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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

**CHAMBER SPRINGS WATER SYSTEM
SILOAM SPRINGS, ARKANSAS**

Sealed Bids for the **Chamber Springs Water System** will be received by the

Chamber Springs Water Association, at Benton County, 215 E Central Ave, Bentonville AR, 72712 in the **Quorum Court Room** until **1:30 PM** local time on **June 16, 2026** at which time the Bids received will be publicly opened and read. The Project generally consists of constructing water lines, valves, service meters, air/vacuum valves, appurtenances, restoration including all associated materials and labor for a complete project. Bids will be received for a single prime Contract. The Issuing Office for the Bidding Documents is:

**Crist Engineers, Inc.
1188 North Salem Rd, Suite 14
Fayetteville, AR 72701
(479)485-3300**

Prospective Bidders may examine the Bidding Documents at the Issuing Office on Mondays through Fridays between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. The Contract Documents may also be examined at the following:

Dodge Reports
www.construction.com

Electronic copies of the Bidding Documents may be obtained from the Issuing Office, during the hours indicated above, or online at www.cristengineers.com, upon payment of **\$25.00** for each set. The date that the Bidding Documents are transmitted by the Issuing Office will be considered the Bidder's date of receipt of the Bidding Documents. Partial sets of Bidding Documents will not be available from the Issuing Office. Neither Owner nor Engineer will be responsible for full or partial sets of Bidding Documents, including Addenda if any, obtained from sources other than the Issuing Office. Bid security shall be furnished in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders.

Any contract or contracts awarded under this invitation for bids will be subject to the requirements of the Arkansas Community and Economic Development Program (ACEDP) Contracting Provisions for Construction Projects as described in the contract documents and the requirements of the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA).

All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, or national origin. Bidders on this work will be required to comply with the President's Executive Order 11246, as amended. The requirements for Bidders and Contractors under this order are explained in the specifications.

Each Bidder shall be certified/listed with a unique entity ID on the website www.SAM.gov and shall not appear on the excluded parties list as well as comply with the requirements, terms, and conditions of the U.S. Department of Commerce Economic Development Administration, the Disadvantaged, Minority and Women Business Enterprise (DBE/MBE/WBE) requirements, the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2014 (Public Law 113-76) including the "American Iron and Steel (AIS)" requirement, Build America, Buy America (BABA Act, Labor Standards and Equal Employment Opportunity during the performance of this contract. The Bidder commits itself to the requirements for the participation contained herein and all other requirements, terms, and conditions of these bid conditions by submitting a properly signed Bid. Each requirement listed above for the ACEDP Contracting Provisions for Construction Projects are provided in Appendix 1 of the Contract Documents.

All questions regarding the qualification process should be directed to Aliam Vue at aliam.vue@bentoncountyar.gov. All questions regarding plans and specifications should be directed to Josh Moore at jmoore@cristengineers.com.

Bidders shall be qualified to do business and licensed in accordance with all applicable laws of the state and local governments where the project is located. If applicable, bidder must be familiar with Federal rules & regulations as required by the Uniform Administrative Requirements for Federal Awards (2 CFR 200).

Pursuant to Arkansas Code Annotated §22-9- 203 Benton County encourages all qualified small, minority and women business enterprises to bid on and receive contracts for goods, services, and construction. Benton County encourages all general contractors to subcontract portions of their contract to qualified small, minority and women business enterprises.

Benton County reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive irregularities therein, and all Bidders shall agree that such rejection shall be without liability on the part of Benton County for any damage or claim brought by any Bidder because of such rejections, nor shall the Bidder seek any recourse of any kind against Benton County because of such rejections. The filing of any bid in response to this invitation shall constitute an agreement of the Bidder to these conditions.

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Owner: **CHAMBER SPRINGS WATER ASSOCIATION**

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Advertisement Dates: **May 24th, 2026 and May 31st, 2026**