LS	\$63,865.00	\$63,865.00

DESCRIPTION	✓Base Bid or □ Alt.# North Courseault Street - 100 kW Diesel Engine Generator and Appurtenances			
REF NO	QUANTITY	UNIT OF MEASURE	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
3	1	LS	\$63,865.00	\$63,865.00

DESCRIPTION	✓Base Bid or □ Alt.# 5th Street - 100 kW Diesel Engine Generator and Appurtenances			
REF NO	QUANTITY	UNIT OF MEASURE	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
4	1	LS	\$75,860.00	\$75,860.00

DESCRIPTION	□Base Bid or ✓ Alt.# 1 9th Street - 13 kW Diesel Engine Skid Mounted Generator and Appurtenances			
REF NO	QUANTITY	UNIT OF MEASURE	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
5	1	LS	\$52,900.00	\$52,900.00

DESCRIPTION	□Base Bid or ✓ Alt.# 2 Baffle Wall Replacement			
REF NO	QUANTITY	UNIT OF MEASURE	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
6	1	LS	\$104,500.00	\$104,500.00

DESCRIPTION	□Base Bid or ✓ Alt.# 3 Cabanose Street - 100 AMP Manual Transfer Switch and Appurtenances for 13 kW Diesel Engine Skid Mounted Generator (Generator not Included)			
REF NO	QUANTITY	UNIT OF MEASURE	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
7	1	LS	\$18,225.00	\$18,225.00

All quantities are estimated. The contractor will be paid based upon actual quantities as verified by the Owner.

**BID BOND**

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS,

That Sems, Inc.  
(Name of Contractor)

11628 S. Choctaw Drive, Baton Rouge, LA 70815

(Address of Contractor)

a Corporation hereinafter called "Principal", and  
(Corporation, Partnership, Limited Liability Company  
or Individual)

Merchants Bonding Company (Mutual) hereinafter called "Surety",  
(Name of Surety)

are held and firmly bound unto the **ST. JAMES PARISH, LOUISIANA** hereinafter called  
"OWNER" in the penal sum of 5% of Total Bid, for the payment of which sum well and truly  
to be made, we bind ourselves, successors, and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by  
these presents.

Signed, this the 29th day of April, 2015. The Condition of the above obligation is  
such that whereas the Principal has submitted to **ST. JAMES PARISH, LOUISIANA** a certain  
BID attached hereto and hereby made a part thereof to enter into a contract in writing, for  
the construction of:

**"CDBG - DR LUTCHER SEWERAGE POND IMPROVEMENTS"**

NOW, THEREFORE,

- (a) If said Bid shall be rejected, or in the alternate,
- (b) If said Bid shall be accepted and the Principal shall execute and deliver a  
contract in the Form of Contract attached hereto (properly completed in  
accordance with said Bid) and shall furnish a bond for his/her faithful  
performance of said contract, and for the payment of all persons performing  
labor or furnishing materials in connection therewith, and shall in all other  
respects perform the agreement created by the acceptance of said Bid then this

obligation shall be void, otherwise the same shall remain in force and effect, it being expressly understood and agreed that the liability of the Surety for any and all claims hereunder shall, in no event, exceed the penal amount of this obligation as herein stated.

The Surety, for value received, hereby stipulates and agrees, that the obligations of said Surety and its bond shall be in no way impaired or affected by any extension of time within which the Owner may accept such Bid; and said Surety does hereby waive notice of any such extension.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Principal and the Surety have hereunto set their hands and seals, and such of them as are corporations have caused their corporate seals to be hereto affixed these presents to be signed by their proper officers, the day and year first set forth herein above.

Sems, Inc.

(L.S.)

Merchants Bonding Company (Mutual)

Principal

Surety

By:

*Principal - Mark L. Morgan*

By:

Mary Catherine Turner, Attorney-in-Fact

**IMPORTANT:** Surety companies executing BONDS must appear on the Treasury Department's most current list (Circular 570 as amended) and be authorized to transact business in the state where the project is located.

