

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF
TARRANT COUNTY WATER CONTROL AND IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NUMBER ONE
HELD IN THE DISTRICT OFFICE IN FORT WORTH, TEXAS, ON THE
9TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1952, AT 2:00 P.M.

The call of the roll disclosed the presence or absence of
Directors, as follows:

PRESENT

Houston Hill
Dan H. Priest
W. L. Pier

ABSENT

Joe B. Hogsett (Out of City)
A.T. Seymour, Jr. (Out of City)

Also present were Sidney L. Samuels, General Counsel of the District,
C. L. McNair, General Manager of the District and Marvin C. Nichols
of the firm of Freese and Nichols, Consulting Engineers for the Dis-
trict.

In the absence of Director Joe B. Hogsett, President of
the Board, Director Houston Hill, Vice President, presided over the
meeting and Director Priest acted in his capacity as Secretary,
whereupon proceedings were had and done, as follows:

1.

This meeting was held for the sole purpose of receiving and
publicly opening sealed bids for construction of Northeast 12th
Street Bridge across the West Fork of the Trinity River in Fort
Worth, Texas, in accordance with notice required by law, as the same
was published in the Fort Worth Press; the Fort Worth Star-Telegram;
and also notice in the Texas Contractor, a weekly publication of
especial interest to contractors.

The publisher's affidavit of the Fort Worth Press also the
publisher's affidavit of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, together with

an original copy of said notice as published affixed thereto, is attached to the record of this meeting, held in the District's offices, 502 Danciger Building, Fort Worth, Texas, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. Tuesday, September 9, 1952.

At this meeting there were present many representatives of construction companies, who were either actually bidders or interested in the awards ultimately to be made. Each actual bidder was represented by an officer or agent.

Mr. Cheatham delivered to Mr. Hill, Vice President of the Board of Directors of the District, ten sealed bids, which had been received in the District's office prior to 2:00 o'clock P.M. Tuesday, September 9, 1952, the closing time for receiving bids.

Thereupon, Mr. Hill, Vice President, proceeded to open and did open, the ten bids in the presence of the Directors and in full view and presence of all interested persons in attendance. The ten (10) sealed bids were opened in the order hereinafter named. As each bid was opened by Mr. Hill, the bidder's form as set out in the printed specification of the Engineers, together with the unit prices, and other peculiar conditions, were read aloud by Mr. Marvin C. Nichols, Engineer of the District, so that all might plainly hear the contents of same and the names of the bidders.

Each bid was found to be accompanied by Bidder's Bond for the sum of five per cent of the maximum total bid.

The sealed bids were opened in the following order, viz:

1. HARRY NEWTON, INC.
2. SOUTHERN CONSTRUCTION COMPANY
3. M. E. WORRELL AND WORRELL AND WATKINS

4. AUSTIN BRIDGE COMPANY
5. F. S. OLDT COMPANY
6. CUNNINGHAM & SHAW
7. H. LARSEN
8. ERNEST LOYD
9. RUSS MITCHELL, INC. & BRUCE CONSTRUCTION COMPANY
10. J. B. CLARDY CONSTRUCTION COMPANY


Each of the original bids so made, opened and read is hereby referred to as a part of the minutes of this meeting. Each of said bids is to be placed in the permanent files of this District, as such exhibit hereto and shall be open for public inspection.

Thereupon, Director Hill announced that all bids would be referred to Freese & Nichols, Engineers for the District, for analysis, computation and recommendation thereon. It was also clearly announced by Mr. Nichols so that all present might hear, that a meeting of the Directors would be held at the District's office on Wednesday, September 10, 1952, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., at which time and place they would announce their action upon the bids submitted and read.

The object of the meeting having been accomplished in keeping with the law relating thereto, adjournment was had.



Vice President.



Secretary.

TO BE ATTACHED TO MINUTES OF SEPTEMBER 9, 1952, AT 2:00 P.M.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

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2:00 P. M., September 9, 1952

at which time and place the proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud. Any bid received after closing time will be returned unopened.

