

FY24-095

FY24-095 Water & Wastewater Treatment Chemicals

Issue Date: 7/22/2024

Questions Deadline: 7/26/2024 02:00 PM (CT)

Response Deadline: 8/8/2024 05:00 PM (CT)

City of Laredo Purchasing

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Event Information

Number:

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Title:

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Type:

Request For Bid

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Notes:

*******If the bidder submits both an electronic bid and a properly completed manual bid, the Purchasing Division will use the electronic bid to determine the total bid amount of the bid. If the bidder submits an electronic bid and a manual bid that is not complete, the Purchasing Division will use the electronic bid to determine the total

bid amount of the bid.*********

Ship To Information

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3rd floor

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Bid Attachments

Conflict of Interest Questionnaire-Revised 1-1-2021.pdf

Conflict of Interest Questionnaire (CIQ)

Non-Collusive Affidavit Form.pdf

Non-Collusive Affidavit Form

Bid Tab FY23-001.pdf

FY23-001 Bid Tab Last Contract

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FY24-095 Form 1295

FY24-095 COQ FORM AND INSTRUCTIONS (1).pdf

FY24-095 Conflict of Interest Instructions

FY24-095 Water & Wastewater Chemicals.pdf

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Bi	d Attributes
1	Award by Item This contract will be awarded by item to the lowest responsive responsible bidder, in accordance to the provisions of Chapters 252 and 271 of the State of Texas – Local Government Code. Yes (Optional: Check if applicable)
2	Questionnaire Description
	"The undersigned affirms that they are duly authorized to execute this contract, that this company, corporation, firm, partnership or individual has not prepared this bid in collusion with any other bidder, and that the contents of this bid as to prices, terms or conditions of said bid have not been communicated by the undersigned nor by any employee or agent to any other person engaged in this type of business prior to the official opening of this request. By submitting this bid the vendor agrees to the City of Laredo specifications and all terms and conditions stipulated in the proposed document. That I, individually and on behalf of the business named in this Business Questionnaire, do by my signature below, certify that the information provided in the questionnaire is true and correct ".
3	Name of Offeror (Business) and Name & Phone Number of Authorized Person to sign bid
	Polydyne Inc.
	Boyd Stanley, Sr. Vice-President (800) 848-7659 Option 2
	(Required: Maximum 1000 characters allowed)
	(Required, Maximum 1000 characters allowed)
4	State how long under has the business been in its present business name
	In excess of 28 years
İ	(Required: Maximum 1000 characters allowed)
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5	If applicable, list all other names under which the Business identified above operated in the last five years
	Not Applicable

State if the Company is a certified minority business enterprise No Polydyne Inc. is not a MBE. The below information is requested for statistical and tracking purposes only and will not influence the amount of expenditure the City will make with any given company.

(Required: Maximum 4000 characters allowed)

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7	Questions Part 1
	1) Is any litigation pending against the Business? 2) Has the Business ever been declared "not responsive" for the purpose of any governmental agency contract award? 3) Has the Business been debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, voluntarily excluded, or other wise disqualified from bidding, proposing or contracting? 4) Are there any proceedings, pending relating to the Business responsibility, debarment, suspension, voluntary exclusion, or qualification to receive a public contract? 5) Has the government or other public entity requested or required enforcement of any of its rights under a surety agreement on the basis of default or in lieu of declaring the Business at default?
	No litigation is pending against Polydyne Inc. Polydyne Inc. has not been deemed "not responsive" for any
	contract award. Polydyne Inc. has not been debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared
	ineligible, voluntarily excluded or disqualified from bidding, proposing or contracting. No circumstances
	exist that would disqualify Polydyne Inc. for award of a public contract. No government or other public entity has requested/required enforcement of any of its rights under a surety agreement.
	has requested/required emorcement of any or its rights under a surety agreement.
	(Required: Maximum 4000 characters allowed)
8	Questions Part 2
	1) Is the Business in arrears in any contract or debt? 2) Has the Business been a defaulter, as a principal, surety, or otherwise? 3) Have liquidated damages or penalty provisions been assessed against the Business for failure to complete work on time or any other reason?
	Polydyne Inc. is not in arrears, in debt or a defaulter. No liquidated damages or penalty provisions have been
	assessed against Polydyne Inc.
	(Required: Maximum 4000 characters allowed)
9	State if the Company is a certified minority business enterprise
	☐ Historically Underutilized Business (HUB) ☐ Small Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (SCBC)
	□ Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) □ Other
	☑This company is not a certified minority business
	(Required: Check only one)

#### Conflict of Interest Disclosure

A form disclosing potential conflicts of interest involving counties, cities, and other local government entities may be required to be filed after January 1, 2006, by vendors or potential vendors to local government entities. The new requirements are set forth in Chapter 176 of the Texas Local Government Code added by H.B. No. 914 of the last Texas Legislature. Companies and individuals who contract, or seek to contract, with the City of Laredo and its agents may be required to file with the City Secretary's Office, 1110 Houston Street, Laredo, Texas 78040, a Conflict of Interest Questionnaire that describes affiliations or business relationships with the City of Laredo officers, or certain family members or business relationships of the City of Laredo officer, with which such persons do business, or any gifts in an amount of \$250.00 or more to the listed City of Laredo officer (s) or certain family members. The new requirements are in addition to any other disclosures required by law. The dates for filing disclosure statements begin on January 1, 2006. A violation of the filing requirements is a Class C misdemeanor. The Conflict of Interest Questionnaire (Form CIQ) may be downloaded from http://www.ethics.state.tx.us/whatsnew/conflict forms.htm. The City of Laredo officials who come within Chapter 176 of the Local Government Code relating to filing of Conflicts of Interest Questionnaire (Form CIQ) include: 1. Mayor 2. Council Members 3. City Manager 4. Members of the Fire Fighters and Police Officers Civil Service Commission. 5. Members of the Planning and Zoning Commission. 6. Members of the Board of Adjustments 7. Members of the Building Standards Board 8. Parks & Leisure Advisory Committee Member, 9. Historic District Land Board Member, 10. Ethics Commission Board Member, 11. The Board of Commissioners of the Laredo Housing Authority 12. The Executive Director of the Laredo Housing Authority 13. Any other City of Laredo decision making board member If additional information is needed please contact Enrique Aldape III, Interim Purchasing Agent at 956-794-1733.

#### 1 | Conflict of Interest Questionnaire Form CIQ

For vendor or other person doing business with local governmental entity. This questionnaire reflects changes made to the law by H.B. 1491, 80th Leg., Regular Session. This questionnaire is being filed in accordance with Chapter 176, Local Government Code by a person who has a business relationship as defined by Section 176.001(1-a) with a local governmental entity and the person meets requirements under Section 176.006(a). By law this questionnaire must be filed with the records administrator of the local governmental entity not later than the 7th business day after the date the person becomes aware of facts that require the statement to be filed. See Section 176.006, Local Government Code. A person commits an offense if the person knowingly violates Section 176.006, Local Government Code. An offense under this section is a Class C misdemeanor.

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1 2	Conflict of Interest Questionnaire  Vendor is required to submit Conflict of Interest Form for bid to be considered complete. Have you submitted your completed Conflict of Interest Form with your response?  Yes □ No (Required: Check only one)		
1 3	Construction Contract Requires Acknowledgement	Bid FY24-095 is for the Supply of Water & Wastewater Treatment Chemicals. Construction is not a part of this bid.	
1 4			
1 5	This is a  ☐ New Submission ☐ Correction ☑ Update to previous submission  (Required: Check only one)		
1 6	Question 1. Name of person submitting this disclosure form Please include First Name, Middle Initial, Last Name and Suffix (if applicable)		
William B. Stanley, Sr. Vice-President of Polydyne Inc.			
	(Required: Maximum 1000 characters allowed)		

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1 7	Question 2. Contract Information  Please include the following: a)Contract or Project Name b)Originating Department
	FY24-095 Water & Wastewater Treatment Chemicals: Utilities Department
	(Required: Maximum 4000 characters allowed)
1 8	Question 3. Name of individual(s) or entity(ies) seeking a contract with the city (i.e. parties to the contract)
	Polydyne Inc. is submitting a bid for FY24-095 Water & Wastewater Treatment Chemicals that was issued by the City of Laredo.
	(Required: Maximum 4000 characters allowed)
1	Question 4. List any business entity(ies) that is a partner, parent, subsidiary business entity(ies) of the individual or entity listed in Question 3.
	□ Not Applicable It applies to my business (Required: Check only one)
2	Question 4. List any business entity(ies) that is a partner, parent, subsidiary business entity(ies) of the individual or entity listed in Question 3
	If you selected Not Applicable on Question 4, skip this section. If it applies to you, please list the name of partner, parent, or subsidiary business entity(ies) in this section.
	Polydyne Inc. is a wholly-owned subsidiary of SNF Holding Company.
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	(Optional: Maximum 4000 characters allowed)
2	Question 5. List any individuals or entities that will be subcontractors on this contract  Not Applicable   It applies to my business
	(Required: Check only one)

2 2	Question 5. List any individuals or entities that will be subcontractors on this contract  If you selected Not Applicable on Question 5, please skip this section. If it applies to you, please list subcontractors in this section.  (Optional: Maximum 4000 characters allowed)
2 3	Question 6. List any attorneys, lobbyists, or consultants that have been retained to assist in seeking this contract
	✓ Not Applicable ☐ It applies to my business (Required: Check only one)
2 4	Question 6. List any attorneys, lobbyists, or consultants that have been retained to assist in seeking this contract  If selected Not Applicable on question 6, please skip this section. If it applies to you, please list attorneys, lobbyists, or consultants that have been retained to assist in seeking this contract.
	(Optional: Maximum 4000 characters allowed)
25	Question 7. Disclosure of political contributions  List any campaign or officeholder contributions made by the following individuals in the past 24 months totaling more than \$100 to any current member of City Council, former member of City Council, any candidate for City Council, or to any political action committee that contributes to City Council elections. a) Any individual seeking contract with the city (Question 3) b) Any owner of officer of entity seeking contract with the city (Question 3) c) Any individual or owner or officer of any entity listed above as partner, parent, or subsidiary business (Question 4) d) Any subcontractor or owner/office of subcontracting entity for the contract (Question 5) e) The spouse of any individual listed in response to (a) through (d) above f) Any attorney, lobbyist, or consultant retained to assist in seeking contract (Question 6)  Not Applicable  the applies to my business (Required: Check only one)
26	Question 7. Disclosure of political contributions  If you selected Not Applicable on question 7, please skip this section. If it applies to you, please list all contributors in this section.  (Optional: Maximum 4000 characters allowed)

2	Updates on contributions required
7	Information regarding contributions must be updated by submission of a revised form from the date of the submission of this form, up through the time City Council takes action on the contracts identified in response to Question 2 and continuing for 30 calendar days after the contract has been awarded.
2	Question 8. Disclosure of Conflict of Interest
8	Are you aware of any fact(s) with regard to this contract that would raise a "conflict of interest" issue under Section 2.01 of the Ethics Code for any City Council member or board/commission member that has not or will not be raised by these city officials?
	☐ I am aware of conflict of interest
2	8. Disclosure of Conflict of Interest
9	If you selected I am aware of conflict of interest is question 8, please list them in this section.
	(Optional: Maximum 4000 characters allowed)
3	Question 9. Updates Required
0	I understand that this form must be updated by submission of a revised form if there is any change in the information before the discretionary contract is the subject of action by the City Council, and no later than five (5) business days after any changes has occurred, whichever comes first. This include information about political contributions made after the initial submission and up until thirty (30) calendar days after the contract has been awarded.
	☑ I have read and understand this section (Required: Check if applicable)
3	Question 10. No Contact with City Officials or Staff during Contract Evaluation
1	I understand that a person or entity who seeks or applies for city contract or any other person acting on behalf of that person or entity is prohibited from contacting city officials and employees regarding the contract after a Request for Proposal (RFP), Request for Qualifications (RFQ), or other solicitation has been released. This nocontact provision shall conclude when the contract is posted as a City of Laredo Council agenda item. If contact is required with city officials or employees, the contact shall take place in accordance with procedures incorporated into the solicitation documents. Violation of this prohibited contacts provision set out in Section 2.09 of the Ethics Code by respondents or their agents may lead to disqualification of their offer from consideration.  I have read and understand this section (Required: Check if applicable)
3 2	Question 11. Conflict of Interest Questionnaire (CIQ)
2	Chapter 176 of the Local Government Code requires contractor and vendors to submit a Conflict of Interest Form (CIQ) to the Office the of City Secretary.  I have acknowledge that I have been advised (Required: Check if applicable)

3	Question	11.	Oath
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Please complete in this section the required information for your company: 1) Name 2) Title 3) Company or DBA 4) Date

- 1.) Boyd Stanley
- 2.) Sr. Vice-President
- 3.) Polydyne Inc.
- 4.) July 31, 2024

(Required: Maximum 4000 characters allowed)

#### 3 Question 12. Oath

I swear or affirm that the statements contained in this Discretionary Contracts Disclosure Form, including any attachments, to the best of my knowledge and belief are true, correct, and complete.

MI swear or affirm information is correct (Required: Check if applicable)

### Company Information Questionnaire

MI have completed this section (Required: Check if applicable)

#### Conflict of Interest Questionnaire

I have completed this section (Required: Check if applicable)

#### 3 | Non-Collusive Affidavit

I have completed and included this form (Required: Check if applicable)

#### Discretionary Contracts Disclosure

I have completed this section (Required: Check if applicable)

#### 3 | Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295)

In an effort to comply with state law the certificate of interested parties must be filled out once a vendor has been granted a contract. All of this information can be found on the State of Texas website, please use this link provided, https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/tec/1295-Info.htm. Implementation of House Bill 1295 Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295): In 2015, the Texas Legislature adopted House Bill 1295, which added section 2252.908 of the Government Code. The law states that a governmental entity or state agency may not enter into certain contracts with a business entity unless the business entity submits a disclosure of interested parties to the governmental entity or state agency at the time the business entity submits the signed contract to the governmental entity or state agency. The law applies only to a contract of a governmental entity or state agency that either (1) requires an action or vote by the governing body of the entity or agency before the contract may be signed or (2) has a value of at least \$1 million. The disclosure requirement applies to a contract entered into on or after January 1, 2016. The Texas Ethics Commission was required to adopt rules necessary to implement that law, prescribe the disclosure of interested parties form, and post a copy of the form on the commission's website. The commission adopted the Certificate of Interested Parties form (Form 1295) on October 5, 2015. The commission also adopted new rules (Chapter 46) on November 30, 2015, to implement the law. The commission does not have any additional authority to enforce or interpret House Bill 1295. Filing Process: Staring on January 1, 2016, the commission will make available on its website a new filing application that must be used to file Form 1295. A business entity must use the application to enter the required information on Form 1295 and print a copy of the completed form, which will include a certification of filing that will contain a unique certification number. An authorized agent of the business entity must sign the printed copy of the form and have the form notarized. The completed Form 1295 with the certification of filing must be filed with the governmental body or state agency with which the business entity is entering into the contract. The governmental entity or state agency must notify the commission, using the commission's filing application, of the receipt of the filed Form 1295 with the certification of filing not later than the 30th day after the date the contract binds all parties to the contract. The commission will post the completed Form 1295 to its website within seven business days after receiving notice from the governmental entity or state agency. Information regarding how to use the filing application will be available on this site starting on January 1, 2016. Additional Information: HB 1295 Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295) New Chapter 46, Ethics Commission Rules: 46.1. Application 46.3. Definitions 46.5. Disclosure of Interested Parties Form In order to comply with state law the Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295) must be submitted to the Texas Ethics Commission within 10 days upon receiving notice of award of contract. This form must be submitted within the allotted time otherwise this may result in the cancellation of the contract.

MI will comply with this form (Required: Check if applicable)

#### Terms and Conditions for Request for Bids

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF INVITATIONS FOR BIDS GENERAL CONDITIONS** Bidders are required to submit bids upon the following expressed conditions:

- (a) Bidders shall thoroughly examine the specifications, schedule instructions and other contract documents. Once the award has been made, failure to read all specifications, instructions, and the contract documents, of the City shall not be cause to alter the original contract or for a vendor to requests additional compensation.
- (b) Bidders shall make all investigations necessary to thoroughly inform themselves regarding facilities and locations for delivery of materials and equipment as required by the bid conditions. No pleas of ignorance by the bidder of conditions that exist or that may hereafter exist as a result of failure or omission on the part of the bidder to make the necessary examinations and investigations, or failure to fulfill in every detail the requirements of the contract documents, will be accepted as a basis for varying the requirements of the City or the compensation to the vendor.
- (c) Bidders are advised that City contracts are subject to the all legal requirements provided for in the City Charter and/or applicable City Ordinances, State and Federal Statutes.
- 1.0 PREPARATION OF BIDS Bids will be prepared in accordance with the following:
- (a) All information required by the bid form shall be furnished. For hand delivered submittals only, the vendor shall print or type the business name and manually sign the schedule. For electronic submittals, this information shall be submitted electronically on Cit-E-Bid system. If vendor submits both manual and electronic bids, the electronic bid will replace the manual bid and shall be considered the only valid bid.
- (b) Unit prices shall be shown and where there is an error in extension of price, the unit price shall govern.
- (c) Alternate bids will not be considered unless authorized by the invitation for bids or any applicable addendum
- (d) Proposed delivery time must be shown and shall include Sundays and holidays
- (e) Bidders will not include Federal taxes or State of Texas limited sales tax in bid prices since the City of Laredo is exempt from payment of such taxes. An exemption certificate will be furnished upon request.
- (f) The City shall pay no costs or other amounts incurred by any entity in responding to this RFB, or as a result of

issuance of this RFB.

2.0 DESCRIPTION OF SUPPLIES Any catalog or manufacturer's reference used in describing an item is merely descriptive, and not restrictive, unless otherwise noted, and is used only to indicate type and quality of material. Bidder is required to state exactly what they intend to furnish; otherwise bidder shall be required to furnish the items as specified.

#### 3.0 SUBMISSION OF BIDS

- (a) Bids and changes thereto shall be enclosed in sealed envelopes, properly addressed and to include the date and hour of the bid opening and the material or services bid on shall be typed or written on the face of the envelope. If submitted electronically, this information shall be submitted electronically on Cit-E-Bid system by going to the following link: <a href="https://cityoflaredo.ionwave.net/Login.aspx">https://cityoflaredo.ionwave.net/Login.aspx</a>
- (b) Unless otherwise noted on the Notice to Bidders cover sheet, all hand delivered bids must be submitted to the Office of the City Secretary, City Hall, 1110 Houston Street.
- (c) Bids forms can be downloaded and printed through Cit-E-Bid. Malled Bids (i.e. USPS, FedEx, UPS), telegraphic, email or facsimile bids will not be considered.
- (d) Samples, when required, must be submitted within the time specified, at no expense to the City of Laredo. If not destroyed or used up during testing, samples will be returned upon request at the bidder's expense.
- (e) Bids must be valid for a minimum period of sixty (60) days. An extension to hold bid pricing for actual quantity bids may be requested by the City.
- 4.0 REJECTION OF BIDS The City may reject a bid if:
- (a) Bidder misstates or conceals any material fact in the bid.
- (b) Bid does not strictly conform to the law or the requirements of the bid.
- (c) Bidder is in arrears on existing contracts or taxes with the City of Laredo.
- (d) If bids are conditional. Bidder may qualify their bid for acceptance by the City on an "ALL OR NONE" basis. An "ALL OR NONE" basis bid must include all items in the specifications.
- (e) In the event that a bidder is delinquent in the payment of City taxes on the day the bids are opened, including state and local taxes, such fact shall constitute grounds for rejection of the bid or cancellation of the contract. A bidder is considered delinquent, regardless of any contract or agreed judgments to pay such delinquent taxes.
- (f) No bid submitted herein shall be considered unless the bidder warrants that, upon execution of a contract with the City of Laredo, bidder will not engage in employment practices such as discriminating against employees because of race, color, sex, creed, or national origin. Bidder will submit such reports as the City may therefore require assuring compliance with said practices.
- (g) The City may reject all bids or any part of a bid whenever it is deemed necessary.
- (h) The City may waive any minor informalities or irregularities in any bid.
- 5.0 WITHDRAWAL OF BIDS Bids may not be withdrawn after they have been publicly opened, unless approved by the City Council.
- **6.0 LATE BIDS OR MODIFICATIONS** Bids and modifications received after the time set for the bid deadline will not be considered. Late bids will be returned to the bidder unopened.
- 7.0 CLARIFICATION OR OBJECTION TO BID SPECIFICATIONS If any person contemplating submitting a bid for this contract is in doubt as to the true meaning of the specifications, or other bid documents or any part thereof, they may submit to the City Purchasing Agent on or before seven (7) calendar days prior to the scheduled bid deadline a request for clarification which must be submitted in writing through email seven (7) days prior to the scheduled date for opening to: CITY OF LAREDO PURCHASING AGENT Enrique Aldape III 5512 Thomas Ave, Laredo, TX 78041 ealdape@ci.laredo.tx.us or Questions & Responses section on Cit-E-Bid system. Any vendor submitting questions shall make reference to a specific bid number, section, page and item of this solicitation. In case there are changes, additions, and/or edits to the original scope of work, and addendum will be issued by the purchasing agent to all vendors through Cit-E-Bid system under Questions and Responses section to clarify any inquiries. The City will not be responsible for any other explanations or interpretations of the proposed bid made or given prior to the bid opening or award of contract.
- (a) Protest Procedures: The purpose of this procedure is to establish procedures whereby a vendor may protest specific procurement actions by the City of Laredo. The following sequence of activities must take place in filing a protest:
- (b) To be performed by protesting vendor: Within ten (10) days prior to the time that the City Council considers the recommendation of the City's Purchasing Officer, the protesting vendor must provide written protest to the City Purchasing Officer. Such protest must include specific reasons for the protest.
- (c) To be performed by City's Purchasing Officer: Shall review the records of procurement and determine legitimacy and procedural correctness. With five (5) working days, the City Purchasing Officer shall provide written response to the protesting vendor of the decision.
- (d) If the protesting vendor is not satisfied with the decision of the City Purchasing Officer, such protesting vendor may appeal to the City Manager of the City of Laredo. If the protesting vendor cannot resolve the issue with the City Manager, he shall be entitled to address his concerns when the City Council of the City of Laredo considers the awarding of the contract. Such appeal may be made only after exhausting all administrative procedures through the

City Manager. All protests must be duly submitted via Certified Mail to: City of Laredo - Purchasing Agent 5512 Thomas Ave. Laredo, Texas 78041.

#### **8.0 BIDDER DISCOUNTS**

- (a) Percent discounts within a certain period of time will be accepted but cannot be used in the bid evaluation. The period of the discount offered should be sufficient to permit payments within such period in the regular course of business by the City of Laredo.
- (b) In connection with any discounts offered, time will be computed from the date of receipt of supplies or service or from the date a correct invoice is received, whichever is the later date. Payment is deemed to be made on the date the check is mailed.

#### 9.0 INTENT OF CONTRACT

a) ANNUAL SUPPLY/SERVICE CONTRACTS: This contract does not commit the City to purchase the quantities indicated. The quantities are estimates and are based on the best available information. The purpose of this contract is to establish prices for the commodities or services needed, should the City need to purchase these commodities or services. Since the quantities are estimates, the City may purchase more than the estimated quantities, less than the estimated quantities, or not purchase any quantities at all. The needs of the City shall govern the amount that is purchased. All annual contracts shall bound by the terms of the bid documents. In the event a new contract cannot be executed on the anniversary date of the original term or renewal term, the contract may be renewed month to month until a new contract is executed. The City's obligation for performance of an annual supply contract beyond the current fiscal year is contingent upon the availability of appropriated funds from which payments for the contract purchases can be made. If no funds are appropriated and budgeted during the next fiscal year, this contract becomes null and void.

#### 10.0 AWARD OF CONTRACT

- (a) This contract will be awarded to the **(lowest responsive responsible bidder)**, in accordance to the provisions of Chapters 252 and 271 of the State of Texas Local Government Code.
- Definition of lowest responsive and responsible bidder as per the Institute for Public Procurement is:
- "Lowest Responsive and Responsible Bidder: The bidder who fully complied with all of the bid requirements and whose past performance, reputation, and financial capability is deemed acceptable, and who has offered the most advantageous pricing or cost benefit, based on the criteria stipulated in the bid documents."
- (b) The City reserves the right to accept any item or group of items in the bid specifications, unless the bidder qualifies it's bid by specific limitation. Proof: The bidder shall bear the burden of proof of compliance with the City of Laredo specifications.
- (c) A written award of acceptance (a duly approved purchase order or Letter of Award) furnished by the City to the successful bidder results in a binding contract without further action by either party. These Terms and Conditions shall be the basis and governing document of the binding contract.
- (d) A duly authorize purchase order number shall reference item/services description, item number, quantity and price. Invoices shall reference the assign purchase order number to avoid any duplication (2 CFR 200.318 (d)).
- (e) Prices must be quoted F.O.B. Destination, Laredo, Texas, unless otherwise specified in the invitation to bid. The place of delivery shall be that set forth in the bid specifications and/or purchase order.
- (f) Title & Risk of Loss: The title and risk of loss of goods shall not pass to the City of Laredo until the City actually receives and takes possession of the goods at the point or points of delivery. The terms of this agreement is "no arrival, no sale".
- (g) Delivery time and prompt payment discounts will be considered in breaking ties. In the event of a tie bid, the successful bidder will be determined by choosing lots at the City Council meeting chambers.
- (h) The City of Laredo shall give written notice to the contractor (supplier) if any of the following conditions exist:

  1. Contractor does not provide materials in compliance with specifications and/or within the time schedule specified in bid.
- 2. Contractor neglects or refuses to remove materials or equipment which have been rejected by the City of Laredo if found not to comply with the specifications.
- 3. The contractor makes an unauthorized assignment for the benefit of any contractor.
- Upon receiving written notification from the City that one of the above conditions has occurred, the contractor must remedy the problem within ten (10) calendar days, to the complete satisfaction of the City, or the contract will be immediately canceled.
- 4. Contract terms are the responsibility of the awarded vendor(s) and the respective City user department(s).

#### 11.0 ENTIRE AGREEMENT

(a)All covenants, conditions and agreement contained in the solicitation, are hereby made part of the Agreement to the same extent and with the force as is fully set forth herein. If and to the extent of this Agreement and the terms of this solicitation and supplier response conflict Terms & Conditions of this solicitation shall control.

#### 12.0 PAYMENT & INVOICING

- (a) All invoices to the City of Laredo have a 30 day term from receipt of supplies or completion of services.
- (b) Discount terms will be computed from the date of receipt and acceptance of supplies or services. Payment shall

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be deemed to be made from that date.

- (c) All invoices must show the purchase order number and invoices shall be legible. Items billed on invoices should be specific as to applicable stock, manufacturer catalog or part number. All items must show unit prices. If prices are based on discounts from list, then list prices must appear on bid schedule. All invoices shall be mailed to the Accounts Payable Office, City Hall, and PO. Box 210, Laredo, Texas 78042.
- (d) The City of Laredo offers electronic funds transfer (ETF) payments in lieu of check payment when a vendor has filled out an Electronic Funds Transfer Authorization Form issued by the City of Laredo or upon request from the vendor. This ensures prompt payment directly deposited to a bank account. The estimated payment time is up fifteen (15) days from the date payment is processed. (e) For any inquires on payment status or general billing questions please contact: Jorge J. Jolly, Accounts Payable Manager 956-791-7328 jjolly@ci.laredo.tx.us 1110 Houston St. Laredo, TX 78040.
- 13.0 In accordance to State of Texas, the City of Laredo follows State practices when awarding any and all competitive solicitations:

TEXAS ENGINEERING AND LAND SURVEYING PRACTICE ACTS AND RULES CONCERNING PRACTICE AND LICENSURE

OCCUPATIONS CODE TITLE 6. REGULATION OF ENGINEERING, ARCHITECTURE, LAND SURVEYING, AND RELATED PRACTICES SUBTITLE A. REGULATION OF ENGINEERING AND RELATED PRACTICES CHAPTER 1001. TEXAS BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND LAND SURVEYORS CHAPTER 137: COMPLIANCE AND PROFESSIONALISM

SUBCHAPTER C: PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT AND ETHICS

§137.53 ENGINEER STANDARDS OF COMPLIANCE WITH PROFESSIONAL SERVICES PROCUREMENT ACT (a) A licensed engineer shall not submit or request, orally or in writing, a competitive bid to perform professional engineering services for a governmental entity unless specifically authorized by state law and shall report to the board any requests from governmental entities and/or their representatives that request a bid or cost and/or pricing information or any other information from which pricing or cost can be derived prior to selection based on demonstrated competence and qualifications to perform the services. (b) For the purposes of this section, competitive bidding to perform engineering services includes, but is not limited to, the submission of any monetary cost information in the initial step of selecting qualified engineers. Cost information or other information from which cost can be derived must not be submitted until the second step of negotiating a contract at a fair and reasonable cost. (c) This section does not prohibit competitive bidding in the private sector. Source Note: The provisions of this §137.53 adopted to be effective May 20, 2004, 29 TexReg 4878; amended to be effective June 4, 2007, 32 TexReg 2996.

✓ I Agree to the Terms and Conditions (Required: Check if applicable)

#### Insurance Terms and Conditions

**INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS** If and when applicable or required by the contract, the successful bidder(s) shall furnish the City with original copies of valid insurance policies herein required upon execution of the contract and shall maintain said policies in full force and effect at all times throughout the term of this contract.

- (a) Commercial General Liability insurance at minimum combined single limits of \$1,000,000 per-occurrence and \$2,000,000 general aggregate for bodily injury and property damage, which coverage shall include products/completed operations (\$1,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate) and XCU (Explosion, Collapse, Underground) hazards. Coverage must be written on an occurrence form. Contractual Liability must be maintained covering the Contractors obligations contained in the contract. The general aggregate limit must be at least two (2) times the each occurrence limit.
- (b) Workers Compensation insurance at statutory limits, including Employers Liability coverage a minimum limits of \$1,000,000 each-occurrence each accident/\$1,000,000 by disease each-occurrence/\$1,000,000 by disease aggregate.
- (c) Commercial Automobile Liability insurance at minimum combined single limits of \$1,000,000 per-occurrence for bodily injury and property damage, including owned, non-owned, and hired car coverage.
- (d) Professional Liability, Errors & Omissions coverage, with minimum limits of \$1,000,000 per claim/ \$2,000,000 annual aggregate. This coverage must be maintained for at least two years after the project is completed. If coverage is written on a claims-made basis, a policy retroactive date equivalent to the inception date of the contract (or earlier) must be maintained during the full term of the contract.
- (e) Any Subcontractor(s) hired by the Contractor shall maintain insurance coverage equal to that required of the Contractor. It is the responsibility of the Contractor to assure compliance with this provision. The City of Laredo accepts no responsibility arising from the conduct, or lack of conduct, of the Subcontractor.
- (f) A Comprehensive General Liability insurance form may be used in lieu of a Commercial General Liability insurance form. In this event, coverage must be written on an occurrence basis, at limits of \$1,000,000 each-occurrence, combined single limit, and coverage must include a broad form Comprehensive General Liability Endorsement, products/completed operations, XCU hazards, and contractual liability.
- (g) With reference to the foregoing insurance requirement, Contractor shall specifically endorse applicable insurance policies as follows:
- 1. The City of Laredo shall be named as an additional insured with respect to General Liability and Automobile Liability.
- 2. All liability policies shall contain no cross liability exclusions or insured versus insured restrictions.
- 3. A waiver of subrogation in favor of the City of Laredo shall be contained in the Workers compensation, and all liability policies.
- 4. All insurance policies shall be endorsed to require the insurer to immediately notify The City of Laredo of any material change in the insurance coverage.
- 5. All insurance policies shall be endorsed to the effect that The City of Laredo will receive at least sixty- (60) days' notice prior to cancellation or non-renewal of the insurance.
- 6. All insurance policies, which name The City of Laredo as an additional insured, must be endorsed to read as primary coverage regardless of the application of other insurance.
- 7. Required limits may be satisfied by any combination of primary and umbrella liability insurances.
- 8. Contractor may maintain reasonable and customary deductibles, subject to approval by The City of Laredo.
- 9. Insurance must be purchased from insurers that are financially acceptable to the City of Laredo. Insurer must be rated A- or greater by AM Best Rating with an admitted carrier licensed by the Texas Department of Insurance.
- (h) All insurance must be written on forms filed with and approved by the Texas Department of Insurance. Certificates of Insurance shall be prepared and executed by the insurance company or its authorized agent and shall contain provisions representing and warranting the following:
- 1. Sets forth all endorsements and insurance coverage's according to requirements and instructions contained herein.
- 2. Shall specifically set forth the notice-of-cancellation or termination provisions to The City of Laredo.
- (i) Upon request, Contractor shall furnish The City of Laredo with certified copies of all insurance policies.
- (j) Certificates of insurance are always subject to review and approval from the City of Laredo Risk Management.
- (k) Specialty certificates and licenses must be inspected and verified for accuracy and validity before award of contract.
- (I) Awarded vendor is required to maintain current and active all: certifications, licenses, permits and/or insurance coverages, required to perform work, throughout the duration of this project/contract.
- I agree my insurance meets minumum requirements Polydyne Inc. carries insurance coverages as (Required: Check if applicable) indicated in Section 12.0 found on page 6 of 29.

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### Disqualification & Debarment Certification

**DISQUALIFICATION & DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION** By submitting this request for bids, proposal or statement of qualifications, the firm certifies that it is not currently debarred or eligible for debarment from the City of Laredo pursuant to **Ordinance No. 2017-O-098**, and that it is not an agent of a person or entity that is currently debarred from receiving contracts from any political subdivision or agency of the State of Texas. The City will further verify debarment status through use of the federal website SAM.gov. The contract parties are further prohibited from making any award at any tier to any party that is debarred or suspended or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation in Federal Assistance Programs under Executive Order 12549, "Debarment and Suspension."

By executing this agreement, the Engineer certifies that it is not currently debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation in Federal Assistance Programs under Executive Order 12549. The parties to this contract shall require any party to a subcontract or purchase order awarded under this contract to certify it eligibility to receive Federal funds and, when requested by the City, to furnish a copy of the certification. Additionally, in accordance with Chapter 2270, Texas Government Code, a governmental entity may not enter into a contract with a company for goods or services unless the contract contains a written verification from the company that it: (1) does not boycott Israel; and (2) will not boycott Israel during the term of the contract.

The signatory executing this contract on behalf of company verifies that the company does not boycott Israel and will not boycott Israel during the term of this contract. S.B. 252 (V. Taylor/S. Davis) is a bill relating to government contracts with terrorists. The bill provides that: (1) a governmental entity, including a city, may not enter into a governmental contract with a company that is identified on a list prepared and maintained by the comptroller and that does business with Iran, Sudan, or a foreign terrorist organization; and (2) a company that the United States government affirmatively declares to be excluded from its federal sanctions regime relating to Sudan, its federal sanctions regime relating to Iran, or any federal sanctions regime relating to a foreign terrorist organization is not subject to the contract prohibition under the bill.

I certify to the terms and conditions (Required: Check if applicable)

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#### Contract Requirements

- **1.CODE OF ETHICS ORDINANCE** Vendors doing business with the City of Laredo shall comply with all provisions of the City of Laredo's Code of Ethics (Ordinance, as amended). Vendors may be required to participate in Code of Ethics trainings.
- 1.2 PROHIBITED CONTACTS DURING CONTRACT SOLICITATION PERIOD A person or entity who seeks or applies for a city contract or any other person acting on behalf of such person or entity, is prohibited from contacting city officials and employees regarding such a contract after a Formal Bid. Request for Proposal (RFP). Request for Qualification (RFQ) or other solicitation has been released. This no-contact provision shall conclude when the contract is awarded. The City of Laredo reserves the right to contact respondents and may require such contact as part of the evaluation process (for presentation, clarification) of bids and/or negotiation of RFP submittal(s) prior to the award of contract. If contact is required, such contact will be done in accordance with provisions of Chapter 252 and 271 of the Texas Local Government Code and procedures incorporated into the solicitation document. Violation of this provision by respondents or their agents may lead to disqualification of their offer from consideration.
- 1.3 NON-COLLUSIVE AFFIDAVIT (Form can be downloaded and submitted through Cit-E-Bid system) The City may require that vendors submit a Non-Collusive Affidavit. The vendor will be required to state that the party submitting a proposal or bid, that such proposal or bid is genuine and not collusive or sham; that said Bidder has not colluded, conspired, connived or agreed, directly or indirectly, with any Bidder or Person, to put in a sham bid or to refrain from bidding, and has not in any manner, directly or indirectly, sought by agreement or collusion, or communication or conference, with any person, to fix the bid price or affiant or of any other Bidder, or to fix any overhead, profit or cost element of said bid price, or of that of any other Bidder, or to secure any advantage against the City of Laredo or any person interested in the proposed contract; and that all statements in said proposal or bid are true.
- 1.4 CONTRACT DISCLOSURE FORMS (This is submitted through Cit-E-Bid system) The City of Laredo requires the following forms to be completed as a part of this bid for consideration; 1. Company Information Questionnaire, 2. Signed Price Schedule, 3. Conflict of Interest Questionnaire, 4. Non-Collusive Affidavit 5. Discretionary Contracts Disclosure 6. Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295) **Upon Award of RFP Only** 1.5 CONFLICT OF INTEREST FORMS (This is submitted through Cit-E-Bid system) Conflict of Interest Disclosure: A form disclosing potential conflicts of interest involving counties, cities, and other local government entities may be required to be filed after January 1, 2006, by vendors or potential vendors to local government entities. The new requirements are set forth in Chapter 176 of the Texas Local Government Code added by H.B. No. 914 of the last Texas Legislature.
- 1.6 TEXAS ETHICS COMMISSION (Form 1295, Form can be downloaded and submitted through Cit-E-Bid system) Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295) Implementation of House Bill 1295: In an effort to comply with state law the certificate of interested parties must be filled out once a vendor has been granted a contract. All of this information can be found on the state of Texas website, please use this link provided, <a href="https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/tec/1295-Info.htm">https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/tec/1295-Info.htm</a> In 2015, the Texas Legislature adopted House Bill 1295, which added section 2252.908 of the Government Code. The law states that a governmental entity or state agency may not enter into certain contracts with a business entity unless the business entity submits a disclosure of interested parties to the governmental entity or state agency at the time the business entity submits the signed contract to the governmental entity or state agency. The law applies only to a contract of a governmental entity or state agency that either (1) requires an action or vote by the governing body of the entity or agency before the contract may be signed or (2) has a value of at least \$1 million. The disclosure requirement applies to a contract entered into on or after January 1, 2016. In order to comply with state law the Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295) must be submitted to the Texas Ethics Commission within 10 days upon receiving notice of award of contract. This form must be submitted within the allotted time otherwise this may result in the cancellation of the contract.

#### Changes to Form 1295:

Changes to the law requiring certain businesses to file a Form 1295 are in effect for contracts entered into or amended on or after January 1, 2018. The changes exempt businesses from filing a Form 1295 for certain types of contracts and replace the need for a completed Form 1295 to be notarized, instead, the person filing a 1295 needs to complete an "unsworn declaration."

I have read and understand this section

(Required: Check if applicable)

4 4	Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. 1352)  Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. 1352)  Contractors that apply or bid for an award exceeding \$100,000 must file the required certification. Each tier certifies to the tier above that it will not and has not used Federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any Federal contract, grant or any other award covered by 31 U.S.C. 1352. Each tier must also disclose any lobbying with non-Federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any Federal award. Such disclosures are forwarded from tier to tier up to the non-Federal award.  I have read and understand this section (Required: Check if applicable)
45	Electronic Pricing & Manual Bid Pricing  ******If the bidder submits both an electronic bid and a properly completed manual bid, the Purchasing Division will use the electronic bid to determine the total bid amount of the bid. If the bidder submits an electronic bid and a manual bid that is not complete, the Purchasing Division will use the electronic bid to determine the total bid amount of the bid.**********  Yes  (Required: Check if applicable)
Bi	d Lines
1	Package Header
	Section I – Chemical Bid Price Schedule Note: Unit price shall include freight charges, fuel charges, and HAZ-Mat Fees  ******If the bidder submits both an electronic bid and a properly completed manual bid, the Purchasing Division will use the electronic bid to determine the total bid amount of the bid. If the bidder submits an electronic bid and a manual bid that is not complete, the Purchasing Division will use the electronic bid to determine the total bid amount of the bid.************************************
ļ Į	Quantity: 1 UOM: EA Total: \$ 875,145.00
] 	Supplier Notes: The Total Price shown is the sum of Polydyne Inc.'s total bids for
	Package Lines 1.8, 1.9, 1.12 and 1.13.  Alternate specification (Attach separate sheet)  Additional notes (Attach separate sheet)
	Package Items
	1.1 Liquid Sodium Hydroxide (50%)
•	Average order (47,000 lbs.)
	Quantity: 9 UOM: Bulk (lbs) Price: \$ Total: \$ Supplier Notes: No bid
	Additional notes (Attach separate sheet)

1.2 Liquid Sodium Hydroxide (50%)		
Average order (275 Gal. Tote)		
Quantity: 9 UOM: 275 Gallon Tote (Gallon)	Price: \$	Total: \$
Supplier Notes:	·····	No bid
		Additional notes
		(Attach separate sheet)
1.3 Liquid Sodium Hydroxide (25%)		
Average order (47,000 lbs.)		
Quantity: 9 UOM: Bulk (lbs.)	Price: \$	Total: \$
Supplier Notes:		
		(Attach separate sheet)
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Calcium Hypochlorite		
Average order (40 drums)		
Quantity: 90 UOM: 100 lb. Drums	Price: \$	Total: \$
Supplier Notes:		No bid
		Additional notes
		(Attach separate sheet)
1.5		
Liquid Chlorine		
Average order (2,000 lbs. cylinders)		
Quantity: 1120 UOM: 2000 lb.Cylinder	Price: \$	Total: \$
Supplier Notes:		No bid
		Additional notes
		(Attach separate sheet)
1.6		
Liquid Chlorine		
Average order (150 lbs. cylinders)		
Quantity: 630 UOM: 150 lb Cylinder	Price: \$	Total: \$
Supplier Notes:		No bid
		Additional notes
		(Attach separate sheet)

1.7	Liquid Aluminu	ım Sulfate (50%)				
	Average order	(48,000 lbs.)				
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	Quantity: 10	UOM: Bulk (lbs.)		\$ 40,050.00		400,500.00
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1.9	Anionic Polyme	er				
	Average order	(270 Gal. Tote)				
	Quantity: <u>10</u>	UOM: 270 Gallon Tote (Gallon)	Price:	\$ 3,657.00 per Tote	Total: \$	36,570.00
	Supplier Notes: Product is supp	Polydyne Inc. is bidding \$1.590/ I lied in 2,300 Pound Totes.	Pound fo	or Clarifloc A-210P. T	his	No bid Additional notes (Attach separate sheet)
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	Quantity: 50	UOM: Bulk (lbs.)	Price:	\$	Total: \$	
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1.11		um Sulfate with 1% Copper Sulf	fate			
	Average orde	r (48,000 lbs.)				
	Quantity: 145 Supplier Notes:	UOM: Bulk (lbs.)			Total: \$	
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Supplier Information				
Company Name:	Polydyne Inc.			
Contact Name:	Boyd Stanley, Sr. Vice-President			
Address:	One Chemical Plant Rd.			
	Riceboro, GA 31323			
Phone:	(800) 848-7659 Option 2			
Fax:	(912) 880-2078			
Email:	bids@polydyneinc.com			
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By submitting your	response, you certify that you are authorized to represent and bind your company.			
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## CONFLICT OF INTEREST QUESTIONNAIRE

FORM CIQ

For vendor doing business with local governmental entity	
This questionnaire reflects changes made to the law by H.B. 23, 84th Leg., Regular Session.	OFFICE USE ONLY
This questionnaire is being filed in accordance with Chapter 176, Local Government Code, by a vendor who has a business relationship as defined by Section 176.001(1-a) with a local governmental entity and the vendor meets requirements under Section 176.008(a).	Date Received
By law this questionnaire must be filed with the records administrator of the local governmental entity not later than the 7th business day after the date the vendor becomes aware of facts that require the statement to be filed. See Section 176.006(a-1), Local Government Code.	
A vendor commits an offense if the vendor knowingly violates Section 176.006, Local Government Code. An offense under this section is a misdemeanor.	
Name of vendor who has a business relationship with local governmental entity.	
Boyd Stanley, Sr. Vice-President of Polydyne Inc.	
Check this box if you are filing an update to a previously filed questionnaire. (The law recompleted questionnaire with the appropriate filing authority not later than the 7th business you became aware that the originally filed questionnaire was incomplete or inaccurate.)	quires that you file an updated s day after the date on which
Name of local government officer about whom the information is being disclosed.	
N/A, No such relationships exist.	
Name of Officer	
A. Is the local government officer or a family member of the officer receiving or lift other than investment income, from the vendor?  Yes No  B. Is the vendor receiving or likely to receive taxable income, other than investment of the local government officer or a family member of the officer AND the taxable income governmental entity?  Yes No  Describe each employment or business relationship that the vendor named in Section 1 m	income, from or at the direction ncome is not received from the
other business entity with respect to which the local government officer serves as an o ownership interest of one percent or more.	aintains with a corporation or filcer or director, or holds an
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## CONFLICT OF INTEREST QUESTIONNAIRE For vendor doing business with local governmental entity

A complete copy of Chapter 176 of the Local Government Code may be found at http://www.statutes.legis.state.tx.us/Docs/LG/htm/LG.176.htm. For easy reference, below are some of the sections cited on this form.

<u>Local Government Code § 176.001(1-a)</u>: "Business relationship" means a connection between two or more parties based on commercial activity of one of the parties. The term does not include a connection based on:

- (A) a transaction that is subject to rate or fee regulation by a federal, state, or local governmental entity or an agency of a federal, state, or local governmental entity;
- (B) a transaction conducted at a price and subject to terms available to the public; or
- (C) a purchase or lease of goods or services from a person that is chartered by a state or federal agency and that is subject to regular examination by, and reporting to, that agency.

#### Local Government Code § 176.003(a)(2)(A) and (B):

- (a) A local government officer shall file a conflicts disclosure statement with respect to a vendor if:
  - (2) the vendor:
    - (A) has an employment or other business relationship with the local government officer or a family member of the officer that results in the officer or family member receiving taxable income, other than investment income, that exceeds \$2,500 during the 12-month period preceding the date that the officer becomes aware that
      - (i) a contract between the local governmental entity and vendor has been executed; or
      - (ii) the local governmental entity is considering entering into a contract with the vendor;
    - (B) has given to the local government officer or a family member of the officer one or more gifts that have an aggregate value of more than \$100 in the 12-month period preceding the date the officer becomes aware that:
      - (i) a contract between the local governmental entity and vendor has been executed; or
      - (ii) the local governmental entity is considering entering into a contract with the vendor.

#### Local Government Code § 176.006(a) and (a-1)

- (a) A vendor shall file a completed conflict of interest questionnaire if the vendor has a business relationship with a local governmental entity and:
  - (1) has an employment or other business relationship with a local government officer of that local governmental entity, or a family member of the officer, described by Section 176.003(a)(2)(A);
  - (2) has given a local government officer of that local governmental entity, or a family member of the officer, one or more gifts with the aggregate value specified by Section 176.003(a)(2)(B), excluding any gift described by Section 176.003(a-1); or
  - (3) has a family relationship with a local government officer of that local governmental entity.
- (a-1) The completed conflict of interest questionnaire must be filed with the appropriate records administrator not later than the seventh business day after the later of:
  - (1) the date that the vendor:
    - (A) begins discussions or negotiations to enter into a contract with the local governmental entity; or
    - (B) submits to the local governmental entity an application, response to a request for proposals or bids, correspondence, or another writing related to a potential contract with the local governmental entity; or
  - (2) the date the vendor becomes aware:
    - (A) of an employment or other business relationship with a local government officer, or a family member of the officer, described by Subsection (a);
    - (B) that the vendor has given one or more gifts described by Subsection (a); or
    - (C) of a family relationship with a local government officer.

#### AFFIDAVIT

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Project:
Form of Non-Collusive Affidavit Georgia AFFIDAVIT STATE OF TOXXXXX {} COUNTY OF XABBER {}
Liberty Boyd Stanley
Being first duly sworn, deposes and says:
That he/she is Sr. Vice-President of the firm of Polydyne Inc.  (a Partner of officer of the firm of, etc.)
The party making the foregoing SOQ or bid, that such SOQ or bid is genuine and not collusive or sham; that said Bidder has not colluded, conspired, connived or agreed directly or indirectly, with any Bidder or Person, to put in a sham bid or to refrain from bidding, and has not in any manner, directly or indirectly, sought by agreement or collusion, or communication or conference, with any person, to fix the bid price or affiant or of any other Bidder or to fix any overhead, profit or cost element of said bid price, or of that of any other Bidder, or to secure any advantage against the City of Laredo or any person interested in the proposed Contract; and that all statements in said SOQ or bid are true.
Signature of Bridger, Year Mark Mark X Mark Mark Mark X Mark Mark Mark Mark Mark Mark Mark Mark
Subscribed and sworn before me this 31st day of July 2024  [Released See See See See See See See See See S
My commission expires:
My Commission Expires  December 17, 2026  CA BEAS  Comm. Exp.  Comm. Exp.  Comm. Exp.

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Adopted 10/5/2015

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# INSTRUCTIONS FOR CONFLICTS OF INTEREST QUESTIONNAIRE

[Form CIQ]

Chapter 176 of the Texas Local Government Code requires vendors who wish to conduct business or be considered for business with a city to file a "conflict of interest questionnaire." The Texas Ethics Commission (TEC) created the conflict of interest questionnaire (Form CIQ).

#### Who must complete and filed CIQ form?

Every vendor doing business with the City or seeking to do business with the City must complete Box 1 and sign and date in Box 7. Whether or not a conflict exists determines the other information to include on the form.

#### Who is a vendor?

The term "vendor" includes a partnership, corporation or other legal entities, including those performing professional services. Partnerships or corporations act through individuals, but it is the partnership or corporation that is doing business with or seeking to do business with the City.

If the vendor seeking to do business with the City is a sole proprietorship, then just the name of the person who is the vendor is needed.

#### What triggers the requirement to file the Form CIQ?

When a vendor (or an agent of the vendor) begins (1) contract discussions or negotiations with the city or (2) submits an application, quote, response to request for proposals or bids, or anything else that could result in an agreement (contract or purchase order) with the City, Form CIQ must be completed. Whether the vendor initiates the discussion or the City initiates the discussions, Form CIQ must be completed. The monetary amount or value of the contract/purchase does not matter. The contract or purchase may involve the sale or purchase of property, goods, or services with the City of Laredo

#### When does a conflict requiring disclosure exist? What has to be revealed?

- A vendor shall file a completed conflict of interest questionnaire if the vendor has a business relationship with the City of Laredo and the vendor:
  - (1) has an employment or other business relationship with an officer of the City of Laredo, or a family member of an officer, that results in taxable income exceeding \$2,500 during the 12 month period preceding the date a contract/purchase is executed or a contract/purchase is being considered; or
  - (2) has given an officer of the City of Laredo, or a family member of an officer, one or more gifts with the aggregate value of more than \$100 in the 12 month period preceding the date a contract/purchase is executed or a contract/purchase is being considered
  - (3) has a family relationship with an officer of the City of Laredo.

#### What family relationships create a conflict?

A "family member" is a person related to another person within the first degree by consanguinity (blood) or affinity (marriage), as described by Subchapter B, Chapter 573, Texas Government Code. The ending of a marriage by divorce or the death of a spouse ends relationships by affinity created by that marriage unless a child of that marriage is living, in which case the marriage is considered to continue as long as a child of that marriage lives.

"Family relationship" means a relationship between a person and another person within the third degree by consanguinity or the second degree by affinity, as those terms are defined by Subchapter B, Chapter 573, Texas Government Code.

#### Who are officers of the City of Laredo?

Officers are the members of the Laredo City Council, the City Manager, and any agent or employee who exercises discretion in the planning, recommending, selecting, or contracting with a vendor. An agent may include engineers and architects, as well as others, who assist the City is making a decision on some contract or purchase.

#### When must a vendor file the conflict of interest questionnaire?

No later than seven days after the date the vendor: (a) begins contract discussions or negotiations with the city, or (b) submits an application or response to a request for proposals or bids, correspondence, or another writing related to a potential agreement with a city, or (c) becomes aware of an employment or other business relationship with an officer or family member of the officer that the vendor (i) has made one or more gifts of more than \$100 or (ii) has a family relationship with.

#### How do I go about filling out the Conflict of Interest Questionnaire form?

- Section 1: Fill in the full name of the person or company who is trying to do business with the City. If the "person" is a corporation, partnership, etc., then it is the name of that corporation, partnership, etc., that is required on Form CIQ. If a sole proprietorship, then just the name of the individual is needed. If the "person" is an individual acting as an agent for some other person or a company, then it is the agent's name. Any time an agent is involved, two FORM CIQs must be completed and submitted: one for the agent, and one for the person or company that the agent acted for. The agent's FORM CIQ must note the vendor that the agent acted for.
- Section 2: Check box if the form is an update to a form previously completed. Updates are required by the 7th business day after an event that makes a statement in a previously filed questionnaire incomplete or inaccurate. Updates are also required by September 1 of each year in which the person submits a proposal, bid or response to the City of Laredo or begins contract discussions or negotiations with the City.
- Section 3: Insert the name of the City of Laredo officer with whom there is an affiliation to or business relationship. If there is more than one City officer with whom there is an affiliation or business relationship, a separate form should be completed for each officer.
- Section 4: Check the "Yes" or "No" box in Section 4 A or B.
  - 4.A: State whether the officer named on the form receives or is likely to receive taxable income, other than investment income, from the vendor filing the questionnaire.
  - 4.B: State whether the vendor receives or is likely to receive taxable income, other than investment income, from or at the direction of the officer named on the form AND the taxable income is not received from the City.
- Section 5: Describe each employment or business relationship with the local government officer named on the form.
- Section 6: Check box to acknowledge gifts made that require disclosure.
- Section 7. Person completing form must date and sign the form. If the form is being completed for a corporation, partnerships, etc., the person signing should be someone who is authorized to act on behalf of the corporation, partnership, etc.

A signature is required in box #4 regardless of any other entry on the form.

A copy of Chapter 176 of the Texas Local Government Code can be found at:

<a href="http://www.statutes.legis.state.tx.us/SOTWDocs/LG/htm/LG.176.htm">http://www.statutes.legis.state.tx.us/SOTWDocs/LG/htm/LG.176.htm</a>

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By law this questionnaire must be filed with the records administrator of the local governmental entity not later than the 7th business day after the date the vendor becomes aware of facts that require the statement to be filed. See Section 176.006(a-1), Local Government Code.	This includes the vendor name even
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## CONFLICT OF INTEREST QUESTIONNAIRE For vendor doing business with local governmental entity

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<u>Local Government Code § 176.001(1-a)</u>: "Business relationship" means a connection between two or more parties based on commercial activity of one of the parties. The term does not include a connection based on:

- (A) a transaction that is subject to rate or fee regulation by a federal, state, or local governmental entity or an agency of a federal, state, or local governmental entity;
- (B) a transaction conducted at a price and subject to terms available to the public; or
- (C) a purchase or lease of goods or services from a person that is chartered by a state or federal agency and that is subject to regular examination by, and reporting to, that agency.

#### Local Government Code § 176.003(a)(2)(A) and (B):

- (a) A local government officer shall file a conflicts disclosure statement with respect to a vendor if:
  - (2) the vendor:
    - (A) has an employment or other business relationship with the local government officer or a family member of the officer that results in the officer or family member receiving taxable income, other than investment income, that exceeds \$2,500 during the 12-month period preceding the date that the officer becomes aware that
      - $(\Bar{\textbf{i}})$  a contract between the local governmental entity and vendor has been executed; or
      - (ii) the local governmental entity is considering entering into a contract with the vendor;
    - (B) has given to the local government officer or a family member of the officer one or more gifts that have an aggregate value of more than \$100 in the 12-month period preceding the date the officer becomes aware that:
      - (i) a contract between the local governmental entity and vendor has been executed; or
      - (ii) the local governmental entity is considering entering into a contract with the vendor.

#### Local Government Code § 176.006(a) and (a-1)

- (a) A vendor shall file a completed conflict of interest questionnaire if the vendor has a business relationship with a local governmental entity and:
  - (1) has an employment or other business relationship with a local government officer of that local governmental entity, or a family member of the officer, described by Section 176.003(a)(2)(A);
  - (2) has given a local government officer of that local governmental entity, or a family member of the officer, one or more gifts with the aggregate value specified by Section 176.003(a)(2)(B), excluding any gift described by Section 176.003(a-1); or
  - (3) has a family relationship with a local government officer of that local governmental entity.
- (a-1) The completed conflict of interest questionnaire must be filed with the appropriate records administrator not later than the seventh business day after the later of:
  - (1) the date that the vendor:
    - (A) begins discussions or negotiations to enter into a contract with the local governmental entity; or
    - (B) submits to the local governmental entity an application, response to a request for proposals or bids, correspondence, or another writing related to a potential contract with the local governmental entity; or
  - (2) the date the vendor becomes aware:
    - (A) of an employment or other business relationship with a local government officer, or a family member of the officer, described by Subsection (a);
    - (B) that the vendor has given one or more gifts described by Subsection (a); or
    - (C) of a family relationship with a local government officer.

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## CITY OF LAREDO FINANCE DEPARTMENT PURCHASING DIVISION FORMAL INVITATION FOR BIDS

## WATER & WASTEWATER TREATMENT CHEMICALS UTILITIES DEPARTMENT

#### **Public Notice**

Notice is hereby given that the City of Laredo is now accepting sealed bids, subject to the Terms and Conditions of this Invitation for Bids and other contract provisions, for awarding a two-year contract for the purchase of chemicals used for water and wastewater treatment for the Utilities Department.

Copies of the specifications may be obtained from the Finance Department – Purchasing Division, 5512 Thomas Ave., Laredo, Texas 78041 or by downloading from our website: <a href="www.cityoflaredo.com">www.cityoflaredo.com</a> or through Cit-E-Bid: <a href="https://cityoflaredo.ionwave.net/Login.aspx">https://cityoflaredo.ionwave.net/Login.aspx</a>

Hand delivered bids will be received at the City Secretary Office, 1110 Houston St., 3rd. floor, Laredo, Texas 78040 until 5:00 P.M. on August 8, 2024; and all bids received will be opened and read publicly at 9:00 A.M. at the Office of the City Secretary on August 9, 2024.

Hand delivered bids are to be submitted in a sealed envelope clearly marked:

Bid: Water & Wastewater Treatment Chemicals – Utilities Department FY24-095

Bids can be downloaded and submitted through Cit-E-Bid:	Hand Delivered:
	City of Laredo – City Secretary
https://cityoflaredo.ionwave.net/Login.aspx	C/O Mario I. Maldonado Jr.
	City Hall – Third Floor
	1110 Houston Street
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### City of Laredo **Purchasing Division**

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The City of Laredo reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and to waive any minor irregularities.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL, ON THIS 19th DAY OF JULY 2024.

Mario I. Maldonado Jr.

#### TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF INVITATIONS FOR BIDS

#### GENERAL CONDITIONS

Bidders are required to submit bids upon the following expressed conditions:

- (a) Bidders shall thoroughly examine the specifications, schedule instructions and other contract documents. Once the award has been made, failure to read all specifications, instructions, and the contract documents, of the City shall not be cause to alter the original contract or for a vendor to requests additional compensation.
- (b) Bidders shall make all investigations necessary to thoroughly inform themselves regarding facilities and locations for delivery of materials and equipment as required by the bid conditions. No pleas of ignorance by the bidder of conditions that exist or that may hereafter exist as a result of failure or omission on the part of the bidder to make the necessary examinations and investigations, or failure to fulfill in every detail the requirements of the contract documents, will be accepted as a basis for varying the requirements of the City or the compensation to the vendor.
- (c) Bidders are advised that City contracts are subject to the all legal requirements provided for in the City Charter and/or applicable City Ordinances, State and Federal Statutes.
- 1.0 PREPARATION OF BIDS Bids will be prepared in accordance with the following:
- (a) All information required by the bid form shall be furnished. For hand delivered submittals only, the vendor shall print or type the business name and manually sign the schedule. For electronic submittals, this information shall be submitted electronically on Cit-E-Bid system.
- (b) Unit prices shall be shown and where there is an error in extension of price, the unit price shall govern.
- (c) Alternate bids will not be considered unless authorized by the invitation for bids or any applicable addendum
- (d) Proposed delivery time must be shown and shall include Sundays and holidays
- (e) Bidders will not include Federal taxes or State of Texas limited sales tax in bid prices since the City of Laredo is exempt from payment of such taxes. An exemption certificate will be furnished upon request.
- (f) The City shall pay no costs or other amounts incurred by any entity in responding to this RFB, or as a result of issuance of this RFB.
- 2.0 DESCRIPTION OF SUPPLIES Any catalog or manufacturer's reference used in describing an item is merely descriptive, and not restrictive, unless otherwise noted, and is used only to indicate type and quality of material. Bidder is required to state exactly what they intend to furnish; otherwise bidder shall be required to furnish the items as specified.

#### 3.0 SUBMISSION OF BIDS

- (a) Bids and changes thereto shall be enclosed in sealed envelopes, properly addressed and to include the date and hour of the bid opening and the material or services bid on shall be typed or written on the face of the envelope. If submitted electronically, this information shall be submitted electronically on Cit-E-Bid system by going to the following link: https://cityoflaredo.ionwave.net/Login.aspx
- (b) Unless otherwise noted on the Notice to Bidders cover sheet, all hand delivered bids must be submitted to the Office of the City Secretary, City Hall, 1110 Houston Street.
- (c) Bids forms can be downloaded and printed through Cit-E-Bid. Mailed Bids (i.e. USPS, FedEx, UPS), telegraphic, email or facsimile bids will not be considered.
- (d) Samples, when required, must be submitted within the time specified, at no expense to the City of Laredo. If not destroyed or used up during testing, samples will be returned upon request at the bidder's expense.
- (e) Bids must be valid for a minimum period of sixty (60) days. An extension to hold bid pricing for actual quantity bids may be requested by the City.
- 4.0 REJECTION OF BIDS The City may reject a bid if:
- (a) Bidder misstates or conceals any material fact in the bid.
- (b) Bid does not strictly conform to the law or the requirements of the bid.
- (c) Bidder is in arrears on existing contracts or taxes with the City of Laredo.
- (d) If bids are conditional. Bidder may qualify their bid for acceptance by the City on an "ALL OR NONE" basis. An "ALL OR NONE" basis bid must include all items in the specifications.
- (e) In the event that a bidder is delinquent in the payment of City taxes on the day the bids are opened, including state and local taxes, such fact shall constitute grounds for rejection of the bid or cancellation of the contract. A bidder is considered delinquent, regardless of any contract or agreed judgments to pay such delinquent taxes.

- (f) No bid submitted herein shall be considered unless the bidder warrants that, upon execution of a contract with the City of Laredo, bidder will not engage in employment practices such as discriminating against employees because of race, color, sex, creed, or national origin. Bidder will submit such reports as the City may therefore require assuring compliance with said practices.
- (g) The City may reject all bids or any part of a bid whenever it is deemed necessary.
- (h) The City may waive any minor informalities or irregularities in any bid.
- 5.0 WITHDRAWAL OF BIDS Bids may not be withdrawn after they have been publicly opened, unless approved by the City Council.
- 6.0 LATE BIDS OR MODIFICATIONS Bids and modifications received after the time set for the bid deadline will not be considered. Late bids will be returned to the bidder unopened.
- 7.0 CLARIFICATION OR OBJECTION TO BID SPECIFICATIONS If any person contemplating submitting a bid for this contract is in doubt as to the true meaning of the specifications, or other bid documents or any part thereof, they may submit to the City Purchasing Agent on or before seven (7) calendar days prior to the scheduled bid deadline a request for clarification which must be submitted in writing through email seven (7) days prior to the scheduled date for opening to:

CITY OF LAREDO PURCHASING AGENT

5512 Thomas Ave.

Laredo, TX 78041

- or Questions & Responses section on Cit-E-Bid system. Any vendor submitting questions shall make reference to a specific bid number, section, page and item of this solicitation. In case there are changes, additions, and/or edits to the original scope of work, and addendum will be issued by the purchasing agent to all vendors through Cit-E-Bid system under Questions and Responses section to clarify any inquiries. The City will not be responsible for any other explanations or interpretations of the proposed bid made or given prior to the bid opening or award of contract.
- (a) Protest Procedures: The purpose of this procedure is to establish procedures whereby a vendor may protest specific procurement actions by the City of Laredo. The following sequence of activities must take place in filing a protest:
- (b) To be performed by protesting vendor: Within ten (10) days prior to the time that the City Council considers the recommendation of the City's Purchasing Officer, the protesting vendor must provide written protest to the City Purchasing Officer. Such protest must include specific reasons for the protest.
- (c) To be performed by City's Purchasing Officer: Shall review the records of procurement and determine legitimacy and procedural correctness. With five (5) working days, the City Purchasing Officer shall provide written response to the protesting vendor of the decision.
- (d) If the protesting vendor is not satisfied with the decision of the City Purchasing Officer, such protesting vendor may appeal to the City Manager of the City of Laredo. If the protesting vendor cannot resolve the issue with the City Manager, he shall be entitled to address his concerns when the City Council of the City of Laredo considers the awarding of the contract. Such appeal may be made only after exhausting all administrative procedures through the City Manager. All protests must be duly submitted via Certified Mail to:
  City of Laredo Purchasing Agent

5512 Thomas Ave.

Laredo, Texas 78041.

#### 8.0 BIDDER DISCOUNTS

- (a) Percent discounts within a certain period of time will be accepted but cannot be used in the bid evaluation. The period of the discount offered should be sufficient to permit payments within such period in the regular course of business by the City of Laredo.
- (b) In connection with any discounts offered, time will be computed from the date of receipt of supplies or service or from the date a correct invoice is received, whichever is the later date. Payment is deemed to be made on the date the check is mailed.

#### 9.0 INTENT OF CONTRACT

a) ANNUAL SUPPLY/SERVICE CONTRACTS: This contract does not commit the City to purchase the quantities indicated. The quantities are estimates and are based on the best available information. The purpose of this contract is to establish prices for the commodities or services needed, should the City need to purchase these commodities or services. Since the quantities are estimates, the City may purchase more than the estimated quantities, less than the estimated quantities, or not purchase any quantities at all. The needs of the City shall govern the amount that is purchased. All annual contracts shall bound by the terms of the bid documents. In the event a new contract cannot be executed on the anniversary date of the original term or renewal term, the contract may be renewed month to month until a new contract is executed.

The City's obligation for performance of an annual supply contract beyond the current fiscal year is contingent upon the availability of appropriated funds from which payments for the contract purchases can be made. If no funds are appropriated and budgeted during the next fiscal year, this contract becomes null and void.

#### 10.0 AWARD OF CONTRACT

- (a) This contract will be awarded by items to the (lowest responsive responsible bidder or bidders), in accordance to the provisions of Chapters 252 and 271 of the State of Texas Local Government Code. Definition of lowest responsive and responsible bidder as per the Institute for Public Procurement is:

  "Lowest Responsive and Responsible Bidder: The bidder who fully complied with all of the bid requirements and whose past performance, reputation, and financial capability is deemed acceptable, and who has offered the most advantageous pricing or cost benefit, based on the criteria stipulated in the bid documents."
- (b) The City reserves the right to accept any item or group of items in the bid specifications, unless the bidder qualifies it's bid by specific limitation. Proof: The bidder shall bear the burden of proof of compliance with the City of Laredo specifications.
- (c) A written award of acceptance (a duly approved purchase order or Letter of Award) furnished by the City to the successful bidder results in a binding contract without further action by either party. These Terms and Conditions shall be the basis and governing document of the binding contract.
- (d) Prices must be quoted F.O.B. Destination, Laredo, Texas, unless otherwise specified in the invitation to bid. The place of delivery shall be that set forth in the bid specifications and/or purchase order.
- (e) Title & Risk of Loss: The title and risk of loss of goods shall not pass to the City of Laredo until the City actually receives and takes possession of the goods at the point or points of delivery. The terms of this agreement is "no arrival, no sale".
- (f) Delivery time and prompt payment discounts will be considered in breaking ties. In the event of a tie bid, the successful bidder will be determined by choosing lots at the City Council meeting chambers.
- (g) The City of Laredo shall give written notice to the contractor (supplier) if any of the following conditions exist:
  - 1. Contractor does not provide materials in compliance with specifications and/or within the time schedule specified in bid.
  - 2. Contractor neglects or refuses to remove materials or equipment which have been rejected by the City of Laredo if found not to comply with the specifications.
  - 3. The contractor makes an unauthorized assignment for the benefit of any contractor.

    Upon receiving written notification from the City that one of the above conditions has occurred, the contractor must remedy the problem within ten (10) calendar days, to the complete satisfaction of the City, or the contract will be immediately canceled.

## 11.0 PAYMENT & INVOICING

- (a) All invoices to the City of Laredo have a 30-day term from receipt of supplies or completion of services.
- (b) Discount terms will be computed from the date of receipt and acceptance of supplies or services. Payment shall be deemed to be made from that date.
- (c) All invoices must show the purchase order number and invoices shall be legible. Items billed on invoices should be specific as to applicable stock, manufacturer catalog or part number. All items must show unit prices. If prices are based on discounts from list, then list prices must appear on bid schedule. All invoices shall be mailed to the Accounts Payable Office, City Hall, and PO. Box 210

Laredo, Texas 78042.

(d) The City of Laredo offers electronic funds transfer (ETF) payments in lieu of check payment when a vendor has filled out an Electronic Funds Transfer Authorization Form issued by the City of Laredo or upon request from the vendor. This ensures prompt payment directly deposited to a bank account. The estimated payment time is up fifteen (15) days from the date payment is processed. (e) For any inquires on payment status or general billing questions please contact:

Jorge J. Jolly, Accounts Payable Manager 956-791-7328 jiolly@ci.laredo.tx.us 1110 Houston St. Laredo, TX 78040.

#### 12.0 INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

If and when applicable or required by the contract, the successful bidder(s) shall furnish the City with original copies of valid insurance policies herein required upon execution of the contract and shall maintain said policies in full force and effect at all times throughout the term of this contract.

- (a) Commercial General Liability insurance at minimum combined single limits of \$1,000,000 per-occurrence and \$2,000,000 general aggregate for bodily injury and property damage, which coverage shall include products/completed operations (\$1,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate) and XCU (Explosion, Collapse, Underground) hazards. Coverage must be written on an occurrence form. Contractual Liability must be maintained covering the Contractors obligations contained in the contract. The general aggregate limit must be at least two (2) times the each occurrence limit.
- (b) Workers Compensation insurance at statutory limits, including Employers Liability coverage a minimum limits of \$1,000,000 each-occurrence each accident/\$1,000,000 by disease aggregate.
- (c) Commercial Automobile Liability insurance at minimum combined single limits of \$1,000,000 per-occurrence for bodily injury and property damage, including owned, non-owned, and hired car coverage.
- (d) Pollution Liability insurance with minimum limits of \$1,000,000.00 per occurrence.
- (e) Any Subcontractor(s) hired by the Contractor shall maintain insurance coverage equal to that required of the Contractor. It is the responsibility of the Contractor to assure compliance with this provision. The City of Laredo accepts no responsibility arising from the conduct, or lack of conduct, of the Subcontractor.
- (f) A Comprehensive General Liability insurance form may be used in lieu of a Commercial General Liability insurance form. In this event, coverage must be written on an occurrence basis, at limits of \$1,000,000 each-occurrence, combined single limit, and coverage must include a broad form Comprehensive General Liability Endorsement, products/completed operations, XCU hazards, and contractual liability.
- (g) With reference to the foregoing insurance requirement, Contractor shall specifically endorse applicable insurance policies as follows:
  - 1. The City of Laredo shall be named as an additional insured with respect to General Liability and Automobile Liability.
  - 2. All liability policies shall contain no cross liability exclusions or insured versus insured restrictions.
  - 3. A waiver of subrogation in favor of the City of Laredo shall be contained in the Workers compensation, and all liability policies.
  - 4. All insurance policies shall be endorsed to require the insurer to immediately notify The City of Laredo of any material change in the insurance coverage.
  - 5. All insurance policies shall be endorsed to the effect that The City of Laredo will receive at least sixty- (60) days' notice prior to cancellation or non-renewal of the insurance.
  - 6. All insurance policies, which name The City of Laredo as an additional insured, must be endorsed to read as primary coverage regardless of the application of other insurance.
  - 7. Required limits may be satisfied by any combination of primary and umbrella liability insurances.
  - 8. Contractor may maintain reasonable and customary deductibles, subject to approval by The City of Laredo.

- 9. Insurance must be purchased from insurers that are financially acceptable to the City of Laredo. Insurer must be rated A- or greater by AM Best Rating with an admitted carrier licensed by the Texas Department of Insurance.
- (h) All insurance must be written on forms filed with and approved by the Texas Department of Insurance. Certificates of Insurance shall be prepared and executed by the insurance company or its authorized agent and shall contain provisions representing and warranting the following:
  - 1. Sets forth all endorsements and insurance coverage's according to requirements and instructions contained herein.
  - 2. Shall specifically set forth the notice-of-cancellation or termination provisions to The City of Laredo.
- (i) Upon request, Contractor shall furnish The City of Laredo with certified copies of all insurance policies.
- (j) Certificates of insurance are always subject to review and approval from the City of Laredo Risk Management.
- (k) Specialty certificates and licenses must be inspected and verified for accuracy and validity before award of contract.
  - (l) Awarded vendor is required to maintain current and active all: certifications, licenses, permits and/or insurance coverages, required to perform work, throughout the duration of this project/contract.

#### 13.0 CONTRACT REQUIREMENTS

## 13.1 CODE OF ETHICS ORDINANCE 2012-0-126

Vendors doing business with the City of Laredo shall comply with all provisions of the City of Laredo's Code of Ethics.

## 13.2 PROHIBITED CONTACTS DURING CONTRACT SOLICITATION PERIOD

A person or entity who seeks or applies for a city contract or any other person acting on behalf of such person or entity, is prohibited from contacting city officials and employees regarding such a contract after a Formal Bid, Request for Proposal (RFP), Request for Qualification (RFQ) or other solicitation has been released. This no contact provision shall conclude when the contract is awarded. If contact is required, such contact will be done in accordance with procedures incorporated into the solicitation document. Violation of this provision by respondents or their agents may lead to disqualification of their offer from consideration.

## 13.3 NON-COLLUSIVE AFFIDAVIT (Attached)

The City may require that vendors submit a Non-Collusive Affidavit. The vendor will be required to state that the party submitting a proposal or bid, that such proposal or bid is genuine and not collusive or sham; that said Bidder has not colluded, conspired, connived or agreed, directly or indirectly, with any Bidder or Person, to put in a sham bid or to refrain from bidding, and has not in any manner, directly or indirectly, sought by agreement or collusion, or communication or conference, with any person, to fix the bid price or affiant or of any other Bidder, or to fix any overhead, profit or cost element of said bid price, or of that of any other Bidder, or to secure any advantage against the City of Laredo or any person interested in the proposed contract; and that all statements in said proposal or bid are true.

#### 13.4 CONTRACT DISCLOSURE FORMS (Attached)

The City of Laredo requires the following forms to be completed as a part of this bid for consideration;

- 1. Company Information Questionnaire,
- 2. Signed Price Schedule,
- 3. Conflict of Interest Questionnaire.
- 4. Non-Collusive Affidavit
- 5. Discretionary Contracts Disclosure
- 6. Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295) **Upon Award of Bid Only**

## 13.5 CONFLICT OF INTEREST FORMS (Attached)

Conflict of Interest Disclosure: A form disclosing potential conflicts of interest involving counties, cities, and other local government entities may be required to be filed after January 1, 2006, by vendors or potential vendors to local government entities. The new requirements are set forth in Chapter 176 of the Texas Local Government Code added by H.B. No. 914 of the last Texas Legislature.

## 13.6 TEXAS ETHICS COMMISSION (Form 1295, Attached)

Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295)

Implementation of House Bill 1295: In an effort to comply with state law the certificate of interested parties must be filled out once a vendor has been granted a contract. All of this information can be found on the state of Texas website, please use this link provided, <a href="https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/tec/1295-Info.htm">https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/tec/1295-Info.htm</a>

In 2015, the Texas Legislature adopted House Bill 1295, which added section 2252.908 of the Government Code. The law states that a governmental entity or state agency may not enter into certain contracts with a business entity unless the business entity submits a disclosure of interested parties to the governmental entity or state agency at the time the business entity submits the signed contract to the governmental entity or state agency. The law applies only to a contract of a governmental entity or state agency that either (1) requires an action or vote by the governing body of the entity or agency before the contract may be signed or (2) has a value of at least \$1 million. The disclosure requirement applies to a contract entered into on or after January 1, 2016.

In order to comply with state law the Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295) must be submitted to the Texas Ethics Commission within 10 days upon receiving notice of award of contract. This form must be submitted within the allotted time otherwise this will result in the cancellation of the contract.

## 14.0 DISQUALIFICATION & DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

By submitting this Statement of Qualifications, the firm certifies that it is not currently debarred or eligible for debarment from the City of Laredo pursuant to Ordinance No. 2017-O-098, and that it is not an agent of a person or entity that is currently debarred from receiving contracts from any political subdivision or agency of the State of Texas. The contract parties are further prohibited from making any award at any tier to any party that is debarred or suspended or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation in Federal Assistance Programs under Executive Order 12549, "Debarment and Suspension." By executing this agreement, the Engineer certifies that it is not currently debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation in Federal Assistance Programs under Executive Order 12549. The parties to this contract shall require any party to a subcontract or purchase order awarded under this contract to certify it eligibility to receive Federal funds and, when requested by the City, to furnish a copy of the certification.

Additionally, in accordance with Chapter 2270, Texas Government Code, a governmental entity may not enter into a contract with a company for goods or services unless the contract contains a written verification from the company that it: (1) does not boycott Israel; and (2) will not boycott Israel during the term of the contract. The signatory executing this contract on behalf of company verifies that the company does not boycott Israel and will not boycott Israel during the term of this contract.

S.B. 252 (V. Taylor/S. Davis) is a bill relating to government contracts with terrorists. The bill provides that: (1) a governmental entity, including a city, may not enter into a governmental contract with a company that is identified on a list prepared and maintained by the comptroller and that does business with Iran, Sudan, or a foreign terrorist organization; and (2) a company that the United States government affirmatively declares to be excluded from its federal sanctions regime relating to Sudan, its federal sanctions regime relating to Iran, or any federal sanctions regime relating to a foreign terrorist organization is not subject to the contract prohibition under the bill.

## Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. 1352)

Contractors that apply or bid for an award exceeding \$100,000 must file the required certification. Each tier certifies to the tier above that it will not and has not used Federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any Federal contract, grant or any other award covered by 31 U.S.C. 1352. Each tier must also disclose any lobbying with non-Federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any Federal award. Such disclosures are forwarded from tier to tier up to the non-Federal award.

# Formal Invitation for Bids Water & Wastewater Treatment Chemicals

#### 15.0 Scope of Work

Notice is hereby given that the City of Laredo is now accepting sealed bids, subject to the Terms and Conditions of this Invitation for Bids and other contract provisions, for the purchase of chemicals used for water and wastewater treatment for the Utilities Department. Copies of the bid specifications may be obtained from the Finance Department – Purchasing Division, 5512 Thomas Ave., Laredo, Texas 78041 or by downloading from our website: <a href="www.cityoflaredo.com">www.cityoflaredo.com</a> or through Cit-E-Bid: <a href="https://cityoflaredo.ionwave.net/Login.aspx">https://cityoflaredo.ionwave.net/Login.aspx</a>

- 15.1 The City of Laredo Water & Wastewater Department is requesting bids for the enclosed list of chemicals. All specification questions for this bid shall be directed to the following Utilities Department point of contacts:
  - Wastewater Treatment Mr. Tomas Hernandez at (956) 721-2022 or by email <a href="mailto:thernandez@ci.laredo.tx.us">thernandez@ci.laredo.tx.us</a> or Mr. Daniel Villagran, at (956) 721-2022 or by email <a href="mailto:thernandez@ci.laredo.tx.us">dvillagran@ci.laredo.tx.us</a>
  - Water Treatment Mr. Rolando San Miguel at (956) 795-2620 or by email <u>rsanmiguel2@ci.laredo.tx.us</u> or Mr. Erik D. Taboada at (956) 795-2620 or by email <u>etaboada@ci.laredo.tx.us</u>
- 15.2 All questions for this bid shall be submitted through Cit-E-Bid no later than 2:00 PM July 26, 2024.
- 15.3 The quantities listed on the attached sheets are approximate quantities for the period of one year.
- 15.4 The City of Laredo reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to accept any bid or combination of bids deemed advantageous to the City of Laredo.
- 15.5 The City of Laredo reserves the right to cancel contract upon thirty (30) days written notice if bidder fails to conform to the terms and conditions as stated in these specifications.
- 15.6 Prospective bidders must prove beyond any doubt to the City Purchasing Agent that they are duly qualified and capable to fulfill and abide by the specifications herein listed.
- 15.7 Bidders are required to submit their proposals upon the following expressed conditions:

  When contractors cannot abide by the terms and conditions in fulfilling their contracts, contractor must supply the materials from other sources at the contract price. If contractor delays in providing the service or supplies, i.e., chemicals, the City of Laredo reserves the right to purchase on the open market and charge the contractor the difference between the contract price and the purchase price.
- 15.8 All chemicals in bidder's specifications must comply with contract and are to be equal to or better in all respect.
- All chemicals will be purchased on a per-need basis. Purchase orders will be issued to the successful bidder for each order. All invoices must have purchase order number and authorized signature to process for payment.
- 15.10 All chemicals purchased by the City of Laredo, for Water and Wastewater Department must comply with all government state and federal regulations. Except for chemicals used specifically in wastewater applications, the successful bidder shall submit an affidavit of compliance with all pertinent A.W.W.A. specifications.
- 15.11 Bid price shall be given per pound or per gallon of product, **FOB freight included**, Laredo, Texas. Where applicable, bidders shall state the product concentration as well as the active ingredient concentration, if different from that specified. For bid evaluation purposes the City reserves the right to recalculate the price of the chemical to reflect the specified concentrations.

15.12 Method of delivery shall have all necessary safety equipment, appropriate unloading equipment, and sufficient manpower to provide for proper unloading of product and materials without the assistance of City of Laredo personnel. Unloading of chemical units will be the sole responsibility of the company delivery personnel and the delivery company will be liable for any damages to City property.

Ship to Locations: Jefferson Water Treatment Plant, El Pico Water Treatment Plant, Zacate Wastewater Treatment Plant, United WWTP, Penitas WWTP, Lar-Colombia WWTP, South Laredo WWTP and the North Laredo WWTP. Addresses will be provided upon award of contract.

15.13 Should a major spill occur due to the negligence of the person in charge of delivering the product, all costs of product lost from shipment (or any amount lost from storage tanks should they be affected) will be encumbered by the product supplier, namely the awarded vendor.

#### 16.0 DEFINITIONS

- 16.1 Buyer The City of Laredo, Purchasing Division is herein called the buyer.
- 16.2 Supplier The company from which chemicals will be purchased is hereinafter called the supplier.
- 16.3 ANSI/NSF American National Standards Institute/National Sanitation Foundation. Standard 60 shall apply to all chemicals to be indirectly added to public water supplies. Standard 61 shall apply to all chemicals to be indirectly added to public water supplies.

### 17.0 Chemical Specifications

## 17.1 <u>Liquid Sodium Hydroxide (NaOII) 50% Concentration (Water Treatment Plants)</u>

Chemical Composition

Liquid sodium hydroxide (NaOH) shall have a concentration of 50% in weight and comply with the latest edition of ANSI/AWWA B501-19 Standard for Caustic Soda.

Liquid sodium hydroxide 50% concentration offered in this proposal is in complete compliance with current City of Laredo Standards and Specifications.

Net unit price of Liquid sodium hydroxide 50% concentration offered in this bid shall be firm for a period of one year.

#### 17.2 <u>Calcium Hypochlorite (CaCl₂O₂) (Wastewater Treatment Plants)</u>

This specification covers Calcium Hypochlorite to be used as a disinfectant in the treatment of wastewater.

General Requirements: Except as otherwise modified or supplemented herein, material furnished shall meet the latest edition of ANSI/AWWA B300-18 Standard. Calcium Hypochlorite should contain 70 percent available chlorine.

Net price of Calcium Hypochlorite must include any Haz Mat fees and any other associated fees required to meet State and Federal codes.

Delivery will be made in truckloads of 100 lb. containers as required by City of Laredo, Water & Wastewater Department. The City will consider buying HTH in 50 lb. containers if available. Write in any other size proposed.

Delivery trucks must carry their own unloading equipment (air compressors, pumps, hoses, adapters, rear hydraulic elevators, etc.) Unloading will be the sole responsibility of the truck driver and any damages to the City property caused by negligence of the driver will be charged to the successful bidder.

Calcium Hypochlorite offered in this proposal is in complete compliance with current Laredo Water & Wastewater Department Standards and Specifications.

Net unit price of Calcium Hypochlorite offered in this bid shall be firm for a period of one year.

## 17.3 <u>Liquid Chlorine (Cl) (Water Treatment Plants & Wastewater Treatment Plants)</u>

Liquefied Chlorine shall meet the latest edition of ANSI/AWWA B301-18 Standard for liquid chlorine and NSF/ANSI Standard 60: Drinking Water Treatment Chemicals – Health Effects, latest edition. In the event of conflict between AWWA and NSF/ANSI Standards, NSF/ANSI Standards will supersede.

The City of Laredo shall have the right to reject any shipment that fails to meet the specifications contained herein or any shipment that has been damaged in transit.

Successful bidder is responsible to safely unload full cylinders and load empty cylinders.

Successful bidder will be required to furnish Liquefied Chlorine in one-ton containers and keep an inventory of not less than 16 full one-ton containers at all times for delivery to the Laredo Waterworks System at Laredo, Texas within 24 hours in case of emergency.

Successful bidder will deliver one-ton containers in a self-unloading trailer and the City shall have the option of splitting the load among various locations where chlorine is used.

Successful bidder shall periodically inspect one-ton containers and furnish evidence of such inspection. Provide pressure test results certification for all cylinders delivered to Utilities Divisions / Facilities. Cylinders shall be painted on the outside with aluminum paint.

The successful bidder will be required to abide by the rules and regulations of the Wastewater Treatment Plant's Accidental Release and Prevention Program (USEPA 40 CFR 68 — Chemical Accident Prevention Provisions)

Net price of Liquid Chlorine must include any rental of equipment fees, Haz Mat fees, and any other associated fees required to meet State and Federal Codes.

Net unit price of Liquid Chlorine offered in this bid shall be firm for a period of one year.

Note: Bidder must bid on the same commodity in 150 lb. bottles (see price schedule)

## 17.4 <u>Liquid Aluminum Sulfate (AL₂O₁₂S₃) 50% (Water Treatment Plants)</u>

Liquid Aluminum Sulfate shall have a concentration of 50% by weight and comply with latest edition of ANSI/AWWA B403-16 and contain less than 25 mg/L total organic carbon (TOC) and less than 50 mg/L iron for such concentration. Liquid Aluminum Sulfate shall be made from aluminum trihydroxide only. Aluminum trihydroxide recovered from manufacturing and refinery waste streams is not acceptable. Liquid aluminum sulfate shall be watery clear white to clear in color. The liquid aluminum sulfate shall be free from any odors.

The material shall meet the following chemical and physical properties:

Aqueous solution of aluminum sulfate

10043-01-3 (C.A.S.)

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pH (neat)	1.4-2.6
Specific Gravity @ 21° C (70° F)	1.30-1.35
Freezing Point (approx.)	-16°C (4°F)
Density, lbs./gal., US	10.8-11.3
Aluminum as Al, %	4.2-4.5
Aluminum as Al2O3, %	8.0-8.4
Aluminum as Al2(SO4)3·14H2O (Dry Alum). %	46-49

The City of Laredo shall have the right to reject any shipment that fails to meet the specifications, consistency, or appearance contained herein.

## The product bid must be quoted on a 50% weight aluminum sulfate base.

At the request of the City, the successful bidder shall submit an affidavit of compliance with ANSI/AWWA B403-16 Standard plus an analysis data sheet of the product as reported by a commercial laboratory other than the manufacturer. All invoices must be adjusted to real concentrations of product delivered.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish 50% Liquid Aluminum Sulfate in bulk by trucks carrying their own delivery equipment such as pumps, compressor and hoses. The truck driver shall perform the unloading operation without assistance (under normal circumstances) and insure that no spills occur during such operation. Should a major spill occur due to negligence of the person in charge of delivering the product, all costs of product lost from the shipment (or any amount lost from storage tanks should then be affected) will be encumbered by the product supplier, namely the successful bidder.

Successful bidder shall be required to keep an inventory of no less than 44,000 lbs. of product at all times for delivery to the city of Laredo within 24 hours in case of an emergency.

Net unit price of Liquid Aluminum Sulfate offered in this bid shall be firm for a period of one year.

## 17.5 Cationic Polymer (Water Treatment Plants)

Chemical Composition

The cationic polymer shall contain 20% dimethyl diallyl ammonium chloride as the active ingredient such as the CAT FLOC T manufactured by Calgon Com

The cationic polymer furnished shall be suitable for treatment of water for human consumption. Pertinent documentation shall be presented to prove the non-toxic nature of the product.

Bidders must state the shelf life of the product when exposed to the elements as in the case of an outdoor fiberglass storage tank. The City of Laredo will take shipments of 48,000 pounds at a time. Delivery trucks must carry their own unloading equipment (air compressors, pumps, hoses, adaptors, rear hydraulic elevators, etc.)

Unloading will be the sole responsibility of the truck driver and any damages to the City property caused by negligence of the driver will be charged to the successful bidder.

For evaluation purposes the City reserves the right to bench-test the polymers to determine their performance relative to all others. Performance shall be based on residual turbidity for a conventional jar test, under the raw water characteristics prevailing at the time of testing.

Net unit prices of cationic polymer offered in this bid shall be firm for a period of one year.

#### 17.6 <u>Wastewater Sludge Conditioning Polymers</u> (Wastewater Treatment Plants)

Organic polymer, synthetic, high molecular weight, water soluble electrolytes, manufactured specifically for use in flocculants in conditioning wastewater sludge for belt filter press applications. Polymer shall be a dispension/emulsion readily and completely soluble in water. The polymer must maintain minimum ninety percent (90%) strength for up to six months after delivery. Physical and chemical characteristics shall not change during this period.

Net unit prices of sludge conditioning polymers offered in this bid shall be firm for a period of one year.

Pre-qualification - The City reserves the right to pre-qualify any and all products offered for this bid. Bidders will be required to perform jar testing using their recommended product and provide the testing results to owner. In addition, bidders must provide desire chemical in five gallon pails for in-house testing. At the City's desire, a pilot test or full-scale test shall be conducted to determine the most advantageous product for the City. Should product testing become necessary, the City will prepare and will issue guidelines and additional requirements.

### Shipping:

- A. The polymer shall be shipped via tank trucks with a minimum loading of 2000 gallons and a maximum loading of 5000 gallons per shipment.
- B. The City Of Laredo reserves the option of shipment in 55 gallons drums or by the truck loads.

Delivery trucks must carry their own unloading equipment (air compressors, pumps, hoses, adapter, rear hydraulic elevators, etc.) unloading will be the sole responsibility of the truck driver and any damages to the City property caused by the negligence of the driver will be charged to the successful bidder. Pricing shall be F.O.B., City of Laredo Southside and North Laredo Wastewater Treatment Plants.

#### 17.7 Anionic Polymer (Water Treatment Plants & Wastewater Treatment Plants)

Chemical to be used in wastewater for odor control is to be shipped and received in 270 gallon totes.

Must meet the American Water Works Association specifications; latest standard version. Anionic Polymer shall contain a liquid physical state (straw colored liquid), with a boiling point of 100 degrees C and a specific gravity (H2=1)-1.02 - 1.04. The truck driver shall perform the unloading and transfer of the chemical into specialized storage tanks without assistance (under normal circumstances) and insure that no spills occur during such operation. Should a major spill occur due to negligence of the person in charge of delivering the product, all costs of product lost from that shipment (or any amount lost from storage tanks) and/or any soil remediation requirements affected will be encumbered by the product supplier, namely the successful bidder.

Net unit prices of anionic polymer offered in this bid shall be firm for a period of one year.

#### 17.8 Liquid Ammonium Sulfate (H₃N₂O₄S) (Water Treatment Plants)

The material shall be commonly known as Liquid Ammonium Sulfate (LAS). The liquid shall be suitable for feeding by means of metering pumps or other metering devices constructed of corrosion resistant materials. ANSI/AWWA B302-16 Standard for Ammonium Sulfate and NSF/ANSI Standard 60: Drinking Water Treatment Chemicals - Health Effects, latest edition. In the event of conflict between AWWA and NSF/ANSI Standards, NSF/ANSI Standards will supersede. The material shall be provided with Affidavit of Compliance or Certified Analysis as suitable for contact with or treatment of drinking water by an accredited certification organization in accordance to NSF/ANSI Standard 60: Drinking Water Treatment Chemicals - Health Effects.

The material shall meet the following chemical and physical properties:

Weight % dry salt	38-40
% available ammonia	
Specific Gravity	1.20-1.23
pH	
Soluble Iron	
Insoluble Matter	<0.01 wt%
Freeze Point	<10 deg. F
Appearance	Clear colorless to faint vel

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Liquid ammonium sulfate shall contain no soluble material or organic substances in quantities capable of producing deleterious or injurious effects on the health of those consuming water that has been treated properly with the ammonium sulfate.

The vendor shall conduct training classes in the handling and safety of Liquid Ammonium Sulfate at the plant site, at the request of the Plant Superintendent. The training shall meet all of the requirements of the Hazard Communications Act.

Packaging and shipping of Liquid Ammonium Sulfate shall be in accordance with current federal, state and local regulations. The tanks shall be suitable materials that will not be affected by the properties of the liquid. Tank trucks shall be in suitable condition for hauling liquid ammonium sulfate and shall not contain any substances that might affect the use of usefulness of the product in treating water for human consumption.

Copies of certified lab showing compliance with all listed specifications shall be provided with each order of product. A current copy of the NSF/ANSI Standard 60 certificate shall be included in the bid packet for the product described. Additionally, each bill of lading shall bear the NSF Stamp.

Net unit prices of liquid ammonium sulfate offered in this bid is shall be firm for a period of one year.

## 17.9 <u>Liquid Aluminum Sulfate 50% with 1% Copper Sulfate (Water Treatment Plants)</u>

Liquid Aluminum Sulfate with 1% Copper Sulfate shall have a concentration of 50% by weight and comply with the latest edition of ANSI/AWWA B403-16 Standard for Aluminum Sulfate and contain less than 25 mg/L total organic carbon (TOC) and less than 50 mg/L iron for such concentration. Liquid Aluminum Sulfate shall be made from aluminum trihydroxide (ATH) only. Aluminum trihydroxide (ATH) recovered from manufacturing and refinery waste streams is not acceptable. Liquid aluminum sulfate shall be watery clear white to clear in color. The liquid aluminum sulfate shall be free from all odors.

The material shall meet the following chemical and physical properties:

#### Aluminum sulfate mixture

10043-01-3 / 7758-99-8 (C.A.S.)

pH (neat)	2.4-2.7
Specific Gravity @ 21° C (70° F)	1.29-1.32
Freezing Point (approx.)	-16°C (3° <b>F</b> )
Density, lbs./gal., US	10.8-11.0
Aluminum as AI, %	4.1-4.3
Aluminum as AL2O3, %	7.7-8.1
Copper (II) Sulfate Pentahydrate, %	0.8-1.2
Soluble Cupric Iron (CU +2), %	0.2031

- Needs to be EPA Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) Certification (EPA Website)
- Needs to ships from Texas
- Must respond within 48 hours
- Must be able to have same day and overnight shipping
- Aluminum Sulfate shall be made from Hydrate Alumina. Bauxite Aluminum Sulfate will not be accepted

The City of Laredo shall have the right to reject any shipment that fails to meet the requirements and specifications contained herein.

#### The product bid must be quoted on a 50% weight aluminum sulfate base.

At the request of the City, the successful bidder shall submit an affidavit of compliance with all pertinent and latest edition AWWA Standards plus an Affidavit of Compliance and analysis data sheet of the product as

reported by a commercial laboratory other than the manufacturer. All invoices must be adjusted to real concentrations of product delivered.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish 50% Liquid Aluminum Sulfate in bulk by trucks carrying their own delivery equipment such as pumps, compressor and hoses. The truck driver shall perform the unloading operation without assistance (under normal circumstances) and insure that no spills occur during such operation. Should a major spill occur due to negligence of the person in charge of delivering the product, all costs of product lost from the shipment (or any amount lost from storage tanks should then be affected) will be encumbered by the product supplier, namely the successful bidder.

Successful bidder shall be required to keep an inventory of no less than 44,000 lbs. of product at all times for delivery to the City of Laredo within 24 hours in case of an emergency.

Net unit price of Liquid Aluminum Sulfate offered in this bid shall be firm for a period of one year.

#### 18.0 Insurance Requirements

The successful bidder(s) shall furnish the City with original copies of valid insurance policies herein required upon execution of the contract and shall maintain said policies in full force and effect at all times during the term of this contract. Said insurance policies shall comply with all requirements set forth in section 12.0 of these specifications. Contractor(s) shall keep a current certificate of insurance in the City of Laredo Purchasing Division at all times and shall immediately report any changes to the Purchasing Office Administration.

#### 19.0 Term of Contract

The term of this contract shall be for a period of two (2) years beginning as of the date of its execution. The contract may be extended for three, additional one (1) year periods. Should the vendor desire to extend the contract for the additional one-year period, it must so notify the City in writing no later than sixty (60) days before the expiration of the prior term. Such notification shall be effective upon actual receipt by the City. Renewals shall be in writing and signed by the City's Purchasing Manager & City Manager or his designee, without further action by the Laredo City Council, subject to and contingent upon appropriation of funding therefore. All annual contracts shall bound by the terms of the bid documents. The City shall also have the right to extend this contract under the same terms and conditions beyond the original term or any renewal thereof, on a month to month basis, not to exceed 3 months. Said month to month extensions shall be in writing, signed by the City's Purchasing Manager & City Manager or his designee, and shall not require City Council approval, subject to and contingent upon appropriation of funding therefore. The City reserves the right to renew or rebid this contract, if the appropriated funds initially approved by City Council are exhausted before the contract expiration date. This contract will shall be the responsibility of and administered by the vendor and the City of Laredo Utilities Department.

#### 20.0 Award of Contract

documents."

This contract will be awarded by items to the (lowest responsive responsible bidder or bidders), in accordance to the provisions of Chapters 252 and 271 of the State of Texas – Local Government Code. Definition of lowest responsive and responsible bidder as per the Institute for Public Procurement is: "Lowest Responsive and Responsible Bidder: The bidder who fully complied with all of the bid requirements and whose past performance, reputation, and financial capability is deemed acceptable, and who has offered the most advantageous pricing or cost benefit, based on the criteria stipulated in the bid

Annual Supply/Service Contract: This contract does not commit the City to purchase the quantities indicated. The quantities are estimates and are based on the best available information. The purpose of this contract is to establish prices for the commodities or services needed, should the City need to purchase these commodities or services. Since the quantities are estimates, the City may purchase more than the estimated quantities, less than the estimated quantities, or not purchase any quantities at all. The needs of the City shall govern the amount that is purchased and change orders shall not be applicable.

#### 20.1 <u>Disclosure of Interested Parties</u>

Section 2252.908 of the Texas Government Code requires a business entity entering into certain contracts with a governmental entity to file with the governmental entity a disclosure of interested parties at the time the business entity submits the signed contract to the governmental entity. Section 2252.908 requires the disclosure form (Form 1295) to be signed by the authorized agent of the contracting business entity, acknowledging that the disclosure is made under oath and under penalty of perjury.

Section 2252.908 applies only to a contract that requires an action or vote by the governing body of the governmental entity before the contract may be signed or has a value of at least \$1 million. Section 2252.908 provides definitions of certain terms occurring in the section.

Section 2252.908 applies only to a contract entered into on or after Jan. 1, 2016. (Only if awarded contract is approved by City Council). The form must be submitted electronically through the <u>Texas Ethics Commission</u> website. Once the form is submitted and given a unique registration number, the business entity must manually sign the form and have it notarized. The form should be sent to the government entity which will then verify the form on the Texas Ethics Commission website.

## 21.0 Price Adjustment*****

The City of Laredo will allow unit price adjustments upwardly or downwardly when correlated with an industry wide adjustment. Any request for reasonable price adjustments will be considered. Justification for the requested adjustment on original fixed pricing must have mutual consent from both parties and be supported by appropriate documentation. A written notice stipulating in detail the price revision must be furnished to the City no less than 30 days before revised prices go into effect. Any request for reasonable price adjustments will be considered. Justification for the requested adjustment on original fixed pricing must have mutual consent from both parties and be supported by appropriate documentation. The City will not take action to intentionally delay legitimate manufacturer unit price increases. The City of Laredo reserves the right to cancel the contract if the price increase is deemed excessive; a new contract vendor will be selected on the basis of competitive bids. Documentation may be emailed to ealdape@ci.laredo.tx.us

### 22.0 Termination

This contract shall be for an initial period of two years or twenty-four months from the commencement date. Either party will have the right to terminate the contract by giving written notice to the other party at least 3 months before the end of the initial period of the contract or at least 30 days at any point after the end of the initial period. Either party may terminate this contract by written notice to the other at any time if the other party: Commits a breach of this contract and, in the case of a breach capable of remedy, fails to remedy the breach within 10 days of being required to do so in writing; or becomes insolvent, or has a liquidator, receiver, manager or administrative receiver appointed.

#### 23.0 Required Format and Contents of Bid Submission

For a bid to be considered it must contain the following information:
Company Information Questionnaire
Conflict of Interest Questionnaire
Non-Collusive Affidavit
Discretionary Contract Disclosure
Form 1295

### 24.0 Bidder Information Questionnaire

# Bidder Information/Business Questionnaire: Please complete all information requested below and submit with your bid package

"The undersigned affirms that they are duly authorized to execute this contract, that this company, corporation, firm, partnership or individual has not prepared this bid in collusion with any other bidder, and that the contents of this bid as to prices, terms or conditions of said bid have not been communicated by the undersigned nor by any employee or agent to any other person engaged in this type of business prior to the official opening of this request. By submitting this bid the vendor agrees to the City of Laredo specifications and all terms and conditions stipulated in the proposed document. That I, individually and on behalf of the business named in this Business Questionnaire, do by my signature below, certify that the information provided in the questionnaire is true and correct."

Name of Offeror (Business) Polydyne Inc.	4.,
Signature South Kills of person authorized to sign bid	Date 07/31/24
Print Name Boyd Stanley of person authorized to sign bid	
Title: Sr. Vice-President	
Business Address: One Chemical Plant Rd.	
City, State, Zip Code: Riceboro, GA 31323	
Telephone Number: (800) 848-7659 Option	2 Fax Number; (912) 880-2078
Contact Person Email Address: bids@polydy	neinc.com
Federal Tax ID Number: 34-1810283	
Bidders Principal/Corporate Place of Business Ad	dress: One Chemical Plant Rd., Riceboro, GA 31323
Indicated Status of Business:	
Corporation Partnership	Sole Proprietorship Other:
If other state business status:	To the transfer of the transfe
State how long under its present business name:	29 years
If applicable, list all other names under which the Basi	
	Control of the Contro
Will bidder/proposer provide a copy of its financial sta	tements for the last two veries if requested by the City of Larado Van

Has the business, or any officer or partner thereof, failed to complete a contract? Yes /(No.)
Is any litigation pending against the Business? Yes / No.
Is offeror currently for sale or involved in any transaction to expand or to become acquired by another business entity? Yes No If yes, offer need to explain the expected impact both in organizational and directional terms.
Has the Business ever been declared "not responsive" for the purpose of any governmental agency contract award? Yes /(No.)
Has the Business been debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, voluntarily excluded, or otherwise disqualified from bidding, proposing, or contracting? Yes / (No)
Are there any proceedings, pending relating to the Business responsibility, debarment, suspension, voluntary exclusion, or qualification to receive a public contract? Yes / No.)
Hs the government or other public entity requested or required enforcement of any of its rights under a surety agreement on the basis of default or in lieu of declaring the Business in default? Yes / (No)
Is the Business in arrears in any contract or debt? Yes (No)
Has the Business been a defaulter, as a principal, surety, or otherwise? Yes / No
Have liquidated damages or penalty provisions been assessed against the Business for failure to complete work on time or for any other reason? Yes / (No.)
State if company is a certified minority business enterprise: Historically Underutilized Business (HUB): Yes No Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE): Yes No
Small Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (SDBC) Yes (No) Other: Please specify
This company is not a certified minority business:
The above minority information is requested for statistical and tracking purposes only and will not influence the amount of expenditure the City will make with any given company

## 25.0 Tab B Price Schedule

# 25.1 Section 1: Chemical Bid Price Schedule - Unit price must include freight charges, fuel charges, and HAZ-MAT fees.

Item	Chemical	Unit of Measure	Est./Qty./Year	Unit Price	Ext. Price
I	Liquid Sodium Hydroxide (50%)	47,000 Lbs.	9	§ No Bid	\$
2	Liquid Sodium Hydroxide (50%)	275 Gal. Tote	9	\$ No Bid	\$
3	Liquid Sodium Hydroxide (25%)	47,000 Lbs.	9	\$ No Bid	\$
4	Calcium Hypochlorite	100 Lbs. Drum	90	\$ No Bid	\$
5	Liquid Chlorine	2,000 lbs. Cylinder	1,120	\$ No Bid	\$
6	Liquid Chlorine	150 lbs. Cylinder	630	\$ No Bid	\$
7	Liquid Aluminum Sulfate (50%)	48,000 Lbs.	145	\$ No Bid	\$
8	Cationic Polymer (C-308)	45,000 Lbs.	10	\$ 40,050.00	\$ 400,500.00
9	Anionic Polymer Clarifloc A-210P	270 Gal. Tote	10	\$ 3,657.00/tote	§ 36,570.00
10	Liquid Ammonium Sulfate	50,000 Lbs.	50	\$ No Bid	\$
H	Liquid Aluminum Sulfate with 1% Copper Sulfate	48,000 Lbs.	145	\$ No Bid	\$
12	Wastewater PolymerClariflec CE 107	3 25,000 Lbs.	9	\$ 44,250.00	\$ 398,250.00
13	Wastewater Polymer Clarifloc C-626	55 Gallon Drum	50	\$ 796.50 / drum	*** ***** *** **** **** ***************
14	Liquid Ammonium Sulfate (38%-40%)	48,000 lbs.	50	\$ No Bid	\$

Company Name:	Polydyne Inc.
Owner/President Name:	John Pittman, President
Company Address:	One Chemical Plant Rd.
City, State, Zip Code:	Riceboro, GA 31323
Company Authorized Repr	esentative's Signature: /scaff Atuly.
Company Representative's	a so to the second
	cates agreement with "Instructions to Bidder - General Terms and specifications listed on this document."

******If the bidder submits both an electronic bid and a properly completed manual bid, the Purchasing Division will use the electronic bid to determine the total bid amount of the bid. If the bidder submits an electronic bid and a manual bid that is not complete, the Purchasing Division will use the electronic bid to determine the total bid amount of the bid.**********

## 26.0 Conflict of Interest Disclosure

A form disclosing potential conflicts of interest involving counties, cities, and other local government entities may be required to be filed after January 1, 2006, by vendors or potential vendors to local government entities. The new requirements are set forth in Chapter 176 of the Texas Local Government Code added by H.B. No. 914 of the last Texas Legislature.

Companies and individuals who contract, or seek to contract, with the City of Laredo and its agents may be required to file with the City Secretary's Office, 1110 Houston Street, Laredo, Texas 78040, a Conflict of Interest Questionnaire that describes affiliations or business relationships with the City of Laredo officers, or certain family members or business relationships of the City of Laredo officer, with which such persons do business, or any gifts in an amount of \$250.00 or more to the listed City of Laredo officer (s) or certain family members.

The new requirements are in addition to any other disclosures required by law. The dates for filing disclosure statements begin on January 1, 2006. A violation of the filing requirements is a Class C misdemeanor.

The Conflict of Interest Questionnaire (Form CIQ) may be downloaded from <a href="http://www.ethics.state.tx.us/whatsnew/conflict forms.htm">http://www.ethics.state.tx.us/whatsnew/conflict forms.htm</a>.

The City of Laredo officials who come within Chapter 176 of the Local Government Code relating to filing of Conflicts of Interest Questionnaire (Form CIQ) include:

- 1. Mayor
- 2. Council Members
- 3. City Manager
- 4. Members of the Fire Fighters and Police Officers Civil Service Commission.
- 5. Members of the Planning and Zoning Commission.
- 6. Members of the Board of Adjustments
- 7. Members of the Building Standards Board
- 8. Parks & Leisure Advisory Committee Member,
- 9. Historic District Land Board Member,
- 10. Ethics Commission Board Member,
- 11. The Board of Commissioners of the Laredo Housing Authority
- 12. The Executive Director of the Laredo Housing Authority
- 13. Any other City of Laredo decision making board member
  If additional information is needed please contact the Purchasing Agent at 956-794-1731

M HAVE READ THIS FORM AND ATTEST THAT THERE IS NO CONFLICT OF INTEREST THUS NO V	OLATION OF SECTION 176 008
LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE EXISTS.	
Boyd Stanley, Sr. Vice-President Date 07/31/24	
Jan Jan	
CONFLICT OF INTEREST QUESTIONNAIRE	CORM OLO
For vendor or other person doing business with local governmental entity	FORM CIQ
This questionnaire reflects changes made to the law by H.B. 1491, 80th Leg., Regular Session.	OFFICE USE ONLY
This questionnaire is being filed in accordance with Chapter 176, Local Government	Conta Macallan
Code by a person who has a business relationship as defined by Section 176.001(1-a) with a local governmental entity and the person meets requirements under Section 176.006(a).	
By law this questionnaire must be filed with the records administrator of the local governmental	
entity not later than the 7th business day after the date the person becomes aware of facts.	
that require the statement to be filed. See Section 176,006, Local Government Code.	
A person commits an offense if the person knowingly violates Section 176.006, Local Government Code. An offense under this section is a Class C misdemeanor.	
1 Name of person who has a business relationship with local governmental entity.	
Boyd Stanley	
Check this box if you are filing an update to a previously filed questionnaire.  (The law requires that you file an updated completed questionnaire with the appropriate 7th business day after the date the originally filed questionnaire becomes incomplete or inaccurate.	filing authority not later than the
Name of local government officer with whom filer has employment or business relationshi	p.
N/A, No such relationships exist.	
Name of Officer	
This section (item 3 including subparts A, B, C & D) must be completed for each office an employment or other business relationship as defined by Section 176.001(1-a), Lot this Form CIQ as necessary.	er with whom the filer has cal Government pages to
A. Is the local government officer named in this section receiving or likely to receive taxable income, income, from the filer of the questionnaire?  Yes	ome, other than investment
B. Is the filer of the questionnaire receiving or likely to receive taxable income, other than invest direction of the local government officer named in this section AND the taxable income is governmental entity?    Yes	ment income, from or at the not received from the local
C. Is the filer of this questionnaire employed by a corporation or other business entity with respe government officer serves an officer or director, or holds an ownership of 10 percent or more?	ct to which the local Yes   No
D. Describe each employment or business relationship with the local government officer name	ned in this section
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Signature of person doing business with the governmental entity	Dale
Boyd Stanley, Sr. Vice-President	

27.0 Non-Collusive Affidavit	AFFIDAVIT
Project:	
Form of Non-Collusive Affidavit Georgia STATE OF TEXMAN {} COUNTY OF WEEDS {}	AFFIDAVIT
Liberty	Boyd Stanley
Being first duly sworn, deposes and s	ays:
That he/she is Sr. V (a Partner of officer of t	ice-President of the firm of Polydyne Inc. he firm of, etc.)
shame; that said Bidder has not col Bidder or Person, to put in a sham h indirectly, sought by agreement or co bid price or affiant or of any other Bi of that of any other Bidder, or to secu	Signature of:  Righter Xi the Bidder is an instruction  Signature of:  Righter Xi the Bidder is an instruction  Signature of:  Righter Xi the Bidder is a Corporation
Subscribed and swom before me	Releva Benjuy Notary Public
My Commission expires:  My Commission Expires  December 17, 2026	BEASIE TO BEASIE TO BERTY COUNTY

28.0 Discretionary Contracts Disclosure



## City of Laredo Discretionary Contracts Disclosure

Please fill out this form online, print completed form and submit with proposal to originating department. All questions must be answered.

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F) *This is a	or details on use of th aNew Submission	is form, se ı orCo	ee Section 4.01 if the City prrection orUpdate t	r's Ethics Code. o previous submission.
*1: Name of person s	ubmitting this disclos	ure form.		
William		В.	Stanley	
First		M.I.	Last	Suffix
*2. Contract Informa	uion.	8128		
a) Contract or Project	name(s):			
	FY24-0	95 Water	& Wastewater Treatmen	nt Chemicals
b) Originating Departm	Utilities l	Departme	nt	
, ,				
*3 Name of individua	l(s) or entity(ies) seel	ding a coni	ract with the city (i.e. pa	ertos to alta controla da
Polydyne Inc.	<u></u>	ang a com	1141 <u>00044004110411044</u> 04	it ties to the continuti)
Name (Print)	Signature		Name (Print)	Signature
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Name (Print)	Signature	<u>,</u>	Name (Print)	Signature
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*4. List any business entity(ies) that is a partner, parent, subsidiary business entity(ies) of the individual or entity listed in Question 3. Please see attached "Polydyne Inc. General Information" sheet.

#### **POLYDYNE INC**

#### CERTIFICATE OF RESOLUTIONS

I, Christopher J, Gannon, Secretary of Polydyne Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), do hereby certify that at a duly called meeting of the Board of Directors of the Company, held on January 8, 2020, the Board of Directors unanimously approved the following Resolutions:

> RESOLVED, that Boyd Stanley, René Pich, John Pittman, Mark Schlag, Bobby Wise and Ken Luke be and hereby are authorized, empowered and directed to bid, in the name of and on behalf of the Corporation, upon such municipal projects as he may deem appropriate; and further

> RESOLVED, that Boyd Stanley, René Pich, John Pittman, Mark Schlag, Bobby Wise and Ken Luke be and hereby are authorized and empowered to execute and deliver, in the name of and on behalf of the Corporation, all documents. instruments, certificate, agreements and papers as he may deem advisable or necessary or proper to effect the Corporation's municipal bids or the transactions contemplated thereby; and further

> RESOLVED, that any Officer of the Corporation be and hereby is authorized and empowered, and to the extent necessary or advisable, directed, to attest the execution of any document executed pursuant to these resolutions, and to affix the seal of the Corporation thereto, and to certify under seal to any municipality the adoption of these resolutions; and further

> RESOLVED, that the authorizations granted under these Resolutions shall continue in full force and effect until successors to the foregoing representatives of the Corporation shall have been duly appointed or until the death, resignation or removal of each such representative.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has signed this Certificate of Resolutions with effect this 8th day of January 2020.

ristopher J. Gannon, Secretary

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I attest the authenticity of this copy of the Resolution of the Board of Directors. This resolution is still valid and in effect as of date signed.

Mark Schlag

Vice President Finance, Assistant Secretary & Treasurer

Date: 7/31/2024

## Polydyne Inc. General Information

Federal Identification No.

34-1810283

State of Incorporation:

Delaware

Date of Incorporation:

August 21, 1995

Administrative Offices:

P.O. Box 279,

1 Chemical Plant Road Riceboro, GA 31323

Payment Address:

P.O. Box 404642

Atlanta, GA 30384-4642

**Board of Directors** 

John Pittman

## Officers

President	John Pittman
Secretary	Christopher Gannon
VP-Finance, CFO, Treasurer & Assistant Secretary	Mark Schlag
Senior Vice President	Boyd Stanley
Vice President	Ken Luke

*Authorized Signers-Non Officers

Bobby Wise	Controller
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Ownership Disclosure

Corporation	Percent Ownership	Owner
Polydyne Inc.	100	SNF Holding Company
SNF Holding Company	100	SPCM SA
SPCM SA	100	Mr. René PICH holds and/or controls 100% of the shares of SPCM SA, a company duly organized and existing under the laws of France, whose registered office is in ZAC de Milieux, Andrézieux, (42163), FRANCE, registered under the number 312 327 737 in the Commercial Registry of the town of Saint-Etienne (42000), FRANCE.

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TONCHASING DIVISION
☐ Not applicable. Contracting party(ies) does not have partner, parent, or subsidiary business entities.
☐ Name of partner, parent, or subsidiary business entity(ies):
*5. List any individuals or entities that will be subcontractors on this contract:
Not applicable. No subcontractors will be retained for this contract.
Subcontractors may be retained, but have not been selected at the time of this submission.
☐ List of subcontractors:
*6. List any attorneys, lobbyists, or consultants that have been retained to assist in seeking this contract;
Not applicable. No attorneys, lobbyists, or consultants that have been retained to assist in seeking this contract.
List of attorneys, lobbyists, or consultants that have been retained to assist in seeking this contract:
2. 2.50 of another, of constitute that have been retained to assist in scoking this contract.
*7. Disclosure of political contributions.
List any campaign or officeholder contributions made by the following individuals in the past 24 months totaling
more than \$100 to any current member of City Council, former member of City Council, any candidate for City Council, or to any political action committee that contributes to City Council elections.
a) Any individual seeking contract with the city (Question 3)
b) Any owner or officer of entity seeking contract with the city (Question 3)
c) Any individual or owner or officer of any entity listed above as partner, parent, or subsidiary business (Question 4)
<ul> <li>d) Any subcontractor or owner/office of subcontracting entity retained for the contract (Question 5)</li> <li>e) The spouse of any individual listed in response to (a) through (d) above</li> </ul>
f) Any attorney, lobbyist, or consultant retained to assist in seeking contract (Question 6)
Martine Martin
Not applicable. No campaign or officeholder contributions have been made in the preceding 24 months by these individuals.

☐ List of contributors:
Updates on Contributions Required
Information regarding contributions must be updated by submission of a revised form from the date of the submission of this form, up through the time City Council takes action on the contract identified in response to Question 2 and continuing for 30 calendar days after the contract has been awarded.
*8. Disclosure of conflict of interest
Are you aware of any fact(s) with regard to this contract that would raise a "conflict of interest" issue under Section 2.01 of the Ethics Code for any City Council member or board/commission member that has not or will not be raised by these city officials?
am not aware of any conflict(s) of interest issues under Section 2.01 of the Ethics Code for members of City Council or a city board/commission.
☐ I am aware of the following conflict(s) of interest:
*Acknowledgements
Updates Required
I understand that this form must be updated by submission of a revised form if there is any change in the information before the discretionary contract is the subject of action by the City Council, and no later than five (5) business days after any changes has occurred, whichever comes first. This include information about political contributions made
after the initial submission and up until thirty (30) calendar days after the contract has been awarded.
No Contract with City Officials or Staff during Contract Evaluation
I understand that a person or entity who seeks or applies for a city contract or any other person acting on behalf of that

I understand that a person or entity who seeks or applies for a city contract or any other person acting on behalf of that person or entity is prohibited from contracting city officials and employees regarding the contract after a Request for Proposal (RFP), Request for Qualifications (RFQ), or other solicitation has been released.

