NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sundown Lake West Marina Wetland Sundown Lake Association Moravia, Iowa

<u>Time and Place for Filing Sealed Proposals</u>. Sealed bids for the work comprising the repair & improvement as stated below must be filed before 10:00 a.m. on November 9, 2023, in the office of Lake Homes and Farm Realty, 13868 286th Ave., Moravia, Iowa.

<u>Time and Place Sealed Proposals Will be Opened and Considered</u>. Sealed proposals will be opened and bids tabulated at 10:00 a.m. on November 9, 2023, in the office of Lake Homes and Farm Realty, 13868 286th Ave., Moravia, Iowa for consideration by the Sundown Lake Association at its meeting at 5:30 p.m. on November 15, 2023. The Sundown Lake Association reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

<u>Time for Commencement and Completion of Work.</u> Work on the improvement shall commence upon approval of the contract by the Council and as stated in the Notice to Proceed. All work under the Contract must be substantially complete on or before May 15, 2024. Damages in the amount of \$500 per day will be assessed for each day the work remains incomplete.

<u>Bid Security</u>. Each bidder shall accompany its bid with bid security, as defined in Section 468.35 of the lowa Code in the amount equal to 5% percent of the total amount of the bid.

Contract Documents. Copies of the project documents are available for a price of \$25 per set. This fee is refundable, provided the plans and specifications are returned complete and in good usable condition, and they are returned within fourteen (14) calendar days after the award of the project. Please make your check payable to Bolton & Menk, Inc. and send it to 430 East Grand Ave, Ste 101, Des Moines, IA 50309. Complete digital project bidding documents are available at www.questcdn.com. You may view the digital plan documents for free by entering Quest project # 8743728 on the website's Project Search page. Documents may be downloaded for free (\$0.00). Please contact QuestCDN.com at 952-233-1632 or info@questcdn.com for assistance in free membership registration, viewing, downloading, and working with this digital project information.

<u>Preference of Products and Labor</u>. Preference shall be given to domestic construction materials by the contractor, subcontractors, material, workforce, and suppliers in performance of the contract by virtue of statutory authority, further preference will be given to products and provisions grown and coal produced within the State of Iowa, and to Iowa domestic labor, to the extent lawfully required under Iowa statutes. Failure to submit a fully completed Bidder Status Form with the bid may result in the bid being deemed nonresponsive and rejected.

Sales Tax Exemption Certificates. The bidder shall not include sales tax in the bid. The Sundown Lake Association will distribute tax exemption certificates and authorization letters to the Contractor and all subcontractors who are identified. The Contractor and subcontractor may make copies of the tax exemption certificates and provide a copy to each supplier providing construction materials. These tax exemption certificates and authorization letters are applicable only for this specific project under the Contract.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Construction of a storm water wetland near the west marina of Sundown Lake in Appanoose County, Iowa. Construction will include excavation, grading, tree clearing, storm sewer installation, seeding and other items incidental to construction.

This Notice is given by authority of the
Sundown Lake Association
Ron Bernard
Lake Manager