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A Performance Bond in an amount of not less than one hundred (100%) percent of the contract price, conditioned upon the faithful performance of the contract and upon payment of all persons supplying labor or furnishing materials, will be required.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than the prevailing wage rates as established by the Tarrant County Water Control & Improvement District No. 1 shall be paid on this project. The established minimum wage scale is included as a part of these Contract Documents.

In case of ambiguity, or lack of clearness in stating prices in the Proposal, the Tarrant County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1 reserves the right to adopt the most advantageous construction thereof or to reject the Proposal.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all Bids and waive any or all informalities. No Bid may be withdrawn until the expiration of forty-five (45) days from the date Bids are opened.

Tarrant County Water Control and
Improvement District No. 1
Joe B. Hogsett, President
Board of Directors.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Tarrant

Before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, this

day personally appeared..... Emmins McCord....., bookkeeper for The Fort Worth Star-Telegram, Morning, published by the Carter Publications, Inc., at Fort Worth, in Tarrant County, Texas; and who, after being duly sworn, did depose and say that the following clipping

of an advertisement referring to.....
Notice for bids on construction of
N. E. 12th Street Bridge, etc. by
Tarrant County Water Control and
Improvement District No. 1; etc.:
was published in the above named paper on

.....
August 15, 1952 -

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August 22, 1952 -

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August 29, 1952 -

Signed *Emmins McCord*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this the
... 19th

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THE STATE OF TEXAS,

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August 15, 1952 - Friday

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August 22, 1952 - Friday

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August 29, 1952 - Friday

Signed *Ermine M. Card* Bookkeeper

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this the .1st. day of .September..

...1952..... *Ermine M. Card* Notary Public.
Tarrant County, Texas.

Vertical text on the right side of the page, including a large 'A' and 'O' and a box containing a newspaper clipping. The clipping is titled 'The history of our air buildup' and discusses military readiness and air force strength. The text is oriented vertically and appears to be a scan artifact or bleed-through from another page.

AFFIDAVIT

AUG 28 1952

State of Texas

County of Dallas

This is to certify that the Attached Advertisement for Bids

appeared on page 41 of August 19, 1952 and page 22 of August 26, 1952

~~issues~~ of Texas Contractor.

W. M. Donald

Subscribed and sworn before me this 27th August, 1952

Pauline [unclear]
Notary Public.

- BIDS WANTED -

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In cast of ambiguity, or lack of clearness in stating prices in the Proposal, the Tarrant County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1 reserves the right to adopt the most advantageous construction thereof or to reject the Proposal.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all Bids and waive any or all informalities. No Bid may be withdrawn until the expiration of forty-five (45) days from the date Bids are opened.

Tarrant County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1
Joe B. Hogsett, President
Board of Directors.
(Adv. 8-19 & 26-52)

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed proposals addressed to Mr. Ralph Riddel, Mayor of Aspermont, Texas, will be received at the office of the City Secretary, City Hall, until 10:00 a.m., C.S.T., September 4, 1952, for furnishing all necessary materials, machinery, equipment, superintendence, and labor for constructing certain Waterworks and Sewerage Improve-

ments for the City of Aspermont, Owner, of Aspermont, Texas.

Bidders must submit Cashier's or Certified Check issued by a bank satisfactory to the Owner, or a Bidder's Bond from a reliable Surety Company, payable without recourse to the order of Mr. Ralph Riddel, Mayor, in an amount of not less than five per cent (5%) of the largest possible bid submitted as a guaranty that Bidder will enter into a contract and execute bond and guaranty in the forms provided within ten (10) days after notice of award of contract to him. Bids without required check or proposal bond will not be considered.

The successful Bidder must furnish performance bond on the attached form in the amount of 100 per cent of the total contract price from a Surety Company holding a permit from the State of Texas to act as Surety, or other Surety or Sureties acceptable to the OWNER.

All lump sum and unit prices must be stated in both script and figures. The OWNER reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive formalities. In case of ambiguity or lack of clearness in stating the prices in the bids the OWNER reserves the right to consider the most advantageous construction thereof, or to reject the bid. Unreasonable or "unbalanced" unit prices will authorize the OWNER to reject any bid.

Bidders are expected to inspect the site of the work and to inform themselves regarding all local conditions.