This no-contract provision shall conclude when the contract is posted as a City of Laredo Council agenda item. If contact is required with city officials or employees, the contact will take place in accordance with procedures incorporated into the solicitation documents. Violation of this prohibited contacts provision set out in Section 2.09 of the Ethics Code by respondents or their agents may lead to disqualification of their offer from consideration.

*Conflict of Interest Questionnaire (CIQ)

Chapter 176 of the Local Government Code requires contractor and vendors to submit a Conflict of Interest Form (CIQ) to the Office of the City Secretary.

	*Oath	
attachments, to the best of Boyd Stanley Name (Print)	the statements contained in this Discretice of my knowledge and belief are true, correction of the state of t	nary Contracts Disclosure Form, including any ect, and complete.  Title Sr. Vice-President
Polydyne Inc.		07/31/24

Please fill this form out online, print and submit completed form with proposal to origination department. All questions must be answered. If necessary to mail, send to:

City of Laredo P.O. Box 579 Laredo, TX 78042-0579

## 29.0 Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295)

In an effort to comply with state law the certificate of interested parties must be filled out once a vendor has been granted a contract. All of this information can be found on the State of Texas website, please use this link provided, <a href="https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/tec/1295-Info.htm">https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/tec/1295-Info.htm</a>.

#### Implementation of House Bill 1295

## 29.1 Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295):

In 2015, the Texas Legislature adopted House Bill 1295, which added section 2252.908 of the Government Code. The law states that a governmental entity or state agency may not enter into certain contracts with a business entity unless the business entity submits a disclosure of interested parties to the governmental entity or state agency at the time the business entity submits the signed contract to the governmental entity or state agency. The law applies only to a contract of a governmental entity or state agency that either (1) requires an action or vote by the governing body of the entity or agency before the contract may be signed or (2) has a value of at least \$1 million. The disclosure requirement applies to a contract entered into on or after January 1, 2016.

The Texas Ethics Commission was required to adopt rules necessary to implement that law, prescribe the disclosure of interested parties form, and post a copy of the form on the commission's website. The commission adopted the Certificate of Interested Parties form (Form 1295) on October 5, 2015. The commission also adopted new rules (Chapter 46) on November 30, 2015, to implement the law. The commission does not have any additional authority to enforce or interpret House Bill 1295.

### 29.2 Filing Process:

Staring on January 1, 2016, the commission will make available on its website a new filing application that must be used to file Form 1295. A business entity must use the application to enter the required information on Form 1295 and print a copy of the completed form, which will include a certification of filing that will contain a unique certification number. An authorized agent of the business entity must sign the printed copy of the form. The completed Form 1295 with the certification of filing must be filed with the governmental body or state agency with which the business entity is entering into the contract.

The governmental entity or state agency must notify the commission, using the commission's filing application, of the receipt of the filed Form 1295 with the certification of filing not later than the 30th day after the date the contract binds all parties to the contract. The commission will post the completed Form 1295 to its website within seven business days after receiving notice from the governmental entity or state agency.

Information regarding how to use the filing application will be available on this site starting on January 1, 2016.

Additional Information:

HB 1295

Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295)

New Chapter 46, Ethics Commission Rules:

46.1. Application

46.3. Definitions

46.5. Disclosure of Interested Parties Form

CERTIFICATE OF INTE	FORM 1295				
Complete Nos. 1 - 4 and 6 if the Complete Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, and 6	OFFIC	CE USE ONLY			
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<ol> <li>Name of governmental entity or state which the form is being filed.</li> </ol>	e agency that is a party to the contract	for			
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City, State, Country  Nature of Interest (check applie				(check applicable)	
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5 Check only If there is NO Interested F	Party.				
AFFIDAVIT I swear, or affirm, under penalty of perjury, that the above disclosure is true and correct.					
AFFIX NOTARY STAMP / SEAL ABOVE	Signature of authorized	agent of c	ontracting busi	ness entity	
Sworn to and subscribed before me, by the s	aid		, this the	day	
Signature of officer administering oath	Printed name of officer administering oa	th	Title of offic	er administering oath	
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Form provided by Texas Ethics Commission

www.ethics.state.tx.us

Adopted 10/5/2015

*******Form does not need to be notarized******

## 30.0 Vendors Instructions:

Hand delivered bids will be received at the City Secretary Office, 1110 Houston St., 3rd. floor, Laredo, Texas 78040 until 5:00 P.M. on August 8, 2024; and all bids received will be opened and read publicly at 9:00 A.M. at the Office of the City Secretary on August 9, 2024.

Hand delivered Bids are to be submitted in a sealed envelope clearly marked:

Bid: Water & Wastewater Treatment Chemicals – Utilities Department FY24-095

Bids can be downloaded and submitted through Cit-E-Bid: https://cityoflaredo.ionwaye.net/Login.aspx

or

Hand Delivered:

City of Laredo - City Sccretary C/O Mario I. Maldonado Jr. City Hall - Third Floor 1110 Houston Street Laredo, Texas 78040

## **CERTIFICATE OF INTERESTED PARTIES** FORM 1295 1 of 1 Complete Nos. 1 - 4 and 6 if there are interested parties. OFFICE USE ONLY Complete Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, and 6 if there are no interested parties. **CERTIFICATION OF FILING** Name of business entity filing form, and the city, state and country of the business entity's place Certificate Number: of business. 2024-1194806 Polydyne Inc. Riceboro, GA United States Date Filed: Name of governmental entity or state agency that is a party to the contract for which the form is 07/31/2024 being filed. City of Laredo Date Acknowledged: Provide the identification number used by the governmental entity or state agency to track or identify the contract, and provide a description of the services, goods, or other property to be provided under the contract. Water & Wastewater Treatment Chemicals Nature of interest Name of Interested Party City, State, Country (place of business) (check applicable) Controlling Intermediary 5 Check only if there is NO Interested Party. $\mathbf{x}$ **6 UNSWORN DECLARATION** My name is ____ Boyd Stanley April 10, 1960 _, and my date of birth is _ My address is 113 Sir Edward Teach Rd. GA 31320 USA Midway (city) (zip code) (country) I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Liberty Georgia County, State of Executed in (month) (year) Signature of authorized agent of contracting business entity (Declarant) Forms provided by Texas Ethics Commission www.ethics.state.tx.us Version V4,1.0.48da51f7



# **CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE**

DATE (MW/DD/YYYY) 8/5/2024

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

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DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS/LOCATIONS/VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required) The City of Laredo is included as an Additional Insured with respect to General Liability and Automobile Liability as required by written contract and in accordance with the provisions of the policy. Waiver of Subrogation is included under Workers Compensations as required by written contract. Insurance coverage applies on a primary basis as required by contract. Should any of the above described policies be cancelled before the expiration date thereof, the policy provisions will govern how notice of cancellation may be delivered to certificate holders in accordance with the policy provisions of each policy.  RE: FY24-095 Water & Wastewater Treatment Chemicals  EXCESS LIABILITY POLICY PROVIDES ADDITIONAL EXCESS LIMITS OVER THE PRIMARY \$1M POLLUTION LIABILITY POLICY.										
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## Randal Vickery

From: Randal Vickery

Sent: Tuesday, July 30, 2024 11:49 AM

To: 'ealdape@ci.laredo.tx.us'

Cc: US-RIC-Polydyne Bid Dept.; Marcus Ortiz; Rick Johnson

Subject: FY24-095 (FY24-095 Water

Tracking:	Recipient	Delivery	Read
	'ealdape@ci.laredo.tx.us'		
	US-RIC-Polydyne 8id Dept.		
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	Rick Johnson	Delivered: 7/30/2024 11:49 AM	Read: 7/30/2024 3:08 PM
	plocke@polydyneinc.com	Delivered: 7/30/2024 11:49 AM	
	randalv@polydyneinc.com	Delivered: 7/30/2024 11:49 AM	
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#### Mr. Aldape,

While reviewing the documents for Event FY24-095 for Water & Wastewater Treatment Chemicals, we noticed that Professional Liability, Errors & Omissions coverage has been added to Section 41 of the Bid Attributes as Item D, while in Section 12.0 Item D is Pollution Liability. While Pollution Liability is applicable to a contract for the supply of chemicals Professional Liability is not. It is our belief that the City correctly intended for Pollution Liability to be listed as Item D in both sections, as it was in the previous bid. Professional Liability coverage is normally required for professions that market their expertise or professional opinion, such as Physicians, Attorneys or Engineers. Event 24-095 is for the supply of Water and Wastewater Treatment Chemicals. Vendors awarded contracts as a result of the subject bid event will be invoicing the City of Laredo for quantities of chemicals (tangible products) shipped to the City by the vendor, not professional expertise. The products bid are determined by testing or, in the case of Polydyne, are currently in use at the City's facilities. Due to determination that Polydyne Inc's role as a polymer supplier to its customers does not rise to a level that would warrant the need for this type of coverage by our Insurance Broker and our Legal Counsel, Polydyne Inc. does not carry this type of coverage.

As mentioned above, we believe that the City's intent was that Pollution Liability, an applicable coverage that Polydyne Inc. and any other chemical supplier would carry, be listed as Item D. We are alerting you to this discrepancy so that it may be corrected.

Best regards,

Randal Vickery Bid and Contract Coordinator



Polydyne Inc.

Ph.: (912) 880-2035 Fax: (912) 880-2078

## **Randal Vickery**

From:

Enrique Aldape III <ealdape@ci.laredo.tx.us>

To:

Randal Vickery

Sent: Subject: Tuesday, July 30, 2024 11:49 AM

Read: FY24-095 (FY24-095 Water

## Your message

To: Enrique Aldape III

Subject: FY24-095 (FY24-095 Water Sent: Tuesday, July 30, 2024 10:48:35 AM (UTC-06:00) Central Time (US & Canada)

was read on Tuesday, July 30, 2024 10:48:53 AM (UTC-06:00) Central Time (US & Canada).



## **AFFIDAVIT OF COMPLIANCE**

Polydyne Inc. hereby affirms that Clarifloc C-308P meets the specifications of the National Standards Institute/National Sanitation Foundation (ANSI/NSF) Standard 60 for liquid polymer, and the latest standard #AWWA B-451-23 of the American Water Works Association (AWWA).

CLARIFLOC C-308P contains no Acrylamide or Epichlorohydrin.

Polydyne Inc. hereby affirms that Clarifloc A-210P meets the specifications of the National Standards Institute/National Sanitation Foundation (ANSI/NSF) Standard 60 for liquid polymer, and the latest standard #AWWA B-453-19 of the American Water Works Association (AWWA).

CLARIFLOC A-210P contains no Epichlorohydrin

Product Bulletins and Safety Data Sheets for each product are attached.

The official NSF Listing, Safety Data Sheet and Product Data Sheet are attached.

POLYDYNE INC.

Boyd Stapley

Sr. Vice-President

07/31/24

Date



The Public Health and Safety Organization

## **NSF Product and Service Listings**

These NSF Official Listings are current as of **Monday**, **August 5**, **2024** at 12:15 a.m. Eastern Time. Please contact NSF to confirm the status of any Listing, report errors, or make suggestions.

Alert: NSF is concerned about fraudulent downloading and manipulation of website text. Always confirm this information by clicking on the below link for the most accurate information:

http://info.nsf.org/Certified/PwsChemicals/Listings.asp?Company=37260&Standard=060&

## NSF/ANSI/CAN 60 Drinking Water Treatment Chemicals - Health Effects

## Polydyne Incorporated

P.O. Box 279
Riceboro, GA 31323
United States
800-848-7659
Visit this company's website
(http://www.polydyneinc.com)

Facility: Los Angeles, CA

#### Poly (Diallyldimethylammonium Chloride)(pDADMAC)

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Clarifloc® C-308P	Coagulation & Flocculation	50 mg/L
Clarifloc@ C-318	Coagulation & Flocculation	25 mg/L
Clarifloc@ C-318P	Coagulation & Flocculation	25mg/L
Clarifloc® C-328	Coagulation & Flocculation	83mg/L
Clarifloc® C-338	Coagulation & Flocculation	50 mg/L
Clarifloc® C-348	Coagulation & Flocculation	25 mg/L
Clarifloc® C-358	Coagulation & Flocculation	50 mg/L
Clarifloc@ C-368	Coagulation & Flocculation	29mg/L
Clarifloc® C-378	Coagulation & Flocculation	50mg/L
Clarifloc® C-388	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4410	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L

Clarifloc® C-4411	Coagulation & Flocculation	91mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4412	Coagulation & Flocculation	83mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4413	Coagulation & Flocculation	77mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4414	Coagulation & Flocculation	72mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4415	Coagulation & Flocculation	67mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4416	Coagulation & Flocculation	62mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4417	Coagulation & Flocculation	59mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4418	Coagulation & Flocculation	56mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4419	Coagulation & Flocculation	53mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4420	Coagulation & Flocculation	50mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4422	Coagulation & Flocculation	46mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4424	Coagulation & Flocculation	42mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4426	Coagulation & Flocculation	39mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4428	Coagulation & Flocculation	36mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4430	Coagulation & Flocculation	33mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4435	Coagulation & Flocculation	29mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4440	Coagulation & Flocculation	25mg/L
Clarifloc® LF-3541	Coagulation & Flocculation	100 mg/L
Polyacrylamide[PC]		
Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Clarifloc® A-6320	Coagulation & Flocculation	3mg/L
Clarifloc® N-120P	Coagulation & Flocculation	3mg/L
Clarifloc® N-6310	Coagulation & Flocculation	3 mg/L
FLOPAM™ EM 230 PWG	Coagulation & Flocculation	3mg/L

[PC] Polyacrylamide Products Certified by NSF International comply with 40 CFR 141.111 requirements for percent monomer and dose.

Coagulation & Flocculation

3mg/L

Facility: Riceboro, GA

FLOPAM™ EM 235 PWG

## Miscellaneous Water Supply Products[1] [2]

Trade DesignationProduct FunctionMax UseFlosperse 30 SWell Cleaning AidNAWell Drilling Aid

- [1] This product is designed to be flushed out prior to using the system for drinking water. The well is to be properly flushed and drained before being placed into service. This product is to be used according to the manufacturer's use instructions.
- [2] These products are designed to be flushed out prior to using the system for drinking

water. Before being placed into service, the well is to be properly flushed according to the manufacturer's use instructions. Certification of these products is based on the well drilling model with the following assumptions:

- The amount of well drilling fluid used is 3780 L (1000 U.S. gallons) to which the drilling fluid has been added at the manufacturer's recommended level.
- The aquifer contains 3.1 million liters of water (815,000 gallons) based on a 0.5 acre aquifer of 6.1 meter depth (20 ft.) and 25% porosity.
- The bore hole is 61 meters in total depth (200 ft.), the screen is 6.1 meters in length (20 ft.), and the bore hole is 25.4 cm. in diameter (10 in.).
- The amount of well drilling fluid removed from the well during construction is equal to the combined volumes of the casing and the screen, plus an additional amount removed through the well disinfection and development (90% removed).
- This product should not be used in constructing wells in highly porous formations, such as cavernous limestone.

## Poly (Diallyldimethylammonium Chloride)(pDADMAC)

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Clarifloc® C-308P	Coagulation & Flocculation	50mg/L
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Clarifloc® C-328	Coagulation & Flocculation	83mg/L
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Clarifloc® C-388	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Clarifloc® C-398	Coagulation & Flocculation	29mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4408	Coagulation & Flocculation	125mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4410	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4411	Coagulation & Flocculation	91mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4412	Coagulation & Flocculation	83mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4413	Coagulation & Flocculation	77mg/L
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Clarifloc® C-4428		36mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4430		33mg/L

Clarifloc® C-4435	Coagulation & Flocculation	29mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4440	Coagulation & Flocculation	25mg/L
Clarifloc® LF-3541	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
FBS 515C	Coagulation & Flocculation	50mg/L
FBS 587C	Coagulation & Flocculation	50mg/L
FBS 591C	Coagulation & Flocculation	50mg/L
FBS 592C	Coagulation & Flocculation	25mg/L

# Polyacrylamide[PC]

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
CLARIFLOC A-3345P	Coagulation & Flocculation	ımg/L
CLARIFLOC C-6246 PWG	Coagulation & Flocculation	3mg/L
CLARIFLOC C-6256 PWG	Coagulation & Flocculation	3mg/L
CLARIFLOC® C-6241 PWG	Coagulation & Flocculation	ımg/L
Clarifloc C-6270	Coagulation & Flocculation	3mg/L
Clarifloc® A-210P	Coagulation & Flocculation	3 mg/L
Clarifloc® A-3301	Coagulation & Flocculation	1 mg/L
Clarifloc® A-3308P	Coagulation & Flocculation	1 mg/L
Clarifloc® Λ-3310	Coagulation & Flocculation	1 mg/L
Clarifloc® A-3320	Coagulation & Flocculation	1 mg/L
Clarifloc® A-3333P	Coagulation & Flocculation	1 mg/L
Clarifloc® A-3340	Coagulation & Flocculation	1 mg/L
Clarifloc® A-3360	Coagulation & Flocculation	1mg/L
Clarifloc® A-6270	Coagulation & Flocculation	3mg/L
Clarifloc® A-6320	Coagulation & Flocculation	3 mg/L
Clarifloc® A-6330	Coagulation & Flocculation	3 mg/L
Clarifloc® A-6335	Coagulation & Flocculation	3mg/L
Clarifloc® A-6340	Coagulation & Flocculation	1 mg/L
Clarifloc® A-6355	Coagulation & Flocculation	3mg/L
Clarifloc® A-6360	Coagulation & Flocculation	3 mg/L
Clarifloc® A6351	Coagulation & Flocculation	3mg/L
Clarifloc® C-3203	Coagulation & Flocculation	1mg/L
Clarifloc® C-3205	Coagulation & Flocculation	1 mg/L
Clarifloc® C-3210	Coagulation & Flocculation	1 mg/L
Clarifloc® C-3223	Coagulation & Flocculation	1 mg/L
Clarifloc® C-3226	Coagulation & Flocculation	1mg/L
Clarifloc® C-3230	Coagulation & Flocculation	1 mg/L
Clarifloc® C-3257	Coagulation & Flocculation	1 mg/L
Clarifloc® C-3280	Coagulation & Flocculation	1 mg/L
Clarifloc® C-6203	Coagulation & Flocculation	1 mg/L
Clarifloc® C-6210	Coagulation & Flocculation	3 mg/L
Clarifloc® C-6215	Coagulation & Flocculation	3mg/L
Clarifloc® C-6220	Coagulation & Flocculation	3 mg/L
Clarifloc® C-6240	Coagulation & Flocculation	3 mg/L
Clarifloc® C-6242 PWG	Coagulation & Flocculation	ımg/L

Clarifloc® C-6257 PWG	Coagulation & Flocculation	3mg/L
Clarifloc® C-6260	Coagulation & Flocculation	3 mg/L
Clarifloc® C-6265 PWG	Coagulation & Flocculation	3mg/L
Clarifloc® C-6266 A PWG	Coagulation & Flocculation	3mg/L
Clarifloc® C-6266 PWG	Coagulation & Flocculation	3mg/L
Clarifloc® N-120P	Coagulation & Flocculation	3 mg/L
Clarifloc® N-3300P	Coagulation & Flocculation	1 mg/L
Clarifloc® N-6310	Coagulation & Flocculation	3 mg/L
FBS 7000PWG	Coagulation & Flocculation	3mg/L
FBS 930PWG	Coagulation & Flocculation	1mg/L
FBS A-103PWG	Coagulation & Flocculation	ımg/L
FBS A104PWG	Coagulation & Flocculation	3mg/L
FBS C1285PWG	Coagulation & Flocculation	3mg/L
FBS C294PWG	Coagulation & Flocculation	3mg/L
FBS C8415PWG	Coagulation & Flocculation	1mg/L
FBS-A192PWG	Coagulation & Flocculation	ımg/L
FLOPAM™ EM 533 PWG	Coagulation & Flocculation	3mg/L
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[PC] Polyacrylamide Products Certified by NSF International comply with 40 CFR 141.111 requirements for percent monomer and dose.

# Polyamines[PY]

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
CLARIFLOC® C-369	Coagulation & Flocculation	10mg/L
Clarifloc® C-309P	Coagulation & Flocculation	10mg/L
Clarifloc® C-319	Coagulation & Flocculation	10mg/L
Clarifloc® C-329	Coagulation & Flocculation	10mg/L
Clarifloc® C-339	Coagulation & Flocculation	10mg/L
Clarifloc® C-349	Coagulation & Flocculation	10mg/L
Clarifloc® C-359	Coagulation & Flocculation	10mg/L
Clarifloc® C-379	Coagulation & Flocculation	10mg/L
Clarifloc® C-389	Coagulation & Flocculation	10mg/L
Clarifloc® C-399	Coagulation & Flocculation	10mg/L
FLOQUAT™ FL 3050 PWG	Coagulation & Flocculation	10mg/L
PRP 3050	Coagulation & Flocculation	10mg/L

[PY] Polyamines Certified by NSF International comply with 40 CFR 141.111 requirements for percent monomer and dose.

Sodium Polyacrylate[1] [2]

Trade Designation Product Function Max Use

- [1] This product is designed to be flushed out prior to using the system for drinking water. The well is to be properly flushed and drained before being placed into service. This product is to be used according to the manufacturer's use instructions.
- [2] These products are designed to be flushed out prior to using the system for drinking water. Before being placed into service, the well is to be properly flushed according to the manufacturer's use instructions. Certification of these products is based on the well drilling model with the following assumptions:
  - The amount of well drilling fluid used is 3780 L (1000 U.S. gallons) to which the drilling fluid has been added at the manufacturer's recommended level.
  - The aquifer contains 3.1 million liters of water (815,000 gallons) based on a 0.5 acre aquifer of 6.1 meter depth (20 ft.) and 25% porosity.
  - The bore hole is 61 meters in total depth (200 ft.), the screen is 6.1 meters in length (20 ft.), and the bore hole is 25.4 cm. in diameter (10 in.).
  - The amount of well drilling fluid removed from the well during construction is equal to the combined volumes of the casing and the screen, plus an additional amount removed through the well disinfection and development (90% removed).
  - This product should not be used in constructing wells in highly porous formations, such as cavernous limestone.

# Facility: Dolton, IL

# Poly (Diallyldimethylammonium Chloride)(pDADMAC)

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Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Clarifloc® C-308P	Coagulation & Flocculation	50mg/L
Clarifloc® C-318	Coagulation & Flocculation	25mg/L
Clarifloc® C-328	Coagulation & Flocculation	83mg/L
Clarifloc® C-378	Coagulation & Flocculation	50mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4408	Coagulation & Flocculation	125mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4410	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4411	Coagulation & Flocculation	91mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4412	Coagulation & Flocculation	83mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4413	Coagulation & Flocculation	77mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4414	Coagulation & Flocculation	72mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4415	Coagulation & Flocculation	67mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4416	Coagulation & Flocculation	62mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4417	Coagulation & Flocculation	59mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4418	Coagulation & Flocculation	56mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4419	Coagulation & Flocculation	53mg/L

Clarifloc® C-4420 Clarifloc® C-4422 Clarifloc® C-4424 Clarifloc® C-4426 Clarifloc® C-4428 Clarifloc® C-4430 Clarifloc® C-4435 Clarifloc® C-4440	Coagulation & Flocculation Coagulation & Flocculation Coagulation & Flocculation Coagulation & Flocculation Coagulation & Flocculation Coagulation & Flocculation Coagulation & Flocculation Coagulation & Flocculation Coagulation & Flocculation	50mg/L 46mg/L 42mg/L 39mg/L 36mg/L 33mg/L 29mg/L 25mg/L
Clarifloc® I.F-3541	Coagulation & Flocculation Coagulation & Flocculation	25mg/L 100mg/L

Facility: Plaquemine, LA

# Polyacrylamide[PC]

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Clarifloc A-210P	Coagulation & Flocculation	3mg/L

[PC] Polyacrylamide Products Certified by NSF International comply with 40 CFR 141.111 requirements for percent monomer and dose.

Facility: Pearlington, MS

# Poly (Diallyldimethylammonium Chloride)(pDADMAC)

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Clarifloc® C-308P	Coagulation & Flocculation	50mg/L
Clarifloc® C-318	Coagulation & Flocculation	25mg/L
Clarifloc® C-328	Coagulation & Flocculation	83mg/L
Clarifloc® C-338	Coagulation & Flocculation	50mg/L
Clarifloc® C-348	Coagulation & Flocculation	25mg/L
Clarifloc® C-358	Coagulation & Flocculation	50mg/L
Clarifloc® C-368	Coagulation & Flocculation	29mg/L
Clarifloc® C-378	Coagulation & Flocculation	50mg/L
Clarifloc® C-388	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Clarifloc® C-398	Coagulation & Flocculation	29mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4135	Coagulation & Flocculation	29mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4408	Coagulation & Flocculation	125mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4410	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4411	Coagulation & Flocculation	91mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4412	Coagulation & Flocculation	83mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4413	Coagulation & Flocculation	77mg/L

Clarifloc® C-4414	Coagulation & Flocculation	71mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4415	Coagulation & Flocculation	67mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4416	Coagulation & Flocculation	62mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4417	Coagulation & Flocculation	59mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4418	Coagulation & Flocculation	56mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4419	Coagulation & Flocculation	53mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4420	Coagulation & Flocculation	50mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4422	Coagulation & Flocculation	46mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4424	Coagulation & Flocculation	42mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4426	Coagulation & Flocculation	39mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4428	Coagulation & Flocculation	36mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4430	Coagulation & Flocculation	33mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4435	Coagulation & Flocculation	29mg/L
Clarifloc® C-4440	Coagulation & Flocculation	25mg/L
Clarifloc® LF-3541	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
FBS 515C	Coagulation & Flocculation	50mg/L
FBS 521N	Coagulation & Flocculation	50mg/L
Polyamines[PY]		

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Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Clarifloc® C-309D	Coagulation & Flocculation	32mg/L
Clarifloc® C-309P	Coagulation & Flocculation	10mg/L
Clarifloc® C-319	Coagulation & Flocculation	20mg/L
Clarifloc® C-329	Coagulation & Flocculation	20mg/L
Clarifloc® C-339	Coagulation & Flocculation	10mg/L
Clarifloc® C-349	Coagulation & Flocculation	10mg/L
Clarifloc® C-359	Coagulation & Flocculation	10mg/L
Clarifloc® C-379	Coagulation & Flocculation	20mg/L
Clarifloc® C-389	Coagulation & Flocculation	10mg/L
Clarifloc® C-399	Coagulation & Flocculation	10mg/L
FLOQUAT™ FL 3050 PWG	Coagulation & Flocculation	10mg/L
PRP 3050	Coagulation & Flocculation	10mg/L

[PY] Polyamines Certified by NSF International comply with 40 CFR 141.111 requirements for percent monomer and dose.

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# **POLYDYNE**

# CLARIFLOC C-308P POLYMER

#### **CHARACTERISTICS**

CLARIFLOC C-308P polymer is a low molecular weight, homopolymer of diallyldimethylammonium chloride. It is an effective organic coagulant for water clarification in a variety of municipal applications. CLARIFLOC C-308P can partially or totally replace alum, ferric, lime and other inorganic coagulants, thereby reducing sludge volume. Unlike inorganics, it is effective over very wide pH ranges. CLARIFLOC C-308P is NSF certified for clarification of potable water at dosages up to 50 mg/L.

#### TYPICAL PROPERTIES

Physical Form Clear Amber Liquid
Density 8.4 - 8.9 Lbs/Gal
Freezing Point 25 F. (-4 C.)

Solubility Totally Water Soluble

#### PREPARATION AND FEEDING

CLARIFLOC C-308P is a solution polymer which can be diluted to any convenient concentration for feeding. No special makedown or activation procedures are necessary. The polymer can be diluted in-line using a static mixer or in a stirred vessel. Diluting to 1-10% is highly recommended for all clarification applications because the coagulant will be distributed more efficiently into the system with less chance of overdose.

#### MATERIALS OF CONSTRUCTION

Crosslinked polyethylene, fiberglass, staintess steel and lined mild steel are the preferred materials of construction for bulk tanks. Unlined mild steel, black iron, galvanized steel, or copper are not recommended in any part of the polymer feed system. Stainless steel or PVC are the best choice for pump heads and feed lines.

#### MANUFACTURING SPECIFICATIONS

 Specific Gravity
 1.03 - 1.05

 % Active
 19.0 - 22.0

 Product Viscosity
 80 - 180 cPs

 Product pH
 5.0 - 7.0

#### HANDLING AND STORAGE

CLARIFLOC C-308P has a suggested in-plant storage life of one year in unopened drums. For best results, store at 40-90 F. Protect from freezing. If the product freezes, allow it to warm up in a heated area and thaw thoroughly before attempting to use it. For spills of CLARIFLOC C-308P, sprinkle sawdust or vermiculite over the spill area and sweep the material into approved chemical disposal containers.

# **PRODUCT SAFETY INFORMATION**

CLARIFLOC C-308P is a mildly acidic product that can irritate the skin and eyes, so gloves, rubber apron and goggles should be worn during the handling of this product. Anyone responsible for the procurement, use or disposal of this product should familiarize themselves with the appropriate safety and handling information outlined in the **POLYDYNE** Material Safety Data Sheet. Inthe event of an emergency with CLARIFLOC C-308P, contact Chemtrec anytime day or night at (800) 424-9300.

#### SHIPPING

CLARIFLOC C-308P Polymer is shipped in 55 gallon drums containing 450 pounds net and 275 gallon totes containing 2300 pounds net. Bulk quantities are also available.

# ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

To place an order or obtain technical information from any location in the continental United States, call toll free:

(800) 848-7659

# For additional information, please refer to the Safety Data Sheet (SDS)

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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product Identifier

Product name:

CLARIFLOC™ C-308P

Type of product:

Mixture.

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses:

Processing aid for industrial applications.

Uses advised against:

None.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company:

POLYDYNE INC

1 Chemical Plant Road

**PO BOX 279** 

Riceboro, GA 31323

Telephone:

1-800-848-7659

Telefax:

(912)-884-8770

E-mail address:

1.4. Emergency telephone number

24-hour emergency number:

1-800-424-9300

### **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to paragraph (d) of 29 CFR 1910.1200:

Not classified.

2.2. Label elements

Labelling according to paragraph (f) of 29 CFR 1910.1200:

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Hazard symbol(s);

None.

Signal word:

None.

Hazard statement(s):

None.

Precautionary statement(s):

None,

2.3. Other hazards

Spills produce extremely slippery surfaces.

# SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.1. Substances

Not applicable, this product is a mixture.

3.2. Mixtures

#### Hazardous components

Contains no reportable hazardous substances.

#### SECTION 4: First aid measures

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

#### Inhalation:

Move to fresh air. No hazards which require special first aid measures.

#### Skin contact

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. In case of persistent skin irritation, consult a physician.

#### Eye contact.

Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Alternatively, rinse immediately with Diphoterine ®. Get prompt medical attention.

#### Ingestion:

Rinse mouth with water. Do NOT induce vomiting. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

None under normal use.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

None reasonably foreseeable.

Other information:

None.

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#### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

## 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media:

Water. Water spray. Foam. Carbon dioxide (CO2). Dry powder.

Warning! Spills produce extremely slippery surfaces.

Unsuitable extinguishing media:

None known.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazardous decomposition products:

Thermal decomposition may produce: hydrogen chloride gas, nitrogen oxides (NOx), carbon oxides (COx). Hydrogen cyanide (hydrocyanic acid) may be produced in the event of combustion in an oxygen deficient atmosphere.

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

#### Protective measures:

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective suit.

Other information:

Spills produce extremely slippery surfaces.

#### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

# 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

#### Personal precautions:

Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Spills produce extremely slippery surfaces.

#### Protective equipment:

Wear adequate personal protective equipment (see Section 8 Exposure Controls/Personal Protection).

#### Emergency procedures:

Keep people away from spill/leak. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Do not contaminate water.

# 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

#### Small spills:

Do not flush with water. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal.

#### Large spills:

Do not flush with water. Dam up. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Clean up promptly by scoop or vacuum.

#### Residues:

After cleaning, flush away traces with water.

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

SECTION 7: Handling and storage; SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection; SECTION 13: Disposal considerations;

#### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Renders surfaces extremely slippery when spilled. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Freezing will affect the physical condition and may damage the material.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

This information is not available.

# SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters

Occupational exposure limits:

None known.

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

#### Appropriate engineering controls:

Use local exhaust if misting occurs. Natural ventilation is adequate in absence of mists.

# Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment:

#### a) Eve/face protection:

Safety glasses with side-shields. Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166 (EU).

#### b) Skin protection:

- i) Hand protection: PVC or other plastic material gloves. Be aware that liquid may permeate gloves, frequent change is advised. Suitable gloves can be recommended by the glove supplier. The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/689/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it.
- ii) Other: Wear coveralls and/or chemical apron and rubber footwear where physical contact can occur. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

#### c) Respiratory protection:

No personal respiratory protective equipment normally required.

#### d) Additional advice:

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

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# Environmental exposure controls:

Do not allow uncontrolled discharge of product into the environment.

# SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties	
a) Appearance:	Clear to slightly yellow liquid.
b) Odour:	None.
c) Odour Threshold:	Not applicable.
d) pH:	3 - 7 (See Technical Bulletin or Product Specifications for a more precise value, if available)
e) Melting point/freezing point:	< 5°C
f) Initial boiling point and boiling range:	> 100°C
g) Flash point:	Does not flash.
h) Evaporation rate:	No data available.
i) Flammability (solid, gas):	Not applicable.
j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits:	Not expected to create explosive atmospheres.
k) Vapour pressure:	2.3 kPa @ 20°C
l) Vapour density:	0.804 g/L @ 20°C
m) Relative density:	1.0 - 1.2 (See Technical Bulletin or Product Specifications for a more precise value, if available)
n) Solubility(ies):	Completely miscible in water.
o) Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value):	< 0
p) Autoignition temperature:	Does not self-ignite (based on the chemical structure).
q) Decomposition temperature:	> 150°C
r) Viscosity:	See Technical Bulletin.
s) Kinematic viscosity:	No data available.
t) Explosive properties:	Not expected to be explosive based on the chemical structure.
u) Oxidizing properties:	Not expected to be oxidising based on the chemical structure.
v) Particle characteristics:	Not applicable.

9.2. Other information

None.

# **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

10.1. Reactivity

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

None known,

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Protect from frost, heat and sunlight.

10.5. Incompatible materials

None known.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Thermal decomposition may produce: hydrogen chloride gas, nitrogen oxides (NOx), carbon oxides (COx). Hydrogen cyanide (hydrocyanic acid) may be produced in the event of combustion in an oxygen deficient atmosphere.

# **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

#### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

#### Information on the product as supplied:

Acute oral toxicity:

LD50/oral/rat > 5000 mg/kg

Acute dermal toxicity:

LD50/dermal/rat > 5000 mg/kg.

Acute inhalation toxicity:

Testing by the inhalation route is inappropriate because exposure of humans via

inhalation is unlikely: the substance has no vapour pressure and there is practically no

exposure to inhalable aerosols.

Skin corrosion/irritation:

Not irritating.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation:

Slightly irritating.

Respiratory/skin sensitisation:

Not sensitizing to skin. No respiratory sensitization has been observed in the

workplace.

Mutagenicity:

Not mutagenic.

Carcinogenicity:

By analogy with similar substances, this substance is not expected to be carcinogenic.

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Reproductive toxicity:

By analogy with similar substances, this substance is not expected to be toxic for

reproduction.

STOT - Single exposure:

No known effects.

STOT - Repeated exposure:

No known effect.

Aspiration hazard:

No hazards resulting from the material as supplied.

#### **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

12.1. Toxicity

Information on the product as supplied:

Acute toxicity to fish:

LC50/Danio rerio/96 hours > 100 mg/L

Acute toxicity to invertebrates:

EC50/Daphnia magna/48 hours > 100 mg/L

Acute toxicity to algae:

Algal inhibition tests are not appropriate. The flocculation characteristics of the

product interfere directly in the test medium preventing homogenous distribution which

invalidates the test.

Chronic toxicity to fish:

No data available.

Chronic toxicity to invertebrates:

No data available.

Toxicity to microorganisms:

EC0/activated sludge/0.5 hours = 1000 mg/L (OECD 209)

Effects on terrestrial organisms:

Exposure to soil is unlikely.

Sediment toxicity:

Exposure to sediment is unlikely.

#### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Information on the product as supplied:

Degradation:

Not readily biodegradable.

Hydrolysis:

Does not hydrolyse.

Photolysis:

No data available.

## 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Information on the product as supplied:

Not bioaccumulating.

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Partition co-efficient (Log Pow):

< 0

Bioconcentration factor (BCF):

~0

12.4. Mobility in soil

Information on the product as supplied:

Exposure to soil is not to be expected.

Koc: ~0

12.5. Other adverse effects

None known.

# **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused products:

Dispose in accordance with local and national regulations.

#### Contaminated packaging:

Rinse empty containers with water and use the rinse-water to prepare the working solution. If recycling is not practicable, dispose of in compliance with local regulations.

#### Recycling:

Store containers and offer for recycling of material when in accordance with the local regulations.

#### **SECTION 14: Transport information**

Land transport (DOT)

Not classified.

Sea transport (IMDG)

Not classified.

Air transport (IATA)

Not classified.

#### **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

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# **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

Information on the product as supplied:

TSCA Chemical Substances Inventory:

All components of this product are either listed as active on the inventory or are exempt from listing.

US SARA Reporting Requirements:

SARA (Section 311/312) hazard class:

Not concerned.

SARA Title III Sections:

Section 302 (TPQ) - Reportable Quantity:

Not concerned.

Section 304 - Reportable Quantity:

Not concerned.

Section 313 (De minimis concentration):

Not concerned.

Clean Water Act

Section 311 Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 117.3) - Reportable Quantity:

Not concerned.

Clean Air Act

Section 112(r) Accidental release prevention requirements (40 CFR 68) - Reportable Quantity:

Not concerned.

**CERCLA** 

Hazardous Substances List (40 CFR 302.4) - Reportable Quantity:

Not concerned.

RCRA status:

Not RCRA hazardous.

California Proposition 65 Information:

Not concerned.

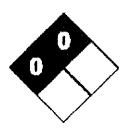
#### **SECTION 16: Other information**

NFPA and HMIS Ratings:

CLARIFLOC™ C-308P

NFPA:

Health: 0 Flammability: 0 Instability: 0



#### HMIS:

Health: 0
Flammability: 0
Physical Hazard: 0
PPE Code: B

This data sheet contains changes from the previous version in section(s):

SECTION 9. Physical and chemical properties, SECTION 16. Other Information.

Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet:

Acronyms

STOT = Specific target organ toxicity

Training advice:

Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

This SDS was prepared in accordance with the following:

U.S. Code of Federal Regulations 29 CFR 1910.1200

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# **POLYDYNE**

# CLARIFLOC A-210P POLYMER

#### *PRINCIPAL USES*

CLARIFLOC A-210P is a medium charge anionic polyacrylamide in emulsion form that is used as a fl occulant in a wide variety of municipal wastewater treatment applications. It has been successfully applied in all liquid/solids separation systems including clarification, thickening, and dewatering. CLARIFLOC A-210P isNSFcertifiedforclarification of potable water at dosages up to 3 mg/L.

#### TYPICAL PROPERTIES

Clear to Milky White Liquid Physical Form

30 % Anionicity Active Polyacrylamide Min. 29

Freezing Point 7 E. (-14 C.) 8.7 - 8.9 Density

Viscosity (0.5% Sol'n) 700 - 900 cPs

#### PREPARATION AND FEEDING

CLARIFLOC A-210P is a single component emulsion polymer that must be pre-diluted in water before use. In most cases, this product should not be applied neat. One method for dilution is adding the neat polymer into the vortex of a mixed tank at a concentration between 0.25-1.0% polymer (0.5% is optimum) by weight. The polymer can also be injected through a number of commercially available systems that provide in-line mechanical mixing. The best feed systems use initial high energy mixing (>1000 rpm) for a short time (<30 sec) to achieve good dispersion followed by low energy mixing (<400 rpm) for a longer time (10-30 min). Polymer solutions should be aged for 15-60 minutes for best results. Solution shelf life is 8-16 hours,

#### MATERIALS OF CONSTRUCTION

Cross-linked polyethylene, fiberglass, stainless steel or lined steel are the preferred materials of construction for bulk tanks. Avoid natural rubber and Buna-N gaskets as these materials swell when placed in contact with neat polymer. Unlined mild steel, black iron, galvanized steel, copper or brass are not recommended in any part of the feed system. Stainless steel, Viton or Tellon are the best choices for pump heads. For feed lines, use PVC or reinferced Tygon tubing.

## MANUFACTURING SPECIFICATIONS

**Total Solids** 34 - 41 % Residual AcAm < 500 ppm Neat Viscosity 500 - 2000 cPs UL Viscosity 7.5 - 9.3 ePs

#### HANDLING AND STORAGE

Suggested in-plant storage life is 6 months in unopened drums. For best results, store at 50-80 F. Bulk tanks should be mixed by periodieally recirculating the contents bottom to top. Bulk tanks can also be fitted with an agitator type mixer that reaches the bottom 2 feet of the tank. Drums and bins should be mixed very well before first use and weekly after that. Do not allow emulsion polymers to freeze. Should freezing occur, allow the product to thaw thoroughly in a heated area and mix well before attempting to use it. For spills of CLARIFLOC A-210P, sprinkle vermiculite or equivalent absorbant over the spill area and sweep the material into approved chemical disposal contain-ers. Do not spray water onto a spill because the resulting gel is very diffi cult to clean up,

#### SAFETY INFORMATION

CLARIFLOC A-210P is a mildly neidic product that can irritate the skin and eyes and should be handled accordingly. Gloves, goggles and apron are highly recommended. Anyone responsible for the procure-ment, use or disposal of this product should familiarize themselves with the appropriate safety and handling precautions involved. Such information is outlined in the Polydyne Material Safety Data Sheet. In the event of an emergency with this product, contact Chemtree anytime day or night at (800) 424-9300,

#### SHIPPING

CLARIFLOC A-210P Polymer is shipped in 55 gallon drums containing 450 pounds not or in 275 gallon tote bins containing 2300 pounds net. Bulk quantities are also available.

#### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

To place an order or obtain technical information from anywhere in the continental United States, call toll free:

# (912) 884-3366

# For additional information, please refer to the Safety Data Sheet (SDS)

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# SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product name:

CLARIFLOC™ A-210P

Type of product:

Mixture.

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses:

Processing aid for industrial applications.

Uses advised against:

None.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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1.4. Emergency telephone number

24-hour emergency number:

1-800-424-9300

#### **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to paragraph (d) of 29 CFR 1910.1200:

Not classified.

2.2. Label elements

Labelling according to paragraph (f) of 29 CFR 1910.1200:

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Hazard symbol(s):

None.

Signal word:

None.

Hazard statement(s):

None.

Precautionary statement(s):

None.

2.3. Other hazards

Spills produce extremely slippery surfaces.

# SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Not applicable, this product is a mixture.

3.2. Mixtures

Hazardous components

Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated light

Concentration/-range:

20 - 45%

CAS Number:

64742-47-8

Classification according to paragraph (d)

Asp. Tox. 1;H304

of 29 CFR 1910.1200:

Notes

Does not result in classification of the mixture if the kinematic viscosity is greater than 20.5 mm²/s measured at 40°C.

Poly(oxy-1,2-ethanediyl), a-tridecyl-w-hydroxy-, branched

Concentration/-range:

< 5%

CAS Number:

69011-36-5

Classification according to paragraph (d)

£ 20 CED 1010 1200.

Acute Tox. 4;H302, Eye Dam. 1;H318

of 29 CFR 1910.1200:

For explanation of abbreviations see section 16

# **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

4.1. Description of first aid measures

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Inhalation:

Move to fresh air. No hazards which require special first aid measures.

Skin contact:

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. In case of persistent skin irritation, consult a physician.

Eye contact:

Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Alternatively, rinse immediately with Diphoterine ®. Get prompt medical attention.

Ingestion:

Rinse mouth with water. Do NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician or poison control centre immediately.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

None under normal use.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

None reasonably foreseeable.

Other information:

None.

# **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

# 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media:

Water. Water spray. Foam. Carbon dioxide (CO2). Dry powder.

Warning! Spills produce extremely slippery surfaces.

Unsuitable extinguishing media:

None known.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazardous decomposition products:

Thermal decomposition may produce: nitrogen oxides (NOx), carbon oxides (COx). Ammonia (NH3). Hydrogen cyanide (hydrocyanic acid) may be produced in the event of combustion in an oxygen deficient atmosphere.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Protective measures:

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective suit.

Other information:

Spills produce extremely slippery surfaces.

# SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

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Personal precautions:

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Spills produce extremely slippery surfaces. Do not touch or walk through spilled material.

Protective equipment:

Wear adequate personal protective equipment (see Section 8 Exposure Controls/Personal Protection).

Emergency procedures:

Keep people away from spill/leak. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

6.2. Environmental precautions

As with all chemical products, do not flush into surface water.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Small spills:

Do not flush with water. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal.

Large spills:

Do not flush with water. Dam up. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Clean up promptly by scoop or vacuum.

Residues:

After cleaning, flush away traces with water.

6.4. Reference to other sections

SECTION 7: Handling and storage; SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection; SECTION 13: Disposal considerations;

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Renders surfaces extremely slippery when spilled. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Freezing will affect the physical condition and may damage the material. Incompatible with oxidizing agents.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

This information is not available.

#### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Occupational exposure limits:

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ACGIH: 200 mg/m3 (8 hours) (vapors)

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

## Appropriate engineering controls:

Use local exhaust if misting occurs. Natural ventilation is adequate in absence of mists.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment:

#### a) Eve/face protection:

Safety glasses with side-shields. Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166 (EU).

#### b) Skin protection:

- i) Hand protection: PVC or other plastic material gloves. Be aware that liquid may permeate gloves, frequent change is advised. Suitable gloves can be recommended by the glove supplier. The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/689/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it.
- ii) Other: Wear coveralls and/or chemical apron and rubber footwear where physical contact can occur. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

#### c) Respiratory protection:

Breathing apparatus needed only when aerosol or mist is formed. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

#### d) Additional advice:

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

#### Environmental exposure controls:

Do not allow uncontrolled discharge of product into the environment.

#### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance:

b) Odour:

c) Odour Threshold:

d) pH:

Not applicable.

e) Melting point/freezing point:

Viscous tiquid, Milky.

Aliphatic.

No data available.

Not applicable.

< 5°C

f) Initial boiling point and boiling range: > 100°C

g) Flash point: Does not flash.

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h) Evaporation rate:

i) Flammability (solid, gas):

j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits:

k) Vapour pressure:

I) Vapour density:

m) Relative density:

n) Solubility(ies):

o) Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value):

p) Autoignition temperature:

q) Decomposition temperature:

r) Viscosity:

s) Kinematic viscosity:

t) Explosive properties:

u) Oxidizing properties:

v) Particle characteristics:

9.2. Other information

None.

#### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

None known,

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Protect from frost, heat and sunlight.

10.5. Incompatible materials

No data available.

Not applicable.

Not expected to create explosive atmospheres.

2.3 kPa @ 20°C

0.804 g/L @ 20°C

1.0 - 1.2 (See Technical Bulletin or Product Specifications for a more precise value, if available)

Completely miscible.

Not applicable.

No data available.

> 150°C

No data available.

> 20.5 mm²/s @40°C

Not expected to be explosive based on the chemical structure.

Not expected to be oxidising based on the chemical structure.

Not applicable.

Incompatible with oxidizing agents.

# 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Thermal decomposition may produce: nitrogen oxides (NOx), carbon oxides (COx). Ammonia (NH3). Hydrogen cyanide (hydrocyanic acid) may be produced in the event of combustion in an oxygen deficient atmosphere.

## **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

# 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Information on the product as supplied:

Acute oral toxicity:

LD50/oral/rat > 5000 mg/kg (Estimated)

Acute dermal toxicity:

LD50/dermal/rat > 5000 mg/kg. (Estimated)

Acute inhalation toxicity:

The product is not expected to be toxic by inhalation.

Skin corrosion/irritation:

Non-irritating to skin.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation:

Not irritating. (OECD 437)

Respiratory/skin sensitisation:

Not sensitizing.

Mutagenicity:

Not mutagenic.

Carcinogenicity:

Not carcinogenic.

Reproductive toxicity:

Not toxic for reproduction.

STOT - Single exposure:

No known effects.

STOT - Repeated exposure:

No known effect.

Aspiration hazard:

Due to the viscosity, this product does not present an aspiration hazard.

#### Relevant information on the hazardous components:

### Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated light

Acute oral toxicity:

LD50/oral/rat > 5000 mg/kg (OECD 401)

Acute dermal toxicity:

LD50/dermal/rabbit > 5000 mg/kg (OECD 402)

Acute inhalation toxicity:

LCO/inhalation/4 hours/rat >= 4951 mg/m3 (vapors) (OECD 403) (Based on results

obtained from tests on analogous products)

Skin corrosion/irritation:

Not irritating. (OECD 404)

Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.

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Serious eye damage/eye irritation:

Not irritating. (OECD 405)

Respiratory/skin sensitisation:

By analogy with similar products, this product is not expected to be sensitizing.

(OECD 406)

Mutagenicity:

Not mutagenic. (OECD 471, 473, 474, 476, 478, 479)

Carcinogenicity:

Carcinogenicity study in rats (OECD 451): Negative.

Reproductive toxicity:

By analogy with similar substances, this substance is not expected to be toxic for

reproduction.

NOAEL/rat = 300 ppm. (OECD 421)

STOT - Single exposure:

No known effects.

STOT - Repeated exposure:

Based on available data, product is not expected to demonstrate chronic toxic effects. NOAEL/oral/rat/90 days >= 3000 mg/kg/day (OECD 408) (Based on results obtained

from tests on analogous products)

Aspiration hazard:

May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.

Poly(oxy-1,2-ethanediyl), a-tridecyl-w-hydroxy-, branched

Acute oral toxicity:

LD50/oral/rat = 500 - 2000 mg/kg

Acute dermal toxicity:

LD50/dermal/rabbit > 2000 mg/kg

Acute inhalation toxicity:

No data available.

Skin corrosion/irritation:

Not irritating. (OECD 404)

Serious eye damage/eye irritation:

Causes serious eye irritation. (OECD 405)

Respiratory/skin sensitisation:

The results of testing on guinea pigs showed this material to be non-sensitizing.

Mutagenicity:

In vitro tests did not show mutagenic effects. In vivo tests did not show mutagenic

effects.

Carcinogenicity:

Based on the absence of mutagenicity, it is unlikely that the substance is carcinogenic.

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Reproductive toxicity:

Based on available data, product is not expected to be toxic for reproduction.

Two-Generation Reproduction Toxicity (OECD 416)

- NOAEL/rat > 250 mg/kg/day

Prenatal Development Toxicity Study (OECD 414)
- NOAEL/Maternal toxicity/rat > 50 mg/kg/day
- NOAEL/Developmental toxicity/rat > 50 mg/kg/day

STOT - Single exposure:

No known effects.

STOT - Repeated exposure:

Based on available data, product is not expected to demonstrate chronic toxic effects.

NOAEL/oral/rat/600 days = 50 mg/kg/day

Aspiration hazard:

No known effects.

## **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

12.1. Toxicity

Information on the product as supplied:

Acute toxicity to fish:

LC50/Danio rerio/96 hours > 100 mg/L (Estimated)

LC50/Oncorhynchus mykiss/96 hours > 100 mg/L (Estimated)

Acute toxicity to invertebrates:

EC50/Daphnia magna/48 hours > 100 mg/L (Estimated)

Acute toxicity to algae:

IC50/Algae/72 hours > 100 mg/L (Estimated)

Chronic toxicity to fish:

No data available.

Chronic toxicity to invertebrates:

No data available.

Toxicity to microorganisms:

No data available.

Effects on terrestrial organisms:

No data available.

Sediment toxicity:

No data available.

#### Relevant information on the hazardous components:

#### Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated light

Acute toxicity to fish:

LC0/Oncorhynchus mykiss/96 hours > 1000 mg/L (OECD 203)

Acute toxicity to invertebrates:

EC0/Daphnia magna/48 hours > 1000 mg/L (OECD 202)

Acute toxicity to algae:

ICO/Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata/72 hours > 1000 mg/L (OECD 201)

Chronic toxicity to fish:

NOEC/Oncorhynchus mykiss/28 days > 1000 mg/L

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Chronic toxicity to invertebrates:

NOEC/Daphnia magna/21 days > 1000 mg/L

Toxicity to microorganisms:

EC50/Tetrahymena pyriformis/ 48h > 1000 mg/L.

Effects on terrestrial organisms:

No data available.

Sediment toxicity:

No data available. Readily biodegradable, exposure to sediment is unlikely.

Poly(oxy-1,2-ethanediyl), a-tridecyl-w-hydroxy-, branched

Acute toxicity to fish:

LC50/Cyprinus carpio/96 hours = 1 - 10 mg/L (OECD 203)

Acute toxicity to invertebrates:

EC50/Daphnia/48 hours = 1 - 10 mg/L (OECD 202)

Acute toxicity to algae:

IC50/Desmodesmus subspicatus/72 hours = 1 - 10 mg/L (OECD 201)

Chronic toxicity to fish:

No data available.

Chronic toxicity to invertebrates:

NOEC/Daphnia magna/21 days > 1 mg/L (OECD 202)

Toxicity to microorganisms:

EC10/activated sludge/17 hours > 10000 mg/L (DIN 38412-8)

Effects on terrestrial organisms:

No data available.

Sediment toxicity:

No data available.

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Information on the product as supplied:

Degradation:

Not readily biodegradable.

Hydrolysis:

Does not hydrolyse.

Photolysis:

No data available.

Relevant information on the hazardous components:

Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated light

Degradation:

Readily biodegradable. 67.6% / 28 days (OECD 301 F); 68.8% / 28 days (OECD

306); 61.2% / 61 days (OECD 304 A)

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Hydrolysis:

Does not hydrolyse.

Photolysis:

No data available.

Poly(oxy-1,2-ethanediyl), a-tridecyl-w-hydroxy-, branched

Degradation:

Readily biodegradable. > 60% / 28 days (OECD 301 B)

Hydrolysis:

Does not hydrolyse.

Photolysis:

No data available.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Information on the product as supplied:

The product is not expected to bioaccumulate.

Partition co-efficient (Log Pow):

Not applicable.

Bioconcentration factor (BCF):

No data available.

Relevant information on the hazardous components:

Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated light

Partition co-efficient (Log Pow):

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Bioconcentration factor (BCF):

No data available.

Poly(oxy-1,2-ethanediyl), a-tridecyl-w-hydroxy-, branched

Partition co-efficient (Log Pow):

> 3

Bioconcentration factor (BCF):

No data available.

12.4. Mobility in soil

Information on the product as supplied:

No data available.

Relevant information on the hazardous components:

Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated light

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Koc:

No data available.

Poly(oxy-1,2-ethanediyl), a-tridecyl-w-hydroxy-, branched

Koc:

> 5000

12.5. Other adverse effects

None known.

#### **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused products:

Dispose in accordance with local and national regulations.

Contaminated packaging:

Rinse empty containers with water and use the rinse-water to prepare the working solution. If recycling is not practicable, dispose of in compliance with local regulations. Can be landfilled or incinerated, when in compliance with local regulations.

#### Recycling:

In accordance with local and national regulations.

# **SECTION 14: Transport information**

Land transport (DOT)

Not classified.

Sea transport (IMDG)

Not classified.

Air transport (IATA)

Not classified.

#### **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

Information on the product as supplied:

TSCA Chemical Substances Inventory:

All components of this product are either listed as active on the inventory or are exempt from listing.

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#### US SARA Reporting Requirements:

SARA (Section 311/312) hazard class:

Not concerned.

#### SARA Title III Sections:

Section 302 (TPQ) - Reportable Quantity:

Not concerned.

Section 304 - Reportable Quantity:

Not concerned.

Section 313 (De minimis concentration):

Not concerned.

## Clean Water Act

Section 311 Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 117.3) - Reportable Quantity:

Not concerned.

#### Clean Air Act

Section 112(r) Accidental release prevention requirements (40 CFR 68) - Reportable Quantity: Not concerned.

CERCLA

Hazardous Substances List (40 CFR 302.4) - Reportable Quantity:

Not concerned.

#### RCRA status:

Not RCRA hazardous.

#### California Proposition 65 Information:

WARNING! This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm, Acrylamide

# **SECTION 16: Other information**

#### NFPA and HMIS Ratings:

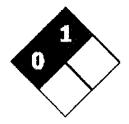
NFPA:

Health: 0 Flammability: 1

Instability:

0

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# HMIS:

Health: 0
Flammability: 1
Physical Hazard: 0
PPE Code: B

This data sheet contains changes from the previous version in section(s);

SECTION 9. Physical and chemical properties, SECTION 16. Other Information.

Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet;

# Acronyms

STOT = Specific target organ toxicity

#### Abbreviations

Acute Tox. 4 = Acute toxicity Category Code 4
Asp. Tox. 1 = Aspiration hazard Category Code 1
Eye Dam 1 = Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category Code 1

#### Hazard statements

H302 - Harmful if swallowed

H304 - May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways

H318 - Causes scrious eye damage

# Training advice:

Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

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# **POLYDYNE**

# CLARIFLOC CE-1073 POLYMER

#### PRINCIPAL USES

CLARIFLOC CE-1073 is a high charge cationic polyacrylamide in emulsion form that is used as a floculant in a wide variety of municipal wastewater treatment applications. It has been successfully applied in all liquid/solids separation systems including clarification, thickening, and dewatering.

## TYPICAL PROPERTIES

Physical Form Clear to Milky White Liquid

Density 8.5 - 8.7 lbs/gat Specific Gravity 1.02 - 1.04 Cationicity 60 %

Active Polyacrylamide Min. 42 % Freezing Point 7 F. (-14 C.)

# PREPARATION AND FEEDING

CLARIFLOC CE-1073 is a single component emulsion polymer that must be pre-diluted in water before use. In most cases, this product should not be applied neat. One method for dilution is adding the neat polymer into the vortex of a mixed tank at a concentration between 0.25-1.0% polymer (0.5% is optimum) by weight. The polymer can also be injected through a number of commercially available systems that provide in-line mechanical mixing. The best feed systems use initial high energy mixing (>1000 rpm) for a short time (<30 sec) to achieve good dispersion followed by low energy mixing (<400 rpm) for a longer time (10-30 min). Polymer solutions should be aged for 15-60 minutes for best results. Solution shelf life is 8-16 hours.

#### MATERIALS OF CONSTRUCTION

Cross-linked polyethylene, fiberglass, stainless steel or lined steel are the preferred materials of construction for bulk tanks. Avoid natural rubber and Buna-N gaskets as these materials swell when placed in contact with neat polymer. Unlined mild steel, black iron, galvanized steel, copper or brass are not recommended in any part of the feed system. Stainless steel, Viton or Teflon are the best choices for pump heads. For feed lines, use PVC or reinforced Tygon tubing.