**MERCHANTS**  
**BONDING COMPANY™**  
**POWER OF ATTORNEY**

Know All Persons By These Presents, that MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL) and MERCHANTS NATIONAL BONDING, INC., both being corporations duly organized under the laws of the State of Iowa (herein collectively called the "Companies"), and that the Companies do hereby make, constitute and appoint, individually,

**Garrett Turner; Mary Catherine Turner; Meghann Turner**

of                   Baton Rouge                   and State of                   Louisiana                   their true and lawful Attorney-in-Fact, with full power and authority hereby conferred in their name, place and stead, to sign, execute, acknowledge and deliver in their behalf as surety any and all bonds, undertakings, recognizances or other written obligations in the nature thereof, subject to the limitation that any such instrument shall not exceed the amount of:

**FIFTEEN MILLION (\$15,000,000.00) DOLLARS**

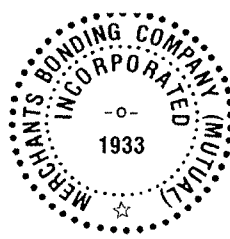
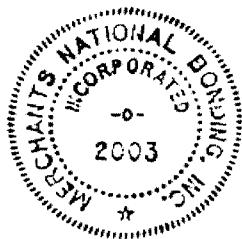
and to bind the Companies thereby as fully and to the same extent as if such bond or undertaking was signed by the duly authorized officers of the Companies, and all the acts of said Attorney-in-Fact, pursuant to the authority herein given, are hereby ratified and confirmed.

This Power-of-Attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the following By-Laws adopted by the Board of Directors of the Merchants Bonding Company (Mutual) on April 23, 2011 and adopted by the Board of Directors of Merchants National Bonding, Inc., on October 24, 2011.

"The President, Secretary, Treasurer, or any Assistant Treasurer or any Assistant Secretary or any Vice President shall have power and authority to appoint Attorneys-in-Fact, and to authorize them to execute on behalf of the Company, and attach the seal of the Company thereto, bonds and undertakings, recognizances, contracts of indemnity and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof.

The signature of any authorized officer and the seal of the Company may be affixed by facsimile or electronic transmission to any Power of Attorney or Certification thereof authorizing the execution and delivery of any bond, undertaking, recognizance, or other suretyship obligations of the Company, and such signature and seal when so used shall have the same force and effect as though manually fixed."

In Witness Whereof, the Companies have caused this instrument to be signed and sealed this 13th day of   August   , 2014 .



MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL)  
MERCHANTS NATIONAL BONDING, INC.

By

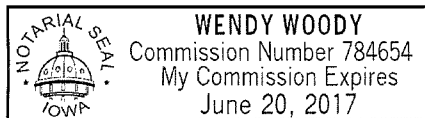
*Larry Taylor*

President

STATE OF IOWA  
COUNTY OF POLK ss.

On this 13th day of   August   , 2014, before me appeared Larry Taylor, to me personally known, who being by me duly sworn did say that he is President of the MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL) and MERCHANTS NATIONAL BONDING, INC.; and that the seals affixed to the foregoing instrument is the Corporate Seals of the Companies; and that the said instrument was signed and sealed in behalf of the Companies by authority of their respective Boards of Directors.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal at the City of Des Moines, Iowa, the day and year first above written.



*Wendy Woody*

Notary Public, Polk County, Iowa

STATE OF IOWA  
COUNTY OF POLK ss.

I, William Warner, Jr., Secretary of the MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL) and MERCHANTS NATIONAL BONDING, INC., do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the POWER-OF-ATTORNEY executed by said Companies, which is still in full force and effect and has not been amended or revoked.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Companies on  
this 29th day of   April   , 2015



*William Warner Jr.*  
Secretary

POA 0014 (7/14)

CERTIFICATE AS TO CORPORATE PRINCIPAL

I, Michael J. Hebert, <sup>V.P. of Remediation/Construction</sup> ~~Secretary~~ of the Corporation named as Principal in the within bond; that Mark L. Morgan who signed the said bond on behalf of the Principal was then Principal of said corporation; that I know his/her signature, and his/her signature thereto is genuine; and that said bond was duly signed, sealed, and attested to, for, and on behalf of said corporation by authority of this governing body.

Signature: Michael J. Hebert  
Title: Vice President of Remediation/Construction  
(Corporate Seal)

CERTIFICATE AS TO SURETY

I, Mary Catherine Turner, certify that I am the (Title) Attorney-in-Fact of the Surety who signed the bond. I certify that we are licensed to do business in the State of Louisiana and are currently recognized by the U. S. Department of the Treasury as acceptable sureties.

Signature: Mary Catherine Turner  
Title: Mary Catherine Turner, Attorney-in-Fact

Power of Attorney for person signing for surety company must be attached to bond.

END OF SECTION  
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