

## NOTICE OF INVITATION FOR BIDS

### Riverbend Ranch Habitat Restoration Project #2024-02

Sealed bids for the following project will be received until March 11, 2024 at 1:00pm, at 582 Tilley Court SE, Suite 152, Tumwater, Washington, to the attention of Mara Healy. Bids will then be publicly opened and read. There will be a mandatory pre-bid meeting on Thursday, February 22, 2024, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the project site address: 3735 Skookumchuck Rd SE, Tenino, WA 98589. RSVP to Mara Healy at [mhealy@thurstoncd.com](mailto:mhealy@thurstoncd.com). This project is subject to prevailing wage requirements per RCW 39.12.020, and award of this project is contingent on final grant funding approval.

**Attendance at the pre-bid meeting is mandatory to submit a bid for this contract.**

Plans, specifications, addenda, proposal forms, bidders list, and plan holders list for this project are available through the **Thurston Conservation District** on-line plan room. Free-of-charge access to project bid documents (plans, specifications, addenda, and Bidders List) is provided to Prime Bidders, Subcontractors, and Vendors by going to [www.bxwa.com](http://www.bxwa.com) and clicking on "Posted Projects", "Public Works", and "Thurston Conservation District". This online plan room provides Bidders with fully usable online documents with the ability to: download, view, print, order full/partial plan sets from numerous reprographic sources, and a free online digitizer/take-off tool. It is recommended that Bidders "Register" in order to receive automatic e-mail notification of future addenda and to place themselves on the "Self-Registered Bidders List". Bidders that do not register will not be automatically notified of addenda and will need to periodically check the on-line plan room for addenda issued on this project. Contact **Builders Exchange of Washington** at (425) 258-1303 should you require assistance with access or registration.

The Project involves construction of the following elements:

1. Installation of 56 Engineered Log Jams
2. Installation of Flood Fencing
3. Installation of a Ford Crossing
4. Excavation of 4 High-Flow or Backwater Channels
5. Levee and Riprap Removal
6. Water Diversions and Fish Removal
7. Site Restoration

Engineer's Estimate (Construction Work Only): \$3,000,000-\$3,500,000

TCD reserves the right to accept or reject bids on each item separately or as a whole, to reject any or all bids, to waive informalities and to contract as to the best interest of the Thurston Conservation District. Such decisions are in the sole discretion of TCD.

Minority and Women's Business Enterprises (MWBE) are encouraged to participate in the bidding as prime contractors, subcontractors, or suppliers.

Technical Questions regarding this project should be submitted via email by March 4th, 2024 to Mara Healy, [mhealy@thurstoncd.com](mailto:mhealy@thurstoncd.com).