# MANUFACTURING SPECIFICATIONS

 Total Solids
 45 - 52 %

 Residual AeAm
 < 1000 ppm</td>

 Neat Viscosity
 500 - 2000 ePs

 UL Viscosity
 3.3 - 4.3 ePs

#### HANDLING AND STORAGE

Suggested in-plant storage life is 12 months in unopened drums. For best results, store at 50-80 F. Bulk tanks should be mixed by periodically recirculating the contents bottom to top. Bulk tanks can also be fitted with an agitator type mixer that reaches the bottom 2 feet of the tank. Drums and bins should be mixed very well before first use and weekly after that. Do not allow emulsion polymers to freeze. Should freezing occur, allow the product to thawthoroughly in a heated area and mix well before attempting to use it. For spills of CLARIFLOC CE-1073, sprinkle vermiculite or equivalent absorbant over the spill area and sweep the material into approved chemical disposal containers. Do not spray water onto a spill because the resulting gel is very difficult to clean up.

# SAFETY INFORMATION

CLARIFLOC CE-1073 is a mildly acidic product that can irritate the skin and eyes and should be handled accordingly. Gloves, goggles and apron are highly recommended. Anyone responsible for the procure-ment, use or disposal of this product should familiarize themselves with the appropriate safety and handling precautions involved. Such information is outlined in the POLYDYNE Material Safety Data Sheet. In the event of an emergency with this product, contact Chemtree anytime day or night at (800) 424-9300.

# SHIPPING

CLARIFLOC CE-1073 Polymer is shipped in 55 gallon drums containing 450 pounds net or in 275 gallon totes containing 2300 pounds net. Bulk quantities are also available.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

To place an order or obtain technical information from anywhere in the continental United States, call toll free:

(800) 848-7659

# For additional information, please refer to the Safety Data Sheet (SDS)

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According to U.S. Code of Federal Regulations 29 CFR 1910,1200, Hazard Communication.

# SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product name:

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Type of product:

Mixture.

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses:

Processing aid for industrial applications.

Uses advised against:

None.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company:

POLYDYNE INC

I Chemical Plant Road

**PO BOX 279** 

Riceboro, GA 31323

Telephone:

1-800-848-7659

Telefax:

(912)-884-8770

E-mail address:

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1.4. Emergency telephone number

24-hour emergency number:

1-800-424-9300

# **SECTION 2: Hazards Identification**

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to paragraph (d) of 29 CFR 1910.1200:

Not classified.

2.2. Label elements

Labelling according to paragraph (f) of 29 CFR 1910.1200:

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Hazard symbol(s):

None.

Signal word:

None.

Hazard statement(s):

None.

Precautionary statement(s):

None.

2.3. Other hazards

Spills produce extremely slippery surfaces.

For explanation of abbreviations see Section 16.

# SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Not applicable, this product is a mixture.

3.2. Mixtures

Hazardous components

Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated light

Concentration/-range:

20 - 30%

CAS Number:

64742-47-8

Classification according to paragraph (d)

of 29 CFR 1910.1200:

Asp. Tox. 1;H304

Notes

Does not result in classification of the mixture if the kinematic viscosity is greater than 20.5 mm²/s measured at 40°C.

Poly(oxy-1,2-ethanediyl), a-tridecyl-w-hydroxy-, branched

Concentration/-range:

< 5%

CAS Number:

69011-36-5

Classification according to paragraph (d)

Acute Tox. 4;H302, Eye Dam. 1;H318

of 29 CFR 1910.1200:

For explanation of abbreviations see section 16

SECTION 4: First aid measures

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# **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

# 4.1. Description of first aid measures

#### Inhalation:

Move to fresh air. No hazards which require special first aid measures.

#### Skin contact:

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. In case of persistent skin irritation, consult a physician.

#### Eye contact:

Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention immediately.

#### Ingestion:

Rinse mouth with water. Do NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician or poison control centre immediately.

# 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

None under normal use.

# 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

None reasonably foreseeable.

#### Other information:

None.

# **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

#### Suitable extinguishing media:

Water. Water spray. Foam. Carbon dioxide (CO2). Dry powder.

Warning! Spills produce extremely slippery surfaces.

#### Unsuitable extinguishing media:

None known.

# 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

#### Hazardous decomposition products:

Thermal decomposition may produce: hydrogen chloride gas, nitrogen oxides (NOx), carbon oxides (COx). Ammonia (NH3). Hydrogen cyanide (hydrocyanic acid) may be produced in the event of combustion in an oxygen deficient atmosphere.

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

#### Protective measures:

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective suit.

#### Other information:

Spills produce extremely slippery surfaces.

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# SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions:

Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Spills produce extremely slippery surfaces.

Protective equipment:

Wear adequate personal protective equipment (see Section 8 Exposure Controls/Personal Protection).

Emergency procedures:

Keep people away from spill/leak. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

6.2. Environmental precautions

As with all chemical products, do not flush into surface water.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Small spills:

Do not flush with water. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal.

Large spills:

Do not flush with water. Dam up. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Clean up promptly by scoop or vacuum.

Residues:

After cleaning, flush away traces with water.

6.4. Reference to other sections

SECTION 7: Handling and storage; SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection; SECTION 13: Disposal considerations;

#### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Renders surfaces extremely slippery when spilled. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Freezing will affect the physical condition and may damage the material. Incompatible with oxidizing agents.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

This information is not available.

# SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Occupational exposure limits:

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Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated light

ACGIH: 200 mg/m³ (8 hours) (vapors)

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

#### Appropriate engineering controls:

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Use local exhaust if misting occurs. Natural ventilation is adequate in absence of mists.

# Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment:

#### a) Eye/face protection:

Safety glasses with side-shields. Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166 (EU).

#### b) Skin protection:

- i) Hand protection: PVC or other plastic material gloves. Be aware that liquid may permeate gloves, frequent change is advised. Suitable gloves can be recommended by the glove supplier. The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/689/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it.
- ii) Other: Wear coveralls and/or chemical apron and rubber footwear where physical contact can occur. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

#### c) Respiratory protection:

No personal respiratory protective equipment normally required.

#### d) Additional advice:

Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

#### Environmental exposure controls:

Do not allow uncontrolled discharge of product into the environment.

#### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance: Viscous liquid, Milky.

b) Odour: Aliphatic.

c) Odour Threshold: No data available.

d) pH: Not applicable.

e) Melting point/freezing point: < 5°C

f) Initial boiling point and boiling range: > 100°C

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g) Flash point:

h) Evaporation rate:

i) Flammability (solid, gas):

j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits:

k) Vapour pressure:

I) Vapour density:

m) Relative density:

n) Solubility(ies):

o) Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value):

p) Autoignition temperature:

q) Decomposition temperature:

r) Viscosity:

s) Kinematic viscosity:

t) Explosive properties:

u) Oxidizing properties:

v) Particle characteristics:

9.2. Other information

None.

#### **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

10.1. Reactivity

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Oxidizing agents may cause exothermic reactions.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Protect from frost, heat and sunlight.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Does not flash.

No data available.

Not applicable.

Not expected to create explosive atmospheres.

2.3 kPa @ 20°C

0.804 g/L @ 20°C

1.0 - 1.2 (See Technical Bulletin or Product Specifications

for a more precise value, if available)

Completely miscible.

Not applicable.

Not applicable.

> 150°C

> 20.5 mm²/s @ 40°C

No data available.

Not expected to be explosive based on the chemical structure.

Not expected to be oxidising based on the chemical structure.

Not applicable.

Oxidizing agents.

#### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Thermal decomposition may produce: hydrogen chloride gas, nitrogen oxides (NOx), carbon oxides (COx). Ammonia (NH3). Hydrogen cyanide (hydrocyanic acid) may be produced in the event of combustion in an oxygen deficient atmosphere.

#### **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

# 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Information on the product as supplied:

Acute oral toxicity:

LD50/oral/rat > 5000 mg/kg (Estimated)

Acute dermal toxicity:

LD50/dermal/rat > 5000 mg/kg. (Estimated)

Acute inhalation toxicity:

The product is not expected to be toxic by inhalation.

Skin corrosion/irritation:

Non-irritating to skin.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation:

Not irritating. (OECD 437)

Respiratory/skin sensitisation:

Not sensitizing.

Mutagenicity:

Not mutagenic.

Carcinogenicity:

Not carcinogenic.

Reproductive toxicity:

Not toxic for reproduction.

STOT - Single exposure:

No known effects.

STOT - Repeated exposure:

No known effect.

Aspiration hazard:

Due to the viscosity, this product does not present an aspiration hazard.

#### Relevant information on the hazardous components:

## Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated light

Acute oral toxicity:

LD50/oral/rat > 5000 mg/kg (OECD 401)

Acute dermal toxicity:

LD50/dermal/rabbit > 5000 mg/kg (OECD 402)

Acute inhalation toxicity:

LC0/inhalation/4 hours/rat >= 4951 mg/m³ (vapors) (OECD 403) (Based on results

obtained from tests on analogous products)

Skin corrosion/irritation:

Not irritating. (OECD 404)

Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.

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Serious eye damage/eye irritation:

Not irritating. (OECD 405)

Respiratory/skin sensitisation:

By analogy with similar products, this product is not expected to be sensitizing.

(OECD 406)

Mutagenicity:

Not mutagenic. (OECD 471, 473, 474, 476, 478, 479)

Carcinogenicity:

Carcinogenicity study in rats (OECD 451): Negative.

Reproductive toxicity:

By analogy with similar substances, this substance is not expected to be toxic for

reproduction.

NOAEL/rat = 300 ppm. (OECD 421)

STOT - Single exposure:

No known effects.

STOT - Repeated exposure:

Based on available data, product is not expected to demonstrate chronic toxic effects.

NOAEL/oral/rat/90 days >= 3000 mg/kg/day (OECD 408) (Based on results obtained

from tests on analogous products)

Aspiration hazard:

May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.

Poly(oxy-1,2-ethanediyl), a-tridecyl-w-hydroxy-, branched

Acute oral toxicity:

LD50/oral/rat = 500 - 2000 mg/kg

Acute dermal toxicity:

LD50/dermal/rabbit > 2000 mg/kg

Acute inhalation toxicity:

No data available.

Skin corrosion/irritation:

Not irritating. (OECD 404)

Serious eye damage/eye irritation:

Causes serious eye irritation. (OECD 405)

Respiratory/skin sensitisation:

The results of testing on guinea pigs showed this material to be non-sensitizing.

Mutagenicity:

In vitro tests did not show mutagenic effects. In vivo tests did not show mutagenic

effects.

Carcinogenicity:

Based on the absence of mutagenicity, it is unlikely that the substance is carcinogenic.

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Reproductive toxicity: Based on available data, product is not expected to be toxic for reproduction.

Two-Generation Reproduction Toxicity (OECD 416)

- NOAEL/rat > 250 mg/kg/day

Prenatal Development Toxicity Study (OECD 414)
- NOAEL/Maternal toxicity/rat > 50 mg/kg/day
- NOAEL/Developmental toxicity/rat > 50 mg/kg/day

STOT - Single exposure:

No known effects.

STOT - Repeated exposure:

Based on available data, product is not expected to demonstrate chronic toxic effects.

NOAEL/oral/rat/600 days = 50 mg/kg/day

Aspiration hazard:

No known effects.

#### SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Information on the product as supplied:

Acute toxicity to fish:

LC50/Fish/96 hours = 10 - 100 mg/L (Estimated)

Acute toxicity to invertebrates:

EC50/Daphnia magna/48 hours = 10 - 100 mg/L (Estimated)

Acute toxicity to algae:

Algal inhibition tests are not appropriate. The flocculation characteristics of the

product interfere directly in the test medium preventing homogenous distribution which

invalidates the test.

Chronic toxicity to fish:

No data available.

Chronic toxicity to invertebrates:

No data available.

Toxicity to microorganisms:

No data available.

Effects on terrestrial organisms:

No data available.

Sediment toxicity:

No data available.

Relevant information on the hazardous components:

Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated light

Acute toxicity to fish:

LC0/Oncorhynchus mykiss/96 hours > 1000 mg/L (OECD 203)

Acute toxicity to invertebrates:

EC0/Daphnia magna/48 hours > 1000 mg/L (OECD 202)

Acute toxicity to algae:

ICO/Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata/72 hours > 1000 mg/L (OECD 201)

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Chronic toxicity to fish:

NOEC/Oncorhynchus mykiss/28 days > 1000 mg/L

Chronic toxicity to invertebrates:

NOEC/Daphnia magna/21 days > 1000 mg/L

Toxicity to microorganisms:

EC50/Tetrahymena pyriformis/ 48h > 1000 mg/L.

Effects on terrestrial organisms:

No data available.

Sediment toxicity:

No data available. Readily biodegradable, exposure to sediment is unlikely.

Poly(oxy-1,2-ethanediyl), a-tridecyl-w-hydroxy-, branched

Acute toxicity to fish:

LC50/Cyprinus carpio/96 hours = 1 - 10 mg/L (OECD 203)

Acute toxicity to invertebrates:

EC50/Daphnia/48 hours = 1 - 10 mg/L (OECD 202)

Acute toxicity to algae:

IC50/Desmodesmus subspicatus/72 hours = 1 - 10 mg/L (OECD 201)

Chronic toxicity to fish:

No data available.

Chronic toxicity to invertebrates:

NOEC/Daphnia magna/21 days > 1 mg/L (OECD 202)

Toxicity to microorganisms:

EC10/activated sludge/17 hours > 10000 mg/L (DIN 38412-8)

Effects on terrestrial organisms:

No data available.

Sediment toxicity:

No data available.

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Information on the product as supplied:

Degradation:

Based on the degradability data of the components, this product is expected to be

readily (bio)degradable according to OECD criteria.

Hydrolysis:

At natural pHs (>6) the polymer degrades due to hydrolysis to more than 70% in 28

days. The hydrolysis products are not harmful to aquatic organisms.

Photolysis:

No data available.

Relevant information on the hazardous components:

Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated light

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Degradation:

Readily biodegradable. 67.6% / 28 days (OECD  $301~\mathrm{F}$ ); 68.8% / 28 days (OECD

306); 61.2% / 61 days (OECD 304 A)

Hydrolysis:

Does not hydrolyse.

Photolysis:

No data available.

Poly(oxy-1, 2-ethanediyl), a-tridecyl-w-hydroxy-, branched

Degradation:

Readily biodegradable. > 60% / 28 days (OECD 301 B)

Hydrolysis:

Does not hydrolyse.

Photolysis:

No data available.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Information on the product as supplied:

The product is not expected to bioaccumulate.

Partition co-efficient (Log Pow):

Not applicable.

Bioconcentration factor (BCF):

No data available.

Relevant information on the hazardous components:

Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated light

Partition co-efficient (Log Pow):

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Bioconcentration factor (BCF):

No data available.

Poly(oxy-1,2-ethanediyl), a-tridecyl-w-hydroxy-, branched

Partition co-efficient (Log Pow):

> 3

Bioconcentration factor (BCF):

No data available.

12.4. Mobility in soil

Information on the product as supplied:

No data available.

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Relevant information on the hazardous components:

Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated light

Koc:

No data available.

Poly(oxy-1,2-ethanediyl), a-tridecyl-w-hydroxy-, branched

Koc:

> 5000

12.5. Other adverse effects

None known.

#### **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused products:

Dispose in accordance with local and national regulations.

#### Contaminated packaging:

Rinse empty containers with water and use the rinse-water to prepare the working solution. If recycling is not practicable, dispose of in compliance with local regulations. Can be landfilled or incinerated, when in compliance with local regulations.

Recycling:

Store containers and offer for recycling of material when in accordance with the local regulations.

#### **SECTION 14: Transport information**

Land transport (DOT)

Not classified.

Sea transport (IMDG)

Not classified.

Air transport (IATA)

Not classified.

#### **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture Information on the product as supplied:

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#### TSCA Chemical Substances Inventory:

All components of this product are either listed as active on the inventory or are exempt from listing.

#### US SARA Reporting Requirements:

SARA (Section 311/312) hazard class:

Not concerned.

#### SARA Title III Sections:

Section 302 (TPQ) - Reportable Quantity:

Not concerned.

Section 304 - Reportable Quantity:

Not concerned.

Section 313 (De minimis concentration):

Not concerned.

#### Clean Water Act

Section 311 Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 117.3) - Reportable Quantity:

Not concerned.

#### Clean Air Act

Section 112(r) Accidental release prevention requirements (40 CFR 68) - Reportable Quantity: Not concerned.

#### **CERCLA**

Hazardous Substances List (40 CFR 302.4) - Reportable Quantity: Not concerned.

#### RCRA status:

Not RCRA hazardous.

#### California Proposition 65 Information:

WARNING! This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm, Acrylamide

#### **SECTION 16: Other information**

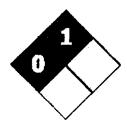
NFPA and HMIS Ratings:

NFPA:

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Health:	()
Flammability:	1
Instability:	0



#### HMIS:

Health:	0
Flammability:	1
Physical Hazard:	0
PPE Code:	В

This data sheet contains changes from the previous version in section(s):

SECTION 12. Ecological information, SECTION 16. Other Information.

Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet:

#### Acronyms

STOT = Specific target organ toxicity

#### Abbreviations

Acute Tox. 4 = Acute toxicity Category Code 4
Asp. Tox. 1 - Aspiration hazard Category Code 1

Eye Dam 1 = Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category Code 1

#### Hazard statements

H302 - Harmful if swallowed

H304 - May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways

11318 - Causes serious eye damage

#### Training advice:

Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

This SDS was prepared in accordance with the following:

U.S. Code of Federal Regulations 29 CFR 1910.1200

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# **POLYDYNE**

# CLARIFLOC C-6266 POLYMER

#### PRINCIPAL USES

CLARIFLOC C-6266 is a high charge cationic polyaerylamide in emulsion form that is used as a flocculant in a wide variety of municipal wastewater treatment applications. It has been successfully applied in all liquid/solids separation systems including clarification, thickening, and dewatering.

#### TYPICAL PROPERTIES

Physical Form Clear to Milky White Liquid

Cationicity 60 % Active Polyacrylamide Min. 41 %

Freezing Point 7 F. (-14 C.)
Density 8.5 - 8.7
Specific Gravity 1.02 - 1.04

#### PREPARATION AND FEEDING

CLARIFLOC C-6266 is a single component emulsion polymer that must be pre-diluted in water before use. In most cases, this product should not be applied neat. One method for dilution is adding the neat polymer into the vortex of a mixed tank at a concentration between 0.25-1.0% polymer (0.5% is optimum) by weight. The polymer can also be injected through a number of commercially available systems that provide in-line mechanical mixing. The best feed systems use initial high energy mixing (>1000 rpm) for a short time (<30 sec) to achieve good dispersion followed by low energy mixing (<400 rpm) for a longer time (10-30 min). Polymer solutions should be aged for 15-60 minutes for best results. Solution shell fife is 8-16 hours.

# MATERIALS OF CONSTRUCTION

Cross-linked polyethylene, fiberglass, stainless steel or lined steel are the preferred materials of construction for bulk tanks. Avoid natural rubber and Buna-N gaskets as these materials swell when placed in contact with neat polymer. Unlined mild steel, black iron, galvanized steel, copper or brass are not recommended in any part of the feed system. Stainless steel, Viton or Teflon are the best choices for pump heads. For feed lines, use PVC or reinforced Tygon tubing.

# MANUFACTURING SPECIFICATIONS

 Total Solids
 43.5 - 50.5 %

 Residual AcAm
 < 1000 ppm</td>

 Neat Viscosity
 300 - 2000 ePs

 UL Viscosity
 2.5 - 3.3 ePs

#### HANDLING AND STORAGE

Suggested in-plant storage life is 6 months in unopened drums. For best results, store at 50-80 F. Bulk tanks should be mixed by periodically recirculating the contents bottom to top. Bulk tanks can also be fitted with an agitator type mixer that reaches the bottom 2 feet of the tank. Drums and bins should be mixed very well before first use and weekly after that. Do not allow emulsion polymers to freeze. Should freezing occur, allow the product to thaw thoroughly in a heated area and mix well before attempting to use it. For spills of CLARIFLOC C-6266, sprinkle vermiculite or equivalent absorbant over the spill area and sweep the material into approved chemical disposal containers. Do not spray water onto a spill because the resulting

# SAFETY INFORMATION

gel is very difficult to clean up.

CLARIFLOC C-6266 is a mildly acidic product that can irritate the skin and eyes and should be handled accordingly. Gloves, goggles and apron are highly recommended. Anyone responsible for the procure-ment, use or disposal of this product should familiarize themselves with the appropriate safety and handling precautions involved. Such information is outlined in the POLYDYNE Material Safety Data Sheet. In the event of an emergency with this product, contact Chemtree anytime day or night at (800) 424-9300.

#### SHIPPING

C-6266 Polymer is shipped in 55 gallon drums containing 450 pounds net or in 275 gallon totes containing 2300 pounds. Bulk quantities are also available.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

To place an order or obtain technical information from anywhere in the continental United States, call toll free:

(800) 848-7659

# For additional information, please refer to the Safety Data Sheet (SDS)

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According to U.S. Code of Federal Regulations 29 CFR 1910.1200, Hazard Communication.

# SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product name:

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Type of product:

Mixture.

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses:

Processing aid for industrial applications.

Uses advised against:

None.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company:

POLYDYNE INC

1 Chemical Plant Road

**PO BOX 279** 

Riceboro, GA 31323

Telephone:

1-800-848-7659

Telefax:

(912)-884-8770

E-mail address:

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1.4. Emergency telephone number

24-hour emergency number:

1-800-424-9300

# **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to paragraph (d) of 29 CFR 1910.1200:

Not classified.

2.2. Label elements

Labelling according to paragraph (I) of 29 CFR 1910.1200;

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Hazard symbol(s):

None.

Signal word:

None.

Hazard statement(s):

None.

Precautionary statement(s):

None.

2.3. Other hazards

Spills produce extremely slippery surfaces.

For explanation of abbreviations see Section 16.

# SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Not applicable, this product is a mixture.

3.2. Mixtures

Hazardous components

Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated light

Concentration/-range:

20 - 30%

CAS Number:

64742-47-8

Classification according to paragraph (d)

of 29 CFR 1910.1200:

Asp. Tox. 1;H304

Notes

Does not result in classification of the mixture if the kinematic viscosity is greater than 20.5 mm²/s measured at 40°C.

Poly(oxy-1, 2-ethanediyl), a-tridecyl-w-hydroxy-, branched

Concentration/-range:

< 5%

CAS Number:

69011-36-5

Classification according to paragraph (d)

of 29 CFR 1910.1200:

Acute Tox. 4;H302, Eye Dam. 1;H318

For explanation of abbreviations see section 16

**SECTION 4: First aid measures** 

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#### SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

Inhalation:

Move to fresh air. No hazards which require special first aid measures.

Skin contact:

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. In case of persistent skin irritation, consult a physician.

Eye contact.

Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention immediately.

Ingestion:

Rinse mouth with water. Do NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician or poison control centre immediately.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

None under normal use.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

None reasonably foreseeable.

Other information:

None.

#### **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media:

Water. Water spray. Foam. Carbon dioxide (CO2). Dry powder.

Warning! Spills produce extremely slippery surfaces.

Unsuitable extinguishing media:

None known.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazardous decomposition products:

Thermal decomposition may produce: hydrogen chloride gas, nitrogen oxides (NOx), carbon oxides (COx). Ammonia (NH3). Hydrogen cyanide (hydrocyanic acid) may be produced in the event of combustion in an oxygen deficient atmosphere.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Protective measures:

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective suit.

Other information:

Spills produce extremely slippery surfaces.

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#### **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions:

Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Spills produce extremely slippery surfaces.

Protective equipment:

Wear adequate personal protective equipment (see Section 8 Exposure Controls/Personal Protection).

Emergency procedures:

Keep people away from spill/leak. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

6.2. Environmental precautions

As with all chemical products, do not flush into surface water.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Small spills:

Do not flush with water. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal.

Large spills:

Do not flush with water. Dam up. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Clean up promptly by scoop or vacuum.

Residues:

After cleaning, flush away traces with water.

6.4. Reference to other sections

SECTION 7: Handling and storage; SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection; SECTION 13: Disposal considerations;

#### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Renders surfaces extremely slippery when spilled. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Freezing will affect the physical condition and may damage the material. Incompatible with oxidizing agents.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

This information is not available.

#### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Occupational exposure limits:

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<u>Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated light</u> ACGIH: 200 mg/m³ (8 hours) (vapors)

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

#### Appropriate engineering controls:

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Use local exhaust if misting occurs. Natural ventilation is adequate in absence of mists.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment:

#### a) Eye/face protection:

Safety glasses with side-shields. Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166 (EU).

#### b) Skin protection:

- i) Hand protection: PVC or other plastic material gloves. Be aware that liquid may permeate gloves, frequent change is advised. Suitable gloves can be recommended by the glove supplier. The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/689/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it.
- ii) Other: Wear coveralls and/or chemical apron and rubber footwear where physical contact can occur. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

#### c) Respiratory protection:

No personal respiratory protective equipment normally required.

#### d) Additional advice:

Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

#### Environmental exposure controls:

Do not allow uncontrolled discharge of product into the environment.

#### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance:
Viscous liquid, Milky.
b) Odour:
Aliphatic.
c) Odour Threshold:
No data available.
d) pH:
Not applicable.

e) Melting point/freezing point: < 5°C

f) Initial boiling point and boiling range: > 100°C

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g) Flash point:

h) Evaporation rate:

i) Flammability (solid, gas):

j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits:

k) Vapour pressure:

i) Vapour density:

m) Relative density:

n) Solubility(ies):

o) Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value):

p) Autoignition temperature:

q) Decomposition temperature:

r) Viscosity:

s) Kinematic viscosity:

t) Explosive properties:

u) Oxidizing properties:

v) Particle characteristics:

9.2. Other information

None.

#### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Oxidizing agents may cause exothermic reactions.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Protect from frost, heat and sunlight.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Does not flash.

No data available.

Not applicable.

Not expected to create explosive atmospheres.

2.3 kPa @ 20°C

0.804 g/L @ 20°C

1.0 - 1.2 (See Technical Bulletin or Product Specifications for a more precise value, if available)

Completely miscible.

Not applicable.

Not applicable.

> 150°C

> 20.5 mm²/s @ 40°C

No data available.

Not expected to be explosive based on the chemical structure.

Not expected to be oxidising based on the chemical structure.

Not applicable.

Oxidizing agents.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Thermal decomposition may produce: hydrogen chloride gas, nitrogen oxides (NOx), carbon oxides (COx). Ammonia (NH3). Hydrogen cyanide (hydrocyanic acid) may be produced in the event of combustion in an oxygen deficient atmosphere.

#### **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Information on the product as supplied:

Acute oral toxicity:

LD50/oral/rat > 5000 mg/kg (Estimated)

Acute dermal toxicity:

LD50/dermal/rat > 5000 mg/kg. (Estimated)

Acute inhalation toxicity:

The product is not expected to be toxic by inhalation.

Skin corrosion/irritation:

Non-irritating to skin.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation:

Not irritating. (OECD 437)

Respiratory/skin sensitisation:

Not sensitizing.

Mutagenicity:

Not mutagenic.

Carcinogenicity:

Not carcinogenic.

Reproductive toxicity:

Not toxic for reproduction.

STOT - Single exposure:

No known effects.

STOT - Repeated exposure:

No known effect.

Aspiration hazard:

Due to the viscosity, this product does not present an aspiration hazard.

Relevant information on the hazardous components:

Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated light

Acute oral toxicity:

LD50/oral/rat > 5000 mg/kg (OECD 401)

Acute dermal toxicity:

LD50/dermal/rabbit > 5000 mg/kg (OECD 402)

Acute inhalation toxicity:

LC0/inhalation/4 hours/rat >= 4951 mg/m³ (vapors) (OECD 403) (Based on results

obtained from tests on analogous products)

Skin corrosion/irritation:

Not irritating. (OECD 404)

Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.

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Serious eye damage/eye irritation:

Not irritating. (OECD 405)

Respiratory/skin sensitisation:

By analogy with similar products, this product is not expected to be sensitizing.

(OECD 406)

Mutagenicity:

Not mutagenic. (OECD 471, 473, 474, 476, 478, 479)

Carcinogenicity:

Carcinogenicity study in rats (OECD 451): Negative.

Reproductive toxicity:

By analogy with similar substances, this substance is not expected to be toxic for

reproduction.

NOAEL/rat = 300 ppm. (OECD 421)

STOT - Single exposure:

No known effects.

STOT - Repeated exposure:

Based on available data, product is not expected to demonstrate chronic toxic effects. NOAEL/oral/rat/90 days >= 3000 mg/kg/day (OECD 408) (Based on results obtained

from tests on analogous products)

Aspiration hazard:

May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways.

Poly(oxy-1,2-ethanediyl), a-tridecyl-w-hydroxy-, branched

Acute oral toxicity:

LD50/oral/rat = 500 - 2000 mg/kg

Acute dermal toxicity:

LD50/dermal/rabbit > 2000 mg/kg

Acute inhalation toxicity:

No data available.

Skin corrosion/irritation:

Not irritating. (OECD 404)

Serious eye damage/eye irritation:

Causes serious eye irritation. (OECD 405)

Respiratory/skin sensitisation:

The results of testing on guinea pigs showed this material to be non-sensitizing.

Mutagenicity:

In vitro tests did not show mutagenic effects. In vivo tests did not show mutagenic

effects.

Carcinogenicity:

Based on the absence of mutagenicity, it is unlikely that the substance is carcinogenic.

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Reproductive toxicity:

Based on available data, product is not expected to be toxic for reproduction.

Two-Generation Reproduction Toxicity (OECD 416)

- NOAEL/rat > 250 mg/kg/day

Prenatal Development Toxicity Study (OECD 414) - NOAEL/Maternal toxicity/rat > 50 mg/kg/day - NOAEL/Developmental toxicity/rat > 50 mg/kg/day

STOT - Single exposure:

No known effects.

STOT - Repeated exposure:

Based on available data, product is not expected to demonstrate chronic toxic effects.

NOAEL/oral/rat/600 days = 50 mg/kg/day

Aspiration hazard:

No known effects.

#### **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

12.1. Toxicity

Information on the product as supplied:

Acute toxicity to fish:

LC50/Fish/96 hours = 10 - 100 mg/L (Estimated)

Acute toxicity to invertebrates:

EC50/Daphnia magna/48 hours = 10 - 100 mg/L (Estimated)

Acute toxicity to algae:

Algal inhibition tests are not appropriate. The flocculation characteristics of the product interfere directly in the test medium preventing homogenous distribution which

invalidates the test.

Chronic toxicity to fish:

No data available.

Chronic toxicity to invertebrates:

No data available.

Toxicity to microorganisms:

No data available.

Effects on terrestrial organisms:

No data available.

Sediment toxicity:

No data available.

Relevant information on the hazardous components:

Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated light

Acute toxicity to fish:

LC0/Oncorhynchus mykiss/96 hours > 1000 mg/L (OECD 203)

Acute toxicity to invertebrates:

EC0/Daphnia magna/48 hours > 1000 mg/L (OECD 202)

Acute toxicity to algae:

ICO/Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata/72 hours > 1000 mg/L (OECD 201)

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Chronic toxicity to fish:

NOEC/Oncorhynchus mykiss/28 days > 1000 mg/L

Chronic toxicity to invertebrates:

NOEC/Daphnia magna/21 days > 1000 mg/L

Toxicity to microorganisms:

EC50/Tetrahymena pyriformis/ 48h > 1000 mg/L.

Effects on terrestrial organisms:

No data available.

Sediment toxicity:

No data available. Readily biodegradable, exposure to sediment is unlikely.

Poly(oxy-1,2-ethanediyl), a-tridecyl-w-hydroxy-, branched

Acute toxicity to fish:

LC50/Cyprinus carpio/96 hours = 1 - 10 mg/L (OECD 203)

Acute toxicity to invertebrates:

EC50/Daphnia/48 hours = 1 - 10 mg/L (OECD 202)

Acute toxicity to algae:

IC50/Desmodesmus subspicatus/72 hours = 1 - 10 mg/L (OECD 201)

Chronic toxicity to fish:

No data available.

Chronic toxicity to invertebrates:

NOEC/Daphnia magna/21 days > 1 mg/L (OECD 202)

Toxicity to microorganisms:

EC10/activated sludge/17 hours > 10000 mg/L (DIN 38412-8)

Effects on terrestrial organisms:

No data available.

Sediment toxicity:

No data available.

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Information on the product as supplied:

Degradation:

Based on the degradability data of the components, this product is expected to be

readily (bio)degradable according to OECD criteria.

Hydrolysis:

At natural pHs (>6) the polymer degrades due to hydrolysis to more than 70% in 28

days. The hydrolysis products are not harmful to aquatic organisms.

Photolysis:

No data available.

Relevant information on the hazardous components:

Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated light

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Degradation:

Readily biodegradable. 67.6% / 28 days (OECD 301 F); 68.8% / 28 days (OECD

306); 61.2% / 61 days (OECD 304 A)

Hydrolysis:

Does not hydrolyse.

Photolysis:

No data available.

Poly(oxy-1, 2-ethanediyl), a-tridecyl-w-hydroxy-, branched

Degradation:

Readily biodegradable. > 60% / 28 days (OECD 301 B)

Hydrolysis:

Does not hydrolyse.

Photolysis:

No data available.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Information on the product as supplied:

The product is not expected to bioaccumulate.

Partition co-efficient (Log Pow):

Not applicable.

Bioconcentration factor (BCF):

No data available.

Relevant information on the hazardous components:

Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated light

Partition co-efficient (Log Pow):

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Bioconcentration factor (BCF):

No data available.

Poly(oxy-1,2-ethanediyl), a-tridecyl-w-hydroxy-, branched

Partition co-efficient (Log Pow):

> 3

Bioconcentration factor (BCF):

No data available.

12.4. Mobility in soil

Information on the product as supplied:

No data available.

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Relevant information on the hazardous components:

Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated light

Koc:

No data available.

Poly(oxy-1,2-ethanediyl), a-tridecyl-w-hydroxy-, branched

Koc:

> 5000

12.5. Other adverse effects

None known.

#### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused products:

Dispose in accordance with local and national regulations.

Contaminated packaging:

Rinse empty containers with water and use the rinse-water to prepare the working solution. If recycling is not practicable, dispose of in compliance with local regulations. Can be landfilled or incinerated, when in compliance with local regulations.

Recycling:

Store containers and offer for recycling of material when in accordance with the local regulations.

#### **SECTION 14: Transport information**

Land transport (DOT)

Not classified.

Sea transport (IMDG)

Not classified.

Air transport (IATA)

Not classified.

#### **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture Information on the product as supplied:

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#### TSCA Chemical Substances Inventory:

All components of this product are either listed as active on the inventory or are exempt from listing.

#### US SARA Reporting Requirements:

SARA (Section 311/312) hazard class:

Not concerned,

#### SARA Title III Sections:

Section 302 (TPQ) - Reportable Quantity:

Not concerned.

Section 304 - Reportable Quantity:

Not concerned.

Section 313 (De minimis concentration):

Not concerned.

#### Clean Water Act

Section 311 Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 117.3) - Reportable Quantity:

Not concerned.

#### Clean Air Act

Section 112(r) Accidental release prevention requirements (40 CFR 68) - Reportable Quantity:

Not concerned.

#### **CERCLA**

Hazardous Substances List (40 CFR 302.4) - Reportable Quantity:

Not concerned,

#### RCRA status:

Not RCRA hazardous.

#### California Proposition 65 Information:

WARNING! This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm, Acrylamide

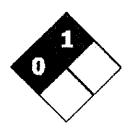
#### **SECTION 16: Other information**

NFPA and HMIS Ratings:

NFPA:

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Health: 0 Flammability: Instability: 0



#### HMIS:

Health: 0 Flammability: Physical Hazard: 0 PPE Code: В

This data sheet contains changes from the previous version in section(s):

SECTION 12. Ecological information, SECTION 16. Other Information.

Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet:

#### Acronyms

STOT = Specific target organ toxicity

#### Abbreviations

Acute Tox. 4 = Acute toxicity Category Code 4 Asp. Tox. I = Aspiration hazard Category Code I

Eye Dam 1 = Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category Code 1

#### Hazard statements

H302 - Harmful if swallowed

H304 - May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways

H318 - Causes serious eye damage

#### Training advice:

Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

This SDS was prepared in accordance with the following:

U.S. Code of Federal Regulations 29 CFR 1910.1200

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The information provided in this Safety Data Sheet is correct to the best of our knowledge, information and belief at the date of its publication. The information given is designed only as a guidance for safe handling, use, processing, storage, transportation, disposal and release and is not to be considered a warranty or quality specification. The information relates only to the specific material designated and may not be valid for such material used in combination with any other materials or in any process, unless specified in the text.

Pre-qualification - The City reserves the right to pre-qualify any and all products offered for this bid. Bidders will be required to perform jar testing using their recommended product and provide the testing results to owner. In addition, bidders must provide desire chemical in five gallon pails for in-house testing. At the City's desire, a pilot test or full-scale test shall be conducted to determine the most advantageous product for the City. Should product testing become necessary, the City will prepare and will issue guidelines and additional requirements.

#### Shipping:

- A. The polymer shall be shipped via tank trucks with a minimum loading of 2000 gallons and a maximum loading of 5000 gallons per shipment.
- B. The City Of Laredo reserves the option of shipment in 55 gallons drums or by the truck loads.

Delivery trucks must carry their own unloading equipment (air compressors, pumps, hoses, adapter, rear hydraulic elevators, etc.) unloading will be the sole responsibility of the truck driver and any damages to the City property caused by the negligence of the driver will be charged to the successful bidder. Pricing shall be F.O.B., City of Laredo Southside and North Laredo Wastewater Treatment Plants.

#### Anionic Polymer (Water Treatment Plants & Wastewater Treatment Plants) 17,7

Chemical to be used in wastewater for odor control is to be shipped and received in 270 gallon totes. Must meet the American Water Works Association specifications; latest standard version. Anionic Polymer shall contain a liquid physical state (straw colored liquid), with a boiling point of 100 degrees C and a specific gravity (H2=1)-1.02-1.04. The truck driver shall perform the unloading and transfer of the chemical into specialized storage tanks without assistance (under normal circumstances) and insure that no spills occur during such operation. Should a major spill occur due to negligence of the person in charge of delivering the product, all costs of product lost from that shipment (or any amount lost from storage tanks) and/or any soil remediation requirements affected will be encumbered by the product supplier, namely the successful bidder.

Net unit prices of anionic polymer offered in this bid shall be firm for a period of one year.

#### 17.8 Liquid Ammonium Sulfate (H₈N₂O₄S) (Water Treatment Plants)

The material shall be commonly known as Liquid Ammonium Sulfate (LAS). The liquid shall be suitable for feeding by means of metering pumps or other metering devices constructed of corrosion resistant materials. ANSI/AWWA B302-16 Standard for Ammonium Sulfate and NSF/ANSI Standard 60: Drinking Water Treatment Chemicals - Health Effects, latest edition. In the event of conflict between AWWA and NSF/ANSI Standards, NSF/ANSI Standards will supersede. The material shall be provided with Affidavit of Compliance or Certified Analysis as suitable for contact with or treatment of drinking water by an accredited certification organization in accordance to NSF/ANSI Standard 60: Drinking Water Treatment Chemicals - Health Effects.

The material shall meet the following chemical and physical properties:

Weight % dry salt	38-40
% available ammonia	10%
Specific Gravity	1.20-1.23
pH	
Soluble Iron	<30 mg/l
Insoluble Matter	<0.01 wt%
Freeze Point	<10 deg. F
Appearance	Clear, colorless to faint yellow

Liquid ammonium sulfate shall contain no soluble material or organic substances in quantities capable of producing deleterious or injurious effects on the health of those consuming water that has been treated properly with the ammonium sulfate.

The vendor shall conduct training classes in the handling and safety of Liquid Ammonium Sulfate at the plant site, at the request of the Plant Superintendent. The training shall meet all of the requirements of the Hazard Communications Act.

Packaging and shipping of Liquid Ammonium Sulfate shall be in accordance with current federal, state and local regulations. The tanks shall be suitable materials that will not be affected by the properties of the liquid. Tank trucks shall be in suitable condition for hauling liquid ammonium sulfate and shall not contain any substances that might affect the use of usefulness of the product in treating water for human consumption.

Copies of certified lab showing compliance with all listed specifications shall be provided with each order of product. A current copy of the NSF/ANSI Standard 60 certificate shall be included in the bid packet for the product described. Additionally, each bill of lading shall bear the NSF Stamp.

Net unit prices of liquid ammonium sulfate offered in this bid is shall be firm for a period of one year.

# 17.9 Liquid Aluminum Sulfate 50% with 1% Copper Sulfate (Water Treatment Plants)

Liquid Aluminum Sulfate with 1% Copper Sulfate shall have a concentration of 50% by weight and comply with the latest edition of ANSI/AWWA B403-16 Standard for Aluminum Sulfate and contain less than 25 mg/L total organic carbon (TOC) and less than 50 mg/L iron for such concentration. Liquid Aluminum Sulfate shall be made from aluminum trihydroxide (ATH) only. Aluminum trihydroxide (ATH) recovered from manufacturing and refinery waste streams is not acceptable. Liquid aluminum sulfate shall be watery clear white to clear in color. The liquid aluminum sulfate shall be free from all odors.

The material shall meet the following chemical and physical properties:

Aluminum sulfate mixture 10043-01-3 / 7758-99-8 (C.A.S.) pH (neat) 2.4-2.7 Specific Gravity @ 21° C (70° F) 1.29-1.32 Freezing Point (approx.) -16°C (3°F) Density, lbs./gal., US 10.8-11.0 Aluminum as AI, % 4.1-4.3 Aluminum as AL2O3, % 7.7-8.1 Copper (II) Sulfate Pentahydrate, % 0.8 - 1.2Soluble Cupric Iron (CU +2), % 0.20 - .31

- Needs to be EPA Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) Certification (EPA Website)
- Needs to ships from Texas
- Must respond within 48 hours
- Must be able to have same day and overnight shipping
- Aluminum Sulfate shall be made from Hydrate Alumina. Bauxite Aluminum Sulfate will not be accepted

The City of Laredo shall have the right to reject any shipment that fails to meet the requirements and specifications contained herein.

#### The product bid must be quoted on a 50% weight aluminum sulfate base.

At the request of the City, the successful bidder shall submit an affidavit of compliance with all pertinent and latest edition AWWA Standards plus an Affidavit of Compliance and analysis data sheet of the product as

reported by a commercial laboratory other than the manufacturer. All invoices must be adjusted to real concentrations of product delivered.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish 50% Liquid Aluminum Sulfate in bulk by trucks carrying their own delivery equipment such as pumps, compressor and hoses. The truck driver shall perform the unloading operation without assistance (under normal circumstances) and insure that no spills occur during such operation. Should a major spill occur due to negligence of the person in charge of delivering the product, all costs of product lost from the shipment (or any amount lost from storage tanks should then be affected) will be encumbered by the product supplier, namely the successful bidder.

Successful bidder shall be required to keep an inventory of no less than 44,000 lbs. of product at all times for delivery to the City of Laredo within 24 hours in case of an emergency.

Net unit price of Liquid Aluminum Sulfate offered in this bid shall be firm for a period of one year.

#### 18.0 Insurance Requirements

The successful bidder(s) shall furnish the City with original copies of valid insurance policies herein required upon execution of the contract and shall maintain said policies in full force and effect at all times during the term of this contract. Said insurance policies shall comply with all requirements set forth in section 12.0 of these specifications. Contractor(s) shall keep a current certificate of insurance in the City of Laredo Purchasing Division at all times and shall immediately report any changes to the Purchasing Office Administration.

#### 19.0 Term of Contract

The term of this contract shall be for a period of two (2) years beginning as of the date of its execution. The contract may be extended for three, additional one (1) year periods. Should the vendor desire to extend the contract for the additional one-year period, it must so notify the City in writing no later than sixty (60) days before the expiration of the prior term. Such notification shall be effective upon actual receipt by the City. Renewals shall be in writing and signed by the City's Purchasing Manager & City Manager or his designee, without further action by the Laredo City Council, subject to and contingent upon appropriation of funding therefore. All annual contracts shall bound by the terms of the bid documents. The City shall also have the right to extend this contract under the same terms and conditions beyond the original term or any renewal thereof, on a month to month basis, not to exceed 3 months. Said month to month extensions shall be in writing, signed by the City's Purchasing Manager & City Manager or his designee, and shall not require City Council approval, subject to and contingent upon appropriation of funding therefore. The City reserves the right to renew or rebid this contract, if the appropriated funds initially approved by City Council are exhausted before the contract expiration date. This contract will shall be the responsibility of and administered by the vendor and the City of Laredo Utilities Department.

#### 20.0 Award of Contract

This contract will be awarded by items to the (lowest responsive responsible bidder or bidders), in accordance to the provisions of Chapters 252 and 271 of the State of Texas – Local Government Code. Definition of lowest responsive and responsible bidder as per the Institute for Public Procurement is: "Lowest Responsive and Responsible Bidder: The bidder who fully complied with all of the bid requirements and whose past performance, reputation, and financial capability is deemed acceptable, and who has offered the most advantageous pricing or cost benefit, based on the criteria stipulated in the bid documents."

Annual Supply/Service Contract: This contract does not commit the City to purchase the quantities indicated. The quantities are estimates and are based on the best available information. The purpose of this contract is to establish prices for the commodities or services needed, should the City need to purchase these commodities or services. Since the quantities are estimates, the City may purchase more than the estimated quantities, less than the estimated quantities, or not purchase any quantities at all. The needs of the City shall govern the amount that is purchased and change orders shall not be applicable.

#### 20.1 <u>Disclosure of Interested Parties</u>

Section 2252.908 of the Texas Government Code requires a business entity entering into certain contracts with a governmental entity to file with the governmental entity a disclosure of interested parties at the time the business entity submits the signed contract to the governmental entity. Section 2252.908 requires the disclosure form (Form 1295) to be signed by the authorized agent of the contracting business entity, acknowledging that the disclosure is made under oath and under penalty of perjury.

Section 2252.908 applies only to a contract that requires an action or vote by the governing body of the governmental entity before the contract may be signed or has a value of at least \$1 million. Section 2252.908 provides definitions of certain terms occurring in the section.

Section 2252.908 applies only to a contract entered into on or after Jan. 1, 2016. (Only if awarded contract is approved by City Council). The form must be submitted electronically through the <u>Texas Ethics Commission</u> website. Once the form is submitted and given a unique registration number, the business entity must manually sign the form and have it notarized. The form should be sent to the government entity which will then verify the form on the Texas Ethics Commission website.

#### 21.0 Price Adjustment*****

The City of Laredo will allow unit price adjustments upwardly or downwardly when correlated with an industry wide adjustment. Any request for reasonable price adjustments will be considered. Justification for the requested adjustment on original fixed pricing must have mutual consent from both parties and be supported by appropriate documentation. A written notice stipulating in detail the price revision must be furnished to the City no less than 30 days before revised prices go into effect. Any request for reasonable price adjustments will be considered. Justification for the requested adjustment on original fixed pricing must have mutual consent from both parties and be supported by appropriate documentation. The City will not take action to intentionally delay legitimate manufacturer unit price increases. The City of Laredo reserves the right to cancel the contract if the price increase is deemed excessive; a new contract vendor will be selected on the basis of competitive bids. Documentation may be emailed to ealdape@ci.laredo.tx.us

#### 22.0 Termination

This contract shall be for an initial period of two years or twenty-four months from the commencement date. Either party will have the right to terminate the contract by giving written notice to the other party at least 3 months before the end of the initial period of the contract or at least 30 days at any point after the end of the initial period. Either party may terminate this contract by written notice to the other at any time if the other party: Commits a breach of this contract and, in the case of a breach capable of remedy, fails to remedy the breach within 10 days of being required to do so in writing; or becomes insolvent, or has a liquidator, receiver, manager or administrative receiver appointed.

# 23.0 Required Format and Contents of Bid Submission

For a bid to be considered it must contain the following information:
Company Information Questionnaire
Conflict of Interest Questionnaire
Non-Collusive Affidavit
Discretionary Contract Disclosure
Form 1295

## 24.0 Bidder Information Questionnaire

# Bidder Information/Business Questionnaire: Please complete all information requested below and submit with your bid package

"The undersigned affirms that they are duly authorized to execute this contract, that this company, corporation, firm, partnership or individual has not prepared this bid in collusion with any other bidder, and that the contents of this bid as to prices, terms or conditions of said bid have not been communicated by the undersigned nor by any employee or agent to any other person engaged in this type of business prior to the official opening of this request. By submitting this bid the vendor agrees to the City of Laredo specifications and all terms and conditions stipulated in the proposed document. That I, individually and on behalf of the business named in this Business Questionnaire, do by my signature below, certify that the information provided in the questionnaire is true and correct."

Name of Offeror (Business)	Pencco, Inc.				
Signature of person authorized to sign bid	a Dylor		Date 8/6/24		
Print Name of person authorized to sign bid	Sarah Duffy				
Title:	Bid Director				
Business Address:	P.O. Box 600				
City, State, Zip Code:	Can Dalian my	77473			
Telephone Number:	979 885 0005	Fax Number:	979 885 3208		
Contact Person Email Address: sarah@pencco.com					
Federal Tax II) Number:	74-2333384				
Bidders Principal/Corporate Place			Road, Sealy, TX 77474		
Indicated Status of Business;					
Corporation X Partners	hipSole I	Proprietorship	Other:		
If other state business status:					
State how long under its present b		vears			
If applicable, list all other names und		PIPERMINE LANGUAGE			
	<u></u>				
Will bidder/proposer provide a copy	of its financial statements fo	or the last two years, if	requested by the City of Laredo? (Yes) N		

Has the business, or any officer or partner thereof, failed to complete a contract? Yes /

The above minority information is requested for expenditure the	statistic ? City w	al and tra ill make	tcking purposes only and will not influence the amount of with any given company
This company is not a certified minority business:	9		
Small Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (SDBC)	Yes	(No)	Other: Please specify
State if company is a certified minority business ent Historically Underutilized Business (HUB):	erprise: Yes	No	Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE): Yes (No.
Have liquidated damages or penalty provisions be other reason? Yes / No.	een asso	essed agai	nst the Business for failure to complete work on time or for any
Has the Business been a defaulter, as a principal,			
Is the Business in arrears in any contract or debt?	Yes	/ (10)	
Hs the government or other public entity requests basis of default or in lieu of declaring the Busine	ed or re ss in de	quired em fault?	forcement of any of its rights under a surety agreement on the
Are there any proceedings, pending relating to the qualification to receive a public contract? Yes	ne Busin / (Ng).	iess respo	nsibility, debarment, suspension, voluntary exclusion, or
Has the Business been deharred, suspended, proposition voluntarily excluded, or otherwise disqualified fi	osed fo om bid	or debarme ding, prop	ent, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, posing, or confracting? Yes / (No)
			oose of any governmental agency contract award? Yes /(No)
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Is any litigation pending against the Business?	Yes	1 (10)	

# 25.0 Tab B Price Schedule

# 25.1 Section 1: Chemical Bid Price Schedule - Unit price must include freight charges, fuel charges, and HAZ-MAT fees.

item	Chemical	Unit of Measure	Est./Qty./Year	Unit Price	Ext. Price
]	Liquid Sodium Hydroxide (50%)	47,000 Lbs.	9	s No Bid	\$
2	Liquid Sodium Hydroxide (50%)	275 Gal. Tote	9	₹ No Bid	\$
3	Liquid Sodium Hydroxide (25%)	47,000 Lbs.	9	\$ No Bid	S
4	Calcium Hypochlorite	100 Lbs. Drum	90	\$ No Bid	\$
5	Liquid Chlorine	2,000 lbs. Cylinder	1,120	\$ No Bid	\$
6	Liquid Chlorine	150 lbs. Cylinder	630	\$ No Bid	\$
7	Liquid Aluminum Sulfate (50%)	48,000 Lbs.	145	\$ No Bid	\$
8	Cationic Polymer (C-308)	45,000 Lhs.	10	\$ No Bid	\$
9	Anionic Polymer	270 Gal. Tote	10	\$No Bid	\$
10	Liquid Ammonium Sulfate	50,000 Lbs.	50	\$ 0.149/lb	\$ 372500.0
11	Liquid Aluminum Sulfate with 1% Copper Sulfate	48,000 Lbs.	145	s No Bid	\$
12	Wastewater Polymer	25,000 Lbs.	9	\$ No Bid	\$
13	Wastewater Polymer	55 Gallon Drum	50	\$ No Bid	\$
14	Liquid Ammonium Sulfate (38%-40%)	48,000 lbs.	50	\$ 0.149/lb	

Company Name:	Pencco, Inc.
Owner/President Name: _	R. L. Horne, President
Company Address:	P.O. Box 600
City, State, Zip Code:	San Felipe, TX 77473
Company Authorized Rep	resentative's Signature:
	Name: Sarah Duffy, Bid Director
Signature on this form ind	iguter agreement with Unglandians to Didday (2

Signature on this form indicates agreement with "Instructions to Bidder -- General Terms and Conditions, pricing and all specifications listed on this document."

#### 26.0 Conflict of Interest Disclosure

A form disclosing potential conflicts of interest involving counties, cities, and other local government entities may be required to be filed after January 1, 2006, by vendors or potential vendors to local government entities. The new requirements are set forth in Chapter 176 of the Texas Local Government Code added by H.B. No. 914 of the last Texas Legislature.

Companies and individuals who contract, or seek to contract, with the City of Laredo and its agents may be required to file with the City Secretary's Office, 1110 Houston Street, Laredo, Texas 78040, a Conflict of Interest Questionnaire that describes affiliations or business relationships with the City of Laredo officers, or certain family members or business relationships of the City of Laredo officer, with which such persons do business, or any gifts in an amount of \$250.00 or more to the listed City of Laredo officer (s) or certain family members.

The new requirements are in addition to any other disclosures required by law. The dates for filing disclosure statements begin on January 1, 2006. A violation of the filing requirements is a Class C misdemeanor.

The Conflict of Interest Questionnaire (Form CIQ) may be downloaded from <a href="http://www.ethics.state.tx.us/whatsnew/conflict forms.htm">http://www.ethics.state.tx.us/whatsnew/conflict forms.htm</a>.

The City of Laredo officials who come within Chapter 176 of the Local Government Code relating to filing of Conflicts of Interest Questionnaire (Form CIQ) include:

- 1. Mayor
- 2. Council Members
- 3. City Manager
- 4. Members of the Fire Fighters and Police Officers Civil Service Commission.
- 5. Members of the Planning and Zoning Commission.
- 6. Members of the Board of Adjustments
- 7. Members of the Building Standards Board
- 8. Parks & Leisure Advisory Committee Member.
- 9. Historic District Land Board Member.
- 10. Ethics Commission Board Member,
- 11. The Board of Commissioners of the Laredo Housing Authority
- 12. The Executive Director of the Laredo Housing Authority
- 13. Any other City of Laredo decision making board member
  If additional information is needed please contact the Purchasing Agent at 956-794-1731

HAVE READ THIS FORM AND ATTEST THAT THERE IS NO CONFLICT OF INTEREST THUS NO VI	OLATION OF SECTION 176 DOE
COCAL GOVERNMENT CODE EXISTS.	or or or or or or or or or or or or or o
Sarah Duffy Name Signature  8/6/24 Date	
CONFLICT OF INTEREST QUESTIONNAIRE	FORM CIQ
For vendor or other person doing business with local governmental entity	•
This questionnaire reflects changes made to the law by H.B. 1491, 80th Leg., Regular Session.	OFFICE USE ONLY
This questionnaire is being filed in accordance with Chapter 176, Local Government Code by a person who has a business relationship as defined by Section 176.001(1-a) with a local governmental entity and the person meets requirements under Section 176.006(a).	Date received
By law this questionnaire must be filed with the records administrator of the local governmental entity not later than the 7th business day after the date the person becomes aware of facts that require the statement to be filed. See Section 176.006, Local Government Code.	
A person commits an offense if the person knowingly violates Section 176.006, Local Government Code. An offense under this section is a Class C misdemeanor.	
Name of person who has a business relationship with local governmental entity.	
Sarah Duffy, Bid Director, Pencco, Inc.	No record of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the control of the cont
Check this box if you are filing an update to a previously filed questionnaire.	
(The law requires that you file an updated completed questionnaire with the appropriate 7th business day after the date the originally filed questionnaire becomes incomplete or inaccurate.)	filing authority not later than the
3 Name of local government officer with whom filer has employment or business relationship	0.
N/A	
Name of Officer	
This section (item 3 including subparts A, B, C & D) must be completed for each office an employment or other business relationship as defined by Section 176.001(1-a), Loc this Form CIQ as necessary.	r with whom the filer has al Government pages to
A. Is the local government officer named in this section receiving or likely to receive taxable income, income, from the filer of the questionnaire? Yes	ome, other than investment
B. Is the filer of the questionnaire receiving or likely to receive taxable income, other than investr direction of the local government officer named in this section AND the taxable income is n governmental entity?  Yes  X No	ment income, from or at the not received from the local
C. Is the filer of this questionnaire employed by a corporation or other business entity with respect government officer serves an officer or director, or holds an ownership of 10 percent or more?	ct to which the local Yes X No
D. Describe each employment or business relationship with the local government officer name	
Signature of person doing business with the governmental entity  Sarah Duffy	8/6/24 Date
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	PURCHASING DIVISION
27.0	Non-Collusive Affidavit AFFIDAVIT
Proje	et:
Form	of Non-Collusive Affidavit
	AFFIDAVIT E OF TEXAS {} VTY OF WEBB {} Austro
Being	first duly sworn, deposes and says:
	e/she is Bid Director  (a Partner of officer of the firm of, etc.)
Bidder indirect bid pri of that	arty making the foregoing proposal or bid, that such proposal or bid is genuine and not collusive or that said Bidder has not colluded, conspired, connived or agreed directly or indirectly, with any or Person, to put in a sham bid or to refrain from bidding, and has not in any manner, directly or the sty, sought by agreement or collusion, or communication or conference, with any person, to fix the ce or affiant or of any other Bidder or to fix any overhead, profit or cost element of said bid price, or of any other Bidder, or to secure any advantage against the City of Laredo or any person interested in sposed Contract; and that all statements in said proposal or bid are true.
	Signature of: Bidder, if the Bidder is an individual Partner, if the Bidder is a Partnership Officer, if the Bidder is a Corporation
	Subscribed and swom before me this 6th day of Aug 20 24
	Notary Public
	My commission expires: $\frac{2/(\omega/2)}{2}$
	JENNIFER GUAJARDO NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF TEXAS MY COMM. EXP. 02/06/27

28.0

Discretionary Contracts Disclosure



# City of Laredo Discretionary Contracts Disclosure

Please fill out this form online, print completed form and submit with proposal to originating department. All questions must be answered.

For details on use of this form, see Section 4.01 if the City's Ethics Code. *This is a <u>X</u> New Submission or <u>Correction or Update to previous submission.</u> *1. Name of person submitting this disclosure form. Sarah Duffy First M.I. Last *2. Contract Information. a) Contract or Project name(s): Water & Wastewater Treatment Chemicals FY24-095 b) Originating Department(s): Utilities *3 Name of individual(s) or entity(ies) seeking a contract with the city (i.e. parties to the contract) Sarah Duffy Name (Print) Signature Name (Print) Signature Name (Print) Signature Name (Print) Signature Name (Print) Signature Name (Print) Signature Name (Print) Signature Name (Print) Signature *4. List any business entity(ies) that is a partner, parent, subsidiary business entity(ies) of the individual or entity listed in Question 3

PORCHASING DIVISION
Not applicable. Contracting party(ies) does not have partner, parent, or subsidiary business entities.
☐ Name of partner, parent, or subsidiary business entity(ies):
*5. List any individuals or entities that will be subcontractors on this contract.
Not applicable. No subcontractors will be retained for this contract.
Subcontractors may be retained, but have not been selected at the time of this submission.
☐ List of subcontractors:
*6. List any attorneys, lobbyists, or consultants that have been retained to assist in seeking this contract.
Not applicable. No attorneys, lobbyists, or consultants that have been retained to assist in seeking this contract.
List of attorneys, lobbyists, or consultants that have been retained to assist in seeking this contract:
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*7. Disclosure of political contributions.
List any campaign or officeholder contributions made by the following individuals in the past 24 months totaling
more than \$100 to any current member of City Council, former member of City Council, any candidate for City
Council, or to any political action committee that contributes to City Council elections.
a) Any individual seeking contract with the city (Question 3)
<ul><li>b) Any owner or officer of entity seeking contract with the city (Question 3)</li><li>c) Any individual or owner or officer of any entity listed above as partner, parent, or subsidiary business</li></ul>
(Question 4)
d) Any subcontractor or owner/office of subcontracting entity retained for the contract (Question 5) e) The spouse of any individual listed in response to (a) through (d) above
Any attorney, lobbyist, or consultant retained to assist in seeking contract (Question 6)
☑ Not applicable. No campaign or officeholder contributions have been made in the preceding 24 months by these individuals.

