

**SILAY CITY WATER DISTRICT**  
**Invitation to Bid for the**  
**Drilling of an Exploratory/Production Well for**  
**Silay City Water District,**  
**Silay City**

1. The SILAY CITY WATER DISTRICT (SICIWA) has an approved Program of Work amounting to ₱ 7.42 Million and sourced from the, RA No. 10633 (FY 2014 GAA) and appropriation for SICIWA under R.A. No. 10717 (FY 2016 GAA) to finance the water supply needs of NHA Permanent Resettlement Areas in Yolanda Affected Water Districts and Municipalities from the Government of the Republic of the Philippines and intends to apply the proceeds of this Fund to eligible payments under the Contract for which this Invitation To Bid is issued.

2. The SICIWA, through its Bid and Awards Committee (BAC), now invites bids for the Drilling of an Exploratory/Production Well for Silay City Water District as specified herein. **Completion of the works** is required within Ninety (90) calendar days after receipt of Notice to Proceed. Bidders should have completed, within five (5) years prior to the date of submission and receipt of bids, a single largest completed contract (SLCC) similar to the Project, equivalent to at least 50% of the ABC. The description of an eligible bidder is contained in the Bidding Documents, particularly, in Section II “Instructions to Bidders”. Bids submitted exceeding the relevant Approved Budget for the Contract shall be rejected.

Approved Budget for the Contract      ₱ **3,300,000.00**

3. Bidding will be conducted through open competitive bidding procedures using a non-discretionary “pass/fail” criterion as specified in the 2016 Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act (RA) 9184, otherwise known as the “Government Procurement Reform Act”. Bidding is restricted to Filipino citizens/sole proprietorships, partnerships, or organizations with at least sixty percent (60%) interest or outstanding capital stock belonging to citizens of the Philippines, and to citizens or organizations of a country, the laws or regulations of which grant similar rights or privileges to Filipino citizens, pursuant to RA 5183 and subject to Commonwealth Act 138.

4. Interested bidders may obtain further information from the BAC Secretariat, Jose C. Locsin Avenue, Fortuna Subd. Brgy. V, Silay City, Negros Occidental and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below from 9:00 A.M. – 4:00 P.M.

A complete set of Bidding Documents may be acquired by interested Bidders starting January 31, 2017 from the address below and upon payment of a non-refundable fee for the Bidding Documents, pursuant to the latest Guidelines issued by the GPPB, in the amount of (₱5,000.00).

5. The SICIWA will hold a Pre-Bid Conference on February 8, 2017 at 2:00 P.M. at the SICIWA Bidding Room, which shall be open to all interested parties.

6. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before 2:00 P.M. on February 20, 2017. All Bids must be accompanied by a bid security in any of the acceptable forms and in the amount stated in ITB Clause 18.

Bid opening shall be on 2:05 P.M. on February 20, 2017. Bids will be opened in the presence of the Bidders' representatives who choose to attend at the address below. Late bids shall not be accepted.

7. The SICIWA reserves the right to accept or reject any bid, to annul the bidding process, and to reject all bids at any time prior to contract award, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected bidder or bidders.

8. For further information, please refer to:

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