Instructions to Bidders, proposal forms, specifications, and plans are on file at the office of the City Secretary, CECIL M. HAWK & ASSOCIATES, Engineers, 1641 Broadway, Lubbock, Texas.

Copies may be secured from the above upon deposit of \$25.00, \$15.00 of which will be refunded to the Contractor on submission of a bona fide bid on the work, with such Plans and Specifications; or upon returning the Plans and Specifications immediately after examination of same, and advising the ENGINEER that bid will not be submitted. Otherwise, the deposit shall be forfeited.

CITY OF ASPERMONT, TEXAS
By: Ralph Riddel, Mayor
(Adv. 8-26 & 9-2-52)

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The First Baptist Church, Marshall, Texas, will receive bids up to 2 p.m., September 23, 1952, for the construction of a church building seating 1,000 main floor and 300 in balcony.

Plans, specifications and bid forms may be secured from Peyton & Bosworth, architects, 502 Continental American Bank Building, Shreveport 23, Louisiana. Deposit of \$50.00 required.

Church reserves right to accept or reject any or all bids.
(Adv. 8-26 & 9-2-52)

INVITATION FOR BIDS

The Housing Authority of the City of Overton, Overton, Texas, will receive bids for 16 one-story, masonry and frame construction, Low Rent Housing Unit Buildings, TEX. 68R, until 2:00 P. M., on the 19th day of September, 1952, at the City Hall, Overton, Texas, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened.

Forms of contract documents are on

file at the office of the Overton Housing Authority. Copies may be obtained by depositing \$25.00 for each set of documents. Such deposit will be refunded to each person who returns them in good condition within 10 days after bid opening.

A bid guaranty and performance and payment bonds will be required. Not less than the minimum salaries and wages prevailing in the locality of the project must be paid on this work.

The Overton Housing Authority reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding.

No bid shall be withdrawn for a period of thirty (30) days subsequent to the opening of bids.

HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE
CITY OF OVERTON, TEXAS

By J. G. Madden, Chairman
Date August 18, 1952.
(Adv. 8-26 & 9-2 & 9-52)

PROPOSAL REQUIREMENTS AND CONDITIONS

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. Sealed proposals, addressed to the City Commission of the City of Abilene, will be received at the City Secretary's Office at the City Hall, Abilene, Texas, until September 19, 1952, 9:00 A. M., for furnishing all necessary materials, machinery, equipment, superintendence and labor for constructing a municipal airport in accordance with plans and specifications now on file in the Office of Kenneth A. Etheridge, City Engineer. Airport location is approximately two and one-half (2½) miles southeast of the City of Abilene, Texas, on City owned property. Airport improvements are for the City of Abilene, Texas, OWNER. The major items of construction are as follows:
PROJECT 9 - 41 - 145 - 201

ITEM DESCRIPTION	UNIT	EST. QUANT.
Clearing only.....	Acre	121
Clearing and Grubbing.....	Acre	78
Unclassified Excavation.....	C.Y.	105,289
Crushed Aggregate		
Base Course	C.Y.	97,749
4" Plain Concrete		
Sidewalks	S.F.	13,124
48" Std. Strength Reinf.		
Conc. Pipe	L.F.	390
36" Std. Strength Reinf.		
Conc. Pipe	L.F.	720
30" Std. Strength Reinf.		
Conc. Pipe	L.F.	1,340
27" Std. Strength Reinf.		
Conc. Pipe	L.F.	290
24" Std. Strength Reinf.		
Conc. Pipe	L.F.	300
21" Std. Strength Reinf.		
Conc. Pipe	L.F.	890
18" Std. Strength Reinf.		
Conc. Pipe	L.F.	300
6" Sanitary Sewer,		
6'-8" Deep	L.F.	785
6" Sanitary Sewer,		
8'-10" Deep	L.F.	670
8" Sanitary Sewer,		
4'-6" Deep	L.F.	800
Concrete Cradle for		
Sanitary Sewer	L.F.	1,080
8" C.I. Water Mains.....	L.F.	1,964
6" C.I. Water Lines.....	L.F.	914
2" C.I. Water Lines.....	L.F.	1,032
1" C.I. Water Lines.....	L.F.	938
Structural Excavation.....	C.Y.	1,007
Structural Concrete.....	C.Y.	529
Reinforcing Steel.....	Lb.	78,159
2" Natural Gas Line.....	L.F.	2,400
Type "A" Inlet Box.....	Each	1
Type "C" Inlet Box.....	Each	3
Type "D" Inlet Box.....	Each	8
Type "E" Inlet Box.....	Each	2
Curb Inlet Box.....	Each	2
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dition within ten (10) days after receipt of bids.