# CITY OF LAREDO

FUNCTIASING DIVISION
□ List of contributors:
Updates on Contributions Required
Information regarding contributions must be updated by submission of a revised form from the date of the submission of this form, up through the time City Council takes action on the contract identified in response to Question 2 and continuing for 30 calendar days after the contract has been awarded.
*8. Disclosure of conflict of interest
Are you aware of any fact(s) with regard to this contract that would raise a "conflict of interest" issue under Section 2.01 of the Ethics Code for any City Council member or board/commission member that has not or will not be raised by these city officials?
If am not aware of any conflict(s) of interest issues under Section 2.01 of the Ethics Code for members of City Council or a city board/commission.
I am aware of the following conflict(s) of interest:
*Acknowledgements
<u>Updates Required</u>
I understand that this form must be updated by submission of a revised form if there is any change in the information
before the discretionary contract is the subject of action by the City Council, and no later than five (5) business days
after any changes has occurred, whichever comes first. This include information about political contributions made after the initial submission and up until thirty (30) calendar days after the contract has been awarded.
and the initial submission and up until thirty (50) calendar days after the contract has been awarded.
No Contract with City Officials or Staff during Contract Evaluation
I understand that a person or entity who seeks or applies for a city contract or any other person acting on behalf of that
person or entity is prohibited from contracting city officials and employees regarding the contract after a Request for
Proposal (RFP), Request for Qualifications (RFQ), or other solicitation has been released.
This no-contract provision shall conclude when the contract is posted as a City of Laredo Council agenda item. If
contact is required with city officials or employees, the contact will take place in accordance with procedures
meorporated into the solicitation documents. Violation of this prohibited contacts provision set out in Section 2.09 of
the Ethics Code by respondents or their agents may lead to disqualification of their offer from consideration.
*Conflict of Interest Questionnaire (CIQ)
Chapter 176 of the Local Government Code requires contractor and vendors to submit a Conflict of Interest Form
(CIO) to the Off the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of the Creek of t

(CIQ) to the Office of the City Secretary.

acknowledge that I have been advised of the requirement to file a CIQ form under Chapter 176 of the Local Government Code.			
Government Code.			
	*Oath		
I swear or affirm that the statachments, to the best of my	atements contained in this Discretionary Corknowledge and belief are true, correct, and	ntracts Disclosure Form, including any complete.	
Name (Print)	Signature	Title	
Penceo Inc. Company or DBA	Sirah Duffs	8/6/24 Date	

Please fill this form out online, print and submit completed form with proposal to origination department. All questions must be answered. If necessary to mail, send to:

City of Laredo P.O. Box 579 Laredo, TX 78042-0579

# 29.0 Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295)

In an effort to comply with state law the certificate of interested parties must be filled out once a vendor has been granted a contract. All of this information can be found on the State of Texas website, please use this link provided, <a href="https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/tec/1295-Info.htm">https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/tec/1295-Info.htm</a>.

## Implementation of House Bill 1295

## 29.1 <u>Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295)</u>;

In 2015, the Texas Legislature adopted House Bill 1295, which added section 2252.908 of the Government Code. The law states that a governmental entity or state agency may not enter into certain contracts with a business entity unless the business entity submits a disclosure of interested parties to the governmental entity or state agency at the time the business entity submits the signed contract to the governmental entity or state agency. The law applies only to a contract of a governmental entity or state agency that either (1) requires an action or vote by the governing body of the entity or agency before the contract may be signed or (2) has a value of at least \$1 million. The disclosure requirement applies to a contract entered into on or after January 1, 2016.

The Texas Ethics Commission was required to adopt rules necessary to implement that law, prescribe the disclosure of interested parties form, and post a copy of the form on the commission's website. The commission adopted the Certificate of Interested Parties form (Form 1295) on October 5, 2015. The commission also adopted new rules (Chapter 46) on November 30, 2015, to implement the law. The commission does not have any additional authority to enforce or interpret House Bill 1295.

## 29.2 Filing Process:

Staring on January 1, 2016, the commission will make available on its website a new filing application that must be used to file Form 1295. A business entity must use the application to enter the required information on Form 1295 and print a copy of the completed form, which will include a certification of filing that will contain a unique certification number. An authorized agent of the business entity must sign the printed copy of the form. The completed Form 1295 with the certification of filing must be filed with the governmental body or state agency with which the business entity is entering into the contract.

The governmental entity or state agency must notify the commission, using the commission's filing application, of the receipt of the filed Form 1295 with the certification of filing not later than the 30th day after the date the contract binds all parties to the contract. The commission will post the completed Form 1295 to its website within seven business days after receiving notice from the governmental entity or state agency.

Information regarding how to use the filing application will be available on this site starting on January 1, 2016.

Additional Information:

HB 1295

Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295)

New Chapter 46, Ethics Commission Rules:

46.1. Application

46.3. Definitions

46.5. Disclosure of Interested Parties Form

CERTIFICATE OF INTE	RESTED PARTIES		1	FORM 1295
Complete Nos. 1 - 4 and 6 if there are interested parties. Complete Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, and 6 if there are no interested parties.		OFFIC	E USE ONLY	
1 Name of business entity filing form, and the city, state and country of the business entity's place of business.				
<ol> <li>Name of governmental entity or state which the form is being filed.</li> </ol>	agency that is a party to the contract	for		
9 Provide the identification number use and provide a description of the good	ed by the governmental entity or state is or services to be provided under the	agency to contract.	track or ider	ntify the contract,
4 Name of Interested Party	City, State, Country	Natu	re of Interest	(check applicable)
tame of interesting Party	(place of business)	Co	ntrolling	intermediary
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5 Check only if there is NO interested P	arty.	<b></b>		
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AFFIDAVIT I swear, or affirm, under penalty of perjury, that the above disclosure is true and correct.				
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AFFIX NOTARY STAMP / SEAL ABOVE	Signature of authorize	agent of c	ontracting busin	ess entity
Sworn to and subscribed before me, by the said				
Signature of officer administering oath	Printed name of officer administering or	th	Title of office	r administering cath
ADD ADDITIONAL PAGES AS NECESSARY				

Form provided by Texas Ethics Commission

www.ethics.state.tx.us

Adopted 10/5/2015

******Form does not need to be notarized*****

### 30.0 Vendors Instructions:

Hand delivered bids will be received at the City Secretary Office, 1110 Houston St., 3rd. floor, Laredo, Texas 78040 until 5:00 P.M. on August 8, 2024; and all bids received will be opened and read publicly at 9:00 A.M. at the Office of the City Secretary on August 9, 2024.

Hand delivered Bids are to be submitted in a sealed envelope clearly marked:

Bid: Water & Wastewater Treatment Chemicals – Utilities Department FY24-095

Bids can be downloaded and submitted through Cit-E-Bid: https://cityoflaredo.ionwave.net/Login.aspx

or

Hand Delivered:

City of Laredo - City Secretary C/O Mario I. Maldonado Jr. City Hall - Third Floor 1110 Houston Street Laredo, Texas 78040



## BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

Prior notice was waived, and a meeting of the Directors was held on May 7, 2024. The following resolution was adopted in respects to the official signing of bids and contracts on behalf of Pencco, Inc.

BE IT RESOLVED that Sarah Duffy, Bid Director, of the Corporation has authority to negotiate for and sign any bids/contracts which the Corporation might enter into for the furnishing of goods and services for the Corporation under such terms, conditions and stipulations, as for such consideration as she may deem to be in the best interest of the Corporation.

No further business was necessary, and the meeting was concluded.

R. L. Horne, President

Aline Horne, Secretary



# AFFIDAVIT OF COMPLIANCE

This is to certify that the Liquid Ammonium Sulfate supplied by our company meets AWWA Standard B302-16 or the latest revision and is certified to NSF/ANSI Standard NSF-60.

Signature

RL Horne, President

Name and Title of Official

8/1/2023

Date



The Public Health and Safety Organization

# **NSF Product and Service Listings**

These NSF Official Listings are current as of **Tuesday**, **August 6**, **2024** at 12:15 a.m. Eastern Time. Please <u>contact NSF</u> to confirm the status of any Listing, report errors, or make suggestions.

Alert: NSF is concerned about fraudulent downloading and manipulation of website text. Always confirm this information by clicking on the below link for the most accurate information: <a href="http://info.nsf.org/Certified/PwsChemicals/Listings.asp?CompanyName=pencco&">http://info.nsf.org/Certified/PwsChemicals/Listings.asp?CompanyName=pencco&</a>

# NSF/ANSI/CAN 60 Drinking Water Treatment Chemicals - Health Effects

# PENCCO, Inc.

831 Bartlett Road
Sealy, TX 77474
United States
800-864-1742
979-885-0005
Visit this company's website
(http://www.pencco.com)

Facility: Distribution Center - Birmingham, AL

#### Ferric Sulfate

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
50% Ferric Sulfate	Coagulation & Flocculation	650mg/L
60% Ferric Sulfate	Coagulation & Flocculation	650mg/L
Ferric Sulfate	Coagulation & Flocculation	650mg/L
Ferric Sulfate Solution	Coagulation & Flocculation	650mg/L
Poly Ferric Sulfate	Coagulation & Flocculation	650mg/L

#### **Ferric Sulfate**

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
50% Ferric Sulfate	Coagulation & Flocculation	650mg/L
60% Ferric Sulfate	Coagulation & Flocculation	650mg/L
Ferric Sulfate	Coagulation & Flocculation	650mg/L
Ferric Sulfate Solution	Coagulation & Flocculation	650mg/L
Poly Ferric Sulfate	Coagulation & Flocculation	650mg/L

## Hydrofluosilicic Acid

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Fluorosilicic Acid	Fluoridation	5mg/L
Fluosilicic Acid	Fluoridation	5mg/L
HFS	Fluoridation	5mg/L
HFSA	Fluoridation	5mg/L
Hydrofluorosilicic Acid	Fluoridation	5mg/L
Hydrofluosilicic Acid	Fluoridation	5mg/L

# Facility: Distribution Center - Stockton, CA

### Ferric Chloride

Hydrofluorosilicic Acid

Hydrofluosilicic Acid

	ma/I
Ferric Chloride Coagulation & Flocculation 600	ung/ n
Hydrofluosilicic Acid	
Trade Designation Product Function Ma	t Use
Fluorosilicic Acid Fluoridation 5m	g/L
Fluosilicic Acid Fluoridation 5m	g/L
HFS Fluoridation 5m	g/L
HFSA Fluoridation 5m	g/L

Fluoridation

Fluoridation

5mg/L

5mg/L

Facility: Vernon, CA

Ferric Chloride

Trade DesignationProduct FunctionMax UseFerric ChlorideCoagulation & Flocculation600mg/L

**Ferrous Chloride** 

Trade DesignationProduct FunctionMax UseFerrous ChlorideCoagulation & Flocculation500mg/L

Facility: Distribution Center - Willow Springs, IL

Hydrofluosilicic Acid

Trade DesignationProduct FunctionMax UseFluorosilicic AcidFluoridation5mg/LFluosilicic AcidFluoridation5mg/LHydrofluosilicic AcidFluoridation5mg/L

Facility: Distribution Center - Whippany, NJ

Hydrofluosilicic Acid

Trade DesignationProduct FunctionMax UseHydrofluosilicic AcidFluoridation5mg/L

Facility: Distribution Center - Morganton, NC

Fluorosilicic Acid

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Fluorosilicie Acid	Fluoridation	5mg/L
Fluosilicic Acid	Fluoridation	5mg/L
HFS	Fluoridation	5mg/L
HFSA	Fluoridation	5mg/L
Hydrofluorosilicic Acid	Fluoridation	5mg/L

Hydrofluosilicic Acid

Fluoridation

5mg/L

Facility: Middlesex, NC

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Trade Designation	<b>Product Function</b>	Max Use
Ammonium Sulfate	Chloramination	55mg/L
LAS	Chloramination	55mg/L
Liquid Ammonium Sulfate	Chloramination	55mg/L

## **Blended Coagulation Chemicals**

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
COAGteC PFS	Coagulation & Flocculation	200mg/L

### **Ferric Sulfate**

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
50% Ferric Sulfate	Coagulation & Flocculation	650mg/L
60% Ferric Sulfate	Coagulation & Flocculation	650mg/L
Ferric Sulfate	Coagulation & Flocculation	650mg/L
Penn 3202	Coagulation & Flocculation	650mg/L
Poly Ferric Sulfate	Coagulation & Flocculation	650mg/L

## Hydrofluosilicic Acid

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Fluorosilicic Acid	Fluoridation	5mg/L
Fluosilicic Acid	Fluoridation	5mg/L
Hydrofluorosilicic Acid	Fluoridation	5mg/L
Hydrofluosilicic Acid	Fluoridation	5mg/L

Facility: Distribution Center - Bardwell, TX

## Ferric Chloride

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Ferric Chloride	Coagulation & Flocculation	600mg/L
Pencco 3012	Coagulation & Flocculation	600mg/L

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Ferric Sulfate		
Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Ferric Sulfate Solution	Coagulation & Flocculation	650mg/L
Ferrous Chloride		
Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Ferrous Chloride	Corrosion Control	500mg/L
	Coagulation & Flocculation	- 0,
Pencco 0210	Corrosion Control	500mg/L
	Coagulation & Flocculation	
Hydrofluosilicic Acid		
Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Fluorosilicic Acid	Fluoridation	5mg/L
Fluosilicic Acid	Fluoridation	5mg/L
Hydrofluorosilicic Acid	Fluoridation	5mg/L
Hydrofluosilicic Acid	Fluoridation	5mg/L
Facility: Ennis, TX		
Ferric Chloride		
Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Ferric Chloride	Coagulation & Flocculation	600mg/L
Pencco 3012	Coagulation & Flocculation	600mg/L
Ferric Sulfate		
Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
50% Ferric Sulfate	Coagulation & Flocculation	650mg/L
60% Ferric Sulfate	Coagulation & Flocculation	650mg/L
Ferric Sulfate	Coagulation & Flocculation	650mg/L
Ferric Sulfate Solution	Coagulation & Flocculation	650mg/L
Poly Ferric Sulfate	Coagulation & Flocculation	650mg/L
Ferrous Chloride		
Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Ferrous Chloride	Corrosion Control	500mg/L

Coagulation & Flocculation

Pencco 0210

**Corrosion Control** 

500mg/L

Coagulation & Flocculation

<b>Ferrous</b>	Sulfate[1]
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Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Ferrous Sulfate	Coagulation & Flocculation	150mg/L
GreenIron	Coagulation & Flocculation	150mg/L
SafeIron	Coagulation & Flocculation	150mg/L

[1] Only products bearing the NSF Mark on the product, product packaging, and/or documentation shipped with the product are Certified.

## Hydrofluosilicic Acid

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Fluorosilicie Acid	Fluoridation	5mg/L
Fluosilicic Acid	Fluoridation	5mg/L
Hydrofluorosilicic Acid	Fluoridation	5mg/L
Hydrofluosilicie Acid	Fluoridation	5mg/L

Facility: Sealy, TX

#### **Ammonium Sulfate**

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Ammonium Sulfate	Chloramination	55mg/L

### **Ferric Sulfate**

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
50% Ferric Sulfate	Coagulation & Flocculation	650mg/L
60% Ferric Sulfate	Coagulation & Flocculation	650mg/L
Ferric Sulfate	Coagulation & Flocculation	650mg/L
Ferric Sulfate Solution	Coagulation & Flocculation	650mg/L
Penn 3202	Coagulation & Flocculation	650mg/L
Poly Ferric Sulfate	Coagulation & Flocculation	650mg/L

### Hydrofluosilicie Acid

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use	
Fluorosilicic Acid	Fluoridation	5mg/L	

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Fluoridation Fluoridation

5mg/L 5mg/L

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## **Product Data Sheet**

#### **CHARACTERISTICS**

Liquid Ammonium Sulfate is an odorless, clear, faint yellow to amber colored liquid. It is an advanced inorganic product suitable for industrial and municipal water and wastewater treatment applications.

#### TYPICAL PROPERTIES

Formula: Aqueous solution of ammonium sulfate

C.A.S. 7783-20-2 (Ammonium Sulfate)

pH (neat) 4.0 – 8 Specific Gravity @ 21° C (70°F) 1.216-1.228

Freezing Point Less than -12°C (10°F)

Density, lbs./gal., US 10.15-10.25 (NH₄)₂SO₄, % 38-40 NH₃ Equivalent, % 9.8-10.3

#### **PRODUCT USES**

Municipal and industrial water and wastewater treatment for disinfection as a source of ammonia in chlorination. Disinfection byproduct control.

#### **SHIPPING CONTAINERS**

Bulk Transport Bulk Car 275 US gal. one-way container 55 US gal. plastic drum

# SHIPPING REGULATIONS (US DOT / TDG)

Classification: Not regulated for transport

RQ: Not Applicable

#### PRODUCT SAFETY INFORMATION

Anyone procuring, using, or disposing of these products or their containers must be familiar with the appropriate safety and handling precautions. Such information may be found in the Safety Data Sheets (SDS) for these products, or you may contact Pencco at 979-885-0005. In the event of an emergency with these products, call the 24-hour Emergency Number: USA and Canada (CHEMTREC) 800-262-8200.

For additional information contact:

Pencco, Inc. Emergency Contact Information

P.O. BOX 600, San Felipe, TX 77473 Office: 1-800-864-1742

Phone: 979-885-0005 Fax: 979-885-3208 CHEMTREC (US) 24 hr: 1-800-262-8200

Revision Date: February 29, 2024

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# Safety Data Sheet (SDS) **Liquid Ammonium Sulfate Solution**

# SECTION 1 – Chemical Identification and Supplier's Information

Product Name: Ammonium Sulfate Use: Water Treatment

Chemical Formula: (NH₄)₂SO₄ Inorganic Salts

Chemical Family:

7783-20-2

CAS #:

Supplier's Name & Address:

Pencco, Inc. P.O. Box 600

San Felipe, TX 77473

**Emergency Phone:** 

Pencco

(979) 885-0005

CHEMTREC

Part 372.

(800) 262-8200 - 24 hours a day

#### SECTION 2 - Hazards Identification

#### **GHS Information**

Signal Word: WARNING

Hazard Class: No Physical Hazards

Hazard Category:

N/A

Hazard Statement:

Causes eye irritation.

Causes mild skin

irritation.

Appearance and Odor: Colorless to brown color

with possible slight ammoniacal odor.

Pictograms: None required

# Summary of Acute Health Hazards

and Title 40n of the Code of Federal Regulations,

Ingestion: Causes irritation gastrointestinal tract. Symptoms may include diarrhea, nausea, vomiting. It presents little toxicity unless large amounts are ingested; in which case vomiting and diarrhea are likely.

Inhalation: Irritating to the respiratory tract. Symptoms may include coughing and shortness of breath.

Skin: May cause irritation to the skin with prolonged contact. Symptoms may include redness, irritation, itching, and pain.

Eyes: Causes irritation to the eyes. Symptoms may include redness, pain.

## Signs and Symptoms of Chronic Exposure: N/F

#### Carcinogenicity

No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a

#### **Health Hazards**

Emergency Overview: Warning! Harmful if swallowed. May cause irritation to skin, eyes, and respiratory track.

#### SARA Title III Hazard Classification

SARA 313 of Title III of Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act



known anticipated carcinogen by NTP, IARC, or OSHA.

### Storage Considerations

Store locked up. (P405)

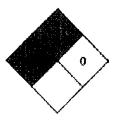
#### **Disposal Considerations**

Dispose of this material or dry material generated from clean-up of spills must comply with federal, state, and local regulations regarding inorganic chemical wastes.

Carcinogenicity: None of the components of this material are listed as a carcinogen by IARC, NTP, OSHA, or ACGIH.

Fire and Explosion Hazards: This product will not burn and is not flammable.

	NFPA Rating	HMIS Rating	4 = Extreme / Severe
Health	1	1	3 = High / Serious
Reactivity	0	0	2 = Moderate
Flammability	0	0	1 = Slight



#### SECTION 3 - Composition/Information on Ingredients

**Chemical Identity:** Ammonium Sulfate Solution

Common Name and synonyms: Ammonium Sulfate Solution, Liquid Ammonium Sulfate, Diammonium

Sulfate Solution

Ingredient	CAS#	Weight Percentage
Water	7732-18-5	40 - 69%
Ammonium Sulfate	7783-20-2	31 -60%

#### **SECTION 4 - First Aid Measures**

Eye Contact First Aid: Immediately flush eyes for 15 minutes with large amounts of water while holding eyelids apart. Washing within one minute is essential to achieve maximum effectiveness. Forcibly hold eyelids open to ensure complete irrigation of the eye tissue. Seek medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Skin Contact First Aid: Remove contaminated clothing. Wash affected area with soap and water. Seek medical attention if irritation develops or persists. Wash clothing prior to re-use. Seek medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Inhalation First Aid: Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Seek medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Ingestion First Aid: Induce vomiting, but only if victim is fully conscious. Give large amounts or water. Never



give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a physician.

Notes to physician

Treatment: Treat symptomatically.

### **SECTION 5 – Fire Fighting Measures**

Flash Point: Not applicable.

Upper/Lower Explosion Limits in Air: Not applicable.

Auto Ignition Temperature: Not applicable.

Extinguishing Media: Will not burn; use materials appropriate for surrounding fire.

**Fire and Explosion Hazards:** Substance itself does not burn but may decompose into a flammable ammonia gas if in a fire. May explode if mixed with strong oxidizers such as nitrates, nitrites, chlorates, etc.

Hazardous Product of Decomposition or Combustion: Substance itself does not burn but may decompose into a flammable ammonia gas and sulfur oxides if in a fire. May explode if mixed strong oxidizers such as nitrates, nitrites, chlorates, etc.

**Suitable extinguishing media:** Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

**Specific hazards during firefighting:** Container may rupture on heating. Cool closed containers exposed to fire with water spray. Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses. Explosive reactions with oxidizing agents such as potassium chlorate and/or peroxides. In case of fire hazardous decomposition products may be produced such as: Sulphur oxides, Ammonia, Carbon monoxide, Carbon dioxide (CO2)

**Special protective equipment:** In the event of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. In the case of respirable dust and/or fumes, use self-contained breathing apparatus and dust impervious protective suit. Further information: Use extinguishing measure that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

#### SECTION 6 - Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions: Wear personal protective equipment. Unprotected persons must be kept

away.

Evacuate personnel to safe areas.

Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.

Remove all sources of ignition. Provide adequate ventilation.

Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing dust.

Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing.

**Environmental precautions:** Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer systems.



Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Do not let product enter drains.

Methods for cleaning up:

Use mechanical handling equipment.
Clean contaminated surface thoroughly.

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust.

Use a suitable vacuum cleaner.

US EPA Waste Number: No information available

#### **SECTION 7 – Handling and Storage**

**Handing:** Avoid all eyes and skin contact and avoid creating or breathing vapor and mist. Wear recommended personal protective equipment. Ensure there is adequate ventilation, such as outdoors. Keep away from heat and open flame. Employ good maintenance practices to prevent leaks. Use good process control measures to prevent releases.

**Storage:** Keep storage tanks and containers closed and contents protected from dust, dirt, and moisture. Clean storage tanks on a regular schedule based on inspection and experience. Have storage tanks, containers, and transfer systems properly labeled for contents. Have procedures for determining product quantity in storage tanks and for accepting deliveries.

Use tanks, transfer lines, pumps valves and process instrumentation designed for this material using approved materials of construction. Some materials commonly used are stainless steel, some plastics, and FRP.

#### **SECTION 8 – Exposure Controls and Personal Protection**

**Respiratory Protection:** None normally required. A respiratory protection program that meets OSHA 1910.134 and ANSI Z88.2 or applicable federal/provincial requirements must be followed whenever workplace conditions warrant respirator use. NIOSH's "Respirator Decision Logic" may be useful in determining the suitability of various types of respirators.

Personal Protective Equipment: Gloves. Protective clothing. Protective goggles.







**Eye Protection:** Use chemical safety goggles and face shield if splashing hazard exists. Do not wear contact lenses.

**Skin Protection:** Where there is possibility of skin contact, gloves, and boots as necessary to minimize contact. Long sleeved clothing.



**General Hygiene Considerations:** To identify additional Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) requirements, it is recommended that a hazard assessment in accordance with the OSHA PPE Standard (29CFR1910.132) be conducted before using this product.

**Engineering Measures:** Use local exhaust to keep airborne concentrations blew the permissible exposure limits. Apply technical measures to comply with the occupational exposure limits.

## **SECTION 9 – Physical and Chemical Properties**

Boiling Point:	102 - 105°C (215.6 - 221°F)	pH:	5.5 - 6 (100g per 1L H ₂ O)
Physical State:	Liquid	Viscosity:	2.0 Mpa.s @ 40°C
Melting Point:	-5.3 °C (22.5 °F)	Solubility in Water:	· —
Specific Gravity:	1.21 to 1.23 Water = 1.0	Vapor Pressure:	24 mm Hg at 25°C
Appearance:	Colorless to light tan	Odor:	Ammoniacal (Slight)

OSHA/HCS Status:

While this material is not considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200), this SDS contains valuable information critical to the safe handling and proper use of the product. This SDS should be retained and available for employees and other users of this product.

#### **SECTION 10 – Stability and Reactivity**

Stability: Stable under normal and recommended conditions of use and storage.

Conditions to Avoid: High heat, incompatible substances.

**Decomposition:** Substance itself does not burn but may decompose into a flammable ammonia gas and sulfur oxides if in a fire. May explode if mixed with strong oxidizers such as nitrates, nitrites, chlorates, etc.

Polymerization: Will not Occur.

Incompatibility: Strong oxidizing agents. (Zinc, Copper bearing materials, Nitrates, Nitrites,

chlorates, and other strong oxidizers).

#### **SECTION 11 - Toxicological Information**

Chronic Effects: Prolonged or repeated skin exposure may cause skin irritation.

Irritancy: Mild irritant

Sensitization: No information found.

**Synergistic Materials:** No information found. **Animal Toxicity:** LD50 3000 mg/kg (oral, rat)

Carcinogenicity: Not listed as carcinogenic (IARC and ACGIH).

Reproductive Toxicity: No information found.

**Teratogenicity:** No information found. **Mutagenicity:** No information found.



## **SECTION 12 – Ecological Information**

**Ecotoxicity:** 

Toxicity to fish:

LC50: > 460 mg/l

Exposure time: 96 h

Species: Leuciscus idus (Golden orfe)

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates:

LC50: 423 mg/l Exposure time: 23h

Species: Daphnia magna (water flea)

LC50 433 mg/l Exposure time: 50 h

Species: Daphnia magna (water flea)

LC50: 292 mg/l Exposure time: 100h

Species: Daphnia magna (water flea)

#### **SECTION 13 – Disposal Considerations**

Disposal of this product or dry material generated from clean-up of spills must comply with federal, state, and local regulations regarding inorganic chemical wastes.

Contaminated packaging, rinse thoroughly with water and add dilution to treated system as product. Recycle or dispose of at a licensed facility.

#### **SECTION 14 – Transportation Information**

The shipping description(s) stated herein were prepared in accordance with certain assumptions at the time the SDS was authored and can vary based on a number of variables that may or may not have been known at the time the SDS was issued.

Not regulated for transport according to: US DOT, IMDG, IATA, and Canada's TDG.

#### SECTION 15 - Regulatory Information

#### **Inventories**

#### **US. Toxic Substance Control Act:**

On TSCA Inventory

Australia. Industrial Chemical (Notification and Assessment) Act:



On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

Canada. Canadian Environmental Protection Act (CEPA). Domestic Substances List (DSL) All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL

Japan. Kashin-Hou Law List:

On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory.

Korea. Existing Chemicals Inventory (KECI):

On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory.

Philippines. The Toxic Substances and Hazardous and Nuclear Waste Control Act:

On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory.

China. Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances:

On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory.

**NPRI** 

Canadian Notional Pollutant Release Inventory (NPRI): No component is listed on NPRI.

#### **SECTION 16 – Other Information**

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Pencco provides the information contained in each SDS, technical data sheet ("TDS"), product information brochure and/or information contained herein (including data and statements) in good faith and makes no representations as to its comprehensiveness or accuracy as of the date of publication. The SDSs, TDSs, and product information brochures are referred to collectively as the "Data Sheets". It is the responsibility of the user to obtain and use the most recent version of the Data Sheets. Each Data Sheet relates only to the specific product designated therein and may not be valid where such product is used in combination with any other materials or in any process. Further, since the conditions and methods of use of the product and information are beyond the control of Pencco, Pencco expressly disclaims any and all liability as to any consequential damages or results obtained or arising from any use of the products or the information contained in the Data Sheets. NO WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY, FITNESS FOR ANY PARTICULAR PURPOSE OR ANY OTHER WARRANTY, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, IS MADE AS CONCERNS THE DATA SHEETS OR THE RELATED PRODUCTS.

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# FY24-095 Polydyne Inc. **Supplier Response**

### **Event Information**

Number:

FY24-095

Title:

FY24-095 Water & Wastewater Treatment Chemicals

Type:

Request For Bid

Issue Date: 7/22/2024

Deadline:

8/8/2024 05:00 PM (CT)

Notes:

******If the bidder submits both an electronic bid and a properly

completed manual bid, the Purchasing Division will use the electronic bid to determine the total bid amount of the bid. If the bidder submits

an electronic bid and a manual bid that is not complete, the

Purchasing Division will use the electronic bid to determine the total

bid amount of the bid.********

# **Contact Information**

Contact: Enrique Aldape III Address: Purchasing Division Public Works Service Center

5512 Thomas Avenue

Laredo, TX 78041

Phone: 956 (794) 1733 Fax: 956 (790) 1805

Email: ealdape@ci.laredo.tx.us

# Polydyne Inc. Information

Address: One Chemical Plant Rd

Riceboro, GA 31323

Phone: (912) 880-2035

By submitting your response, you certify that you are authorized to represent and bind your company.

Randal Vickery

bids@polydyneinc.com

Signature

Email

Submitted at 8/7/2024 11:33:41 AM (CT)

# **Supplier Note**

Please note, Polydyne Inc. does not carry Professional Liability insurance, since our Insurance Broker and our Legal Counsel determined that this type of insurance is not applicable to the supply of polymers. This coverage is applicable to professions such as Physicians, Attorneys, and Engineers. Polydyne Inc. does carry Pollution Liability as indicate in Section 12.0 Item D.

# **Response Attachments**

## Polydyne Inc. complete submittal for FY24-095 reduced size.pdf

Polydyne Inc. complete submittal for FY24-095 for Water and Wastewater Treatment Chemicals for the City of Laredo, including Conflict of Interest Questionnaire, Non-Collusive Affidavit, Form 1295, Discretionary Contracts Disclosure Form, Insurance Certificate, Product Bulletins and Safety Data Sheets.

## **Bid Attributes**

Award by Item

This contract will be awarded by item to the lowest responsive responsible bidder, in accordance to the provisions of Chapters 252 and 271 of the State of Texas – Local Government Code.

✓ Yes

2 Questionnaire Description

"The undersigned affirms that they are duly authorized to execute this contract, that this company, corporation, firm, partnership or individual has not prepared this bid in collusion with any other bidder, and that the contents of this bid as to prices, terms or conditions of said bid have not been communicated by the undersigned nor by any employee or agent to any other person engaged in this type of business prior to the official opening of this request. By submitting this bid the vendor agrees to the City of Laredo specifications and all terms and conditions stipulated in the proposed document. That I, individually and on behalf of the business named in this Business Questionnaire, do by my signature below, certify that the information provided in the questionnaire is true and correct ".

3 Name of Offeror (Business) and Name & Phone Number of Authorized Person to sign bid

Polydyne Inc. / Boyd Stanley, Sr. Vice-President: (800) 848-7659 Option 2

4 State how long under has the business been in its present business name

In excess of 28 years

5 If applicable, list all other names under which the Business identified above operated in the last five years

Not Applicable

## 6 State if the Company is a certified minority business enterprise

The below information is requested for statistical and tracking purposes only and will not influence the amount of expenditure the City will make with any given company.

#### 7 Questions Part 1

1) Is any litigation pending against the Business? 2) Has the Business ever been declared "not responsive" for the purpose of any governmental agency contract award? 3) Has the Business been debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, voluntarily excluded, or other wise disqualified from bidding, proposing or contracting? 4) Are there any proceedings, pending relating to the Business responsibility, debarment, suspension, voluntary exclusion, or qualification to receive a public contract? 5) Has the government or other public entity requested or required enforcement of any of its rights under a surety agreement on the basis of default or in lieu of declaring the Business at default?

No litigation is pending against Polydyne Inc. Polydyne Inc. has not been deemed "not responsive" for any contract award. Polydyne Inc. has not been debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, voluntarily excluded or disqualified from bidding, proposing or contracting. No circumstances exist that would disqualify Polydyne Inc. for award of a public contract. No government or other public entity has requested/required enforcement of any of its rights under a surety agreement.

#### 8 Questions Part 2

1) Is the Business in arrears in any contract or debt? 2) Has the Business been a defaulter, as a principal, surety, or otherwise? 3) Have liquidated damages or penalty provisions been assessed against the Business for failure to complete work on time or any other reason?

Polydyne Inc. is not in arrears, in debt or a defaulter. No liquidated damages or penalty provisions have been assessed against Polydyne Inc.

## 9 State if the Company is a certified minority business enterprise

This company is not a certified minority business

### **Conflict of Interest Disclosure**

A form disclosing potential conflicts of interest involving counties, cities, and other local government entities may be required to be filed after January 1, 2006, by vendors or potential vendors to local government entities. The new requirements are set forth in Chapter 176 of the Texas Local Government Code added by H.B. No. 914 of the last Texas Legislature. Companies and individuals who contract, or seek to contract, with the City of Laredo and its agents may be required to file with the City Secretary's Office, 1110 Houston Street, Laredo. Texas 78040, a Conflict of Interest Questionnaire that describes affiliations or business relationships with the City of Laredo officers, or certain family members or business relationships of the City of Laredo officer, with which such persons do business, or any gifts in an amount of \$250.00 or more to the listed City of Laredo officer (s) or certain family members. The new requirements are in addition to any other disclosures required by law. The dates for filing disclosure statements begin on January 1, 2006. A violation of the filing requirements is a Class C misdemeanor. The Conflict of Interest Questionnaire (Form CIQ) may be downloaded from http://www.ethics.state.tx.us/whatsnew/conflict forms.htm. The City of Laredo officials who come within Chapter 176 of the Local Government Code relating to filing of Conflicts of Interest Questionnaire (Form CIQ) include: 1. Mayor 2. Council Members 3. City Manager 4. Members of the Fire Fighters and Police Officers Civil Service Commission, 5, Members of the Planning and Zoning Commission, 6, Members of the Board of Adjustments 7. Members of the Building Standards Board 8. Parks & Leisure Advisory Committee Member, 9. Historic District Land Board Member, 10. Ethics Commission Board Member, 11. The Board of Commissioners of the Laredo Housing Authority 12. The Executive Director of the Laredo Housing Authority 13. Any other City of Laredo decision making board member If additional information is needed please contact Enrique Aldape III, Interim Purchasing Agent at 956-794-1733.

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## Conflict of Interest Questionnaire Form CIQ

For vendor or other person doing business with local governmental entity. This questionnaire reflects changes made to the law by H.B. 1491, 80th Leg., Regular Session. This questionnaire is being filed in accordance with Chapter 176, Local Government Code by a person who has a business relationship as defined by Section 176.001(1-a) with a local governmental entity and the person meets requirements under Section 176.006(a). By law this questionnaire must be filed with the records administrator of the local governmental entity not later than the 7th business day after the date the person becomes aware of facts that require the statement to be filed. See Section 176.006, Local Government Code. A person commits an offense if the person knowingly violates Section 176.006, Local Government Code. An offense under this section is a Class C misdemeanor.

## 1 Conflict of Interest Questionnaire

Vendor is required to submit Conflict of Interest Form for bid to be considered complete. Have you submitted your completed Conflict of Interest Form with your response?

Yes

## 1 | Construction Contract

Construction Contract Requires Acknowledgement

✓ Acknowledge

## Disclosure Form

For details on use of this form, see Section 4.01 of the City's Ethics Code.

# 1 This is a

Update to previous submission

## Question 1. Name of person submitting this disclosure form

Please include First Name, Middle Initial, Last Name and Suffix (if applicable)

William B. Stanley, Sr. Vice-President of Polydyne Inc.

#### 1 | Question 2. Contract Information

Please include the following: a)Contract or Project Name b)Originating Department

FY24-095 Water & Wastewater Treatment Chemicals: Utilities Department

# Question 3. Name of individual(s) or entity(ies) seeking a contract with the city (i.e. parties to the contract)

Polydyne Inc. is submitting a bid for FY 24-095 Water & Wastewater Treatment Chemicals that was issued by the City of Laredo

Question 4. List any business entity(ies) that is a partner, parent, subsidiary business entity(ies) of the individual or entity listed in Question 3.

It applies to my business

# Question 4. List any business entity(ies) that is a partner, parent, subsidiary business entity(ies) of the individual or entity listed in Question 3

If you selected Not Applicable on Question 4, skip this section. If it applies to you, please list the name of partner, parent, or subsidiary business entity(ies) in this section.

Polydyne Inc. is a wholly-owned subsidiary of SNF Holding Company.

# Question 5. List any individuals or entities that will be subcontractors on this contract

Not Applicable

# 2 Question 5. List any individuals or entities that will be subcontractors on this contract

If you selected Not Applicable on Question 5, please skip this section. If it applies to you, please list subcontractors in this section.

No response

# Question 6. List any attorneys, lobbyists, or consultants that have been retained to assist in seeking this contract

Not Applicable

# Question 6. List any attorneys, lobbyists, or consultants that have been retained to assist in seeking this contract

If selected Not Applicable on question 6, please skip this section. If it applies to you, please list attorneys, lobbyists, or consultants that have been retained to assist in seeking this contract.

No response

# Question 7. Disclosure of political contributions

List any campaign or officeholder contributions made by the following individuals in the past 24 months totaling more than \$100 to any current member of City Council, former member of City Council, any candidate for City Council, or to any political action committee that contributes to City Council elections. a) Any individual seeking contract with the city (Question 3) b) Any owner of officer of entity seeking contract with the city (Question 3) c) Any individual or owner or officer of any entity listed above as partner, parent, or subsidiary business (Question 4) d) Any subcontractor or owner/office of subcontracting entity for the contract (Question 5) e) The spouse of any individual listed in response to (a) through (d) above f) Any attorney, lobbyist, or consultant retained to assist in seeking contract (Question 6)

Not Applicable

# Question 7. Disclosure of political contributions

If you selected Not Applicable on question 7, please skip this section. If it applies to you, please list all contributors in this section.

No response

# Updates on contributions required

Information regarding contributions must be updated by submission of a revised form from the date of the submission of this form, up through the time City Council takes action on the contracts identified in response to Question 2 and continuing for 30 calendar days after the contract has been awarded.

# Question 8. Disclosure of Conflict of Interest

Are you aware of any fact(s) with regard to this contract that would raise a "conflict of interest" issue under Section 2.01 of the Ethics Code for any City Council member or board/commission member that has not or will not be raised by these city officials?

I am not aware of any conflict of interest

# 2 8. Disclosure of Conflict of Interest

If you selected I am aware of conflict of interest is question 8, please list them in this section.

No response

# Question 9. Updates Required

I understand that this form must be updated by submission of a revised form if there is any change in the information before the discretionary contract is the subject of action by the City Council, and no later than five (5) business days after any changes has occurred, whichever comes first. This include information about political contributions made after the initial submission and up until thirty (30) calendar days after the contract has been awarded.

☑ I have read and understand this section

# Question 10. No Contact with City Officials or Staff during Contract Evaluation

I understand that a person or entity who seeks or applies for city contract or any other person acting on behalf of that person or entity is prohibited from contacting city officials and employees regarding the contract after a Request for Proposal (RFP), Request for Qualifications (RFQ), or other solicitation has been released. This no-contact provision shall conclude when the contract is posted as a City of Laredo Council agenda item. If contact is required with city officials or employees, the contact shall take place in accordance with procedures incorporated into the solicitation documents. Violation of this prohibited contacts provision set out in Section 2.09 of the Ethics Code by respondents or their agents may lead to disqualification of their offer from consideration.

☑ I have read and understand this section.

# Question 11. Conflict of Interest Questionnaire (CIQ)

Chapter 176 of the Local Government Code requires contractor and vendors to submit a Conflict of Interest Form (CIQ) to the Office the of City Secretary.

☑ I have acknowledge that I have been advised

## 3 Question 11. Oath

Please complete in this section the required information for your company: 1) Name 2) Title 3) Company or DBA 4) Date

1.) Boyd Stanley 2.) Sr. Vice-President 3.) Polydyne Inc. 4.) July 31, 2024

## 3 Question 12. Oath

I swear or affirm that the statements contained in this Discretionary Contracts Disclosure Form, including any attachments, to the best of my knowledge and belief are true, correct, and complete.

☑ I swear or affirm information is correct

# 3 Company Information Questionnaire

☑ I have completed this section

# 3 Conflict of Interest Questionnaire

☑ I have completed this section

# 3 Non-Collusive Affidavit

☑ I have completed and included this form

# 3 Discretionary Contracts Disclosure

☑ I have completed this section

## | Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295)

In an effort to comply with state law the certificate of interested parties must be filled out once a vendor has been granted a contract. All of this information can be found on the State of Texas website, please use this link provided, https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/tec/1295-Info.htm. Implementation of House Bill 1295 Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295): In 2015, the Texas Legislature adopted House Bill 1295, which added section 2252.908 of the Government Code. The law states that a governmental entity or state agency may not enter into certain contracts with a business entity unless the business entity submits a disclosure of interested parties to the governmental entity or state agency at the time the business entity submits the signed contract to the governmental entity or state agency. The law applies only to a contract of a governmental entity or state agency that either (1) requires an action or vote by the governing body of the entity or agency before the contract may be signed or (2) has a value of at least \$1 million. The disclosure requirement applies to a contract entered into on or after January 1, 2016. The Texas Ethics Commission was required to adopt rules necessary to implement that law, prescribe the disclosure of interested parties form, and post a copy of the form on the commission's website. The commission adopted the Certificate of Interested Parties form (Form 1295) on October 5, 2015. The commission also adopted new rules (Chapter 46) on November 30, 2015, to implement the law. The commission does not have any additional authority to enforce or interpret House Bill 1295. Filing Process: Staring on January 1, 2016, the commission will make available on its website a new filing application that must be used to file Form 1295. A business entity must use the application to enter the required information on Form 1295 and print a copy of the completed form, which will include a certification of filing that will contain a unique certification number. An authorized agent of the business entity must sign the printed copy of the form and have the form notarized. The completed Form 1295 with the certification of filing must be filed with the governmental body or state agency with which the business entity is entering into the contract. The governmental entity or state agency must notify the commission, using the commission's filing application, of the receipt of the filed Form 1295 with the certification of filing not later than the 30th day after the date the contract binds all parties to the contract. The commission will post the completed Form 1295 to its website within seven business days after receiving notice from the governmental entity or state agency. Information regarding how to use the filing application will be available on this site starting on January 1, 2016. Additional Information: HB 1295 Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295) New Chapter 46, Ethics Commission Rules: 46.1. Application 46.3. Definitions 46.5. Disclosure of Interested Parties Form In order to comply with state law the Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295) must be submitted to the Texas Ethics Commission within 10 days upon receiving notice of award of contract. This form must be submitted within the allotted time otherwise this may result in the cancellation of the contract.

I will comply with this form.

## Terms and Conditions for Request for Bids

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF INVITATIONS FOR BIDS GENERAL CONDITIONS Bidders are required to submit bids upon the following expressed conditions:

- (a) Bidders shall thoroughly examine the specifications, schedule instructions and other contract documents. Once the award has been made, failure to read all specifications, instructions, and the contract documents, of the City shall not be cause to alter the original contract or for a vendor to requests additional compensation.
- (b) Bidders shall make all investigations necessary to thoroughly inform themselves regarding facilities and locations for delivery of materials and equipment as required by the bid conditions. No pleas of ignorance by the bidder of conditions that exist or that may hereafter exist as a result of failure or omission on the part of the bidder to make the necessary examinations and investigations, or failure to fulfill in every detail the requirements of the contract documents, will be accepted as a basis for varying the requirements of the City or the compensation to the vendor.
- (c) Bidders are advised that City contracts are subject to the all legal requirements provided for in the City Charter and/or applicable City Ordinances, State and Federal Statutes.
- 1.0 PREPARATION OF BIDS Bids will be prepared in accordance with the following:
- (a) All information required by the bid form shall be furnished. For hand delivered submittals only, the vendor shall print or type the business name and manually sign the schedule. For electronic submittals, this information shall be submitted electronically on Cit-E-Bid system. If vendor submits both manual and electronic bids, the electronic bid will replace the manual bid and shall be considered the only valid bid.
- (b) Unit prices shall be shown and where there is an error in extension of price, the unit price shall govern.
- (c) Alternate bids will not be considered unless authorized by the invitation for bids or any applicable addendum
- (d) Proposed delivery time must be shown and shall include Sundays and holidays
- (e) Bidders will not include Federal taxes or State of Texas limited sales tax in bid prices since the City of Laredo is exempt from payment of such taxes. An exemption certificate will be furnished upon request.
- (f) The City shall pay no costs or other amounts incurred by any entity in responding to this RFB, or as a result of issuance of this RFB.

**2.0 DESCRIPTION OF SUPPLIES** Any catalog or manufacturer's reference used in describing an item is merely descriptive, and not restrictive, unless otherwise noted, and is used only to indicate type and quality of material. Bidder is required to state exactly what they intend to furnish; otherwise bidder shall be required to furnish the items as specified.

#### 3.0 SUBMISSION OF BIDS

- (a) Bids and changes thereto shall be enclosed in sealed envelopes, properly addressed and to include the date and hour of the bid opening and the material or services bid on shall be typed or written on the face of the envelope. If submitted electronically, this information shall be submitted electronically on Cit-E-Bid system by going to the following link: <a href="https://cityoflaredo.ionwave.net/Login.aspx">https://cityoflaredo.ionwave.net/Login.aspx</a>
- (b) Unless otherwise noted on the Notice to Bidders cover sheet, all hand delivered bids must be submitted to the Office of the City Secretary, City Hall, 1110 Houston Street.
- (c) Bids forms can be downloaded and printed through Cit-E-Bid. Mailed Bids (i.e. USPS, FedEx, UPS), telegraphic, email or facsimile bids will not be considered.
- (d) Samples, when required, must be submitted within the time specified, at no expense to the City of Laredo. If not destroyed or used up during testing, samples will be returned upon request at the bidder's expense.
- (e) Bids must be valid for a minimum period of sixty (60) days. An extension to hold bid pricing for actual quantity bids may be requested by the City.

## 4.0 REJECTION OF BIDS The City may reject a bid if:

- (a) Bidder misstates or conceals any material fact in the bid.
- (b) Bid does not strictly conform to the law or the requirements of the bid.
- (c) Bidder is in arrears on existing contracts or taxes with the City of Laredo.
- (d) If bids are conditional. Bidder may qualify their bid for acceptance by the City on an "ALL OR NONE" basis. An "ALL OR NONE" basis bid must include all items in the specifications.
- (e) In the event that a bidder is delinquent in the payment of City taxes on the day the bids are opened, including state and local taxes, such fact shall constitute grounds for rejection of the bid or cancellation of the contract. A bidder is considered delinquent, regardless of any contract or agreed judgments to pay such delinquent taxes.
- (f) No bid submitted herein shall be considered unless the bidder warrants that, upon execution of a contract with the City of Laredo, bidder will not engage in employment practices such as discriminating against employees because of race, color, sex, creed, or national origin. Bidder will submit such reports as the City may therefore require assuring compliance with said practices.
- (g) The City may reject all bids or any part of a bid whenever it is deemed necessary.
- (h) The City may waive any minor informalities or irregularities in any bid.
- **5.0 WITHDRAWAL OF BIDS** Bids may not be withdrawn after they have been publicly opened, unless approved by the City Council.
- **6.0 LATE BIDS OR MODIFICATIONS** Bids and modifications received after the time set for the bid deadline will not be considered. Late bids will be returned to the bidder unopened.
- 7.0 CLARIFICATION OR OBJECTION TO BID SPECIFICATIONS If any person contemplating submitting a bid for this contract is in doubt as to the true meaning of the specifications, or other bid documents or any part thereof, they may submit to the City Purchasing Agent on or before seven (7) calendar days prior to the scheduled bid deadline a request for clarification which must be submitted in writing through email seven (7) days prior to the scheduled date for opening to: CITY OF LAREDO PURCHASING AGENT Enrique Aldape III 5512 Thomas Ave, Laredo, TX 78041 ealdape@ci.laredo.tx.us or Questions & Responses section on Cit-E-Bid system. Any vendor submitting questions shall make reference to a specific bid number, section, page and item of this solicitation. In case there are changes, additions, and/or edits to the original scope of work, and addendum will be issued by the purchasing agent to all vendors through Cit-E-Bid system under Questions and Responses section to clarify any inquiries. The City will not be responsible for any other explanations or interpretations of the proposed bid made or given prior to the bid opening or award of contract.
- (a) Protest Procedures: The purpose of this procedure is to establish procedures whereby a vendor may protest specific procurement actions by the City of Laredo. The following sequence of activities must take place in filing a protest:
- (b) To be performed by protesting vendor: Within ten (10) days prior to the time that the City Council considers the recommendation of the City's Purchasing Officer, the protesting vendor must provide written protest to the City Purchasing Officer. Such protest must include specific reasons for the protest.
- (c) To be performed by City's Purchasing Officer: Shall review the records of procurement and determine legitimacy and procedural correctness. With five (5) working days, the City Purchasing Officer shall provide written response to the protesting vendor of the decision.
- (d) If the protesting vendor is not satisfied with the decision of the City Purchasing Officer, such protesting vendor may appeal to the City Manager of the City of Laredo. If the protesting vendor cannot resolve the issue with the City Manager, he shall be entitled to address his concerns when the City Council of the City of Laredo considers the awarding of the contract. Such appeal may be made only after exhausting all administrative procedures through the City Manager. All protests must be duly submitted via Certified Mail to: City of Laredo Purchasing Agent 5512

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Thomas Ave. Laredo, Texas 78041.

#### 8.0 BIDDER DISCOUNTS

- (a) Percent discounts within a certain period of time will be accepted but cannot be used in the bid evaluation. The period of the discount offered should be sufficient to permit payments within such period in the regular course of business by the City of Laredo.
- (b) In connection with any discounts offered, time will be computed from the date of receipt of supplies or service or from the date a correct invoice is received, whichever is the later date. Payment is deemed to be made on the date the check is mailed.

#### 9.0 INTENT OF CONTRACT

a) ANNUAL SUPPLY/SERVICE CONTRACTS: This contract does not commit the City to purchase the quantities indicated. The quantities are estimates and are based on the best available information. The purpose of this contract is to establish prices for the commodities or services needed, should the City need to purchase these commodities or services. Since the quantities are estimates, the City may purchase more than the estimated quantities, less than the estimated quantities, or not purchase any quantities at all. The needs of the City shall govern the amount that is purchased. All annual contracts shall bound by the terms of the bid documents. In the event a new contract cannot be executed on the anniversary date of the original term or renewal term, the contract may be renewed month to month until a new contract is executed. The City's obligation for performance of an annual supply contract beyond the current fiscal year is contingent upon the availability of appropriated funds from which payments for the contract purchases can be made. If no funds are appropriated and budgeted during the next fiscal year, this contract becomes null and void.

#### 10.0 AWARD OF CONTRACT

- (a) This contract will be awarded to the (lowest responsive responsible bidder), in accordance to the provisions of Chapters 252 and 271 of the State of Texas Local Government Code.
- Definition of lowest responsive and responsible bidder as per the Institute for Public Procurement is:
- "Lowest Responsive and Responsible Bidder: The bidder who fully complied with all of the bid requirements and whose past performance, reputation, and financial capability is deemed acceptable, and who has offered the most advantageous pricing or cost benefit, based on the criteria stipulated in the bid documents."
- (b) The City reserves the right to accept any item or group of items in the bid specifications, unless the bidder qualifies it's bid by specific limitation. Proof: The bidder shall bear the burden of proof of compliance with the City of Laredo specifications.
- (c) A written award of acceptance (a duly approved purchase order or Letter of Award) furnished by the City to the successful bidder results in a binding contract without further action by either party. These Terms and Conditions shall be the basis and governing document of the binding contract.
- (d) A duly authorize purchase order number shall reference item/services description, item number, quantity and price. Invoices shall reference the assign purchase order number to avoid any duplication (2 CFR 200.318 (d)).
- (e) Prices must be quoted F.O.B. Destination, Laredo, Texas, unless otherwise specified in the invitation to bid. The place of delivery shall be that set forth in the bid specifications and/or purchase order.
- (f) Title & Risk of Loss: The title and risk of loss of goods shall not pass to the City of Laredo until the City actually receives and takes possession of the goods at the point or points of delivery. The terms of this agreement is "no arrival, no sale".
- (g) Delivery time and prompt payment discounts will be considered in breaking ties. In the event of a tie bid, the successful bidder will be determined by choosing lots at the City Council meeting chambers.
- (h) The City of Laredo shall give written notice to the contractor (supplier) if any of the following conditions exist:
- 1. Contractor does not provide materials in compliance with specifications and/or within the time schedule specified in bid.
- 2. Contractor neglects or refuses to remove materials or equipment which have been rejected by the City of Laredo if found not to comply with the specifications.
- 3. The contractor makes an unauthorized assignment for the benefit of any contractor.
- Upon receiving written notification from the City that one of the above conditions has occurred, the contractor must remedy the problem within ten (10) calendar days, to the complete satisfaction of the City, or the contract will be immediately canceled.
- 4. Contract terms are the responsibility of the awarded vendor(s) and the respective City user department(s).

#### 11.0 ENTIRE AGREEMENT

(a)All covenants, conditions and agreement contained in the solicitation, are hereby made part of the Agreement to the same extent and with the force as is fully set forth herein. If and to the extent of this Agreement and the terms of this solicitation and supplier response conflict Terms & Conditions of this solicitation shall control.

#### 12.0 PAYMENT & INVOICING

- (a) All invoices to the City of Laredo have a 30 day term from receipt of supplies or completion of services.
- (b) Discount terms will be computed from the date of receipt and acceptance of supplies or services. Payment shall be deemed to be made from that date.

- (c) All invoices must show the purchase order number and invoices shall be legible. Items billed on invoices should be specific as to applicable stock, manufacturer catalog or part number. All items must show unit prices. If prices are based on discounts from list, then list prices must appear on bid schedule. All invoices shall be mailed to the Accounts Payable Office, City Hall, and PO. Box 210, Laredo, Texas 78042.
- (d) The City of Laredo offers electronic funds transfer (ETF) payments in lieu of check payment when a vendor has filled out an Electronic Funds Transfer Authorization Form issued by the City of Laredo or upon request from the vendor. This ensures prompt payment directly deposited to a bank account. The estimated payment time is up fifteen (15) days from the date payment is processed. (e) For any inquires on payment status or general billing questions please contact: Jorge J. Jolly, Accounts Payable Manager 956-791-7328 jjolly@ci.laredo.tx.us 1110 Houston St. Laredo, TX 78040.
- 13.0 In accordance to State of Texas, the City of Laredo follows State practices when awarding any and all competitive solicitations:

TEXAS ENGINEERING AND LAND SURVEYING PRACTICE ACTS AND RULES CONCERNING PRACTICE AND LICENSURE

OCCUPATIONS CODE TITLE 6. REGULATION OF ENGINEERING, ARCHITECTURE, LAND SURVEYING, AND RELATED PRACTICES SUBTITLE A. REGULATION OF ENGINEERING AND RELATED PRACTICES CHAPTER 1001. TEXAS BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND LAND SURVEYORS

CHAPTER 137: COMPLIANCE AND PROFESSIONALISM

SUBCHAPTER C: PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT AND ETHICS

§137.53 ENGINEER STANDARDS OF COMPLIANCE WITH PROFESSIONAL SERVICES PROCUREMENT ACT (a) A licensed engineer shall not submit or request, orally or in writing, a competitive bid to perform professional engineering services for a governmental entity unless specifically authorized by state law and shall report to the board any requests from governmental entities and/or their representatives that request a bid or cost and/or pricing information or any other information from which pricing or cost can be derived prior to selection based on demonstrated competence and qualifications to perform the services. (b) For the purposes of this section, competitive bidding to perform engineering services includes, but is not limited to, the submission of any monetary cost information in the initial step of selecting qualified engineers. Cost information or other information from which cost can be derived must not be submitted until the second step of negotiating a contract at a fair and reasonable cost. (c) This section does not prohibit competitive bidding in the private sector. Source Note: The provisions of this §137.53 adopted to be effective May 20, 2004, 29 TexReg 4878; amended to be effective June 4, 2007, 32 TexReg 2996.

☑ I Agree to the Terms and Conditions

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#### **Insurance Terms and Conditions**

**INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS** If and when applicable or required by the contract, the successful bidder(s) shall furnish the City with original copies of valid insurance policies herein required upon execution of the contract and shall maintain said policies in full force and effect at all times throughout the term of this contract.

