

**CITY OF FLORENCE, SOUTH CAROLINA
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
MALDEN DRIVE FORCE MAIN EXTENSION
CITY OF FLORENCE BID NO. 2026-09
AECOM PROJECT NO. 60588772**

The City of Florence is accepting sealed bids from licensed and qualified contractors for the Malden Drive Force Main Extension.

CONSTRUCTION TIME LIMIT: 180 Consecutive Days

PROJECT SCOPE: The work to be completed consists of furnishing all materials, equipment and labor necessary for the complete installation of 585 linear feet of new 10-inch HDPE force main installed via horizontal directional drill, 1,470 linear feet of new 8-inch force main, four (4) new air release valves with access manholes, and one (1) drop/ doghouse manhole.

BID OPENING DATE/TIME: March 10th, 2026 at 2:00 PM

LOCATION FOR THE RECEIPT OF BIDS: City of Florence, City Center, Purchasing/Contracting Office, 324 West Evans Street, Florence, SC 29501-3430. Electronic bids will not be accepted. All bids must be clearly marked with the bid name/number on the exterior envelope (Bid No. 2026-09: Malden Drive Force Main Extension).

The Information for Bidders, Bid Form, Contract, Plans, Specifications, Bid Bond, Performance Bond and Payment Bond, and other contract documents may be examined at the following locations:

Owner: City of Florence, SC

Engineers: AECOM Technical Services, Inc., Florence, SC

Bidding Documents may be viewed and ordered online by registering with Duncan Parnell via their bid room <https://bidroom.duncan-parnell.com/> . Registration with Duncan Parnell is required to obtain the bid documents and be added to the official Plan Holder's List. Addenda will only be notified to those buying full sets from Duncan Parnell via their bid room. The cost of bid documents and shipping is non-refundable. The City of Florence / AECOM will NOT be responsible for copies of the bid documents obtained from sources other than from Duncan Parnell. If you need any assistance ordering or getting registered on <https://bidroom.duncan-parnell.com/> please contact: Michaela Bruinius at constech@duncan-parnell.com or 704-526-1856.

Bidder must be an official plan holder and on the projects plan holders list for bid to be considered, that is maintained by AECOM Technical Services, Inc.

Bidders must deposit security with all bids. Security shall be in the form of a certified check or bid bond made payable to the Owner in an amount equal to not less than five percent (5%) of the amount of the bid. Provisions of the security shall be as described in the Information for Bidders. A one hundred percent (100%) payment bond and performance bond will be required. Contractor must provide fire, extended coverage, vandalism, and malicious mischief insurance equal to the actual value of the insured property during construction.

Any prospective bidder, offeror, contractor or subcontractor who is aggrieved in connection with the solicitation of this contract may protest to Engineer (or) Owner in accordance with Section 11-35-4210 of the SC Code of Laws, within 15 days of the date of issuance of the Notice of Intent to Award.

No bid will be considered unless the bidder is legally qualified under the provisions of the South Carolina Contractor's Licensing Law (South Carolina Code of Laws as amended on April 1, 1999, Chapter 11, Sections 40 11 10 through 40 11 428).

Contractors shall have a classification of WL.

No bidder may withdraw the bid within 90 days after the actual date of the opening and thereof.

These bid documents will be modified only by written addenda.

The Owner reserves the right to waive any informalities or to reject any or all bids.

ENGINEERS

AECOM Technical Services, Inc.
425 S. Cashua Drive
Suite A
Florence, SC 29501

OWNER

City of Florence
324 W. Evans Street
Florence, SC 29501

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