Attention is directed to the fact that there must be paid on this Project not less than the general prevailing rates of wages which have been established by the City of San Saba. A schedule of such prevailing wage rates is contained in the Specifications and Contract Documents covering the construction of this Project. It shall be the Contractor's responsibility to inform himself thoroughly of all State, Federal and local laws and statutes pertaining to the employment of labor and conditions of employment.

The Bidder's attention is directed to the fact that bids or proposals shall be submitted only on the forms provided therefor in the Contract Documents and must not be submitted in letter form or in any other form provided except by filling out in ink in both script and figures the proposal form provided in the Specifications and Contract Documents which set forth in detail the various items and approximate quantities thereof contained in the Project and Contract to be bid upon. Bids submitted in any other form will be considered irregular and will be returned to the Bidder without receiving consideration by the Mayor and City Commissioners.

The City of San Saba, Texas, reserves the right to reject any or all Proposals or Bids, to waive technicalities, to make any investigation deemed necessary of a Bidder's ability to perform the work covered by the Plans and Specifications, and to accept what in the judgment of the Mayor and City Commissioners is the best bid.

THE CITY OF SAN SABA, TEXAS
 By B. J. Pridgeon, City Secretary
 (Adv. 8-19-52)

A. & M. COLLEGE OF TEXAS NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals for the construction of approximately 14 miles of various types of wire mesh and barbed wire fence with all wire mesh, barbed wire, fence posts and staples furnished by the Owner, on the Campus of the A. & M. College of Texas, will be received

at the Office of the Manager of Physical Plants of the Texas A. & M. College System, College Station, Texas, until 2:00 p.m., August 22, 1952, and then publicly opened and read.

Detailed plans and specifications covering the proposed construction may be seen for examination and information, proposal and financial statement forms may be obtained at the Office of C. K. Leighton, Construction Engineer, Texas A. & M. College System, College Station, Texas.

(Adv. 8-19-52)

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(Adv. 8-19 & 26-52)

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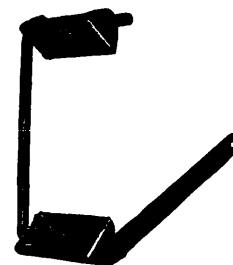
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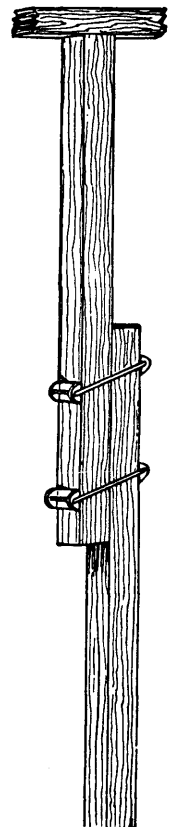


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THE STATE OF TEXAS }
COUNTY OF TARRANT } ss.

BEFORE ME, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County, State of Texas, on this day personally appearedAnn Street..... to me well known, who, after being by me duly sworn, states as follows:

THAT, He is ..Bookkeeper..... of The Fort Worth Press, a daily Newspaper, with a general circulation published in the City of Fort Worth, State of Texas, and that said publication of the following dates:

August 15th, 1952, August 22nd, 1952, and August 29th, 1952. carried advertising referring to.....

Bids; ..Notice to bidders.....

..... a true copy of which is attached hereto.

Ann Street.....

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me, this...5th.....

day of...September..... A. D. 19 52..

Martin L. Ethridge.....
Notary Public In and For Tarrant County, Texas.

Martin L. Ethridge