- (a) Commercial General Liability insurance at minimum combined single limits of \$1,000,000 per-occurrence and \$2,000,000 general aggregate for bodily injury and property damage, which coverage shall include products/completed operations (\$1,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate) and XCU (Explosion, Collapse, Underground) hazards. Coverage must be written on an occurrence form. Contractual Liability must be maintained covering the Contractors obligations contained in the contract. The general aggregate limit must be at least two (2) times the each occurrence limit.
- (b) Workers Compensation insurance at statutory limits, including Employers Liability coverage a minimum limits of \$1,000,000 each-occurrence each accident/\$1,000,000 by disease each-occurrence/\$1,000,000 by disease aggregate.
- (c) Commercial Automobile Liability insurance at minimum combined single limits of \$1,000,000 per-occurrence for bodily injury and property damage, including owned, non-owned, and hired car coverage.
- (d) Professional Liability, Errors & Omissions coverage, with minimum limits of \$1,000,000 per claim/ \$2,000,000 annual aggregate. This coverage must be maintained for at least two years after the project is completed. If coverage is written on a claims-made basis, a policy retroactive date equivalent to the inception date of the contract (or earlier) must be maintained during the full term of the contract.
- (e) Any Subcontractor(s) hired by the Contractor shall maintain insurance coverage equal to that required of the Contractor. It is the responsibility of the Contractor to assure compliance with this provision. The City of Laredo accepts no responsibility arising from the conduct, or lack of conduct, of the Subcontractor.
- (f) A Comprehensive General Liability insurance form may be used in lieu of a Commercial General Liability insurance form. In this event, coverage must be written on an occurrence basis, at limits of \$1,000,000 each-occurrence, combined single limit, and coverage must include a broad form Comprehensive General Liability Endorsement, products/completed operations, XCU hazards, and contractual liability.
- (g) With reference to the foregoing insurance requirement, Contractor shall specifically endorse applicable insurance policies as follows:
- 1. The City of Laredo shall be named as an additional insured with respect to General Liability and Automobile Liability.
- 2. All liability policies shall contain no cross liability exclusions or insured versus insured restrictions.
- 3. A waiver of subrogation in favor of the City of Laredo shall be contained in the Workers compensation, and all liability policies.
- 4. All insurance policies shall be endorsed to require the insurer to immediately notify The City of Laredo of any material change in the insurance coverage.
- 5. All insurance policies shall be endorsed to the effect that The City of Laredo will receive at least sixty- (60) days' notice prior to cancellation or non-renewal of the insurance.
- 6. All insurance policies, which name The City of Laredo as an additional insured, must be endorsed to read as primary coverage regardless of the application of other insurance.
- 7. Required limits may be satisfied by any combination of primary and umbrella liability insurances.
- 8. Contractor may maintain reasonable and customary deductibles, subject to approval by The City of Laredo.
- 9. Insurance must be purchased from insurers that are financially acceptable to the City of Laredo. Insurer must be rated A- or greater by AM Best Rating with an admitted carrier licensed by the Texas Department of Insurance.
- (h) All insurance must be written on forms filed with and approved by the Texas Department of Insurance. Certificates of Insurance shall be prepared and executed by the insurance company or its authorized agent and shall contain provisions representing and warranting the following:
- 1. Sets forth all endorsements and insurance coverage's according to requirements and instructions contained herein.
- 2. Shall specifically set forth the notice-of-cancellation or termination provisions to The City of Laredo.
- (i) Upon request, Contractor shall furnish The City of Laredo with certified copies of all insurance policies.
- (j) Certificates of insurance are always subject to review and approval from the City of Laredo Risk Management.
- (k) Specialty certificates and licenses must be inspected and verified for accuracy and validity before award of contract.
- (I) Awarded vendor is required to maintain current and active all: certifications, licenses, permits and/or insurance coverages, required to perform work, throughout the duration of this project/contract.
- ☑ I agree my insurance meets minumum requirements

# Disqualification & Debarment Certification

**DISQUALIFICATION & DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION** By submitting this request for bids, proposal or statement of qualifications, the firm certifies that it is not currently debarred or eligible for debarment from the City of Laredo pursuant to **Ordinance No. 2017-O-098**, and that it is not an agent of a person or entity that is currently debarred from receiving contracts from any political subdivision or agency of the State of Texas. The City will further verify debarment status through use of the federal website SAM.gov. The contract parties are further prohibited from making any award at any tier to any party that is debarred or suspended or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation in Federal Assistance Programs under Executive Order 12549, "Debarment and Suspension."

By executing this agreement, the Engineer certifies that it is not currently debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation in Federal Assistance Programs under Executive Order 12549. The parties to this contract shall require any party to a subcontract or purchase order awarded under this contract to certify it eligibility to receive Federal funds and, when requested by the City, to furnish a copy of the certification. Additionally, in accordance with Chapter 2270, Texas Government Code, a governmental entity may not enter into a contract with a company for goods or services unless the contract contains a written verification from the company that it: (1) does not boycott Israel; and (2) will not boycott Israel during the term of the contract.

The signatory executing this contract on behalf of company verifies that the company does not boycott Israel and will not boycott Israel during the term of this contract. S.B. 252 (V. Taylor/S. Davis) is a bill relating to government contracts with terrorists. The bill provides that: (1) a governmental entity, including a city, may not enter into a governmental contract with a company that is identified on a list prepared and maintained by the comptroller and that does business with Iran, Sudan, or a foreign terrorist organization; and (2) a company that the United States government affirmatively declares to be excluded from its federal sanctions regime relating to Sudan, its federal sanctions regime relating to Iran, or any federal sanctions regime relating to a foreign terrorist organization is not subject to the contract prohibition under the bill.

☑ I certify to the terms and conditions

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#### Contract Requirements

- **1.CODE OF ETHICS ORDINANCE** Vendors doing business with the City of Laredo shall comply with all provisions of the City of Laredo's Code of Ethics (Ordinance, as amended). Vendors may be required to participate in Code of Ethics trainings.
- 1.2 PROHIBITED CONTACTS DURING CONTRACT SOLICITATION PERIOD A person or entity who seeks or applies for a city contract or any other person acting on behalf of such person or entity, is prohibited from contacting city officials and employees regarding such a contract after a Formal Bid, Request for Proposal (RFP), Request for Qualification (RFQ) or other solicitation has been released. This no-contact provision shall conclude when the contract is awarded. The City of Laredo reserves the right to contact respondents and may require such contact as part of the evaluation process (for presentation, clarification) of bids and/or negotiation of RFP submittal(s) prior to the award of contract. If contact is required, such contact will be done in accordance with provisions of Chapter 252 and 271 of the Texas Local Government Code and procedures incorporated into the solicitation document. Violation of this provision by respondents or their agents may lead to disqualification of their offer from consideration.
- 1.3 NON-COLLUSIVE AFFIDAVIT (Form can be downloaded and submitted through Cit-E-Bid system) The City may require that vendors submit a Non-Collusive Affidavit. The vendor will be required to state that the party submitting a proposal or bid, that such proposal or bid is genuine and not collusive or sham; that said Bidder has not colluded, conspired, connived or agreed, directly or indirectly, with any Bidder or Person, to put in a sham bid or to refrain from bidding, and has not in any manner, directly or indirectly, sought by agreement or collusion, or communication or conference, with any person, to fix the bid price or affiant or of any other Bidder, or to fix any overhead, profit or cost element of said bid price, or of that of any other Bidder, or to secure any advantage against the City of Laredo or any person interested in the proposed contract; and that all statements in said proposal or bid are true.
- 1.4 CONTRACT DISCLOSURE FORMS (This is submitted through Cit-E-Bid system) The City of Laredo requires the following forms to be completed as a part of this bid for consideration; 1. Company Information Questionnaire, 2. Signed Price Schedule, 3. Conflict of Interest Questionnaire, 4. Non-Collusive Affidavit 5. Discretionary Contracts Disclosure 6. Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295) **Upon Award of RFP Only** 1.5 CONFLICT OF INTEREST FORMS (This is submitted through Cit-E-Bid system) Conflict of Interest Disclosure: A form disclosing potential conflicts of interest involving counties, cities, and other local government entities may be required to be filed after January 1, 2006, by vendors or potential vendors to local government entities. The new requirements are set forth in Chapter 176 of the Texas Local Government Code added by H.B. No. 914 of the last Texas Legislature.
- 1.6 TEXAS ETHICS COMMISSION (Form 1295, Form can be downloaded and submitted through Cit-E-Bid system) Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295) Implementation of House Bill 1295: In an effort to comply with state law the certificate of interested parties must be filled out once a vendor has been granted a contract. All of this information can be found on the state of Texas website, please use this link provided, <a href="https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/tec/1295-Info.htm">https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/tec/1295-Info.htm</a> In 2015, the Texas Legislature adopted House Bill 1295, which added section 2252.908 of the Government Code. The law states that a governmental entity or state agency may not enter into certain contracts with a business entity unless the business entity submits a disclosure of interested parties to the governmental entity or state agency at the time the business entity submits the signed contract to the governmental entity or state agency. The law applies only to a contract of a governmental entity or state agency that either (1) requires an action or vote by the governing body of the entity or agency before the contract may be signed or (2) has a value of at least \$1 million. The disclosure requirement applies to a contract entered into on or after January 1, 2016. In order to comply with state law the Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295) must be submitted to the Texas Ethics Commission within 10 days upon receiving notice of award of contract. This form must be submitted within the allotted time otherwise this may result in the cancellation of the contract.

Changes to Form 1295:

Changes to the law requiring certain businesses to file a Form 1295 are in effect for contracts entered into or amended on or after January 1, 2018. The changes exempt businesses from filing a Form 1295 for certain types of contracts and replace the need for a completed Form 1295 to be notarized. Instead, the person filing a 1295 needs to complete an "unsworn declaration."

☑ I have read and understand this section

# Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. 1352)

Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. 1352)

Contractors that apply or bid for an award exceeding \$100,000 must file the required certification. Each tier certifies to the tier above that it will not and has not used Federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any Federal contract, grant or any other award covered by 31 U.S.C. 1352. Each tier must also disclose any lobbying with non-Federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any Federal award. Such disclosures are forwarded from tier to tier up to the non-Federal award.

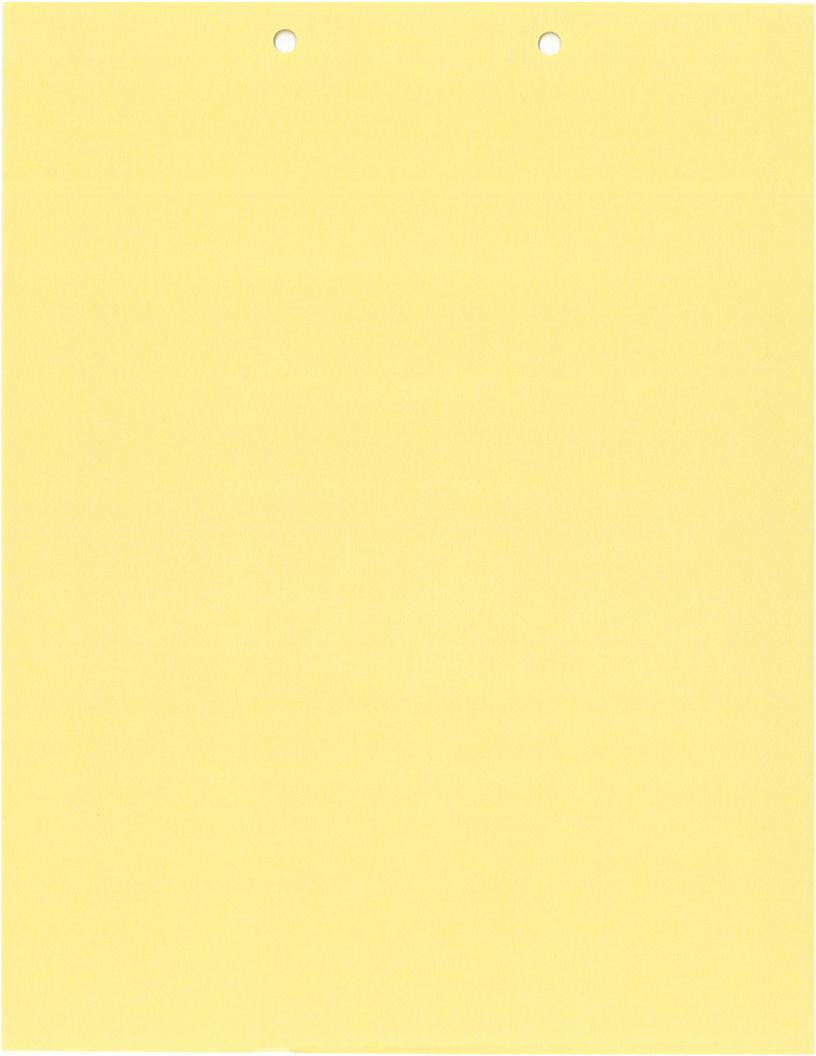
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# Electronic Pricing & Manual Bid Pricing

Yes

#### **Bid Lines**

1	Package Header	
	Section I –Chemical Bid Price Schedule Note: Unit price shall include freight charges, fuel charges, and HAZ-Mat Fees  ******If the bidder submits both an electronic bid and a properly completed mar Division will use the electronic bid to determine the total bid amount of the bid. electronic bid and a manual bid that is not complete, the Purchasing Division w determine the total bid amount of the bid.************************************	If the bidder submits an
	Quantity: 1 UOM: EA Total:	\$875,145.00
	Package Items	
	<b>1.1</b> Liquid Sodium Hydroxide (50%) Average order (47,000 lbs.)	
	Quantity: 9 UOM: Bulk (lbs)  1.2 Liquid Sodium Hydroxide (50%)  Average order (275 Gal. Tote)	No Bid
	Quantity: 9 UOM: 275 Gallon Tote (Gallon)  1.3 Liquid Sodium Hydroxide (25%) Average order (47,000 lbs.)	No Bid
	Quantity: 9 UOM: Bulk (lbs.)  1.4 Calcium Hypochlorite Average order (40 drums)	No Bid
	Quantity: 90 UOM: 100 lb. Drums  1.5 Liquid Chlorine Average order (2,000 lbs. cylinders)	No Bid
	Quantity: 1120 UOM: 2000 lb.Cylinder	No Bid





# FY24-095 Pencco, Inc **Supplier Response**

#### **Event Information**

Number:

FY24-095

Title:

FY24-095 Water & Wastewater Treatment Chemicals

Type:

Request For Bid

Issue Date: 7/22/2024

Deadline:

8/8/2024 05:00 PM (CT)

Notes:

****** If the bidder submits both an electronic bid and a properly

completed manual bid, the Purchasing Division will use the electronic bid to determine the total bid amount of the bid. If the bidder submits

an electronic bid and a manual bid that is not complete, the

Purchasing Division will use the electronic bid to determine the total

bid amount of the bid.********

# **Contact Information**

Contact: Enrique Aldape III Address: Purchasing Division Public Works Service Center 5512 Thomas Avenue

Laredo, TX 78041

Phone: 956 (794) 1733 Fax: 956 (790) 1805

Email: ealdape@ci.laredo.tx.us

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Vendor: Pencco, Inc

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Contact:

Sarah Duffv

Address:

PO Box 600

San Felipe, TX 77473

Phone:

(979) 885-0005

Email:

sarah@pencco.com

Web Address: Pencco, Inc.

By submitting your response, you certify that you are authorized to represent and bind your company.

Sarah Duffy

sarah@pencco.com

Signature

Email

Submitted at 8/6/2024 08:12:40 AM (CT)

## Response Attachments

#### TX - Laredo 8.8.24.pdf

Bid Document with attachments

#### **Bid Attributes**

### Award by Item

This contract will be awarded by item to the lowest responsive responsible bidder, in accordance to the provisions of Chapters 252 and 271 of the State of Texas - Local Government Code.

√ Yes

# **Questionnaire Description**

"The undersigned affirms that they are duly authorized to execute this contract, that this company, corporation, firm, partnership or individual has not prepared this bid in collusion with any other bidder, and that the contents of this bid as to prices, terms or conditions of said bid have not been communicated by the undersigned nor by any employee or agent to any other person engaged in this type of business prior to the official opening of this request. By submitting this bid the vendor agrees to the City of Laredo specifications and all terms and conditions stipulated in the proposed document. That I, individually and on behalf of the business named in this Business Questionnaire, do by my signature below, certify that the information provided in the questionnaire is true and correct ".

Name of Offeror (Business) and Name & Phone Number of Authorized Person to sign bid

Pencco, Inc.

State how long under has the business been in its present business name

40 years

If applicable, list all other names under which the Business identified above operated in the last five years

N/A

State if the Company is a certified minority business enterprise

The below information is requested for statistical and tracking purposes only and will not influence the amount of expenditure the City will make with any given company.

#### 7 Questions Part 1

1) Is any litigation pending against the Business? 2) Has the Business ever been declared "not responsive" for the purpose of any governmental agency contract award? 3) Has the Business been debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, voluntarily excluded, or other wise disqualified from bidding, proposing or contracting? 4) Are there any proceedings, pending relating to the Business responsibility, debarment, suspension, voluntary exclusion, or qualification to receive a public contract? 5) Has the government or other public entity requested or required enforcement of any of its rights under a surety agreement on the basis of default or in lieu of declaring the Business at default?

No, No, No, No, No

#### 8 Questions Part 2

1) Is the Business in arrears in any contract or debt? 2) Has the Business been a defaulter, as a principal, surety, or otherwise? 3) Have liquidated damages or penalty provisions been assessed against the Business for failure to complete work on time or any other reason?

No, No, No

# State if the Company is a certified minority business enterprise

This company is not a certified minority business

#### Conflict of Interest Disclosure

A form disclosing potential conflicts of interest involving counties, cities, and other local government entities may be required to be filed after January 1, 2006, by vendors or potential vendors to local government entities. The new requirements are set forth in Chapter 176 of the Texas Local Government Code added by H.B. No. 914 of the last Texas Legislature. Companies and individuals who contract, or seek to contract, with the City of Laredo and its agents may be required to file with the City Secretary's Office, 1110 Houston Street, Laredo, Texas 78040, a Conflict of Interest Questionnaire that describes affiliations or business relationships with the City of Laredo officers, or certain family members or business relationships of the City of Laredo officer, with which such persons do business, or any gifts in an amount of \$250.00 or more to the listed City of Laredo officer (s) or certain family members. The new requirements are in addition to any other disclosures required by law. The dates for filing disclosure statements begin on January 1, 2006. A violation of the filing requirements is a Class C misdemeanor. The Conflict of Interest Questionnaire (Form CIQ) may be downloaded from http://www.ethics.state.tx.us/whatsnew/conflict forms.htm. The City of Laredo officials who come within Chapter 176 of the Local Government Code relating to filing of Conflicts of Interest Questionnaire (Form CIQ) include: 1. Mayor 2. Council Members 3. City Manager 4. Members of the Fire Fighters and Police Officers Civil Service Commission, 5. Members of the Planning and Zoning Commission, 6. Members of the Board of Adjustments 7. Members of the Building Standards Board 8. Parks & Leisure Advisory Committee Member, 9. Historic District Land Board Member, 10. Ethics Commission Board Member, 11. The Board of Commissioners of the Laredo Housing Authority 12. The Executive Director of the Laredo Housing Authority 13. Any other City of Laredo decision making board member If additional information is needed please contact Enrique Aldape III, Interim Purchasing Agent at 956-794-1733.

# Conflict of Interest Questionnaire Form CIQ

For vendor or other person doing business with local governmental entity. This questionnaire reflects changes made to the law by H.B. 1491, 80th Leg., Regular Session. This questionnaire is being filed in accordance with Chapter 176, Local Government Code by a person who has a business relationship as defined by Section 176.001(1-a) with a local governmental entity and the person meets requirements under Section 176.006(a). By law this questionnaire must be filed with the records administrator of the local governmental entity not later than the 7th business day after the date the person becomes aware of facts that require the statement to be filed. See Section 176.006, Local Government Code. A person commits an offense if the person knowingly violates Section 176.006, Local Government Code. An offense under this section is a Class C misdemeanor.

# Conflict of Interest Questionnaire

Vendor is required to submit Conflict of Interest Form for bid to be considered complete. Have you submitted your completed Conflict of Interest Form with your response?

Yes

1	Construction	Contract
3		

Construction Contract Requires Acknowledgement

☑ Acknowledge

# Disclosure Form

For details on use of this form, see Section 4.01 of the City's Ethics Code.

# 1 This is a

New Submission

# Question 1. Name of person submitting this disclosure form

Please include First Name, Middle Initial, Last Name and Suffix (if applicable)

Sarah L. Duffy

## 1 Question 2. Contract Information

Please include the following: a)Contract or Project Name b)Originating Department

Water & Wastewater Treatment Chemicals FY24-095, Utilities Department

# 1 Question 3. Name of individual(s) or entity(ies) seeking a contract with the city (i.e. parties to the contract)

Sarah Duffy, Bid Director, Pencco, Inc.

1 Question 4. List any business entity(ies) that is a partner, parent, subsidiary business entity(ies) of the individual or entity listed in Question 3.

It applies to my business

Question 4. List any business entity(ies) that is a partner, parent, subsidiary business entity(ies) of the individual or entity listed in Question 3

If you selected Not Applicable on Question 4, skip this section. If it applies to you, please list the name of partner, parent, or subsidiary business entity(ies) in this section.

N/A

2 Question 5. List any individuals or entities that will be subcontractors on this contract

Not Applicable

Question 5. List any individuals or entities that will be subcontractors on this contract

If you selected Not Applicable on Question 5, please skip this section. If it applies to you, please list subcontractors in this section.

N/A

Question 6. List any attorneys, lobbyists, or consultants that have been retained to assist in seeking this contract

Not Applicable

# Question 6. List any attorneys, lobbyists, or consultants that have been retained to assist in seeking this contract

If selected Not Applicable on question 6, please skip this section. If it applies to you, please list attorneys, lobbyists, or consultants that have been retained to assist in seeking this contract.

N/A

# Question 7. Disclosure of political contributions

List any campaign or officeholder contributions made by the following individuals in the past 24 months totaling more than \$100 to any current member of City Council, former member of City Council, any candidate for City Council, or to any political action committee that contributes to City Council elections. a) Any individual seeking contract with the city (Question 3) b) Any owner of officer of entity seeking contract with the city (Question 3) c) Any individual or owner or officer of any entity listed above as partner, parent, or subsidiary business (Question 4) d) Any subcontractor or owner/office of subcontracting entity for the contract (Question 5) e) The spouse of any individual listed in response to (a) through (d) above f) Any attorney, lobbyist, or consultant retained to assist in seeking contract (Question 6)

Not Applicable

# Question 7. Disclosure of political contributions

If you selected Not Applicable on question 7, please skip this section. If it applies to you, please list all contributors in this section.

N/A

# Updates on contributions required

Information regarding contributions must be updated by submission of a revised form from the date of the submission of this form, up through the time City Council takes action on the contracts identified in response to Question 2 and continuing for 30 calendar days after the contract has been awarded.

# Question 8. Disclosure of Conflict of Interest

Are you aware of any fact(s) with regard to this contract that would raise a "conflict of interest" issue under Section 2.01 of the Ethics Code for any City Council member or board/commission member that has not or will not be raised by these city officials?

I am not aware of any conflict of interest

## 2 | 8. Disclosure of Conflict of Interest

If you selected I am aware of conflict of interest is question 8, please list them in this section.

N/A

# 3 Question 9. Updates Required

I understand that this form must be updated by submission of a revised form if there is any change in the information before the discretionary contract is the subject of action by the City Council, and no later than five (5) business days after any changes has occurred, whichever comes first. This include information about political contributions made after the initial submission and up until thirty (30) calendar days after the contract has been awarded.

☑ I have read and understand this section

# Question 10. No Contact with City Officials or Staff during Contract Evaluation

I understand that a person or entity who seeks or applies for city contract or any other person acting on behalf of that person or entity is prohibited from contacting city officials and employees regarding the contract after a Request for Proposal (RFP), Request for Qualifications (RFQ), or other solicitation has been released. This no-contact provision shall conclude when the contract is posted as a City of Laredo Council agenda item. If contact is required with city officials or employees, the contact shall take place in accordance with procedures incorporated into the solicitation documents. Violation of this prohibited contacts provision set out in Section 2.09 of the Ethics Code by respondents or their agents may lead to disqualification of their offer from consideration.

☑ I have read and understand this section

# Question 11. Conflict of Interest Questionnaire (CIQ)

Chapter 176 of the Local Government Code requires contractor and vendors to submit a Conflict of Interest Form (CIQ) to the Office the of City Secretary.

🗹 I have acknowledge that I have been advised

## 3 Question 11. Oath

Please complete in this section the required information for your company: 1) Name 2) Title 3) Company or DBA 4) Date

Sarah Duffy, Bid Director, Pencco, Inc. 8/6/2024

### 3 Question 12. Oath

I swear or affirm that the statements contained in this Discretionary Contracts Disclosure Form, including any attachments, to the best of my knowledge and belief are true, correct, and complete.

☑ I swear or affirm information is correct

# 3 Company Information Questionnaire

☑ I have completed this section

# 3 Conflict of Interest Questionnaire

☑ I have completed this section

# 3 | Non-Collusive Affidavit

☑ I have completed and included this form

# 3 Discretionary Contracts Disclosure

☑ I have completed this section

# 3 | Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295)

In an effort to comply with state law the certificate of interested parties must be filled out once a vendor has been granted a contract. All of this information can be found on the State of Texas website, please use this link provided, https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/tec/1295-Info.htm. Implementation of House Bill 1295 Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295): In 2015, the Texas Legislature adopted House Bill 1295, which added section 2252.908 of the Government Code. The law states that a governmental entity or state agency may not enter into certain contracts with a business entity unless the business entity submits a disclosure of interested parties to the governmental entity or state agency at the time the business entity submits the signed contract to the governmental entity or state agency. The law applies only to a contract of a governmental entity or state agency that either (1) requires an action or vote by the governing body of the entity or agency before the contract may be signed or (2) has a value of at least \$1 million. The disclosure requirement applies to a contract entered into on or after January 1, 2016. The Texas Ethics Commission was required to adopt rules necessary to implement that law, prescribe the disclosure of interested parties form, and post a copy of the form on the commission's website. The commission adopted the Certificate of Interested Parties form (Form 1295) on October 5, 2015. The commission also adopted new rules (Chapter 46) on November 30, 2015, to implement the law. The commission does not have any additional authority to enforce or interpret House Bill 1295. Filing Process: Staring on January 1, 2016, the commission will make available on its website a new filing application that must be used to file Form 1295. A business entity must use the application to enter the required information on Form 1295 and print a copy of the completed form, which will include a certification of filing that will contain a unique certification number. An authorized agent of the business entity must sign the printed copy of the form and have the form notarized. The completed Form 1295 with the certification of filing must be filed with the governmental body or state agency with which the business entity is entering into the contract. The governmental entity or state agency must notify the commission, using the commission's filing application, of the receipt of the filed Form 1295 with the certification of filing not later than the 30th day after the date the contract binds all parties to the contract. The commission will post the completed Form 1295 to its website within seven business days after receiving notice from the governmental entity or state agency. Information regarding how to use the filing application will be available on this site starting on January 1, 2016. Additional Information: HB 1295 Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295) New Chapter 46, Ethics Commission Rules: 46.1. Application 46.3. Definitions 46.5. Disclosure of Interested Parties Form In order to comply with state law the Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295) must be submitted to the Texas Ethics Commission within 10 days upon receiving notice of award of contract. This form must be submitted within the allotted time otherwise this may result in the cancellation of the contract.

☑ I will comply with this form

#### Terms and Conditions for Request for Bids

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF INVITATIONS FOR BIDS GENERAL CONDITIONS** Bidders are required to submit bids upon the following expressed conditions:

- (a) Bidders shall thoroughly examine the specifications, schedule instructions and other contract documents. Once the award has been made, failure to read all specifications, instructions, and the contract documents, of the City shall not be cause to alter the original contract or for a vendor to requests additional compensation.
- (b) Bidders shall make all investigations necessary to thoroughly inform themselves regarding facilities and locations for delivery of materials and equipment as required by the bid conditions. No pleas of ignorance by the bidder of conditions that exist or that may hereafter exist as a result of failure or omission on the part of the bidder to make the necessary examinations and investigations, or failure to fulfill in every detail the requirements of the contract documents, will be accepted as a basis for varying the requirements of the City or the compensation to the vendor.
- (c) Bidders are advised that City contracts are subject to the all legal requirements provided for in the City Charter and/or applicable City Ordinances, State and Federal Statutes.
- 1.0 PREPARATION OF BIDS Bids will be prepared in accordance with the following:
- (a) All information required by the bid form shall be furnished. For hand delivered submittals only, the vendor shall print or type the business name and manually sign the schedule. For electronic submittals, this information shall be submitted electronically on Cit-E-Bid system. If vendor submits both manual and electronic bids, the electronic bid will replace the manual bid and shall be considered the only valid bid.
- (b) Unit prices shall be shown and where there is an error in extension of price, the unit price shall govern.
- (c) Alternate bids will not be considered unless authorized by the invitation for bids or any applicable addendum
- (d) Proposed delivery time must be shown and shall include Sundays and holidays
- (e) Bidders will not include Federal taxes or State of Texas limited sales tax in bid prices since the City of Laredo is exempt from payment of such taxes. An exemption certificate will be furnished upon request.
- (f) The City shall pay no costs or other amounts incurred by any entity in responding to this RFB, or as a result of issuance of this RFB.

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**2.0 DESCRIPTION OF SUPPLIES** Any catalog or manufacturer's reference used in describing an item is merely descriptive, and not restrictive, unless otherwise noted, and is used only to indicate type and quality of material. Bidder is required to state exactly what they intend to furnish; otherwise bidder shall be required to furnish the items as specified.

#### 3.0 SUBMISSION OF BIDS

- (a) Bids and changes thereto shall be enclosed in sealed envelopes, properly addressed and to include the date and hour of the bid opening and the material or services bid on shall be typed or written on the face of the envelope. If submitted electronically, this information shall be submitted electronically on Cit-E-Bid system by going to the following link: <a href="https://cityoflaredo.ionwaye.net/Login.aspx">https://cityoflaredo.ionwaye.net/Login.aspx</a>
- (b) Unless otherwise noted on the Notice to Bidders cover sheet, all hand delivered bids must be submitted to the Office of the City Secretary, City Hall, 1110 Houston Street.
- (c) Bids forms can be downloaded and printed through Cit-E-Bid. Mailed Bids (i.e. USPS, FedEx, UPS), telegraphic, email or facsimile bids will not be considered.
- (d) Samples, when required, must be submitted within the time specified, at no expense to the City of Laredo. If not destroyed or used up during testing, samples will be returned upon request at the bidder's expense.
- (e) Bids must be valid for a minimum period of sixty (60) days. An extension to hold bid pricing for actual quantity bids may be requested by the City.

#### 4.0 REJECTION OF BIDS The City may reject a bid if:

- (a) Bidder misstates or conceals any material fact in the bid.
- (b) Bid does not strictly conform to the law or the requirements of the bid.
- (c) Bidder is in arrears on existing contracts or taxes with the City of Laredo.
- (d) If bids are conditional. Bidder may qualify their bid for acceptance by the City on an "ALL OR NONE" basis. An "ALL OR NONE" basis bid must include all items in the specifications.
- (e) In the event that a bidder is delinquent in the payment of City taxes on the day the bids are opened, including state and local taxes, such fact shall constitute grounds for rejection of the bid or cancellation of the contract. A bidder is considered delinquent, regardless of any contract or agreed judgments to pay such delinquent taxes. (f) No bid submitted herein shall be considered unless the bidder warrants that, upon execution of a contract with the City of Laredo, bidder will not engage in employment practices such as discriminating against employees because of race, color, say creed, or pational origin. Bidder will submit such reports as the City many therefore
- the City of Laredo, bidder will not engage in employment practices such as discriminating against employees because of race, color, sex, creed, or national origin. Bidder will submit such reports as the City may therefore require assuring compliance with said practices.
- (g) The City may reject all bids or any part of a bid whenever it is deemed necessary.
- (h) The City may waive any minor informalities or irregularities in any bid.
- **5.0 WITHDRAWAL OF BIDS** Bids may not be withdrawn after they have been publicly opened, unless approved by the City Council.
- **6.0 LATE BIDS OR MODIFICATIONS** Bids and modifications received after the time set for the bid deadline will not be considered. Late bids will be returned to the bidder unopened.
- 7.0 CLARIFICATION OR OBJECTION TO BID SPECIFICATIONS If any person contemplating submitting a bid for this contract is in doubt as to the true meaning of the specifications, or other bid documents or any part thereof, they may submit to the City Purchasing Agent on or before seven (7) calendar days prior to the scheduled bid deadline a request for clarification which must be submitted in writing through email seven (7) days prior to the scheduled date for opening to: CITY OF LAREDO PURCHASING AGENT Enrique Aldape III 5512 Thomas Ave, Laredo, TX 78041 ealdape@ci.laredo.tx.us or Questions & Responses section on Cit-E-Bid system. Any vendor submitting questions shall make reference to a specific bid number, section, page and item of this solicitation. In case there are changes, additions, and/or edits to the original scope of work, and addendum will be issued by the purchasing agent to all vendors through Cit-E-Bid system under Questions and Responses section to clarify any inquiries. The City will not be responsible for any other explanations or interpretations of the proposed bid made or given prior to the bid opening or award of contract.
- (a) Protest Procedures: The purpose of this procedure is to establish procedures whereby a vendor may protest specific procurement actions by the City of Laredo. The following sequence of activities must take place in filing a protest:
- (b) To be performed by protesting vendor: Within ten (10) days prior to the time that the City Council considers the recommendation of the City's Purchasing Officer, the protesting vendor must provide written protest to the City Purchasing Officer. Such protest must include specific reasons for the protest.
- (c) To be performed by City's Purchasing Officer: Shall review the records of procurement and determine legitimacy and procedural correctness. With five (5) working days, the City Purchasing Officer shall provide written response to the protesting vendor of the decision.
- (d) If the protesting vendor is not satisfied with the decision of the City Purchasing Officer, such protesting vendor may appeal to the City Manager of the City of Laredo. If the protesting vendor cannot resolve the issue with the City Manager, he shall be entitled to address his concerns when the City Council of the City of Laredo considers the awarding of the contract. Such appeal may be made only after exhausting all administrative procedures through the City Manager. All protests must be duly submitted via Certified Mail to: City of Laredo Purchasing Agent 5512

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Thomas Ave. Laredo, Texas 78041.

#### 8.0 BIDDER DISCOUNTS

- (a) Percent discounts within a certain period of time will be accepted but cannot be used in the bid evaluation. The period of the discount offered should be sufficient to permit payments within such period in the regular course of business by the City of Laredo.
- (b) In connection with any discounts offered, time will be computed from the date of receipt of supplies or service or from the date a correct invoice is received, whichever is the later date. Payment is deemed to be made on the date the check is mailed.

#### 9.0 INTENT OF CONTRACT

a) ANNUAL SUPPLY/SERVICE CONTRACTS: This contract does not commit the City to purchase the quantities indicated. The quantities are estimates and are based on the best available information. The purpose of this contract is to establish prices for the commodities or services needed, should the City need to purchase these commodities or services. Since the quantities are estimates, the City may purchase more than the estimated quantities, less than the estimated quantities, or not purchase any quantities at all. The needs of the City shall govern the amount that is purchased. All annual contracts shall bound by the terms of the bid documents. In the event a new contract cannot be executed on the anniversary date of the original term or renewal term, the contract may be renewed month to month until a new contract is executed. The City's obligation for performance of an annual supply contract beyond the current fiscal year is contingent upon the availability of appropriated funds from which payments for the contract purchases can be made. If no funds are appropriated and budgeted during the next fiscal year, this contract becomes null and void.

#### 10.0 AWARD OF CONTRACT

(a) This contract will be awarded to the (lowest responsive responsible bidder), in accordance to the provisions of Chapters 252 and 271 of the State of Texas – Local Government Code.

Definition of lowest responsive and responsible bidder as per the Institute for Public Procurement is:

"Lowest Responsive and Responsible Bidder: The bidder who fully complied with all of the bid requirements and whose past performance, reputation, and financial capability is deemed acceptable, and who has offered the most advantageous pricing or cost benefit, based on the criteria stipulated in the bid documents."

- (b) The City reserves the right to accept any item or group of items in the bid specifications, unless the bidder qualifies it's bid by specific limitation. Proof: The bidder shall bear the burden of proof of compliance with the City of Laredo specifications.
- (c) A written award of acceptance (a duly approved purchase order or Letter of Award) furnished by the City to the successful bidder results in a binding contract without further action by either party. These Terms and Conditions shall be the basis and governing document of the binding contract.
- (d) A duly authorize purchase order number shall reference item/services description, item number, quantity and price. Invoices shall reference the assign purchase order number to avoid any duplication (2 CFR 200.318 (d)).
- (e) Prices must be quoted F.O.B. Destination, Laredo, Texas, unless otherwise specified in the invitation to bid. The place of delivery shall be that set forth in the bid specifications and/or purchase order.
- (f) Title & Risk of Loss: The title and risk of loss of goods shall not pass to the City of Laredo until the City actually receives and takes possession of the goods at the point or points of delivery. The terms of this agreement is "no arrival, no sale".
- (g) Delivery time and prompt payment discounts will be considered in breaking ties. In the event of a tie bid, the successful bidder will be determined by choosing lots at the City Council meeting chambers.
- (h) The City of Laredo shall give written notice to the contractor (supplier) if any of the following conditions exist:
- 1. Contractor does not provide materials in compliance with specifications and/or within the time schedule specified in bid.
- 2. Contractor neglects or refuses to remove materials or equipment which have been rejected by the City of Laredo if found not to comply with the specifications.
- 3. The contractor makes an unauthorized assignment for the benefit of any contractor.
- Upon receiving written notification from the City that one of the above conditions has occurred, the contractor must remedy the problem within ten (10) calendar days, to the complete satisfaction of the City, or the contract will be immediately canceled.
- 4. Contract terms are the responsibility of the awarded vendor(s) and the respective City user department(s).

#### 11.0 ENTIRE AGREEMENT

(a)All covenants, conditions and agreement contained in the solicitation, are hereby made part of the Agreement to the same extent and with the force as is fully set forth herein. If and to the extent of this Agreement and the terms of this solicitation and supplier response conflict Terms & Conditions of this solicitation shall control.

#### 12.0 PAYMENT & INVOICING

- (a) All invoices to the City of Laredo have a 30 day term from receipt of supplies or completion of services.
- (b) Discount terms will be computed from the date of receipt and acceptance of supplies or services. Payment shall be deemed to be made from that date.

- (c) All invoices must show the purchase order number and invoices shall be legible. Items billed on invoices should be specific as to applicable stock, manufacturer catalog or part number. All items must show unit prices. If prices are based on discounts from list, then list prices must appear on bid schedule. All invoices shall be mailed to the Accounts Payable Office, City Hall, and PO. Box 210, Laredo, Texas 78042.
- (d) The City of Laredo offers electronic funds transfer (ETF) payments in lieu of check payment when a vendor has filled out an Electronic Funds Transfer Authorization Form issued by the City of Laredo or upon request from the vendor. This ensures prompt payment directly deposited to a bank account. The estimated payment time is up fifteen (15) days from the date payment is processed. (e) For any inquires on payment status or general billing questions please contact: Jorge J. Jolly, Accounts Payable Manager 956-791-7328 jjolly@ci.laredo.tx.us 1110 Houston St. Laredo, TX 78040.
- 13.0 In accordance to State of Texas, the City of Laredo follows State practices when awarding any and all competitive solicitations:

TEXAS ENGINEERING AND LAND SURVEYING PRACTICE ACTS AND RULES CONCERNING PRACTICE AND LICENSURE

OCCUPATIONS CODE TITLE 6. REGULATION OF ENGINEERING, ARCHITECTURE, LAND SURVEYING, AND RELATED PRACTICES SUBTITLE A. REGULATION OF ENGINEERING AND RELATED PRACTICES CHAPTER 1001. TEXAS BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND LAND SURVEYORS

CHAPTER 137: COMPLIANCE AND PROFESSIONALISM

SUBCHAPTER C: PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT AND ETHICS

§137.53 ENGINEER STANDARDS OF COMPLIANCE WITH PROFESSIONAL SERVICES PROCUREMENT ACT (a) A licensed engineer shall not submit or request, orally or in writing, a competitive bid to perform professional engineering services for a governmental entity unless specifically authorized by state law and shall report to the board any requests from governmental entities and/or their representatives that request a bid or cost and/or pricing information or any other information from which pricing or cost can be derived prior to selection based on demonstrated competence and qualifications to perform the services. (b) For the purposes of this section, competitive bidding to perform engineering services includes, but is not limited to, the submission of any monetary cost information in the initial step of selecting qualified engineers. Cost information or other information from which cost can be derived must not be submitted until the second step of negotiating a contract at a fair and reasonable cost. (c) This section does not prohibit competitive bidding in the private sector. Source Note: The provisions of this §137.53 adopted to be effective May 20, 2004, 29 TexReg 4878; amended to be effective June 4, 2007, 32 TexReg 2996.

☑ I Agree to the Terms and Conditions

#### Insurance Terms and Conditions

**INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS** If and when applicable or required by the contract, the successful bidder(s) shall furnish the City with original copies of valid insurance policies herein required upon execution of the contract and shall maintain said policies in full force and effect at all times throughout the term of this contract.

- (a) Commercial General Liability insurance at minimum combined single limits of \$1,000,000 per-occurrence and \$2,000,000 general aggregate for bodily injury and property damage, which coverage shall include products/completed operations (\$1,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate) and XCU (Explosion, Collapse, Underground) hazards. Coverage must be written on an occurrence form. Contractual Liability must be maintained covering the Contractors obligations contained in the contract. The general aggregate limit must be at least two (2) times the each occurrence limit.
- (b) Workers Compensation insurance at statutory limits, including Employers Liability coverage a minimum limits of \$1,000,000 each-occurrence each accident/\$1,000,000 by disease each-occurrence/\$1,000,000 by disease aggregate.
- (c) Commercial Automobile Liability insurance at minimum combined single limits of \$1,000,000 per-occurrence for bodily injury and property damage, including owned, non-owned, and hired car coverage.
- (d) Professional Liability, Errors & Omissions coverage, with minimum limits of \$1,000,000 per claim/ \$2,000,000 annual aggregate. This coverage must be maintained for at least two years after the project is completed. If coverage is written on a claims-made basis, a policy retroactive date equivalent to the inception date of the contract (or earlier) must be maintained during the full term of the contract.
- (e) Any Subcontractor(s) hired by the Contractor shall maintain insurance coverage equal to that required of the Contractor. It is the responsibility of the Contractor to assure compliance with this provision. The City of Laredo accepts no responsibility arising from the conduct, or lack of conduct, of the Subcontractor.
- (f) A Comprehensive General Liability insurance form may be used in lieu of a Commercial General Liability insurance form. In this event, coverage must be written on an occurrence basis, at limits of \$1,000,000 each-occurrence, combined single limit, and coverage must include a broad form Comprehensive General Liability Endorsement, products/completed operations, XCU hazards, and contractual liability.
- (g) With reference to the foregoing insurance requirement, Contractor shall specifically endorse applicable insurance policies as follows:
- 1. The City of Laredo shall be named as an additional insured with respect to General Liability and Automobile Liability.
- 2. All liability policies shall contain no cross liability exclusions or insured versus insured restrictions.
- 3. A waiver of subrogation in favor of the City of Laredo shall be contained in the Workers compensation, and all liability policies.
- 4. All insurance policies shall be endorsed to require the insurer to immediately notify The City of Laredo of any material change in the insurance coverage.
- 5. All insurance policies shall be endorsed to the effect that The City of Laredo will receive at least sixty- (60) days' notice prior to cancellation or non-renewal of the insurance.
- 6. All insurance policies, which name The City of Laredo as an additional insured, must be endorsed to read as primary coverage regardless of the application of other insurance.
- 7. Required limits may be satisfied by any combination of primary and umbrella liability insurances.
- 8. Contractor may maintain reasonable and customary deductibles, subject to approval by The City of Laredo.
- 9. Insurance must be purchased from insurers that are financially acceptable to the City of Laredo. Insurer must be rated A- or greater by AM Best Rating with an admitted carrier licensed by the Texas Department of Insurance.
- (h) All insurance must be written on forms filed with and approved by the Texas Department of Insurance. Certificates of Insurance shall be prepared and executed by the insurance company or its authorized agent and shall contain provisions representing and warranting the following:
- 1. Sets forth all endorsements and insurance coverage's according to requirements and instructions contained herein.
- 2. Shall specifically set forth the notice-of-cancellation or termination provisions to The City of Laredo.
- (i) Upon request, Contractor shall furnish The City of Laredo with certified copies of all insurance policies.
- (j) Certificates of insurance are always subject to review and approval from the City of Laredo Risk Management.
- (k) Specialty certificates and licenses must be inspected and verified for accuracy and validity before award of contract.
- (I) Awarded vendor is required to maintain current and active all: certifications, licenses, permits and/or insurance coverages, required to perform work, throughout the duration of this project/contract.
- I agree my insurance meets minumum requirements.

#### Disqualification & Debarment Certification

**DISQUALIFICATION & DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION** By submitting this request for bids, proposal or statement of qualifications, the firm certifies that it is not currently debarred or eligible for debarment from the City of Laredo pursuant to **Ordinance No. 2017-O-098**, and that it is not an agent of a person or entity that is currently debarred from receiving contracts from any political subdivision or agency of the State of Texas. The City will further verify debarment status through use of the federal website SAM.gov. The contract parties are further prohibited from making any award at any tier to any party that is debarred or suspended or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation in Federal Assistance Programs under Executive Order 12549, "Debarment and Suspension."

By executing this agreement, the Engineer certifies that it is not currently debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation in Federal Assistance Programs under Executive Order 12549. The parties to this contract shall require any party to a subcontract or purchase order awarded under this contract to certify it eligibility to receive Federal funds and, when requested by the City, to furnish a copy of the certification. Additionally, in accordance with Chapter 2270, Texas Government Code, a governmental entity may not enter into a contract with a company for goods or services unless the contract contains a written verification from the company that it: (1) does not boycott Israel; and (2) will not boycott Israel during the term of the contract.

The signatory executing this contract on behalf of company verifies that the company does not boycott Israel and will not boycott Israel during the term of this contract. S.B. 252 (V. Taylor/S. Davis) is a bill relating to government contracts with terrorists. The bill provides that: (1) a governmental entity, including a city, may not enter into a governmental contract with a company that is identified on a list prepared and maintained by the comptroller and that does business with Iran, Sudan, or a foreign terrorist organization; and (2) a company that the United States government affirmatively declares to be excluded from its federal sanctions regime relating to Sudan, its federal sanctions regime relating to Iran, or any federal sanctions regime relating to a foreign terrorist organization is not subject to the contract prohibition under the bill.

☑ I certify to the terms and conditions

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#### Contract Requirements

- **1.CODE OF ETHICS ORDINANCE** Vendors doing business with the City of Laredo shall comply with all provisions of the City of Laredo's Code of Ethics (Ordinance, as amended). Vendors may be required to participate in Code of Ethics trainings.
- 1.2 PROHIBITED CONTACTS DURING CONTRACT SOLICITATION PERIOD A person or entity who seeks or applies for a city contract or any other person acting on behalf of such person or entity, is prohibited from contacting city officials and employees regarding such a contract after a Formal Bid, Request for Proposal (RFP), Request for Qualification (RFQ) or other solicitation has been released. This no-contact provision shall conclude when the contract is awarded. The City of Laredo reserves the right to contact respondents and may require such contact as part of the evaluation process (for presentation, clarification) of bids and/or negotiation of RFP submittal(s) prior to the award of contract. If contact is required, such contact will be done in accordance with provisions of Chapter 252 and 271 of the Texas Local Government Code and procedures incorporated into the solicitation document. Violation of this provision by respondents or their agents may lead to disqualification of their offer from consideration.
- 1.3 NON-COLLUSIVE AFFIDAVIT (Form can be downloaded and submitted through Cit-E-Bid system) The City may require that vendors submit a Non-Collusive Affidavit. The vendor will be required to state that the party submitting a proposal or bid, that such proposal or bid is genuine and not collusive or sham; that said Bidder has not colluded, conspired, connived or agreed, directly or indirectly, with any Bidder or Person, to put in a sham bid or to refrain from bidding, and has not in any manner, directly or indirectly, sought by agreement or collusion, or communication or conference, with any person, to fix the bid price or affiant or of any other Bidder, or to fix any overhead, profit or cost element of said bid price, or of that of any other Bidder, or to secure any advantage against the City of Laredo or any person interested in the proposed contract; and that all statements in said proposal or bid are true.
- 1.4 CONTRACT DISCLOSURE FORMS (This is submitted through Cit-E-Bid system) The City of Laredo requires the following forms to be completed as a part of this bid for consideration; 1. Company Information Questionnaire, 2. Signed Price Schedule, 3. Conflict of Interest Questionnaire, 4. Non-Collusive Affidavit 5. Discretionary Contracts Disclosure 6. Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295) **Upon Award of RFP Only** 1.5 CONFLICT OF INTEREST FORMS (This is submitted through Cit-E-Bid system) Conflict of Interest Disclosure: A form disclosing potential conflicts of interest involving counties, cities, and other local government entities may be required to be filed after January 1, 2006, by vendors or potential vendors to local government entities. The new requirements are set forth in Chapter 176 of the Texas Local Government Code added by H.B. No. 914 of the last Texas Legislature.
- 1.6 TEXAS ETHICS COMMISSION (Form 1295, Form can be downloaded and submitted through Cit-E-Bid system) Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295) Implementation of House Bill 1295: In an effort to comply with state law the certificate of interested parties must be filled out once a vendor has been granted a contract. All of this information can be found on the state of Texas website, please use this link provided, <a href="https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/tec/1295-Info.htm">https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/tec/1295-Info.htm</a> In 2015, the Texas Legislature adopted House Bill 1295, which added section 2252.908 of the Government Code. The law states that a governmental entity or state agency may not enter into certain contracts with a business entity unless the business entity submits a disclosure of interested parties to the governmental entity or state agency at the time the business entity submits the signed contract to the governmental entity or state agency. The law applies only to a contract of a governmental entity or state agency that either (1) requires an action or vote by the governing body of the entity or agency before the contract may be signed or (2) has a value of at least \$1 million. The disclosure requirement applies to a contract entered into on or after January 1, 2016. In order to comply with state law the Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295) must be submitted to the Texas Ethics Commission within 10 days upon receiving notice of award of contract. This form must be submitted within the allotted time otherwise this may result in the cancellation of the contract.

#### Changes to Form 1295:

Changes to the law requiring certain businesses to file a Form 1295 are in effect for contracts entered into or amended on or after January 1, 2018. The changes exempt businesses from filing a Form 1295 for certain types of contracts and replace the need for a completed Form 1295 to be notarized. Instead, the person filing a 1295 needs to complete an "unsworn declaration."

I have read and understand this section

# Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. 1352)

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Contractors that apply or bid for an award exceeding \$100,000 must file the required certification. Each tier certifies to the tier above that it will not and has not used Federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any Federal contract, grant or any other award covered by 31 U.S.C. 1352. Each tier must also disclose any lobbying with non-Federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any Federal award. Such disclosures are forwarded from tier to tier up to the non-Federal award.

☑ I have read and understand this section

# Electronic Pricing & Manual Bid Pricing

******If the bidder submits both an electronic bid and a properly completed manual bid, the Purchasing Division will use the electronic bid to determine the total bid amount of the bid. If the bidder submits an electronic bid and a manual bid that is not complete, the Purchasing Division will use the electronic bid to determine the total bid amount of the bid.************

✓ Yes

### **Bid Lines**

1	Package Header		
	Section I –Chemical Bid Price Schedule Note: Unit price shall include freight charges, fuel charges, and HAZ-Mat	Fees	
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	Quantity: 1 UOM: EA	Total:	\$730,100.00
	Package Items		
	<b>1.1</b> Liquid Sodium Hydroxide (50%) Average order (47,000 lbs.)		
	Quantity: 9 UOM: Bulk (lbs)	_	No Bid
	<b>1.2</b> Liquid Sodium Hydroxide (50%) Average order (275 Gal. Tote)		
	Quantity: 9 UOM: 275 Gallon Tote (Gallon)		No Bid
	1.3 Liquid Sodium Hydroxide (25%) Average order (47,000 lbs.)		
	Quantity: 9 UOM: Bulk (lbs.)	<u> </u>	No Bid
	1.4 Calcium Hypochlorite Average order (40 drums)		
	Quantity: 90 UOM: 100 lb. Drums		No Bid
	1.5 Liquid Chlorine Average order (2,000 lbs. cylinders)		
	Quantity: 1120 UOM: 2000 lb.Cylinder		No Bid

1	1.6 Liquid Chlorine Average order (150 lbs. cylinders)	
	Quantity: 630 UOM: 150 lb Cylinder	No Bid
1	1.7 Liquid Aluminum Sulfate (50%) Average order (48,000 lbs.)	
	Quantity: 145 UOM: Bulk (lbs)	No Bid
1	1.8 Cationic Polymer Average order (45,000 lbs.)	
	Quantity: 10 UOM: Bulk (lbs.)	No Bid
1	1.9 Anionic Polymer Average order (270 Gal. Tote)	
	Quantity: 10 UOM: 270 Gallon Tote (Gallon)	No Bid
1	1.10 Liquid Ammonium Sulfate Average order (50,000 lbs.)	
	Quantity: 50 UOM: Bulk (lbs.) Price: \$7,450.00 Total:	\$372,500.00
	Supplier Notes: \$0.149/wet lb x 50,000 lbs = \$7450 x 50 loads = \$372,500.00	
1	1.11 Liquid Aluminum Sulfate with 1% Copper Sulfate Average order (48,000 lbs.)	
	Quantity: 145 UOM: Bulk (lbs.)	No Bid
1	1.12 Wastewater Polymer Average order (25,000 lbs.)	
	Quantity: 9 UOM: Bulk (lbs.)	No Bid
1	1.13 Wastewater Polymer Average order (55 Gal. drums)	
	Quantity: 50 UOM: 55 gallon drum	No Bid
1	1.14 Liquid Ammonium Sulfate (38%-40%) Average order (48,000 lbs.)	
	Quantity: 50 UOM: Bulk (lbs). Price: \$7,152.00 Total:	\$357,600.00
	Supplier Notes: \$0.149/wet lb x 48,000 lbs = \$7152 x 50 loads = \$357,600.00	

**Response Total:** \$730,100.00



# CITY OF LAREDO FINANCE DEPARTMENT PURCHASING DIVISION FORMAL INVITATION FOR BIDS

# WATER & WASTEWATER TREATMENT CHEMICALS UTILITIES DEPARTMENT

#### **Public Notice**

Notice is hereby given that the City of Laredo is now accepting sealed bids, subject to the Terms and Conditions of this Invitation for Bids and other contract provisions, for awarding a two-year contract for the purchase of chemicals used for water and wastewater treatment for the Utilities Department.

Copies of the specifications may be obtained from the Finance Department – Purchasing Division, 5512 Thomas Ave., Laredo, Texas 78041 or by downloading from our website: <a href="https://cityoflaredo.com">www.cityoflaredo.com</a> or through Cit-E-Bid: <a href="https://cityoflaredo.ionwave.net/Login.aspx">https://cityoflaredo.ionwave.net/Login.aspx</a>

Hand delivered bids will be received at the City Secretary Office, 1110 Houston St., 3rd. floor, Laredo, Texas 78040 until 5:00 P.M. on August 8, 2024; and all bids received will be opened and read publicly at 9:00 A.M. at the Office of the City Secretary on August 9, 2024.

Hand delivered bids are to be submitted in a scaled envelope clearly marked:

Bid: Water & Wastewater Treatment Chemicals – Utilities Department FY24-095

Bids can be downloaded and submitted through Cit-E-Bid:	Hand Dolivered:
https://gityoflowedo.jonumus	City of Laredo - City Secretary
https://cityoflaredo.ionwave.net/Login.aspx	C/O Mario I. Maldonado Jr.
	City Hall - Third Floor
	1110 Houston Street
<u> </u>	Laredo, Texas 78040



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The City of Laredo reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and to waive any minor irregularities.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL, ON THIS 19th DAY OF JULY 2024.

Mario I. Maldonado Jr.

# TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF INVITATIONS FOR BIDS

#### **GENERAL CONDITIONS**

Bidders are required to submit bids upon the following expressed conditions:

- (a) Bidders shall thoroughly examine the specifications, schedule instructions and other contract documents. Once the award has been made, failure to read all specifications, instructions, and the contract documents, of the City shall not be cause to alter the original contract or for a vendor to requests additional compensation.
- (b) Bidders shall make all investigations necessary to thoroughly inform themselves regarding facilities and locations for delivery of materials and equipment as required by the bid conditions. No pleas of ignorance by the bidder of conditions that exist or that may hereafter exist as a result of failure or omission on the part of the bidder to make the necessary examinations and investigations, or failure to fulfill in every detail the requirements of the contract documents, will be accepted as a basis for varying the requirements of the City or the compensation to the vendor.
- Bidders are advised that City contracts are subject to the all legal requirements provided for in the City Charter and/or applicable City Ordinances, State and Federal Statutes.
- 1.0 PREPARATION OF BIDS Bids will be prepared in accordance with the following:
- (a) All information required by the bid form shall be furnished. For hand delivered submittals only, the vendor shall print or type the business name and manually sign the schedule. For electronic submittals, this information shall be submitted electronically on Cit-E-Bid system.
- (b) Unit prices shall be shown and where there is an error in extension of price, the unit price shall govern.
- (c) Alternate bids will not be considered unless authorized by the invitation for bids or any applicable addendum
- (d) Proposed delivery time must be shown and shall include Sundays and holidays
- (e) Bidders will not include Federal taxes or State of Texas limited sales tax in bid prices since the City of Laredo is exempt from payment of such taxes. An exemption certificate will be furnished upon request.
- The City shall pay no costs or other amounts incurred by any entity in responding to this RFB, or as a result of issuance of this RFB.
- 2.0 DESCRIPTION OF SUPPLIES Any catalog or manufacturer's reference used in describing an item is merely descriptive, and not restrictive, unless otherwise noted, and is used only to indicate type and quality of material. Bidder is required to state exactly what they intend to furnish; otherwise bidder shall be required to furnish the items as specified.

#### 3.0 SUBMISSION OF BIDS

- (a) Bids and changes thereto shall be enclosed in sealed envelopes, properly addressed and to include the date and hour of the bid opening and the material or services bid on shall be typed or written on the face of the envelope. If submitted electronically, this information shall be submitted electronically on Cit-E-Bid system by going to the following link: https://citvoflaredo.ionwave.net/Login.aspx
- (b) Unless otherwise noted on the Notice to Bidders cover sheet, all hand delivered bids must be submitted to the Office of the City Secretary, City Hall, 1110 Houston Street.
- Bids forms can be downloaded and printed through Cit-E-Bid. Mailed Bids (i.e. USPS, FedEx, UPS), telegraphic, email or facsimile bids will not be considered.
- (d) Samples, when required, must be submitted within the time specified, at no expense to the City of Laredo. If not destroyed or used up during testing, samples will be returned upon request at the bidder's expense.
- (e) Bids must be valid for a minimum period of sixty (60) days. An extension to hold bid pricing for actual quantity bids may be requested by the City.
- 4.0 REJECTION OF BIDS The City may reject a bid if:
- Bidder misstates or conceals any material fact in the bid.
- (b) Bid does not strictly conform to the law or the requirements of the bid.
- Bidder is in arrears on existing contracts or taxes with the City of Laredo.
- If bids are conditional, Bidder may qualify their bid for acceptance by the City on an "ALL OR NONE" basis. An "ALL OR NONE" basis bid must include all items in the specifications.
- (e) In the event that a bidder is delinquent in the payment of City taxes on the day the bids are opened, including state and local taxes, such fact shall constitute grounds for rejection of the bid or cancellation of the contract. A bidder is considered delinquent, regardless of any contract or agreed judgments to pay such delinquent taxes.

