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Request for Qualifications (RFQ) to Provide Engineering Services for
Upper Oconee Basin Water Authority (UOBWA)

The Upper Oconee Basin Water Authority (UOBWA), as "Owner", is seeking Statements of Qualifications from firms interested in providing Engineering Design and Construction Administration Services for the Bear Creek Water Treatment Plant Capacity Expansion Project. The Request for Qualifications (RFQ) is issued to identify the most qualified potential providers of the above-mentioned services. One or more firms which respond to the RFQ and who are determined by the Owner to be most qualified may be deemed eligible and may be invited to discuss and negotiate for these services. All respondents to the RFQ are subject to instructions communicated in this document and additional terms and conditions listed in the Owner's RFQ. The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all statements of qualifications, and to waive technicalities and informalities at the discretion of the Owner.

Restriction of Communication: From the issue date of this RFQ solicitation until a successful proposer is selected and announced, proposers are not allowed to communicate for any reason with any members of the Selection Committee or the Owner staff, except for:

- a) Submission of questions as instructed in the RFQ,
- b) During the proposer's conference (if applicable), or
- c) As provided by any existing work agreement(s).

For violation of this provision, the Owner reserves the right to reject the proposal of the offending proposer.

The RFQ Package may be obtained at Northeast Georgia Regional Commission (NEGRC), 305 Research Drive, Athens, GA 30605, or by email to jball@negrc.org. Statements of Qualifications must be delivered to the Northeast Georgia Regional Commission, 305 Research Drive, Athens, GA 30605 in accordance with instructions in the RFQ package.

Questions may be directed to Joey Leslie, UOBWA Engineering Committee Chair at jleslie@jcwsa.com. Questions will be answered via addendum only, except where answers are readily apparent within the RFQ document. The deadline for submitting questions is Wednesday, April 27, 2022, at 4:00 pm Eastern Time, unless extended by Addendum.

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