- (f) No bid submitted herein shall be considered unless the bidder warrants that, upon execution of a contract with the City of Laredo, bidder will not engage in employment practices such as discriminating against employees because of race, color, sex, creed, or national origin. Bidder will submit such reports as the City may therefore require assuring compliance with said practices.
- (g) The City may reject all bids or any part of a bid whenever it is deemed necessary.
- (h) The City may waive any minor informalities or irregularities in any bid.
- 5.0 WITHDRAWAL OF BIDS Bids may not be withdrawn after they have been publicly opened, unless approved by the City Council.
- 6.0 LATE BIDS OR MODIFICATIONS Bids and modifications received after the time set for the bid deadline will not be considered. Late bids will be returned to the bidder unopened.
- 7.0 CLARIFICATION OR OBJECTION TO BID SPECIFICATIONS If any person contemplating submitting a bid for this contract is in doubt as to the true meaning of the specifications, or other bid documents or any part thereof, they may submit to the City Purchasing Agent on or before seven (7) calendar days prior to the scheduled bid deadline a request for clarification which must be submitted in writing through email seven (7) days prior to the scheduled date for opening to:

CITY OF LAREDO PURCHASING AGENT

5512 Thomas Ave.

Laredo, TX 78041

- or Questions & Responses section on Cit-E-Bid system. Any vendor submitting questions shall make reference to a specific bid number, section, page and item of this solicitation. In case there are changes, additions, and/or edits to the original scope of work, and addendum will be issued by the purchasing agent to all vendors through Cit-E-Bid system under Questions and Responses section to clarify any inquiries. The City will not be responsible for any other explanations or interpretations of the proposed bid made or given prior to the bid opening or award of contract.
- (a) Protest Procedures: The purpose of this procedure is to establish procedures whereby a vendor may protest specific procurement actions by the City of Laredo. The following sequence of activities must take place in filing a protest:
- (b) To be performed by protesting vendor: Within ten (10) days prior to the time that the City Council considers the recommendation of the City's Purchasing Officer, the protesting vendor must provide written protest to the City Purchasing Officer. Such protest must include specific reasons for the protest.
- (c) To be performed by City's Purchasing Officer: Shall review the records of procurement and determine legitimacy and procedural correctness. With five (5) working days, the City Purchasing Officer shall provide written response to the protesting vendor of the decision.
- (d) If the protesting vendor is not satisfied with the decision of the City Purchasing Officer, such protesting vendor may appeal to the City Manager of the City of Laredo. If the protesting vendor cannot resolve the issue with the City Manager, he shall be entitled to address his concerns when the City Council of the City of Laredo considers the awarding of the contract. Such appeal may be made only after exhausting all administrative procedures through the City Manager. All protests must be duly submitted via Certified Mail to:

  City of Laredo Purchasing Agent

5512 Thomas Ave.

Laredo, Texas 78041.

#### 8.0 BIDDER DISCOUNTS

- (a) Percent discounts within a certain period of time will be accepted but cannot be used in the bid evaluation. The period of the discount offered should be sufficient to permit payments within such period in the regular course of business by the City of Laredo.
- (b) In connection with any discounts offered, time will be computed from the date of receipt of supplies or service or from the date a correct invoice is received, whichever is the later date. Payment is deemed to be made on the date the check is mailed.

#### 9.0 INTENT OF CONTRACT

a) ANNUAL SUPPLY/SERVICE CONTRACTS: This contract does not commit the City to purchase the quantities indicated. The quantities are estimates and are based on the best available information. The purpose of this contract is to establish prices for the commodities or services needed, should the City need to purchase these commodities or services. Since the quantities are estimates, the City may purchase more than the estimated quantities, less than the estimated quantities, or not purchase any quantities at all. The needs of the City shall govern the amount that is purchased. All annual contracts shall bound by the terms of the bid documents. In the event a new contract cannot be executed on the anniversary date of the original term or renewal term, the contract may be renewed month to month until a new contract is executed.

The City's obligation for performance of an annual supply contract beyond the current fiscal year is contingent upon the availability of appropriated funds from which payments for the contract purchases can be made. If no funds are appropriated and budgeted during the next fiscal year, this contract becomes null and void.

#### 10.0 AWARD OF CONTRACT

- (a) This contract will be awarded by items to the (lowest responsive responsible bidder or bidders), in accordance to the provisions of Chapters 252 and 271 of the State of Texas Local Government Code. Definition of lowest responsive and responsible bidder as per the Institute for Public Procurement is: "Lowest Responsive and Responsible Bidder: The bidder who fully complied with all of the bid requirements and whose past performance, reputation, and financial capability is deemed acceptable, and who has offered the most advantageous pricing or cost benefit, based on the criteria stipulated in the bid documents."
- (b) The City reserves the right to accept any item or group of items in the bid specifications, unless the bidder qualifies it's bid by specific limitation. Proof: The bidder shall bear the burden of proof of compliance with the City of Laredo specifications.
- (c) A written award of acceptance (a duly approved purchase order or Letter of Award) furnished by the City to the successful bidder results in a binding contract without further action by either party. These Terms and Conditions shall be the basis and governing document of the binding contract.
- (d) Prices must be quoted F.O.B. Destination, Laredo, Texas, unless otherwise specified in the invitation to bid. The place of delivery shall be that set forth in the bid specifications and/or purchase order.
- (e) Title & Risk of Loss: The title and risk of loss of goods shall not pass to the City of Laredo until the City actually receives and takes possession of the goods at the point or points of delivery. The terms of this agreement is "no arrival, no sale".
- (f) Delivery time and prompt payment discounts will be considered in breaking ties. In the event of a tie bid, the successful bidder will be determined by choosing lots at the City Council meeting chambers.
- (g) The City of Laredo shall give written notice to the contractor (supplier) if any of the following conditions exist:
  - 1. Contractor does not provide materials in compliance with specifications and/or within the time schedule specified in bid.
  - 2. Contractor neglects or refuses to remove materials or equipment which have been rejected by the City of Laredo if found not to comply with the specifications.
  - 3. The contractor makes an unauthorized assignment for the benefit of any contractor. Upon receiving written notification from the City that one of the above conditions has occurred, the contractor must remedy the problem within ten (10) calendar days, to the complete satisfaction of the City, or the contract will be immediately canceled.

#### 11.0 PAYMENT & INVOICING

- (a) All invoices to the City of Laredo have a 30-day term from receipt of supplies or completion of services.
- (b) Discount terms will be computed from the date of receipt and acceptance of supplies or services. Payment shall be deemed to be made from that date.
- (c) All invoices must show the purchase order number and invoices shall be legible. Items billed on invoices should be specific as to applicable stock, manufacturer catalog or part number. All items must show unit prices. If prices are based on discounts from list, then list prices must appear on bid schedule. All invoices shall be mailed to the Accounts Payable Office, City Hall, and PO. Box 210

r O. DOX 210

Laredo, Texas 78042.

(d) The City of Laredo offers electronic funds transfer (ETF) payments in lieu of check payment when a vendor has filled out an Electronic Funds Transfer Authorization Form issued by the City of Laredo or upon request from the vendor. This ensures prompt payment directly deposited to a bank account. The estimated payment time is up fifteen (15) days from the date payment is processed. (e) For any inquires on payment status or general billing questions please contact:

Jorge J. Jolly,
Accounts Payable Manager
956-791-7328
jjolly@ci.laredo.tx.us
1110 Houston St.

#### 12.0 INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

Laredo, TX 78040.

If and when applicable or required by the contract, the successful bidder(s) shall furnish the City with original copies of valid insurance policies herein required upon execution of the contract and shall maintain said policies in full force and effect at all times throughout the term of this contract.

- (a) Commercial General Liability insurance at minimum combined single limits of \$1,000,000 per-occurrence and \$2,000,000 general aggregate for bodily injury and property damage, which coverage shall include products/completed operations (\$1,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate) and XCU (Explosion, Collapse, Underground) hazards. Coverage must be written on an occurrence form. Contractual Liability must be maintained covering the Contractors obligations contained in the contract. The general aggregate limit must be at least two (2) times the each occurrence limit.
- (b) Workers Compensation insurance at statutory limits, including Employers Liability coverage a minimum limits of \$1,000,000 each-occurrence each accident/\$1,000,000 by disease each-occurrence/\$1,000,000 by disease aggregate.
- (c) Commercial Automobile Liability insurance at minimum combined single limits of \$1,000,000 per-occurrence for bodily injury and property damage, including owned, non-owned, and hired car coverage.
- (d) Pollution Liability insurance with minimum limits of \$1,000,000.00 per occurrence.
- (e) Any Subcontractor(s) hired by the Contractor shall maintain insurance coverage equal to that required of the Contractor. It is the responsibility of the Contractor to assure compliance with this provision. The City of Laredo accepts no responsibility arising from the conduct, or lack of conduct, of the Subcontractor.
- (f) A Comprehensive General Liability insurance form may be used in lieu of a Commercial General Liability insurance form. In this event, coverage must be written on an occurrence basis, at limits of \$1,000,000 each-occurrence, combined single limit, and coverage must include a broad form Comprehensive General Liability Endorsement, products/completed operations, XCU hazards, and contractual liability.
- (g) With reference to the foregoing insurance requirement, Contractor shall specifically endorse applicable insurance policies as follows:
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- Insurance must be purchased from insurers that are financially acceptable to the City of Laredo. Insurer must be rated A- or greater by AM Best Rating with an admitted carrier licensed by the Texas Department of Insurance.
- (h) All insurance must be written on forms filed with and approved by the Texas Department of Insurance.

  Certificates of Insurance shall be prepared and executed by the insurance company or its authorized agent and shall contain provisions representing and warranting the following:
  - 1. Sets forth all endorsements and insurance coverage's according to requirements and instructions contained herein.
  - 2. Shall specifically set forth the notice-of-cancellation or termination provisions to The City of Laredo.
- (i) Upon request, Contractor shall furnish The City of Laredo with certified copies of all insurance policies.
- (j) Certificates of insurance are always subject to review and approval from the City of Laredo Risk Management.
- (k) Specialty certificates and licenses must be inspected and verified for accuracy and validity before award of contract.
  - (1) Awarded vendor is required to maintain current and active all: certifications, licenses, permits and/or insurance coverages, required to perform work, throughout the duration of this project/contract.

### 13.0 CONTRACT REQUIREMENTS

# 13.1 CODE OF ETHICS ORDINANCE 2012-0-126

Vendors doing business with the City of Laredo shall comply with all provisions of the City of Laredo's Code of Ethics.

# 13.2 PROHIBITED CONTACTS DURING CONTRACT SOLICITATION PERIOD

A person or entity who seeks or applies for a city contract or any other person acting on behalf of such person or entity, is prohibited from contacting city officials and employees regarding such a contract after a Formal Bid, Request for Proposal (RFP), Request for Qualification (RFQ) or other solicitation has been released. This no contact provision shall conclude when the contract is awarded. If contact is required, such contact will be done in accordance with procedures incorporated into the solicitation document. Violation of this provision by respondents or their agents may lead to disqualification of their offer from consideration.

# 13.3 NON-COLLUSIVE AFFIDAVIT (Attached)

The City may require that vendors submit a Non-Collusive Affidavit. The vendor will be required to state that the party submitting a proposal or bid, that such proposal or bid is genuine and not collusive or sham; that said Bidder has not colluded, conspired, connived or agreed, directly or indirectly, with any Bidder or Person, to put in a sham bid or to refrain from bidding, and has not in any manner, directly or indirectly, sought by agreement or collusion, or communication or conference, with any person, to fix the bid price or affiant or of any other Bidder, or to fix any overhead, profit or cost element of said bid price, or of that of any other Bidder, or to secure any advantage against the City of Laredo or any person interested in the proposed contract; and that all statements in said proposal or bid are true.

# 13.4 CONTRACT DISCLOSURE FORMS (Attached)

The City of Laredo requires the following forms to be completed as a part of this bid for consideration;

- 1. Company Information Questionnaire,
- 2. Signed Price Schedule,
- 3. Conflict of Interest Questionnaire,
- 4. Non-Collusive Affidavit
- 5. Discretionary Contracts Disclosure
- 6. Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295) **Upon Award of Bid Only**

### 13.5 CONFLICT OF INTEREST FORMS (Attached)

Conflict of Interest Disclosure: A form disclosing potential conflicts of interest involving counties, cities, and other local government entities may be required to be filed after January 1, 2006, by vendors or potential vendors to local government entities. The new requirements are set forth in Chapter 176 of the Texas Local Government Code added by H.B. No. 914 of the last Texas Legislature.

### 13.6 TEXAS ETHICS COMMISSION (Form 1295, Attached)

Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295)

Implementation of House Bill 1295: In an effort to comply with state law the certificate of interested parties must be filled out once a vendor has been granted a contract. All of this information can be found on the state of Texas website, please use this link provided, <a href="https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/tec/1295-Info.htm">https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/tec/1295-Info.htm</a>

In 2015, the Texas Legislature adopted House Bill 1295, which added section 2252.908 of the Government Code. The law states that a governmental entity or state agency may not enter into certain contracts with a business entity unless the business entity submits a disclosure of interested parties to the governmental entity or state agency at the time the business entity submits the signed contract to the governmental entity or state agency. The law applies only to a contract of a governmental entity or state agency that either (1) requires an action or vote by the governing body of the entity or agency before the contract may be signed or (2) has a value of at least \$1 million. The disclosure requirement applies to a contract entered into on or after January 1, 2016.

In order to comply with state law the Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295) must be submitted to the Texas Ethics Commission within 10 days upon receiving notice of award of contract. This form must be submitted within the allotted time otherwise this will result in the cancellation of the contract.

# 14.0 DISQUALIFICATION & DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

By submitting this Statement of Qualifications, the firm certifies that it is not currently debarred or eligible for debarment from the City of Laredo pursuant to Ordinance No. 2017-O-098, and that it is not an agent of a person or entity that is currently debarred from receiving contracts from any political subdivision or agency of the State of Texas. The contract parties are further prohibited from making any award at any tier to any party that is debarred or suspended or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation in Federal Assistance Programs under Executive Order 12549, "Debarment and Suspension." By executing this agreement, the Engineer certifies that it is not currently debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation in Federal Assistance Programs under Executive Order 12549. The parties to this contract shall require any party to a subcontract or purchase order awarded under this contract to certify it eligibility to receive Federal funds and, when requested by the City, to furnish a copy of the certification.

Additionally, in accordance with Chapter 2270, Texas Government Code, a governmental entity may not enter into a contract with a company for goods or services unless the contract contains a written verification from the company that it: (1) does not boycott Israel; and (2) will not boycott Israel during the term of the contract. The signatory executing this contract on behalf of company verifies that the company does not boycott Israel and will not boycott Israel during the term of this contract.

S.B. 252 (V. Taylor/S. Davis) is a bill relating to government contracts with terrorists. The bill provides that: (1) a governmental entity, including a city, may not enter into a governmental contract with a company that is identified on a list prepared and maintained by the comptroller and that does business with Iran, Sudan, or a foreign terrorist organization; and (2) a company that the United States government affirmatively declares to be excluded from its federal sanctions regime relating to Sudan, its federal sanctions regime relating to Iran, or any federal sanctions regime relating to a foreign terrorist organization is not subject to the contract prohibition under the bill.

#### Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. 1352)

Contractors that apply or bid for an award exceeding \$100,000 must file the required certification. Each tier certifies to the tier above that it will not and has not used Federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any Federal contract, grant or any other award covered by 31 U.S.C. 1352. Each tier must also disclose any lobbying with non-Federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any Federal award. Such disclosures are forwarded from tier to tier up to the non-Federal award.

# Formal Invitation for Bids Water & Wastewater Treatment Chemicals

15.0 Scope of Work

Notice is hereby given that the City of Laredo is now accepting sealed bids, subject to the Terms and Conditions of this Invitation for Bids and other contract provisions, for the purchase of chemicals used for water and wastewater treatment for the Utilities Department. Copies of the bid specifications may be obtained from the Finance Department – Purchasing Division, 5512 Thomas Ave., Laredo, Texas 78041 or by downloading from our website: <a href="www.cityoflaredo.com">www.cityoflaredo.com</a> or through Cit-E-Bid: <a href="https://cityoflaredo.ionwave.net/Login.aspx">https://cityoflaredo.ionwave.net/Login.aspx</a>

- 15.1 The City of Laredo Water & Wastewater Department is requesting bids for the enclosed list of chemicals. All specification questions for this bid shall be directed to the following Utilities Department point of contacts:
  - Wastewater Treatment Mr. Tomas Hernandez at (956) 721-2022 or by email <a href="mailto:thernandez@ci.laredo.tx.us">thernandez@ci.laredo.tx.us</a> or Mr. Daniel Villagran, at (956) 721-2022 or by email <a href="mailto:thernandez@ci.laredo.tx.us">dvillagran@ci.laredo.tx.us</a>
  - Water Treatment Mr. Rolando San Miguel at (956) 795-2620 or by email <u>rsanmiguel2@ci.laredo.tx.us</u> or Mr. Erik D. Taboada at (956) 795-2620 or by email <u>etaboada@ci.laredo.tx.us</u>
- 15.2 All questions for this bid shall be submitted through Cit-E-Bid no later than 2:00 PM July 26, 2024.
- 15.3 The quantities listed on the attached sheets are approximate quantities for the period of one year.
- 15.4 The City of Laredo reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to accept any bid or combination of bids deemed advantageous to the City of Laredo.
- 15.5 The City of Laredo reserves the right to cancel contract upon thirty (30) days written notice if bidder fails to conform to the terms and conditions as stated in these specifications.
- Prospective bidders must prove beyond any doubt to the City Purchasing Agent that they are duly qualified and capable to fulfill and abide by the specifications herein listed.
- 15.7 Bidders are required to submit their proposals upon the following expressed conditions:

  When contractors cannot abide by the terms and conditions in fulfilling their contracts, contractor must supply the materials from other sources at the contract price. If contractor delays in providing the service or supplies, i.e., chemicals, the City of Laredo reserves the right to purchase on the open market and charge the contractor the difference between the contract price and the purchase price.
- 15.8 All chemicals in bidder's specifications must comply with contract and are to be equal to or better in all respect.
- 15.9 All chemicals will be purchased on a per-need basis. Purchase orders will be issued to the successful bidder for each order. All invoices must have purchase order number and authorized signature to process for payment.
- 15.10 All chemicals purchased by the City of Laredo, for Water and Wastewater Department must comply with all government state and federal regulations. Except for chemicals used specifically in wastewater applications, the successful bidder shall submit an affidavit of compliance with all pertinent A.W.W.A. specifications.
- 15.11 Bid price shall be given per pound or per gallon of product, FOB freight included, Laredo, Texas.

  Where applicable, bidders shall state the product concentration as well as the active ingredient concentration, if different from that specified. For bid evaluation purposes the City reserves the right to recalculate the price of the chemical to reflect the specified concentrations.

15.12 Method of delivery shall have all necessary safety equipment, appropriate unloading equipment, and sufficient manpower to provide for proper unloading of product and materials without the assistance of City of Laredo personnel. Unloading of chemical units will be the sole responsibility of the company delivery personnel and the delivery company will be liable for any damages to City property.

Ship to Locations: Jefferson Water Treatment Plant, El Pico Water Treatment Plant, Zacate Wastewater Treatment Plant, United WWTP, Penitas WWTP, Lar-Colombia WWTP, South Laredo WWTP and the North Laredo WWTP. Addresses will be provided upon award of contract.

15.13 Should a major spill occur due to the negligence of the person in charge of delivering the product, all costs of product lost from shipment (or any amount lost from storage tanks should they be affected) will be encumbered by the product supplier, namely the awarded vendor.

#### 16.0 **DEFINITIONS**

- 16.1 Buyer The City of Laredo, Purchasing Division is herein called the buyer.
- 16.2 Supplier The company from which chemicals will be purchased is hereinafter called the supplier.
- 16.3 ANSI/NSF American National Standards Institute/National Sanitation Foundation. Standard 60 shall apply to all chemicals to be directly added to public water supplies. Standard 61 shall apply to all chemicals to be indirectly added to public water supplies.

#### 17.0 Chemical Specifications

# 17.1 Liquid Sodium Hydroxide (NaOH) 50% Concentration (Water Treatment Plants)

**Chemical Composition** 

Liquid sodium hydroxide (NaOH) shall have a concentration of 50% in weight and comply with the latest edition of ANSI/AWWA B501-19 Standard for Caustic Soda.

Liquid sodium hydroxide 50% concentration offered in this proposal is in complete compliance with current City of Laredo Standards and Specifications.

Net unit price of Liquid sodium hydroxide 50% concentration offered in this bid shall be firm for a period of one year.

#### 17.2 Calcium Hypochlorite (CaCl₂O₂) (Wastewater Treatment Plants)

This specification covers Calcium Hypochlorite to be used as a disinfectant in the treatment of wastewater.

General Requirements: Except as otherwise modified or supplemented herein, material furnished shall meet the latest edition of ANSI/AWWA B300-18 Standard. Calcium Hypochlorite should contain 70 percent available chlorine.

Net price of Calcium Hypochlorite must include any Haz Mat fees and any other associated fees required to meet State and Federal codes.

Delivery will be made in truckloads of 100 lb. containers as required by City of Laredo, Water & Wastewater Department. The City will consider buying HTH in 50 lb. containers if available. Write in any other size proposed.

Delivery trucks must carry their own unloading equipment (air compressors, pumps, hoses, adapters, rear hydraulic elevators, etc.) Unloading will be the sole responsibility of the truck driver and any damages to the City property caused by negligence of the driver will be charged to the successful bidder.

Calcium Hypochlorite offered in this proposal is in complete compliance with current Laredo Water & Wastewater Department Standards and Specifications.

Net unit price of Calcium Hypochlorite offered in this bid shall be firm for a period of one year.

# 17.3 Liquid Chlorine (Cl) (Water Treatment Plants & Wastewater Treatment Plants)

Liquefied Chlorine shall meet the latest edition of ANSI/AWWA B301-18 Standard for liquid chlorine and NSF/ANSI Standard 60: Drinking Water Treatment Chemicals — Health Effects, latest edition. In the event of conflict between AWWA and NSF/ANSI Standards, NSF/ANSI Standards will supersede.

The City of Laredo shall have the right to reject any shipment that fails to meet the specifications contained herein or any shipment that has been damaged in transit.

Successful bidder is responsible to safely unload full cylinders and load empty cylinders.

Successful bidder will be required to furnish Liquefied Chlorine in one-ton containers and keep an inventory of not less than 16 full one-ton containers at all times for delivery to the Laredo Waterworks System at Laredo, Texas within 24 hours in case of emergency.

Successful bidder will deliver one-ton containers in a self-unloading trailer and the City shall have the option of splitting the load among various locations where chlorine is used.

Successful bidder shall periodically inspect one-ton containers and furnish evidence of such inspection. Provide pressure test results certification for all cylinders delivered to Utilities Divisions / Facilities. Cylinders shall be painted on the outside with aluminum paint.

The successful bidder will be required to abide by the rules and regulations of the Wastewater Treatment Plant's Accidental Release and Prevention Program (USEPA 40 CFR 68 - Chemical Accident Prevention Provisions)

Net price of Liquid Chlorine must include any rental of equipment fees, Haz Mat fees, and any other associated fees required to meet State and Federal Codes.

Net unit price of Liquid Chlorine offered in this bid shall be firm for a period of one year.

Note: Bidder must bid on the same commodity in 150 lb. bottles (see price schedule)

# 17.4 <u>Liquid Aluminum Sulfate (AL₂O₁₂S₃) 50% (Water Treatment Plants)</u>

Liquid Aluminum Sulfate shall have a concentration of 50% by weight and comply with latest edition of ANSI/AWWA B403-16 and contain less than 25 mg/L total organic carbon (TOC) and less than 50 mg/L iron for such concentration. Liquid Aluminum Sulfate shall be made from aluminum trihydroxide only. Aluminum trihydroxide recovered from manufacturing and refinery waste streams is not acceptable. Liquid aluminum sulfate shall be watery clear white to clear in color. The liquid aluminum sulfate shall be free from any odors.

The material shall meet the following chemical and physical properties:

Aqueous solution of aluminum sulfate

10043-01-3 (C.A.S.)

pH (neat)

Specific Gravity @ 21° C (70° F)

Freezing Point (approx.)

Density, lbs./gal., US

Aluminum as Al, %

Aluminum as Al2O3, %

Aluminum as Al2O3, %

Aluminum as Al2(SO4)3·14H2O (Dry Alum). %

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The City of Laredo shall have the right to reject any shipment that fails to meet the specifications, consistency, or appearance contained herein.

# The product bid must be quoted on a 50% weight aluminum sulfate base.

At the request of the City, the successful bidder shall submit an affidavit of compliance with ANSI/AWWA B403-16 Standard plus an analysis data sheet of the product as reported by a commercial laboratory other than the manufacturer. All invoices must be adjusted to real concentrations of product delivered.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish 50% Liquid Aluminum Sulfate in bulk by trucks carrying their own delivery equipment such as pumps, compressor and hoses. The truck driver shall perform the unloading operation without assistance (under normal circumstances) and insure that no spills occur during such operation. Should a major spill occur due to negligence of the person in charge of delivering the product, all costs of product lost from the shipment (or any amount lost from storage tanks should then be affected) will be encumbered by the product supplier, namely the successful bidder.

Successful bidder shall be required to keep an inventory of no less than 44,000 lbs. of product at all times for delivery to the city of Laredo within 24 hours in case of an emergency.

Net unit price of Liquid Aluminum Sulfate offered in this bid shall be firm for a period of one year.

# 17.5 <u>Cationic Polymer (Water Treatment Plants)</u>

Chemical Composition

The cationic polymer shall contain 20% dimethyl diallyl ammonium chloride as the active ingredient such as the CAT FLOC T manufactured by Calgon Com

The cationic polymer furnished shall be suitable for treatment of water for human consumption. Pertinent documentation shall be presented to prove the non-toxic nature of the product.

Bidders must state the shelf life of the product when exposed to the elements as in the case of an outdoor fiberglass storage tank. The City of Laredo will take shipments of 48,000 pounds at a time. Delivery trucks must carry their own unloading equipment (air compressors, pumps, hoses, adaptors, rear hydraulic elevators, etc.)

Unloading will be the sole responsibility of the truck driver and any damages to the City property caused by negligence of the driver will be charged to the successful bidder.

For evaluation purposes the City reserves the right to bench-test the polymers to determine their performance relative to all others. Performance shall be based on residual turbidity for a conventional jar test, under the raw water characteristics prevailing at the time of testing.

Net unit prices of cationic polymer offered in this bid shall be firm for a period of one year.

# 17.6 <u>Wastewater Sludge Conditioning Polymers (Wastewater Treatment Plants)</u>

Organic polymer, synthetic, high molecular weight, water soluble electrolytes, manufactured specifically for use in flocculants in conditioning wastewater sludge for belt filter press applications. Polymer shall be a dispension/emulsion readily and completely soluble in water. The polymer must maintain minimum ninety percent (90%) strength for up to six months after delivery. Physical and chemical characteristics shall not change during this period.

Net unit prices of sludge conditioning polymers offered in this bid shall be firm for a period of one year.

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	1.1 Liquid Sodium Hydroxide (50%) Average order (47,000 lbs.)	9	Bulk (lbs)		No Bi
	1.2 Liquid Sodium Hydroxide (50%) Average order (275 Gal. Tote)	9	275 Gallon Tote (Gallon)		No Bi
	1.3 Liquid Sodium Hydroxide (25%) Average order (47,000 lbs.)	9	Bulk (lbs.)		No Bi
	1.4 Calcium Hypochlorite Average order (40 drums)	90	100 lb, Drums		No Bi
	1.5 Liquid Chlorine Average order (2,000 lbs. cylinders)	1120	2000 lb.Cylinder		No Bi
	1.6 Liquid Chlorine Average order (150 lbs. cylinders)	630	150 lb Cylinder		No Bi
	1.7 Liquid Aluminum Sulfate (50%) Average order (48,000 lbs.)	145	Bulk (lbs)		No Bi
	1.8 Cationic Polymer Average order (45,000 lbs.)	10	Bulk (lbs.)	\$40,050.00	\$400,500.0
	Supplier Note: Polydyne Inc. is bidding \$0.890/Lb. for Clari shipment is \$40,050.00. The price for 10 bu	floc C-308P. The price for lk deliveries is \$400,500.	a 45,000 Lb, bulk .00.		
	1.9 Anionic Polymer Average order (270 Gal. Tote)	10	270 Gallon Tote (Gallon)	\$3,657.00	\$36,570.0
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	1.10 Liquid Ammonium Sulfate Average order (50,000 lbs.)	50	Bulk (lbs.)		No Bi
	1.11 Liquid Aluminum Sulfate with 1% Copper Sulfate Average order (48,000 lbs.)	fate 145	Bulk (lbs.)		No Bi
	1.12 Wastewater Polymer Average order (25,000 lbs.)	9	Bulk (lbs.)	\$44,250.00	\$398,250.0
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	1.13 Wastewater Polymer Average order (55 Gal. drums)	50	55 gallon drum	\$796,50	\$39,825.0
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	1.14 Liquid Ammonium Sulfate (38%-40%) Average order (48,000 lbs.)	50	Bulk (lbs).		No Bi



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General/Corporate Address

Polydyne Inc.

Address

One Chemical Plant Rd Ricebore, GA 31323

(912) 880-2035

Phone Fax

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Supplier Name

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Name Randal Vickery

Office Phone

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Email bids@polydyneinc.com

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#### 1 Award by Item

This contract will be awarded by item to the lowest responsive responsible bidder, in accordance to the provisions of Chapters 252 and 271 of the State of Texas - Local Government Code.

Yes.

#### 2 Questionnaire Description

"The undersigned affirms that they are duly authorized to execute this contract, that this company, corporation, firm, partnership or individual has not prepared this bid in collusion with any other bidder, and that the contents of this bid as to prices, terms or conditions of said bid have not been communicated by the undersigned nor by any employee or agent to any other person engaged in this type of business prior to the official opening of this request. By submitting this bid the vendor agrees to the City of Larendo specifications and all terms and conditions stipulated in the proposed document. That I, individually and on behalf of the business named in this Business Questionnaire, do by my signature below, certify that the information provided in the questionnaire is true and correct."

- 3 Name of Offeror (Business) and Name & Phone Number of Authorized Person to sign bid
  - * Polydyne Inc. / Boyd Stanley, Sr. Vice-President: (800) 848-7659 Option 2
- 4 State how long under has the business been in its present business name
  - * In excess of 28 years
- 5 If applicable, fist all other names under which the Business identified above operated in the last five years
  - * Not Applicable

### 6 State if the Company is a certified minority business enterprise

The below information is requested for statistical and tracking purposes only and will not influence the amount of expenditure the City will make with any given company.

#### 7 Questions Part 1

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No litigation is pending against Polydyne Inc. Polydyne Inc. has not been deemed "not responsive" for any contract award. Polydyne Inc. has not been debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, voluntarily excluded or disqualified from bidding, proposing or contracting. No circumstances exist that would disqualify Polydyne Inc. for award of a

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* Polydyne Inc. is not in arrears, in debt or a defaulter. No liquidated damages or penalty provisions have been assessed against Polydyne Inc.

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33 Question 11, Oath

Please complete in this section the required information for your company: 1) Name 2) Fitle 3) Company or OBA 4) Date

- 1.) Boyd Stanley
- 2.) Sr. Vice-President
- 3.) Polydyne Inc.

34 Question 12, Oath

I swear or affirm that the statements contained in this Discretionary Contracts Disclosure Form, including any attachments, to the best of my knowledge and belief are true, correct, and complete.

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35 Company Information Questionnaire

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38 Discretionary Contracts Disclosure

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39 Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295)

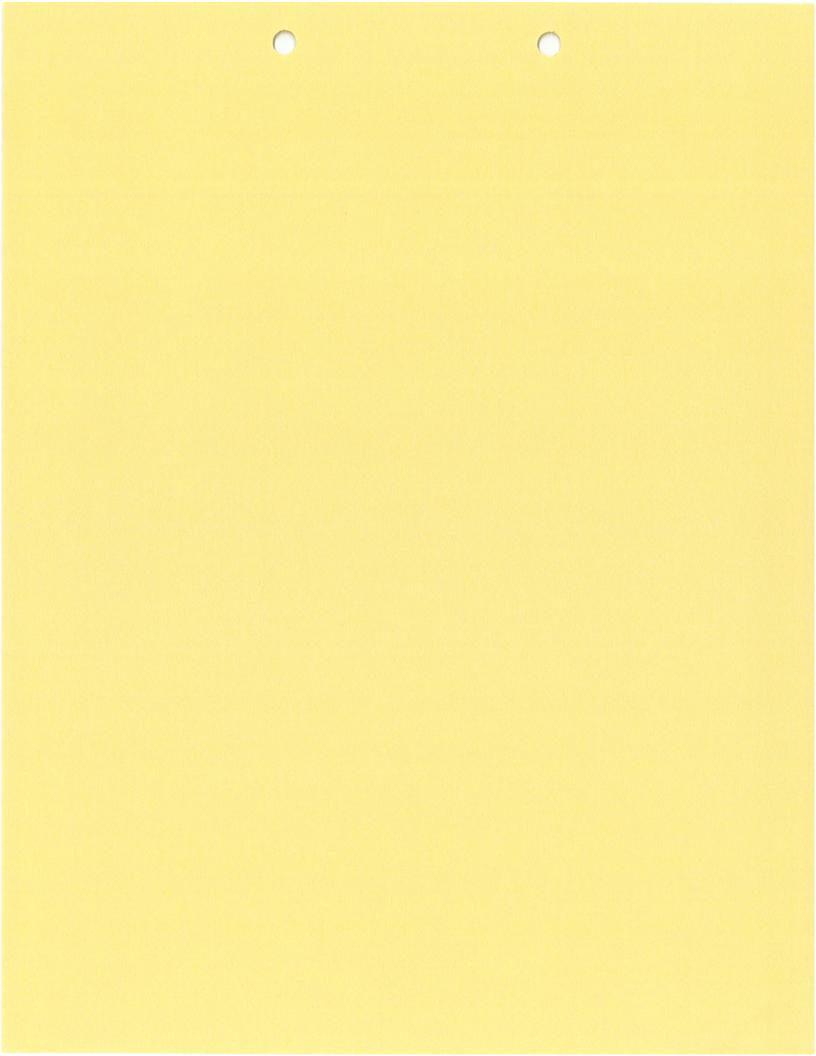
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# FY24-095 **Chemtrade Chemicals US LLC Supplier Response**

# **Event Information**

Number:

FY24-095

Title:

FY24-095 Water & Wastewater Treatment Chemicals

Type:

Request For Bid

Issue Date: 7/22/2024

Deadline:

8/8/2024 05:00 PM (CT)

Notes:

******If the bidder submits both an electronic bid and a properly

completed manual bid, the Purchasing Division will use the electronic bid to determine the total bid amount of the bid. If the bidder submits

an electronic bid and a manual bid that is not complete, the

Purchasing Division will use the electronic bid to determine the total

bid amount of the bid.********

# **Contact Information**

Contact: Enrique Aldape III Address: Purchasing Division Public Works Service Center

5512 Thomas Avenue

Laredo, TX 78041

Phone: 956 (794) 1733 Fax: 956 (790) 1805

Email: ealdape@ci.laredo.tx.us

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	do by my signature below, certify that the information pr	ovided in the questionnaire is true and correct ".
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	CHEMTRADE CHEMICALS US LLC, PARUL KACHHIA-F	PATEL, MARKETING SPECIALIST, 800-441-2659
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### Conflict of Interest Questionnaire Form CIQ

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1	Conflict	of Interest	Questionr	naire
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Vendor is required to submit Conflict of Interest Form for bid to be considered complete. Have you submitted your completed Conflict of Interest Form with your response?

Yes

### 1 Construction Contract

Construction Contract Requires Acknowledgement

✓ Acknowledge

# 1 Disclosure Form

For details on use of this form, see Section 4.01 of the City's Ethics Code.

1 This is a

New Submission

# 1 Question 1. Name of person submitting this disclosure form

Please include First Name, Middle Initial, Last Name and Suffix (if applicable)

PARUL KACHHIA-PATEL

### 1 Question 2. Contract Information

Please include the following: a)Contract or Project Name b)Originating Department

FY 24-095 WATER & WASTEWATER TREATMENT CHEMICALS

1 Question 3. Name of individual(s) or entity(ies) seeking a contract with the city (i.e. parties to the contract)

CHEMTRADE CHEMICALS US LLC

1 Question 4. List any business entity(ies) that is a partner, parent, subsidiary business entity(ies) of the individual or entity listed in Question 3.

It applies to my business

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If you selected Not Applicable on Question 4, skip this section. If it applies to you, please list the name of partner, parent, or subsidiary business entity(ies) in this section.

CHEMTRADE CHEMICALS CORPORATION (PARENT), CHEMTRADE WEST US LLC, CHEMTRADE SOLUTIONS LLC, CHEMTRADE SULFATE CHEMICALS INC. (SUBSIDIARIES) WASTERSIDE UTRON RENEWAL CORPORATION, GENTEK CHEMICAL HOLDING INC. (SUBSIDIARIES)

Question 5. List any individuals or entities that will be subcontractors on this contract

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If you selected Not Applicable on Question 5, please skip this section. If it applies to you, please list subcontractors in this section.

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# Question 6. List any attorneys, lobbyists, or consultants that have been retained to assist in seeking this contract

Not Applicable

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If selected Not Applicable on question 6, please skip this section. If it applies to you, please list attorneys, lobbyists, or consultants that have been retained to assist in seeking this contract.

No response

# Question 7. Disclosure of political contributions

List any campaign or officeholder contributions made by the following individuals in the past 24 months totaling more than \$100 to any current member of City Council, former member of City Council, any candidate for City Council, or to any political action committee that contributes to City Council elections. a) Any individual seeking contract with the city (Question 3) b) Any owner of officer of entity seeking contract with the city (Question 3) c) Any individual or owner or officer of any entity listed above as partner, parent, or subsidiary business (Question 4) d) Any subcontractor or owner/office of subcontracting entity for the contract (Question 5) e) The spouse of any individual listed in response to (a) through (d) above f) Any attorney, lobbyist, or consultant retained to assist in seeking contract (Question 6)

Not Applicable

# Question 7. Disclosure of political contributions

If you selected Not Applicable on question 7, please skip this section. If it applies to you, please list all contributors in this section.

No response

# Updates on contributions required

Information regarding contributions must be updated by submission of a revised form from the date of the submission of this form, up through the time City Council takes action on the contracts identified in response to Question 2 and continuing for 30 calendar days after the contract has been awarded.

# **Question 8. Disclosure of Conflict of Interest**

Are you aware of any fact(s) with regard to this contract that would raise a "conflict of interest" issue under Section 2.01 of the Ethics Code for any City Council member or board/commission member that has not or will not be raised by these city officials?

I am not aware of any conflict of interest

# 8. Disclosure of Conflict of Interest

If you selected I am aware of conflict of interest is question 8, please list them in this section.

No response

# Question 9. Updates Required

I understand that this form must be updated by submission of a revised form if there is any change in the information before the discretionary contract is the subject of action by the City Council, and no later than five (5) business days after any changes has occurred, whichever comes first. This include information about political contributions made after the initial submission and up until thirty (30) calendar days after the contract has been awarded.

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PARUL KACHHIA-PATEL, MARKETING SPECIALIST CHEMTRADE CHEMICALS US LLC JULY 26, 2024

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- (c) Bidders are advised that City contracts are subject to the all legal requirements provided for in the City Charter and/or applicable City Ordinances, State and Federal Statutes.
- 1.0 PREPARATION OF BIDS Bids will be prepared in accordance with the following:
- (a) All information required by the bid form shall be furnished. For hand delivered submittals only, the vendor shall print or type the business name and manually sign the schedule. For electronic submittals, this information shall be submitted electronically on Cit-E-Bid system. If vendor submits both manual and electronic bids, the electronic bid will replace the manual bid and shall be considered the only valid bid.
- (b) Unit prices shall be shown and where there is an error in extension of price, the unit price shall govern.
- (c) Alternate bids will not be considered unless authorized by the invitation for bids or any applicable addendum
- (d) Proposed delivery time must be shown and shall include Sundays and holidays
- (e) Bidders will not include Federal taxes or State of Texas limited sales tax in bid prices since the City of Laredo is exempt from payment of such taxes. An exemption certificate will be furnished upon request.
- (f) The City shall pay no costs or other amounts incurred by any entity in responding to this RFB, or as a result of issuance of this RFB.

**2.0 DESCRIPTION OF SUPPLIE'S** Any catalog or manufacturer's reference used in describing an item is merely descriptive, and not restrictive, unless otherwise noted, and is used only to indicate type and quality of material. Bidder is required to state exactly what they intend to furnish; otherwise bidder shall be required to furnish the items as specified.

### 3.0 SUBMISSION OF BIDS

- (a) Bids and changes thereto shall be enclosed in sealed envelopes, properly addressed and to include the date and hour of the bid opening and the material or services bid on shall be typed or written on the face of the envelope. If submitted electronically, this information shall be submitted electronically on Cit-E-Bid system by going to the following link: <a href="https://cityoflaredo.ionwave.net/Login.aspx">https://cityoflaredo.ionwave.net/Login.aspx</a>
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- (c) Bids forms can be downloaded and printed through Cit-E-Bid. Mailed Bids (i.e. USPS, FedEx, UPS), telegraphic, email or facsimile bids will not be considered.
- (d) Samples, when required, must be submitted within the time specified, at no expense to the City of Laredo. If not destroyed or used up during testing, samples will be returned upon request at the bidder's expense.
- (e) Bids must be valid for a minimum period of sixty (60) days. An extension to hold bid pricing for actual quantity bids may be requested by the City.

# 4.0 REJECTION OF BIDS The City may reject a bid if:

- (a) Bidder misstates or conceals any material fact in the bid.
- (b) Bid does not strictly conform to the law or the requirements of the bid.
- (c) Bidder is in arrears on existing contracts or taxes with the City of Laredo.
- (d) If bids are conditional. Bidder may qualify their bid for acceptance by the City on an "ALL OR NONE" basis. An "ALL OR NONE" basis bid must include all items in the specifications.
- (e) In the event that a bidder is delinquent in the payment of City taxes on the day the bids are opened, including state and local taxes, such fact shall constitute grounds for rejection of the bid or cancellation of the contract. A bidder is considered delinquent, regardless of any contract or agreed judgments to pay such delinquent taxes.
- (f) No bid submitted herein shall be considered unless the bidder warrants that, upon execution of a contract with the City of Laredo, bidder will not engage in employment practices such as discriminating against employees because of race, color, sex, creed, or national origin. Bidder will submit such reports as the City may therefore require assuring compliance with said practices.
- (g) The City may reject all bids or any part of a bid whenever it is deemed necessary.
- (h) The City may waive any minor informalities or irregularities in any bid.
- **5.0 WITHDRAWAL OF BIDS** Bids may not be withdrawn after they have been publicly opened, unless approved by the City Council.
- **6.0 LATE BIDS OR MODIFICATIONS** Bids and modifications received after the time set for the bid deadline will not be considered. Late bids will be returned to the bidder unopened.
- 7.0 CLARIFICATION OR OBJECTION TO BID SPECIFICATIONS If any person contemplating submitting a bid for this contract is in doubt as to the true meaning of the specifications, or other bid documents or any part thereof, they may submit to the City Purchasing Agent on or before seven (7) calendar days prior to the scheduled bid deadline a request for clarification which must be submitted in writing through email seven (7) days prior to the scheduled date for opening to: CITY OF LAREDO PURCHASING AGENT Enrique Aldape III 5512 Thomas Ave, Laredo, TX 78041 ealdape@ci.laredo.tx.us or Questions & Responses section on Cit-E-Bid system. Any vendor submitting questions shall make reference to a specific bid number, section, page and item of this solicitation. In case there are changes, additions, and/or edits to the original scope of work, and addendum will be issued by the purchasing agent to all vendors through Cit-E-Bid system under Questions and Responses section to clarify any inquiries. The City will not be responsible for any other explanations or interpretations of the proposed bid made or given prior to the bid opening or award of contract.
- (a) Protest Procedures: The purpose of this procedure is to establish procedures whereby a vendor may protest specific procurement actions by the City of Laredo. The following sequence of activities must take place in filing a protest:
- (b) To be performed by protesting vendor: Within ten (10) days prior to the time that the City Council considers the recommendation of the City's Purchasing Officer, the protesting vendor must provide written protest to the City Purchasing Officer. Such protest must include specific reasons for the protest.
- (c) To be performed by City's Purchasing Officer: Shall review the records of procurement and determine legitimacy and procedural correctness. With five (5) working days, the City Purchasing Officer shall provide written response to the protesting vendor of the decision.
- (d) If the protesting vendor is not satisfied with the decision of the City Purchasing Officer, such protesting vendor may appeal to the City Manager of the City of Laredo. If the protesting vendor cannot resolve the issue with the City Manager, he shall be entitled to address his concerns when the City Council of the City of Laredo considers the awarding of the contract. Such appeal may be made only after exhausting all administrative procedures through the City Manager. All protests must be duly submitted via Certified Mail to: City of Laredo Purchasing Agent 5512

Thomas Ave. Laredo, Texas 78041.

### 8.0 BIDDER DISCOUNTS

- (a) Percent discounts within a certain period of time will be accepted but cannot be used in the bid evaluation. The period of the discount offered should be sufficient to permit payments within such period in the regular course of business by the City of Laredo.
- (b) In connection with any discounts offered, time will be computed from the date of receipt of supplies or service or from the date a correct invoice is received, whichever is the later date. Payment is deemed to be made on the date the check is mailed.

### 9.0 INTENT OF CONTRACT

a) ANNUAL SUPPLY/SERVICE CONTRACTS: This contract does not commit the City to purchase the quantities indicated. The quantities are estimates and are based on the best available information. The purpose of this contract is to establish prices for the commodities or services needed, should the City need to purchase these commodities or services. Since the quantities are estimates, the City may purchase more than the estimated quantities, less than the estimated quantities, or not purchase any quantities at all. The needs of the City shall govern the amount that is purchased. All annual contracts shall bound by the terms of the bid documents. In the event a new contract cannot be executed on the anniversary date of the original term or renewal term, the contract may be renewed month to month until a new contract is executed. The City's obligation for performance of an annual supply contract beyond the current fiscal year is contingent upon the availability of appropriated funds from which payments for the contract purchases can be made. If no funds are appropriated and budgeted during the next fiscal year, this contract becomes null and void.

### 10.0 AWARD OF CONTRACT

(a) This contract will be awarded to the (lowest responsive responsible bidder), in accordance to the provisions of Chapters 252 and 271 of the State of Texas – Local Government Code.

Definition of lowest responsive and responsible bidder as per the Institute for Public Procurement is:

"Lowest Responsive and Responsible Bidder: The bidder who fully complied with all of the bid requirements and whose past performance, reputation, and financial capability is deemed acceptable, and who has offered the most advantageous pricing or cost benefit, based on the criteria stipulated in the bid documents."

- (b) The City reserves the right to accept any item or group of items in the bid specifications, unless the bidder qualifies it's bid by specific limitation. Proof: The bidder shall bear the burden of proof of compliance with the City of Laredo specifications.
- (c) A written award of acceptance (a duly approved purchase order or Letter of Award) furnished by the City to the successful bidder results in a binding contract without further action by either party. These Terms and Conditions shall be the basis and governing document of the binding contract.
- (d) A duly authorize purchase order number shall reference item/services description, item number, quantity and price. Invoices shall reference the assign purchase order number to avoid any duplication (2 CFR 200.318 (d)).
- (e) Prices must be quoted F.O.B. Destination, Laredo, Texas, unless otherwise specified in the invitation to bid. The place of delivery shall be that set forth in the bid specifications and/or purchase order.
- (f) Title & Risk of Loss: The title and risk of loss of goods shall not pass to the City of Laredo until the City actually receives and takes possession of the goods at the point or points of delivery. The terms of this agreement is "no arrival, no sale".
- (g) Delivery time and prompt payment discounts will be considered in breaking ties. In the event of a tie bid, the successful bidder will be determined by choosing lots at the City Council meeting chambers.
- (h) The City of Laredo shall give written notice to the contractor (supplier) if any of the following conditions exist:
- 1. Contractor does not provide materials in compliance with specifications and/or within the time schedule specified in bid.
- 2. Contractor neglects or refuses to remove materials or equipment which have been rejected by the City of Laredo if found not to comply with the specifications.
- 3. The contractor makes an unauthorized assignment for the benefit of any contractor.
- Upon receiving written notification from the City that one of the above conditions has occurred, the contractor must remedy the problem within ten (10) calendar days, to the complete satisfaction of the City, or the contract will be immediately canceled.
- 4. Contract terms are the responsibility of the awarded vendor(s) and the respective City user department(s).

### 11.0 ENTIRE AGREEMENT

(a)All covenants, conditions and agreement contained in the solicitation, are hereby made part of the Agreement to the same extent and with the force as is fully set forth herein. If and to the extent of this Agreement and the terms of this solicitation and supplier response conflict Terms & Conditions of this solicitation shall control.

### 12.0 PAYMENT & INVOICING

- (a) All invoices to the City of Laredo have a 30 day term from receipt of supplies or completion of services.
- (b) Discount terms will be computed from the date of receipt and acceptance of supplies or services. Payment shall be deemed to be made from that date.

- (c) All invoices must show the purchase order number and invoices shall be legible. Items billed on invoices should be specific as to applicable stock, manufacturer catalog or part number. All items must show unit prices. If prices are based on discounts from list, then list prices must appear on bid schedule. All invoices shall be mailed to the Accounts Payable Office, City Hall, and PO. Box 210, Laredo, Texas 78042.
- (d) The City of Laredo offers electronic funds transfer (ETF) payments in lieu of check payment when a vendor has filled out an Electronic Funds Transfer Authorization Form issued by the City of Laredo or upon request from the vendor. This ensures prompt payment directly deposited to a bank account. The estimated payment time is up fifteen (15) days from the date payment is processed. (e) For any inquires on payment status or general billing questions please contact: Jorge J. Jolly, Accounts Payable Manager 956-791-7328 jjolly@ci.laredo.tx.us 1110 Houston St. Laredo, TX 78040.
- 13.0 In accordance to State of Texas, the City of Laredo follows State practices when awarding any and all competitive solicitations:

TEXAS ENGINEERING AND LAND SURVEYING PRACTICE ACTS AND RULES CONCERNING PRACTICE AND LICENSURE

OCCUPATIONS CODE TITLE 6. REGULATION OF ENGINEERING, ARCHITECTURE, LAND SURVEYING, AND RELATED PRACTICES SUBTITLE A. REGULATION OF ENGINEERING AND RELATED PRACTICES CHAPTER 1001. TEXAS BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND LAND SURVEYORS

CHAPTER 137: COMPLIANCE AND PROFESSIONALISM

SUBCHAPTER C: PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT AND ETHICS

§137.53 ENGINEER STANDARDS OF COMPLIANCE WITH PROFESSIONAL SERVICES PROCUREMENT ACT (a) A licensed engineer shall not submit or request, orally or in writing, a competitive bid to perform professional engineering services for a governmental entity unless specifically authorized by state law and shall report to the board any requests from governmental entities and/or their representatives that request a bid or cost and/or pricing information or any other information from which pricing or cost can be derived prior to selection based on demonstrated competence and qualifications to perform the services. (b) For the purposes of this section, competitive bidding to perform engineering services includes, but is not limited to, the submission of any monetary cost information in the initial step of selecting qualified engineers. Cost information or other information from which cost can be derived must not be submitted until the second step of negotiating a contract at a fair and reasonable cost. (c) This section does not prohibit competitive bidding in the private sector. Source Note: The provisions of this §137.53 adopted to be effective May 20, 2004, 29 TexReg 4878; amended to be effective June 4, 2007, 32 TexReg 2996.

☑ I Agree to the Terms and Conditions

# Insurance Terms and Conditions

**INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS** If and when applicable or required by the contract, the successful bidder(s) shall furnish the City with original copies of valid insurance policies herein required upon execution of the contract and shall maintain said policies in full force and effect at all times throughout the term of this contract.

- (a) Commercial General Liability insurance at minimum combined single limits of \$1,000,000 per-occurrence and \$2,000,000 general aggregate for bodily injury and property damage, which coverage shall include products/completed operations (\$1,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate) and XCU (Explosion, Collapse, Underground) hazards. Coverage must be written on an occurrence form. Contractual Liability must be maintained covering the Contractors obligations contained in the contract. The general aggregate limit must be at least two (2) times the each occurrence limit.
- (b) Workers Compensation insurance at statutory limits, including Employers Liability coverage a minimum limits of \$1,000,000 each-occurrence each accident/\$1,000,000 by disease each-occurrence/\$1,000,000 by disease aggregate.
- (c) Commercial Automobile Liability insurance at minimum combined single limits of \$1,000,000 per-occurrence for bodily injury and property damage, including owned, non-owned, and hired car coverage.
- (d) Professional Liability, Errors & Omissions coverage, with minimum limits of \$1,000,000 per claim/ \$2,000,000 annual aggregate. This coverage must be maintained for at least two years after the project is completed. If coverage is written on a claims-made basis, a policy retroactive date equivalent to the inception date of the contract (or earlier) must be maintained during the full term of the contract.
- (e) Any Subcontractor(s) hired by the Contractor shall maintain insurance coverage equal to that required of the Contractor. It is the responsibility of the Contractor to assure compliance with this provision. The City of Laredo accepts no responsibility arising from the conduct, or lack of conduct, of the Subcontractor.
- (f) A Comprehensive General Liability insurance form may be used in lieu of a Commercial General Liability insurance form. In this event, coverage must be written on an occurrence basis, at limits of \$1,000,000 each-occurrence, combined single limit, and coverage must include a broad form Comprehensive General Liability Endorsement, products/completed operations, XCU hazards, and contractual liability.
- (g) With reference to the foregoing insurance requirement, Contractor shall specifically endorse applicable insurance policies as follows:
- 1. The City of Laredo shall be named as an additional insured with respect to General Liability and Automobile Liability.
- 2. All liability policies shall contain no cross liability exclusions or insured versus insured restrictions.
- 3. A waiver of subrogation in favor of the City of Laredo shall be contained in the Workers compensation, and all liability policies.
- 4. All insurance policies shall be endorsed to require the insurer to immediately notify The City of Laredo of any material change in the insurance coverage.
- 5. All insurance policies shall be endorsed to the effect that The City of Laredo will receive at least sixty- (60) days' notice prior to cancellation or non-renewal of the insurance.
- 6. All insurance policies, which name The City of Laredo as an additional insured, must be endorsed to read as primary coverage regardless of the application of other insurance.
- 7. Required limits may be satisfied by any combination of primary and umbrella liability insurances.
- 8. Contractor may maintain reasonable and customary deductibles, subject to approval by The City of Laredo.
- 9. Insurance must be purchased from insurers that are financially acceptable to the City of Laredo. Insurer must be rated A- or greater by AM Best Rating with an admitted carrier licensed by the Texas Department of Insurance.
- (h) All insurance must be written on forms filed with and approved by the Texas Department of Insurance. Certificates of Insurance shall be prepared and executed by the insurance company or its authorized agent and shall contain provisions representing and warranting the following:
- 1. Sets forth all endorsements and insurance coverage's according to requirements and instructions contained herein.
- 2. Shall specifically set forth the notice-of-cancellation or termination provisions to The City of Laredo.
- (i) Upon request, Contractor shall furnish The City of Laredo with certified copies of all insurance policies.
- (j) Certificates of insurance are always subject to review and approval from the City of Laredo Risk Management.
- (k) Specialty certificates and licenses must be inspected and verified for accuracy and validity before award of contract.
- (I) Awarded vendor is required to maintain current and active all: certifications, licenses, permits and/or insurance coverages, required to perform work, throughout the duration of this project/contract.

# 4 Disqualification & Debarment Certification

**DISQUALIFICATION & DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION** By submitting this request for bids, proposal or statement of qualifications, the firm certifies that it is not currently debarred or eligible for debarment from the City of Laredo pursuant to **Ordinance No. 2017-O-098**, and that it is not an agent of a person or entity that is currently debarred from receiving contracts from any political subdivision or agency of the State of Texas. The City will further verify debarment status through use of the federal website SAM.gov. The contract parties are further prohibited from making any award at any tier to any party that is debarred or suspended or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation in Federal Assistance Programs under Executive Order 12549, "Debarment and Suspension."

By executing this agreement, the Engineer certifies that it is not currently debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation in Federal Assistance Programs under Executive Order 12549. The parties to this contract shall require any party to a subcontract or purchase order awarded under this contract to certify it eligibility to receive Federal funds and, when requested by the City, to furnish a copy of the certification. Additionally, in accordance with Chapter 2270, Texas Government Code, a governmental entity may not enter into a contract with a company for goods or services unless the contract contains a written verification from the company that it: (1) does not boycott Israel; and (2) will not boycott Israel during the term of the contract.

The signatory executing this contract on behalf of company verifies that the company does not boycott Israel and will not boycott Israel during the term of this contract. S.B. 252 (V. Taylor/S. Davis) is a bill relating to government contracts with terrorists. The bill provides that: (1) a governmental entity, including a city, may not enter into a governmental contract with a company that is identified on a list prepared and maintained by the comptroller and that does business with Iran, Sudan, or a foreign terrorist organization; and (2) a company that the United States government affirmatively declares to be excluded from its federal sanctions regime relating to Sudan, its federal sanctions regime relating to Iran, or any federal sanctions regime relating to a foreign terrorist organization is not subject to the contract prohibition under the bill.

☑ I certify to the terms and conditions

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### **Contract Requirements**

- **1.CODE OF ETHICS ORDINANCE** Vendors doing business with the City of Laredo shall comply with all provisions of the City of Laredo's Code of Ethics (Ordinance, as amended). Vendors may be required to participate in Code of Ethics trainings.
- 1.2 PROHIBITED CONTACTS DURING CONTRACT SOLICITATION PERIOD A person or entity who seeks or applies for a city contract or any other person acting on behalf of such person or entity, is prohibited from contacting city officials and employees regarding such a contract after a Formal Bid, Request for Proposal (RFP), Request for Qualification (RFQ) or other solicitation has been released. This no-contact provision shall conclude when the contract is awarded. The City of Laredo reserves the right to contact respondents and may require such contact as part of the evaluation process (for presentation, clarification) of bids and/or negotiation of RFP submittal(s) prior to the award of contract. If contact is required, such contact will be done in accordance with provisions of Chapter 252 and 271 of the Texas Local Government Code and procedures incorporated into the solicitation document. Violation of this provision by respondents or their agents may lead to disqualification of their offer from consideration.
- 1.3 NON-COLLUSIVE AFFIDAVIT (Form can be downloaded and submitted through Cit-E-Bid system) The City may require that vendors submit a Non-Collusive Affidavit. The vendor will be required to state that the party submitting a proposal or bid, that such proposal or bid is genuine and not collusive or sham; that said Bidder has not colluded, conspired, connived or agreed, directly or indirectly, with any Bidder or Person, to put in a sham bid or to refrain from bidding, and has not in any manner, directly or indirectly, sought by agreement or collusion, or communication or conference, with any person, to fix the bid price or affiant or of any other Bidder, or to fix any overhead, profit or cost element of said bid price, or of that of any other Bidder, or to secure any advantage against the City of Laredo or any person interested in the proposed contract; and that all statements in said proposal or bid are true.
- 1.4 CONTRACT DISCLOSURE FORMS (This is submitted through Cit-E-Bid system) The City of Laredo requires the following forms to be completed as a part of this bid for consideration; 1. Company Information Questionnaire, 2. Signed Price Schedule, 3. Conflict of Interest Questionnaire, 4. Non-Collusive Affidavit 5. Discretionary Contracts Disclosure 6. Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295) **Upon Award of RFP Only** 1.5 CONFLICT OF INTEREST FORMS (This is submitted through Cit-E-Bid system) Conflict of Interest Disclosure: A form disclosing potential conflicts of interest involving counties, cities, and other local government entities may be required to be filed after January 1, 2006, by vendors or potential vendors to local government entities. The new requirements are set forth in Chapter 176 of the Texas Local Government Code added by H.B. No. 914 of the last Texas Legislature.
- 1.6 TEXAS ETHICS COMMISSION (Form 1295, Form can be downloaded and submitted through Cit-E-Bid system) Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295) Implementation of House Bill 1295: In an effort to comply with state law the certificate of interested parties must be filled out once a vendor has been granted a contract. All of this information can be found on the state of Texas website, please use this link provided, <a href="https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/tec/1295-Info.htm">https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/tec/1295-Info.htm</a> In 2015, the Texas Legislature adopted House Bill 1295, which added section 2252.908 of the Government Code. The law states that a governmental entity or state agency may not enter into certain contracts with a business entity unless the business entity submits a disclosure of interested parties to the governmental entity or state agency at the time the business entity submits the signed contract to the governmental entity or state agency. The law applies only to a contract of a governmental entity or state agency that either (1) requires an action or vote by the governing body of the entity or agency before the contract may be signed or (2) has a value of at least \$1 million. The disclosure requirement applies to a contract entered into on or after January 1, 2016. In order to comply with state law the Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295) must be submitted to the Texas Ethics Commission within 10 days upon receiving notice of award of contract. This form must be submitted within the allotted time otherwise this may result in the cancellation of the contract.

### Changes to Form 1295:

Changes to the law requiring certain businesses to file a Form 1295 are in effect for contracts entered into or amended on or after January 1, 2018. The changes exempt businesses from filing a Form 1295 for certain types of contracts and replace the need for a completed Form 1295 to be notarized. Instead, the person filing a 1295 needs to complete an "unsworn declaration."

☑ I have read and understand this section

# Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. 1352)

Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. 1352)

Contractors that apply or bid for an award exceeding \$100,000 must file the required certification. Each tier certifies to the tier above that it will not and has not used Federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any Federal contract, grant or any other award covered by 31 U.S.C. 1352. Each tier must also disclose any lobbying with non-Federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any Federal award. Such disclosures are forwarded from tier to tier up to the non-Federal award.

I have read and understand this section

# Electronic Pricing & Manual Bid Pricing

******If the bidder submits both an electronic bid and a properly completed manual bid, the Purchasing Division will use the electronic bid to determine the total bid amount of the bid. If the bidder submits an electronic bid and a manual bid that is not complete, the Purchasing Division will use the electronic bid to determine the total bid amount of the bid.************

☑ Yes

## **Bid Lines**

1	Package Header		-
	Section I –Chemical Bid Price Schedule Note: Unit price shall include freight charges, fuel charges, and HAZ-Mat	Fees	
	******If the bidder submits both an electronic bid and a properly completed Division will use the electronic bid to determine the total bid amount of the electronic bid and a manual bid that is not complete, the Purchasing Divis determine the total bid amount of the bid.************	e bid. If the bidde	r submits an
	Quantity: 1 UOM: EA	Total:	\$2,299,136.00
	Package Items		
	1.1 Liquid Sodium Hydroxide (50%) Average order (47,000 lbs.)		
	Quantity: 9 UOM: Bulk (lbs)		No Bid
	1.2 Liquid Sodium Hydroxide (50%) Average order (275 Gal. Tote)		
	Quantity: 9 UOM: 275 Gallon Tote (Gallon)		No Bid
	1.3 Liquid Sodium Hydroxide (25%) Average order (47,000 lbs.)		
	Quantity: 9 UOM: Bulk (lbs.)	_	No Bid
	1.4 Calcium Hypochlorite Average order (40 drums)		
	Quantity: 90 UOM: 100 lb. Drums		No Bid
	1.5 Liquid Chlorine Average order (2,000 lbs. cylinders)		
	Quantity: 1120 UOM: 2000 lb.Cylinder		No Bid

	1.6 Liquid Chlorin Average orde	e r (150 lbs. cylinders)				
	Quantity: 630	UOM: 150 lb Cylinder				No Bid
	1.7 Liquid Alumini Average orde	` /			_	
	Quantity: <u>145</u>	UOM: Bulk (lbs)	Price:	\$4,540.80	Total:	\$658,416.00
	Supplier Notes:	PRICING IS BASED ON ORDER) \$4540.80 PER LB. BASED ON FULL TR	RORDER X 145 OF	DERS = \$658,416.00.	LBS =\$45 UNIT PRIC	640.80 PER CE IS \$0.0946/LIQ
2	1.8 Cationic Polyr Average orde					
	Quantity: <u>10</u>	UOM: Bulk (lbs.)				No Bid
	1.9 Anionic Polym Average order	er (270 Gal. Tote)				
	Quantity: <u>10</u>	UOM: 270 Gallon Tote	(Gallon)			No Bid
	1.10 Liquid Ammo Average orde	onium Sulfate er (50,000 lbs.)				
	Quantity: <u>50</u>	UOM: Bulk (lbs.)	Price:	\$7,900.00	Total:	\$395,000.00
,	Supplier Notes	PRICING IS BASED O ORDER). \$7,900 PER BASED ON FULL TRU	ORDER X 50 ORD	ERS= \$395,000.00. U	LBS =\$7,90 NIT PRICE	00.00 PER IS \$0.158/LIQ LB.
	i e	oum Sulfate with 1% Co er (48,000 lbs.)	opper Sulfate			
	Quantity: 145	UOM: Bulk (lbs.)	Price: [	\$5,976.00	Total:	\$866,520.00
	Supplier Notes	PRICING IS BASED O ORDER). \$5,976 PER LB. BASED ON FULL T CHEMTRADE'S CLAR-	ORDER X 145 ORI RUCKLOAD QUAN	DERS =\$866,520.00. U	JNIT PRICE	E IS \$0.1245/LIQ
	1.12 Wastewater I Average orde	Polymer er (25,000 lbs.)				
	Quantity:9	UOM: Bulk (lbs.)	·			No Bid
	1.13 Wastewater I Average orde	Polymer er (55 Gal. drums)				
	Quantity: 50	UOM: 55 gallon drum			_	No Bid
	•	nium Sulfate (38%-409 er (48,000 lbs.)	%)			
	Quantity: 50	UOM: Bulk (lbs).	Price: [	\$7,584.00	Total:	\$379,200.00
	Supplier Notes	PRICING IS BASED O PER ORDER X 50 OR TRUCKLOAD QUANTI	DER = \$379,200.00	DER (\$0.158 X 48,000 . UNIT PRICE IS \$0.19	LBS = \$7,5 58/LIQ LB.	84.00). \$7,584 BASED ON FULL

**Response Total:** \$2,299,136.00



# CITY OF LAREDO FINANCE DEPARTMENT PURCHASING DIVISION FORMAL INVITATION FOR BIDS

# WATER & WASTEWATER TREATMENT CHEMICALS UTILITIES DEPARTMENT

### **Public Notice**

Notice is hereby given that the City of Laredo is now accepting sealed bids, subject to the Terms and Conditions of this Invitation for Bids and other contract provisions, for awarding a two-year contract for the purchase of chemicals used for water and wastewater treatment for the Utilities Department.

Copies of the specifications may be obtained from the Finance Department – Purchasing Division, 5512 Thomas Ave., Laredo, Texas 78041 or by downloading from our website: <a href="https://cityoflaredo.com">www.cityoflaredo.com</a> or through Cit-E-Bid: <a href="https://cityoflaredo.ionwave.net/Login.aspx">https://cityoflaredo.ionwave.net/Login.aspx</a>

Hand delivered bids will be received at the City Secretary Office, 1110 Houston St., 3rd, floor, Laredo, Texas 78040 until 5:00 P.M. on August 8, 2024; and all bids received will be opened and read publicly at 9:00 A.M. at the Office of the City Secretary on August 9, 2024.

Hand delivered bids are to be submitted in a sealed envelope clearly marked:

Bid: Water & Wastewater Treatment Chemicals – Utilities Department FY24-095

Bids can be downloaded and submitted through Cit-E-Bid:	Hand Delivered:
	City of Laredo – City Secretary
https://cityoflaredo.ionwavc.net/Login.aspx	C/O Mario I, Maldonado Jr.
	City Hall – Third Floor
	1110 Houston Street
	Laredo, Texas 78040



# City of Laredo Purchasing Division

### **Notice to Bidders**

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The City of Laredo reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and to waive any minor irregularities.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL, ON THIS 19th DAY OF JULY 2024.

City Secretary

### TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF INVITATIONS FOR BIDS

#### **GENERAL CONDITIONS**

Bidders are required to submit bids upon the following expressed conditions:

- (a) Bidders shall thoroughly examine the specifications, schedule instructions and other contract documents. Once the award has been made, failure to read all specifications, instructions, and the contract documents, of the City shall not be cause to alter the original contract or for a vendor to requests additional compensation.
- (b) Bidders shall make all investigations necessary to thoroughly inform themselves regarding facilities and locations for delivery of materials and equipment as required by the bid conditions. No pleas of ignorance by the bidder of conditions that exist or that may hereafter exist as a result of failure or omission on the part of the bidder to make the necessary examinations and investigations, or failure to fulfill in every detail the requirements of the contract documents, will be accepted as a basis for varying the requirements of the City or the compensation to the vendor.
- (c) Bidders are advised that City contracts are subject to the all legal requirements provided for in the City Charter and/or applicable City Ordinances, State and Federal Statutes.
- 1.0 PREPARATION OF BIDS Bids will be prepared in accordance with the following:
- (a) All information required by the bid form shall be furnished. For hand delivered submittals only, the vendor shall print or type the business name and manually sign the schedule. For electronic submittals, this information shall be submitted electronically on Cit-E-Bid system.
- (b) Unit prices shall be shown and where there is an error in extension of price, the unit price shall govern.
- (c) Alternate bids will not be considered unless authorized by the invitation for bids or any applicable addendum
- (d) Proposed delivery time must be shown and shall include Sundays and holidays
- (e) Bidders will not include Federal taxes or State of Texas limited sales tax in bid prices since the City of Laredo is exempt from payment of such taxes. An exemption certificate will be furnished upon request.
- (f) The City shall pay no costs or other amounts incurred by any entity in responding to this RFB, or as a result of issuance of this RFB.
- 2.0 DESCRIPTION OF SUPPLIES Any catalog or manufacturer's reference used in describing an item is merely descriptive, and not restrictive, unless otherwise noted, and is used only to indicate type and quality of material. Bidder is required to state exactly what they intend to furnish; otherwise bidder shall be required to furnish the items as specified.

### 3.0 SUBMISSION OF BIDS

- (a) Bids and changes thereto shall be enclosed in sealed envelopes, properly addressed and to include the date and hour of the bid opening and the material or services bid on shall be typed or written on the face of the envelope. If submitted electronically, this information shall be submitted electronically on Cit-E-Bid system by going to the following link: https://cityoflaredo.ionwave.net/Login.aspx
- (b) Unless otherwise noted on the Notice to Bidders cover sheet, all hand delivered bids must be submitted to the Office of the City Secretary, City Hall, 1110 Houston Street.
- (c) Bids forms can be downloaded and printed through Cit-E-Bid. Mailed Bids (i.e. USPS, FedEx, UPS), telegraphic, email or facsimile bids will not be considered.
- (d) Samples, when required, must be submitted within the time specified, at no expense to the City of Laredo. If not destroyed or used up during testing, samples will be returned upon request at the bidder's expense.
- (e) Bids must be valid for a minimum period of sixty (60) days. An extension to hold bid pricing for actual quantity bids may be requested by the City.
- 4.0 REJECTION OF BIDS The City may reject a bid if:
- (a) Bidder misstates or conceals any material fact in the bid.
- (b) Bid does not strictly conform to the law or the requirements of the bid.
- (c) Bidder is in arrears on existing contracts or taxes with the City of Laredo.
- (d) If bids are conditional. Bidder may qualify their bid for acceptance by the City on an "ALL OR NONE" basis. An "ALL OR NONE" basis bid must include all items in the specifications.
- (e) In the event that a bidder is delinquent in the payment of City taxes on the day the bids are opened, including state and local taxes, such fact shall constitute grounds for rejection of the bid or cancellation of the contract. A bidder is considered delinquent, regardless of any contract or agreed judgments to pay such delinquent taxes.

- (f) No bid submitted herein shall be considered unless the bidder warrants that, upon execution of a contract with the City of Laredo, bidder will not engage in employment practices such as discriminating against employees because of race, color, sex, creed, or national origin. Bidder will submit such reports as the City may therefore require assuring compliance with said practices.
- (g) The City may reject all bids or any part of a bid whenever it is deemed necessary.
- (h) The City may waive any minor informalities or irregularities in any bid.
- 5.0 WITHDRAWAL OF BIDS Bids may not be withdrawn after they have been publicly opened, unless approved by the City Council.
- 6.0 LATE BIDS OR MODIFICATIONS Bids and modifications received after the time set for the bid deadline will not be considered. Late bids will be returned to the bidder unopened.
- 7.0 CLARIFICATION OR OBJECTION TO BID SPECIFICATIONS If any person contemplating submitting a bid for this contract is in doubt as to the true meaning of the specifications, or other bid documents or any part thereof, they may submit to the City Purchasing Agent on or before seven (7) calendar days prior to the scheduled bid deadline a request for clarification which must be submitted in writing through email seven (7) days prior to the scheduled date for opening to:

CITY OF LAREDO PURCHASING AGENT

5512 Thomas Ave,

Laredo, TX 78041

or Questions & Responses section on Cit-E-Bid system. Any vendor submitting questions shall make reference to a specific bid number, section, page and item of this solicitation. In case there are changes, additions, and/or edits to the original scope of work, and addendum will be issued by the purchasing agent to all vendors through Cit-E-Bid system under Questions and Responses section to clarify any inquiries. The City will not be responsible for any other explanations or interpretations of the proposed bid made or given prior to the bid opening or award of contract.

- (a) Protest Procedures: The purpose of this procedure is to establish procedures whereby a vendor may protest specific procurement actions by the City of Laredo. The following sequence of activities must take place in filing a protest:
- (b) To be performed by protesting vendor: Within ten (10) days prior to the time that the City Council considers the recommendation of the City's Purchasing Officer, the protesting vendor must provide written protest to the City Purchasing Officer. Such protest must include specific reasons for the protest.
- (c) To be performed by City's Purchasing Officer: Shall review the records of procurement and determine legitimacy and procedural correctness. With five (5) working days, the City Purchasing Officer shall provide written response to the protesting vendor of the decision.
- (d) If the protesting vendor is not satisfied with the decision of the City Purchasing Officer, such protesting vendor may appeal to the City Manager of the City of Laredo. If the protesting vendor cannot resolve the issue with the City Manager, he shall be entitled to address his concerns when the City Council of the City of Laredo considers the awarding of the contract. Such appeal may be made only after exhausting all administrative procedures through the City Manager. All protests must be duly submitted via Certified Mail to:

City of Laredo - Purchasing Agent

5512 Thomas Ave.

Laredo, Texas 78041.

### 8.0 BIDDER DISCOUNTS

- (a) Percent discounts within a certain period of time will be accepted but cannot be used in the bid evaluation. The period of the discount offered should be sufficient to permit payments within such period in the regular course of business by the City of Laredo.
- (b) In connection with any discounts offered, time will be computed from the date of receipt of supplies or service or from the date a correct invoice is received, whichever is the later date. Payment is deemed to be made on the date the check is mailed.

### 9.0 INTENT OF CONTRACT

a) ANNUAL SUPPLY/SERVICE CONTRACTS: This contract does not commit the City to purchase the quantities indicated. The quantities are estimates and are based on the best available information. The purpose of this contract is to establish prices for the commodities or services needed, should the City need to purchase these commodities or services. Since the quantities are estimates, the City may purchase more than the estimated quantities, less than the estimated quantities, or not purchase any quantities at all. The needs of the City shall govern the amount that is purchased. All annual contracts shall bound by the terms of the bid documents. In the event a new contract cannot be executed on the anniversary date of the original term or renewal term, the contract may be renewed month to month until a new contract is executed.

The City's obligation for performance of an annual supply contract beyond the current fiscal year is contingent upon the availability of appropriated funds from which payments for the contract purchases can be made. If no funds are appropriated and budgeted during the next fiscal year, this contract becomes null and void.

### 10.0 AWARD OF CONTRACT

- (a) This contract will be awarded by items to the (lowest responsive responsible bidder or bidders), in accordance to the provisions of Chapters 252 and 271 of the State of Texas Local Government Code.

  Definition of lowest responsive and responsible bidder as per the Institute for Public Procurement is:

  "Lowest Responsive and Responsible Bidder: The bidder who fully complied with all of the bid requirements and whose past performance, reputation, and financial capability is deemed acceptable, and who has offered the most advantageous pricing or cost benefit, based on the criteria stipulated in the bid documents."
- (b) The City reserves the right to accept any item or group of items in the bid specifications, unless the bidder qualifies it's bid by specific limitation. Proof: The bidder shall bear the burden of proof of compliance with the City of Laredo specifications.
- (c) A written award of acceptance (a duly approved purchase order or Letter of Award) furnished by the City to the successful bidder results in a binding contract without further action by either party. These Terms and Conditions shall be the basis and governing document of the binding contract.
- (d) Prices must be quoted F.O.B. Destination, Laredo, Texas, unless otherwise specified in the invitation to bid. The place of delivery shall be that set forth in the bid specifications and/or purchase order.
- (e) Title & Risk of Loss: The title and risk of loss of goods shall not pass to the City of Laredo until the City actually receives and takes possession of the goods at the point or points of delivery. The terms of this agreement is "no arrival, no sale".
- (f) Delivery time and prompt payment discounts will be considered in breaking ties. In the event of a tie bid, the successful bidder will be determined by choosing lots at the City Council meeting chambers.
- (g) The City of Laredo shall give written notice to the contractor (supplier) if any of the following conditions exist:
  - 1. Contractor does not provide materials in compliance with specifications and/or within the time schedule specified in bid.
  - Contractor neglects or refuses to remove materials or equipment which have been rejected by the City of Laredo if found not to comply with the specifications.
  - 3. The contractor makes an unauthorized assignment for the benefit of any contractor.

    Upon receiving written notification from the City that one of the above conditions has occurred, the contractor must remedy the problem within ten (10) calendar days, to the complete satisfaction of the City, or the contract will be immediately canceled.

#### 11.0 PAYMENT & INVOICING

- (a) All invoices to the City of Laredo have a 30-day term from receipt of supplies or completion of services.
- (b) Discount terms will be computed from the date of receipt and acceptance of supplies or services. Payment shall be deemed to be made from that date.
- (c) All invoices must show the purchase order number and invoices shall be legible. Items billed on invoices should be specific as to applicable stock, manufacturer catalog or part number. All items must show unit prices. If prices are based on discounts from list, then list prices must appear on bid schedule. All invoices shall be mailed to the Accounts Payable Office, City Hall, and

PO. Box 210

Laredo, Texas 78042.

(d) The City of Laredo offers electronic funds transfer (ETF) payments in lieu of check payment when a vendor has filled out an Electronic Funds Transfer Authorization Form issued by the City of Laredo or upon request from the vendor. This ensures prompt payment directly deposited to a bank account. The estimated payment time is up fifteen (15) days from the date payment is processed. (e) For any inquires on payment status or general billing questions please contact:

Jorge J. Jolly, Accounts Payable Manager 956-791-7328 jjolly@ci.laredo.tx.us 1110 Houston St. Laredo, TX 78040.

### 12.0 INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

If and when applicable or required by the contract, the successful bidder(s) shall furnish the City with original copies of valid insurance policies herein required upon execution of the contract and shall maintain said policies in full force and effect at all times throughout the term of this contract.

- (a) Commercial General Liability insurance at minimum combined single limits of \$1,000,000 per-occurrence and \$2,000,000 general aggregate for bodily injury and property damage, which coverage shall include products/completed operations (\$1,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate) and XCU (Explosion, Collapse, Underground) hazards. Coverage must be written on an occurrence form. Contractual Liability must be maintained covering the Contractors obligations contained in the contract. The general aggregate limit must be at least two (2) times the each occurrence limit.
- (b) Workers Compensation insurance at statutory limits, including Employers Liability coverage a minimum limits of \$1,000,000 each-occurrence each accident/\$1,000,000 by disease each-occurrence/\$1,000,000 by disease aggregate.
- (c) Commercial Automobile Liability insurance at minimum combined single limits of \$1,000,000 per-occurrence for bodily injury and property damage, including owned, non-owned, and hired car coverage.
- (d) Pollution Liability insurance with minimum limits of \$1,000,000.00 per occurrence.
- (e) Any Subcontractor(s) hired by the Contractor shall maintain insurance coverage equal to that required of the Contractor. It is the responsibility of the Contractor to assure compliance with this provision. The City of Laredo accepts no responsibility arising from the conduct, or lack of conduct, of the Subcontractor.
- (f) A Comprehensive General Liability insurance form may be used in lieu of a Commercial General Liability insurance form. In this event, coverage must be written on an occurrence basis, at limits of \$1,000,000 each-occurrence, combined single limit, and coverage must include a broad form Comprehensive General Liability Endorsement, products/completed operations, XCU hazards, and contractual liability.
- (g) With reference to the foregoing insurance requirement, Contractor shall specifically endorse applicable insurance policies as follows:
  - 1. The City of Laredo shall be named as an additional insured with respect to General Liability and Automobile Liability.
  - 2. All liability policies shall contain no cross liability exclusions or insured versus insured restrictions.
  - 3. A waiver of subrogation in favor of the City of Laredo shall be contained in the Workers compensation, and all liability policies.
  - 4. All insurance policies shall be endorsed to require the insurer to immediately notify The City of Laredo of any material change in the insurance coverage.
  - 5. All insurance policies shall be endorsed to the effect that The City of Laredo will receive at least sixty- (60) days' notice prior to cancellation or non-renewal of the insurance.
  - 6. All insurance policies, which name The City of Laredo as an additional insured, must be endorsed to read as primary coverage regardless of the application of other insurance.
  - 7. Required limits may be satisfied by any combination of primary and umbrella liability insurances.
  - 8. Contractor may maintain reasonable and customary deductibles, subject to approval by The City of Laredo.

- Insurance must be purchased from insurers that are financially acceptable to the City of Laredo. Insurer must be rated A- or greater by AM Best Rating with an admitted carrier licensed by the Texas Department of Insurance.
- (h) All insurance must be written on forms filed with and approved by the Texas Department of Insurance.

  Certificates of Insurance shall be prepared and executed by the insurance company or its authorized agent and shall contain provisions representing and warranting the following:
  - 1. Sets forth all endorsements and insurance coverage's according to requirements and instructions contained herein.
  - 2. Shall specifically set forth the notice-of-cancellation or termination provisions to The City of Laredo.
- (i) Upon request, Contractor shall furnish The City of Laredo with certified copies of all insurance policies.
- (j) Certificates of insurance are always subject to review and approval from the City of Laredo Risk Management.
- (k) Specialty certificates and licenses must be inspected and verified for accuracy and validity before award of contract.
  - (l) Awarded vendor is required to maintain current and active all: certifications, licenses, permits and/or insurance coverages, required to perform work, throughout the duration of this project/contract.

# 13.0 CONTRACT REQUIREMENTS

### 13.1 CODE OF ETHICS ORDINANCE 2012-0-126

Vendors doing business with the City of Laredo shall comply with all provisions of the City of Laredo's Code of Ethics.

# 13.2 PROHIBITED CONTACTS DURING CONTRACT SOLICITATION PERIOD

A person or entity who seeks or applies for a city contract or any other person acting on behalf of such person or entity, is prohibited from contacting city officials and employees regarding such a contract after a Formal Bid, Request for Proposal (RFP), Request for Qualification (RFQ) or other solicitation has been released. This no contact provision shall conclude when the contract is awarded. If contact is required, such contact will be done in accordance with procedures incorporated into the solicitation document. Violation of this provision by respondents or their agents may lead to disqualification of their offer from consideration.

# 13.3 NON-COLLUSIVE AFFIDAVIT (Attached)

The City may require that vendors submit a Non-Collusive Affidavit. The vendor will be required to state that the party submitting a proposal or bid, that such proposal or bid is genuine and not collusive or sham; that said Bidder has not colluded, conspired, connived or agreed, directly or indirectly, with any Bidder or Person, to put in a sham bid or to refrain from bidding, and has not in any manner, directly or indirectly, sought by agreement or collusion, or communication or conference, with any person, to fix the bid price or affiant or of any other Bidder, or to fix any overhead, profit or cost element of said bid price, or of that of any other Bidder, or to secure any advantage against the City of Laredo or any person interested in the proposed contract; and that all statements in said proposal or bid are true.

# 13.4 CONTRACT DISCLOSURE FORMS (Attached)

The City of Laredo requires the following forms to be completed as a part of this bid for consideration;

- 1. Company Information Questionnaire,
- 2. Signed Price Schedule,
- 3. Conflict of Interest Questionnaire,
- 4. Non-Collusive Affidavit
- 5. Discretionary Contracts Disclosure
- 6. Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295) **Upon Award of Bid Only**

# 13.5 CONFLICT OF INTEREST FORMS (Attached)

Conflict of Interest Disclosure: A form disclosing potential conflicts of interest involving counties, cities, and other local government entities may be required to be filed after January 1, 2006, by vendors or potential vendors to local government entities. The new requirements are set forth in Chapter 176 of the Texas Local Government Code added by H.B. No. 914 of the last Texas Legislature.

# 13.6 TEXAS ETHICS COMMISSION (Form 1295, Attached)

Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295)

Implementation of House Bill 1295: In an effort to comply with state law the certificate of interested parties must be filled out once a vendor has been granted a contract. All of this information can be found on the state of Texas website, please use this link provided, <a href="https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/tec/1295-Info.htm">https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/tec/1295-Info.htm</a>

In 2015, the Texas Legislature adopted House Bill 1295, which added section 2252.908 of the Government Code. The law states that a governmental entity or state agency may not enter into certain contracts with a business entity unless the business entity submits a disclosure of interested parties to the governmental entity or state agency at the time the business entity submits the signed contract to the governmental entity or state agency. The law applies only to a contract of a governmental entity or state agency that either (1) requires an action or vote by the governing body of the entity or agency before the contract may be signed or (2) has a value of at least \$1 million. The disclosure requirement applies to a contract entered into on or after January 1, 2016.

In order to comply with state law the Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295) must be submitted to the Texas Ethics Commission within 10 days upon receiving notice of award of contract. This form must be submitted within the allotted time otherwise this will result in the cancellation of the contract.

### 14.0 DISQUALIFICATION & DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

By submitting this Statement of Qualifications, the firm certifies that it is not currently debarred or eligible for debarment from the City of Laredo pursuant to **Ordinance No. 2017-O-098**, and that it is not an agent of a person or entity that is currently debarred from receiving contracts from any political subdivision or agency of the State of Texas. The contract parties are further prohibited from making any award at any tier to any party that is debarred or suspended or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation in Federal Assistance Programs under Executive Order 12549, "Debarment and Suspension." By executing this agreement, the Engineer certifies that it is not currently debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation in Federal Assistance Programs under Executive Order 12549. The parties to this contract shall require any party to a subcontract or purchase order awarded under this contract to certify it eligibility to receive Federal funds and, when requested by the City, to furnish a copy of the certification.

Additionally, in accordance with Chapter 2270, Texas Government Code, a governmental entity may not enter into a contract with a company for goods or services unless the contract contains a written verification from the company that it: (1) does not boycott Israel; and (2) will not boycott Israel during the term of the contract. The signatory executing this contract on behalf of company verifies that the company does not boycott Israel and will not boycott Israel during the term of this contract.

S.B. 252 (V. Taylor/S. Davis) is a bill relating to government contracts with terrorists. The bill provides that: (1) a governmental entity, including a city, may not enter into a governmental contract with a company that is identified on a list prepared and maintained by the comptroller and that does business with Iran, Sudan, or a foreign terrorist organization; and (2) a company that the United States government affirmatively declares to be excluded from its federal sanctions regime relating to Sudan, its federal sanctions regime relating to Iran, or any federal sanctions regime relating to a foreign terrorist organization is not subject to the contract prohibition under the bill.

### Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. 1352)

Contractors that apply or bid for an award exceeding \$100,000 must file the required certification. Each tier certifies to the tier above that it will not and has not used Federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any Federal contract, grant or any other award covered by 31 U.S.C. 1352. Each tier must also disclose any lobbying with non-Federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any Federal award. Such disclosures are forwarded from tier to tier up to the non-Federal award.

# Formal Invitation for Bids Water & Wastewater Treatment Chemicals

### 15.0 Scope of Work

Notice is hereby given that the City of Laredo is now accepting sealed bids, subject to the Terms and Conditions of this Invitation for Bids and other contract provisions, for the purchase of chemicals used for water and wastewater treatment for the Utilities Department. Copies of the bid specifications may be obtained from the Finance Department – Purchasing Division, 5512 Thomas Ave., Laredo, Texas 78041 or by downloading from our website: <a href="www.cityoflaredo.com">www.cityoflaredo.com</a> or through Cit-E-Bid: <a href="https://cityoflaredo.ionwaye.net/Login.aspx">https://cityoflaredo.ionwaye.net/Login.aspx</a>

- 15.1 The City of Laredo Water & Wastewater Department is requesting bids for the enclosed list of chemicals. All specification questions for this bid shall be directed to the following Utilities Department point of contacts:
  - Wastewater Treatment Mr. Tomas Hernandez at (956) 721-2022 or by email <a href="mailto:thernandez@ci.laredo.tx.us">thernandez@ci.laredo.tx.us</a> or Mr. Daniel Villagran, at (956) 721-2022 or by email <a href="mailto:thernandez@ci.laredo.tx.us">thernandez@ci.laredo.tx.us</a>
  - Water Treatment Mr. Rolando San Miguel at (956) 795-2620 or by email <a href="mailto:rsanmiguel2@ci.laredo.tx.us">rsanmiguel2@ci.laredo.tx.us</a> or Mr. Erik D. Taboada at (956) 795-2620 or by email <a href="mailto:etaboada@ci.laredo.tx.us">etaboada@ci.laredo.tx.us</a>
- 15.2 All questions for this bid shall be submitted through Cit-E-Bid no later than 2:00 PM July 26, 2024.
- 15.3 The quantities listed on the attached sheets are approximate quantities for the period of one year.
- 15.4 The City of Laredo reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to accept any bid or combination of bids deemed advantageous to the City of Laredo.
- 15.5 The City of Laredo reserves the right to cancel contract upon thirty (30) days written notice if bidder fails to conform to the terms and conditions as stated in these specifications.
- 15.6 Prospective bidders must prove beyond any doubt to the City Purchasing Agent that they are duly qualified and capable to fulfill and abide by the specifications herein listed.
- 15.7 Bidders are required to submit their proposals upon the following expressed conditions:

  When contractors cannot abide by the terms and conditions in fulfilling their contracts, contractor must supply the materials from other sources at the contract price. If contractor delays in providing the service or supplies, i.e., chemicals, the City of Laredo reserves the right to purchase on the open market and charge the contractor the difference between the contract price and the purchase price.
- 15.8 All chemicals in bidder's specifications must comply with contract and are to be equal to or better in all respect.
- 15.9 All chemicals will be purchased on a per-need basis. Purchase orders will be issued to the successful bidder for each order. All invoices must have purchase order number and authorized signature to process for payment.
- 15.10 All chemicals purchased by the City of Laredo, for Water and Wastewater Department must comply with all government state and federal regulations. Except for chemicals used specifically in wastewater applications, the successful bidder shall submit an affidavit of compliance with all pertinent A.W.W.A. specifications.
- 15.11 Bid price shall be given per pound or per gallon of product, FOB freight included, Laredo, Texas.

  Where applicable, bidders shall state the product concentration as well as the active ingredient concentration, if different from that specified. For bid evaluation purposes the City reserves the right to recalculate the price of the chemical to reflect the specified concentrations.

15.12 Method of delivery shall have all necessary safety equipment, appropriate unloading equipment, and sufficient manpower to provide for proper unloading of product and materials without the assistance of City of Laredo personnel. Unloading of chemical units will be the sole responsibility of the company delivery personnel and the delivery company will be liable for any damages to City property.

Ship to Locations: Jefferson Water Treatment Plant, El Pico Water Treatment Plant, Zacate Wastewater Treatment Plant, United WWTP, Penitas WWTP, Lar-Colombia WWTP, South Laredo WWTP and the North Laredo WWTP. Addresses will be provided upon award of contract.

15.13 Should a major spill occur due to the negligence of the person in charge of delivering the product, all costs of product lost from shipment (or any amount lost from storage tanks should they be affected) will be encumbered by the product supplier, namely the awarded vendor.

### 16.0 DEFINITIONS

- 16.1 Buyer The City of Laredo, Purchasing Division is herein called the buyer.
- 16.2 Supplier The company from which chemicals will be purchased is hereinafter called the supplier.
- 16.3 ANSI/NSF American National Standards Institute/National Sanitation Foundation. Standard 60 shall apply to all chemicals to be indirectly added to public water supplies. Standard 61 shall apply to all chemicals to be indirectly added to public water supplies.

# 17.0 Chemical Specifications

17.1 <u>Liquid Sodium Hydroxide (NaOH) 50% Concentration (Water Treatment Plants)</u>

Chemical Composition

Liquid sodium hydroxide (NaOH) shall have a concentration of 50% in weight and comply with the latest edition of ANSI/AWWA B501-19 Standard for Caustic Soda.

Liquid sodium hydroxide 50% concentration offered in this proposal is in complete compliance with current City of Laredo Standards and Specifications.

Net unit price of Liquid sodium hydroxide 50% concentration offered in this bid shall be firm for a period of one year.

17.2 <u>Calcium Hypochlorite (CaCl₂O₂) (Wastewater Treatment Plants)</u>

This specification covers Calcium Hypochlorite to be used as a disinfectant in the treatment of wastewater.

General Requirements: Except as otherwise modified or supplemented herein, material furnished shall meet the latest edition of ANSI/AWWA B300-18 Standard. Calcium Hypochlorite should contain 70 percent available chlorine.

Net price of Calcium Hypochlorite must include any Haz Mat fees and any other associated fees required to meet State and Federal codes.

Delivery will be made in truckloads of 100 lb. containers as required by City of Laredo, Water & Wastewater Department. The City will consider buying HTH in 50 lb. containers if available. Write in any other size proposed.

Delivery trucks must carry their own unloading equipment (air compressors, pumps, hoses, adapters, rear hydraulic elevators, etc.) Unloading will be the sole responsibility of the truck driver and any damages to the City property caused by negligence of the driver will be charged to the successful bidder.

Calcium Hypochlorite offered in this proposal is in complete compliance with current Laredo Water & Wastewater Department Standards and Specifications.

Net unit price of Calcium Hypochlorite offered in this bid shall be firm for a period of one year.

### 17.3 <u>Liquid Chlorine (Cl) (Water Treatment Plants & Wastewater Treatment Plants)</u>

Liquefied Chlorine shall meet the latest edition of ANSI/AWWA B301-18 Standard for liquid chlorine and NSF/ANSI Standard 60: Drinking Water Treatment Chemicals – Health Effects, latest edition. In the event of conflict between AWWA and NSF/ANSI Standards, NSF/ANSI Standards will supersede.

The City of Laredo shall have the right to reject any shipment that fails to meet the specifications contained herein or any shipment that has been damaged in transit.

Successful bidder is responsible to safely unload full cylinders and load empty cylinders.

Successful bidder will be required to furnish Liquefied Chlorine in one-ton containers and keep an inventory of not less than 16 full one-ton containers at all times for delivery to the Laredo Waterworks System at Laredo, Texas within 24 hours in case of emergency.

Successful bidder will deliver one-ton containers in a self-unloading trailer and the City shall have the option of splitting the load among various locations where chlorine is used.

Successful bidder shall periodically inspect one-ton containers and furnish evidence of such inspection. Provide pressure test results certification for all cylinders delivered to Utilities Divisions / Facilities. Cylinders shall be painted on the outside with aluminum paint.

The successful bidder will be required to abide by the rules and regulations of the Wastewater Treatment Plant's Accidental Release and Prevention Program (USEPA 40 CFR 68 – Chemical Accident Prevention Provisions)

Net price of Liquid Chlorine must include any rental of equipment fees, Haz Mat fees, and any other associated fees required to meet State and Federal Codes.

Net unit price of Liquid Chlorine offered in this bid shall be firm for a period of one year.

Note: Bidder must bid on the same commodity in 150 lb. bottles (see price schedule)

### 17.4 <u>Liquid Aluminum Sulfate</u> (AL₂O₁₂S₃) 50% (Water Treatment Plants)

Liquid Aluminum Sulfate shall have a concentration of 50% by weight and comply with latest edition of ANSI/AWWA B403-16 and contain less than 25 mg/L total organic carbon (TOC) and less than 50 mg/L iron for such concentration. Liquid Aluminum Sulfate shall be made from aluminum trihydroxide only. Aluminum trihydroxide recovered from manufacturing and refinery waste streams is not acceptable. Liquid aluminum sulfate shall be watery clear white to clear in color. The liquid aluminum sulfate shall be free from any odors.

The material shall meet the following chemical and physical properties:

Aqueous solution of aluminum sulfate

10043-01-3 (C.A.S.)

pH (neat)	1.4-2.6
Specific Gravity @ 21° C (70° F)	1.30-1.35
Freezing Point (approx.)	-16°C (4°F)
Density, lbs./gal., US	10.8-11.3
Aluminum as Al, %	4.2-4.5
Aluminum as Al2O3, %	8.0-8.4
Aluminum as Al2(SO4)3·14H2O (Dry Alum). %	46-49

The City of Laredo shall have the right to reject any shipment that fails to meet the specifications, consistency, or appearance contained herein.

### The product bid must be quoted on a 50% weight aluminum sulfate base.

At the request of the City, the successful bidder shall submit an affidavit of compliance with ANSI/AWWA B403-16 Standard plus an analysis data sheet of the product as reported by a commercial laboratory other than the manufacturer. All invoices must be adjusted to real concentrations of product delivered.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish 50% Liquid Aluminum Sulfate in bulk by trucks carrying their own delivery equipment such as pumps, compressor and hoses. The truck driver shall perform the unloading operation without assistance (under normal circumstances) and insure that no spills occur during such operation. Should a major spill occur due to negligence of the person in charge of delivering the product, all costs of product lost from the shipment (or any amount lost from storage tanks should then be affected) will be encumbered by the product supplier, namely the successful bidder.

Successful bidder shall be required to keep an inventory of no less than 44,000 lbs. of product at all times for delivery to the city of Laredo within 24 hours in case of an emergency.

Net unit price of Liquid Aluminum Sulfate offered in this bid shall be firm for a period of one year.

### 17.5 Cationic Polymer (Water Treatment Plants)

Chemical Composition

The cationic polymer shall contain 20% dimethyl diallyl ammonium chloride as the active ingredient such as the CAT FLOC T manufactured by Calgon Com

The cationic polymer furnished shall be suitable for treatment of water for human consumption. Pertinent documentation shall be presented to prove the non-toxic nature of the product.

Bidders must state the shelf life of the product when exposed to the elements as in the case of an outdoor fiberglass storage tank. The City of Laredo will take shipments of 48,000 pounds at a time. Delivery trucks must carry their own unloading equipment (air compressors, pumps, hoses, adaptors, rear hydraulic elevators, etc.)

Unloading will be the sole responsibility of the truck driver and any damages to the City property caused by negligence of the driver will be charged to the successful bidder.

For evaluation purposes the City reserves the right to bench-test the polymers to determine their performance relative to all others. Performance shall be based on residual turbidity for a conventional jar test, under the raw water characteristics prevailing at the time of testing.

Net unit prices of cationic polymer offered in this bid shall be firm for a period of one year.

### 17.6 Wastewater Sludge Conditioning Polymers (Wastewater Treatment Plants)

Organic polymer, synthetic, high molecular weight, water soluble electrolytes, manufactured specifically for use in flocculants in conditioning wastewater sludge for belt filter press applications. Polymer shall be a dispension/emulsion readily and completely soluble in water. The polymer must maintain minimum ninety percent (90%) strength for up to six months after delivery. Physical and chemical characteristics shall not change during this period.

Net unit prices of sludge conditioning polymers offered in this bid shall be firm for a period of one year.

Pre-qualification - The City reserves the right to pre-qualify any and all products offered for this bid. Bidders will be required to perform jar testing using their recommended product and provide the testing results to owner. In addition, bidders must provide desire chemical in five gallon pails for in-house testing. At the City's desire, a pilot test or full-scale test shall be conducted to determine the most advantageous product for the City. Should product testing become necessary, the City will prepare and will issue guidelines and additional requirements.

### Shipping:

- A. The polymer shall be shipped via tank trucks with a minimum loading of 2000 gallons and a maximum loading of 5000 gallons per shipment.
- B. The City Of Laredo reserves the option of shipment in 55 gallons drums or by the truck loads.

Delivery trucks must carry their own unloading equipment (air compressors, pumps, hoses, adapter, rear hydraulic elevators, etc.) unloading will be the sole responsibility of the truck driver and any damages to the City property caused by the negligence of the driver will be charged to the successful bidder. Pricing shall be F.O.B., City of Laredo Southside and North Laredo Wastewater Treatment Plants.

# 17.7 Anionic Polymer (Water Treatment Plants & Wastewater Treatment Plants)

Chemical to be used in wastewater for odor control is to be shipped and received in 270 gallon totes. Must meet the American Water Works Association specifications; latest standard version. Anionic Polymer shall contain a liquid physical state (straw colored liquid), with a boiling point of 100 degrees C and a specific gravity (H2=1)—1.02 – 1.04. The truck driver shall perform the unloading and transfer of the chemical into specialized storage tanks without assistance (under normal circumstances) and insure that no spills occur during such operation. Should a major spill occur due to negligence of the person in charge of delivering the product, all costs of product lost from that shipment (or any amount lost from storage tanks) and/or any soil remediation requirements affected will be encumbered by the product supplier, namely the successful bidder.

Net unit prices of anionic polymer offered in this bid shall be firm for a period of one year.

### 17.8 Liquid Ammonium Sulfate (H₈N₂O₄S) (Water Treatment Plants)

The material shall be commonly known as Liquid Ammonium Sulfate (LAS). The liquid shall be suitable for feeding by means of metering pumps or other metering devices constructed of corrosion resistant materials. ANSI/AWWA B302-16 Standard for Ammonium Sulfate and NSF/ANSI Standard 60: Drinking Water Treatment Chemicals – Health Effects, latest edition. In the event of conflict between AWWA and NSF/ANSI Standards, NSF/ANSI Standards will supersede. The material shall be provided with Affidavit of Compliance or Certified Analysis as suitable for contact with or treatment of drinking water by an accredited certification organization in accordance to NSF/ANSI Standard 60: Drinking Water Treatment Chemicals – Health Effects.

The material shall meet the following chemical and physical properties:

Weight % dry salt	38-40
% available ammonia	
Specific Gravity	1,20-1.23
pH	
Soluble Iron	
Insoluble Matter	
Freeze Point	<10 deg. F
Appearance	
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Liquid ammonium sulfate shall contain no soluble material or organic substances in quantities capable of producing deleterious or injurious effects on the health of those consuming water that has been treated properly with the ammonium sulfate.

The vendor shall conduct training classes in the handling and safety of Liquid Ammonium Sulfate at the plant site, at the request of the Plant Superintendent. The training shall meet all of the requirements of the Hazard Communications Act.

Packaging and shipping of Liquid Ammonium Sulfate shall be in accordance with current federal, state and local regulations. The tanks shall be suitable materials that will not be affected by the properties of the liquid. Tank trucks shall be in suitable condition for hauling liquid ammonium sulfate and shall not contain any substances that might affect the use of usefulness of the product in treating water for human consumption.

Copies of certified lab showing compliance with all listed specifications shall be provided with each order of product. A current copy of the NSF/ANSI Standard 60 certificate shall be included in the bid packet for the product described. Additionally, each bill of lading shall bear the NSF Stamp.

Net unit prices of liquid ammonium sulfate offered in this bid is shall be firm for a period of one year.

### 17.9 Liquid Aluminum Sulfate 50% with 1% Copper Sulfate (Water Treatment Plants)

Liquid Aluminum Sulfate with 1% Copper Sulfate shall have a concentration of 50% by weight and comply with the latest edition of ANSI/AWWA B403-16 Standard for Aluminum Sulfate and contain less than 25 mg/L total organic carbon (TOC) and less than 50 mg/L iron for such concentration. Liquid Aluminum Sulfate shall be made from aluminum trihydroxide (ATH) only. Aluminum trihydroxide (ATH) recovered from manufacturing and refinery waste streams is not acceptable. Liquid aluminum sulfate shall be watery clear white to clear in color. The liquid aluminum sulfate shall be free from all odors.

The material shall meet the following chemical and physical properties:

Aluminum sulfate mixture 10043-01-3 / 7758-99-8 (C.A.S.) pH (neat) 2.4-2.7 Specific Gravity @ 21° C (70° F) 1.29-1.32 Freezing Point (approx.) -16°C (3°F) Density, lbs./gal., US 10.8-11.0 Aluminum as AI, % 4.1-4.3 Aluminum as AL2O3, % 7.7-8.1 Copper (II) Sulfate Pentahydrate, % 0.8 - 1.2Soluble Cupric Iron (CU +2), % 0.20 - .31

- Needs to be EPA Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) Certification (EPA Website)
- Needs to ships from Texas
- Must respond within 48 hours
- Must be able to have same day and overnight shipping
- Aluminum Sulfate shall be made from Hydrate Alumina. Bauxite Aluminum Sulfate will not be accepted

The City of Laredo shall have the right to reject any shipment that fails to meet the requirements and specifications contained herein.

### The product bid must be quoted on a 50% weight aluminum sulfate base.

At the request of the City, the successful bidder shall submit an affidavit of compliance with all pertinent and latest edition AWWA Standards plus an Affidavit of Compliance and analysis data sheet of the product as

reported by a commercial laboratory other than the manufacturer. All invoices must be adjusted to real concentrations of product delivered.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish 50% Liquid Aluminum Sulfate in bulk by trucks carrying their own delivery equipment such as pumps, compressor and hoses. The truck driver shall perform the unloading operation without assistance (under normal circumstances) and insure that no spills occur during such operation. Should a major spill occur due to negligence of the person in charge of delivering the product, all costs of product lost from the shipment (or any amount lost from storage tanks should then be affected) will be encumbered by the product supplier, namely the successful bidder.

Successful bidder shall be required to keep an inventory of no less than 44,000 lbs. of product at all times for delivery to the City of Laredo within 24 hours in case of an emergency.

Net unit price of Liquid Aluminum Sulfate offered in this bid shall be firm for a period of one year.

### 18.0 Insurance Requirements

The successful bidder(s) shall furnish the City with original copies of valid insurance policies herein required upon execution of the contract and shall maintain said policies in full force and effect at all times during the term of this contract. Said insurance policies shall comply with all requirements set forth in section 12.0 of these specifications. Contractor(s) shall keep a current certificate of insurance in the City of Laredo Purchasing Division at all times and shall immediately report any changes to the Purchasing Office Administration.

### 19.0 Term of Contract

The term of this contract shall be for a period of two (2) years beginning as of the date of its execution. The contract may be extended for three, additional one (1) year periods. Should the vendor desire to extend the contract for the additional one-year period, it must so notify the City in writing no later than sixty (60) days before the expiration of the prior term. Such notification shall be effective upon actual receipt by the City. Renewals shall be in writing and signed by the City's Purchasing Manager & City Manager or his designee, without further action by the Laredo City Council, subject to and contingent upon appropriation of funding therefore. All annual contracts shall bound by the terms of the bid documents. The City shall also have the right to extend this contract under the same terms and conditions beyond the original term or any renewal thereof, on a month to month basis, not to exceed 3 months. Said month to month extensions shall be in writing, signed by the City's Purchasing Manager & City Manager or his designee, and shall not require City Council approval, subject to and contingent upon appropriation of funding therefore. The City reserves the right to renew or rebid this contract, if the appropriated funds initially approved by City Council are exhausted before the contract expiration date. This contract will shall be the responsibility of and administered by the vendor and the City of Laredo Utilities Department.

### 20.0 Award of Contract

This contract will be awarded by items to the (lowest responsive responsible bidder or bidders), in accordance to the provisions of Chapters 252 and 271 of the State of Texas – Local Government Code. Definition of lowest responsive and responsible bidder as per the Institute for Public Procurement is: "Lowest Responsive and Responsible Bidder: The bidder who fully complied with all of the bid requirements and whose past performance, reputation, and financial capability is deemed acceptable, and who has offered the most advantageous pricing or cost benefit, based on the criteria stipulated in the bid documents."

Annual Supply/Service Contract: This contract does not commit the City to purchase the quantities indicated. The quantities are estimates and are based on the best available information. The purpose of this contract is to establish prices for the commodities or services needed, should the City need to purchase these commodities or services. Since the quantities are estimates, the City may purchase more than the estimated quantities, less than the estimated quantities, or not purchase any quantities at all. The needs of the City shall govern the amount that is purchased and change orders shall not be applicable.

## 20.1 Disclosure of Interested Parties

Section 2252.908 of the Texas Government Code requires a business entity entering into certain contracts with a governmental entity to file with the governmental entity a disclosure of interested parties at the time the business entity submits the signed contract to the governmental entity. Section 2252.908 requires the disclosure form (Form 1295) to be signed by the authorized agent of the contracting business entity, acknowledging that the disclosure is made under oath and under penalty of perjury.

Section 2252.908 applies only to a contract that requires an action or vote by the governing body of the governmental entity before the contract may be signed or has a value of at least \$1 million. Section 2252.908 provides definitions of certain terms occurring in the section.

Section 2252.908 applies only to a contract entered into on or after Jan. 1, 2016. (Only if awarded contract is approved by City Council). The form must be submitted electronically through the <u>Texas Ethics Commission</u> website. Once the form is submitted and given a unique registration number, the business entity must manually sign the form and have it notarized. The form should be sent to the government entity which will then verify the form on the Texas Ethics Commission website.

## 21.0 Price Adjustment*****

The City of Laredo will allow unit price adjustments upwardly or downwardly when correlated with an industry wide adjustment. Any request for reasonable price adjustments will be considered. Justification for the requested adjustment on original fixed pricing must have mutual consent from both parties and be supported by appropriate documentation. A written notice stipulating in detail the price revision must be furnished to the City no less than 30 days before revised prices go into effect. Any request for reasonable price adjustments will be considered. Justification for the requested adjustment on original fixed pricing must have mutual consent from both parties and be supported by appropriate documentation. The City will not take action to intentionally delay legitimate manufacturer unit price increases. The City of Laredo reserves the right to cancel the contract if the price increase is deemed excessive; a new contract vendor will be selected on the basis of competitive bids. Documentation may be emailed to ealdape@ci.laredo.tx.us

### 22.0 Termination

This contract shall be for an initial period of two years or twenty-four months from the commencement date. Either party will have the right to terminate the contract by giving written notice to the other party at least 3 months before the end of the initial period of the contract or at least 30 days at any point after the end of the initial period. Either party may terminate this contract by written notice to the other at any time if the other party: Commits a breach of this contract and, in the case of a breach capable of remedy, fails to remedy the breach within 10 days of being required to do so in writing; or becomes insolvent, or has a liquidator, receiver, manager or administrative receiver appointed.

## 23.0 Required Format and Contents of Bid Submission

For a bid to be considered it must contain the following information:
Company Information Questionnaire
Conflict of Interest Questionnaire
Non-Collusive Affidavit
Discretionary Contract Disclosure
Form 1295

## 24.0 Bidder Information Questionnaire

## Bidder Information/Business Questionnaire: Please complete all information requested below and submit with your bid package

"The undersigned affirms that they are duly authorized to execute this contract, that this company, corporation, firm, partnership or individual has not prepared this bid in collusion with any other bidder, and that the contents of this bid as to prices, terms or conditions of said bid have not been communicated by the undersigned nor by any employee or agent to any other person engaged in this type of business prior to the official opening of this request. By submitting this bid the vendor agrees to the City of Laredo specifications and all terms and conditions stipulated in the proposed document. That I, individually and on behalf of the business named in this Business Questionnaire, do by my signature below, certify that the information provided in the questionnaire is true and correct."

Name of Offe	ror (Business) CHEMTRAD	CHEMICALS US LC		
Signature of person auth	Weel for	Ma- all	Date JULY 2	5, 2024
Print Name of person auth	PARUL KACHHIA-PATEL torized to sign bid			
Title:	MARKETING SPECIALIS	T		
Business Addı	ress: 90 EAST HALSEY ROAI	O, SUITE 200	Apple space of officers and a phonon	
City, State, Zij	p Code: PARSIPPANY, NJ 07	054	VIII.	·
Telephone Nu	mber: 800-441-2659	Fax Number:	973-515-4461	
Contact Person	n Email Address: bids@cher	ntradelogistics.com		
Federal Tax II	Number: 74-3104940	<del>-</del>		***************************************
Bidders Princip	pal/Corporate Place of Busine	ess Address: 90 EAST HALSEY	ROAD, SUITE 200, PA	RSIPPANY, NJ 07054
Indicated Statu	s of Business:			
Corporation	Partnership	Sole Proprietorship	Other	: X
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State how long	under its present business na	me: 10+		
f applicable, list NONE	all other names under which the	Business identified above operated	in the last five years.	
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Will bidder/prope	oser provide a copy of its financi	ial statements for the last two years.	if requested by the City	of lerado Vecilia

Has the business, or any officer or partner thereo	of, failed	to comp	ete a contract? Yes / No.
Is any litigation pending against the Business?	Yes	No.	·
Is offeror currently for sale or involved in any tr If yes, offer need to explain the expected impact			and or to become acquired by another business entity? Yes Notional and directional terms.
Has the Business ever been declared "not respon	sive" fo	r the pur	pose of any governmental agency contract award? Yes No.
Has the Business been debarred, suspended, proposition voluntarily excluded, or otherwise disqualified fi			ent, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, posing, or contracting? Yes / No
Are there any proceedings, pending relating to the qualification to receive a public contract? Yes		ess respo	nsibility, debarment, suspension, voluntary exclusion, or
Hs the government or other public entity request basis of default or in lieu of declaring the Busine			forcement of any of its rights under a surety agreement on the Yes No
Is the Business in arrears in any contract or debt	Yes	No	
Has the Business been a defaulter, as a principal,	surety,	or otherv	vise? Yes No
Have liquidated damages or penalty provisions be other reason? Yes / No.	een asse	essed agai	inst the Business for failure to complete work on time or for any
State if company is a certified minority business ent Historically Underutilized Business (HUB):	erprise: Yes	No	Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE): Yes No
Small Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (SDBC)	Yes	No	Other: Please specify
This company is not a certified minority business:	×		
			ncking purposes only and will not influence the amount of with any given company

## 25.0 Tab B Price Schedule

## 25.1 Section I: Chemical Bid Price Schedule - Unit price must include freight charges, fuel charges, and HAZ-MAT fees.

Item	Chemical	Unit of Measure	Est./Qry./Year	Unit Price	Ext. Price
1	Liquid Sodium Hydroxide (50%)	47,000 Lbs.	9	§ NO BID	\$
2	Liquid Sodium Hydroxide (50%)	275 Gal. Tote	9	\$ NO BID	s
3	Liquid Sodium Hydroxide (25%)	47,000 Lbs.	9	\$ NO BID	\$
4	Calcium Hypochlorite	100 Lbs. Drum	90	\$ NO BID	\$
5	Liquid Chlorine	2,000 lbs. Cylinder	1,120	\$ NO BID	\$
6	Liquid Chlorine	150 lbs. Cylinder	630	\$ NO BID	\$
7	Liquid Aluminum Sulfate (50%)	48,000 Lbs.	145	* \$ 4540.80	\$ 658,416.00
8	Cationic Polymer (C-308)	45,000 Lbs.	10	\$ NO BID	\$
9	Anionic Polymer	270 Gal. Tote	10	\$ NO BID	s
10	Liquid Ammonium Sulfate	50,000 Lbs.	50	\$ 7,900.00	\$ 395,000.00
11	Liquid Aluminum Sulfate with 1% Copper Sulfate	48,000 Lbs.	145	* 5,976.00	\$ 866,520.00
12	Wastewater Polymer	25,000 Lbs.	9	\$ NO BID	\$
13	Wastewater Polymer	55 Gallon Drum	50	\$ NO BID	\$
14	Liquid Ammonium Sulfate (38%-40%)	48,000 lbs.	50	<b>\$</b> 7,584.00	\$ 379,200.00

Company Name: CHEMTRADE CHEMICALS US LLC
Owner/President Name: SCOTT ROOK, CEO
Company Address: 90 EAST HALSEY ROAD, SUITE 200
City, State, Zip Code: PARSIPPANY, NJ 07054
Company Authorized Representative's Signature:
Company Representative's Name: PARUL KACHHIA-PATEL, MARKETING SPECIALIST

Signature on this form indicates agreement with "Instructions to Bidder – General Terms and Conditions, pricing and all specifications listed on this document."

******If the bidder submits both an electronic bid and a properly completed manual bid, the Purchasing Division will use the electronic bid to determine the total bid amount of the bid. If the bidder submits an electronic bid and a manual bid that is not complete, the Purchasing Division will use the electronic bid to determine the total bid amount of the bid.***********

City of Laredo Purchasing Division, 5512 Thomas Ave., Laredo, Texas 78041 (956) 794-1733 Fax (956) 790-1805 or E-mail enldape@ci.laredo.tx.us

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*UNIT PRICE BASED ON FULL TRUCKLOAD QUANTITIES. FOR CONVERSION PURPOSES ONLY, PRICES EQUATES TO:

^{7. \$0.0946/}LIQ LB; 10. \$0.158/LB 11. \$0.1245; 14. \$0.158/LB

## 26.0 Conflict of Interest Disclosure

A form disclosing potential conflicts of interest involving counties, cities, and other local government entities may be required to be filed after January 1, 2006, by vendors or potential vendors to local government entities. The new requirements are set forth in Chapter 176 of the Texas Local Government Code added by H.B. No. 914 of the last Texas Legislature.

Companies and individuals who contract, or seek to contract, with the City of Laredo and its agents may be required to file with the City Secretary's Office, 1110 Houston Street, Laredo, Texas 78040, a Conflict of Interest Questionnaire that describes affiliations or business relationships with the City of Laredo officers, or certain family members or business relationships of the City of Laredo officer, with which such persons do business, or any gifts in an amount of \$250.00 or more to the listed City of Laredo officer (s) or certain family members.

The new requirements are in addition to any other disclosures required by law. The dates for filing disclosure statements begin on January 1, 2006. A violation of the filing requirements is a Class C misdemeanor.

The Conflict of Interest Questionnaire (Form CIQ) may be downloaded from <a href="http://www.ethics.state.tx.us/whatsnew/conflict forms.htm">http://www.ethics.state.tx.us/whatsnew/conflict forms.htm</a>.

The City of Laredo officials who come within Chapter 176 of the Local Government Code relating to filing of Conflicts of Interest Questionnaire (Form CIQ) include:

- 1. Mayor
- 2. Council Members
- 3. City Manager
- 4. Members of the Fire Fighters and Police Officers Civil Service Commission.
- 5. Members of the Planning and Zoning Commission.
- 6. Members of the Board of Adjustments
- 7. Members of the Building Standards Board
- 8. Parks & Leisure Advisory Committee Member,
- 9. Historic District Land Board Member,
- 10. Ethics Commission Board Member.
- 11. The Board of Commissioners of the Laredo Housing Authority
- 12. The Executive Director of the Laredo Housing Authority
- 13. Any other City of Laredo decision making board member
  If additional information is needed please contact the Purchasing Agent at 956-794-1731

CITY OF LAREDO PURCHASING DIVISION CONFLICT OF INTEREST THUS NO VIOLATION OF SECTION 176,006, HAVE READ THIS FORM AND ATTESY THAT THERE IS NO LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE EXISTS. PARUL KACHHIA-PATEL Name Signature Date **CONFLICT OF INTEREST QUESTIONNAIRE** FORM CIQ For vendor or other person doing business with local governmental entity This questionnaire reflects changes made to the law by H.B. 1491, 80th Leg., OFFICE USE ONLY Regular Session. Date Received This questionnaire is being filed in accordance with Chapter 176, Local Government Code by a person who has a business relationship as defined by Section 176,001(1-a) with a local governmental entity and the person meets requirements under Section 176,006(a). By law this questionnaire must be filed with the records administrator of the local governmental entity not later than the 7th business day after the date the person becomes aware of facts that require the statement to be filed. See Section 176,006, Local Government Code. A person commits an offense if the person knowingly violates Section 176,006, Local Government Code. An offense under this section is a Class C misdemeanor. Name of person who has a business relationship with local governmental entity. CHEMTRADE CHEMICALS US LLC Check this box if you are filling an update to a previously filed questionnaire. (The law requires that you file an updated completed questionnaire with the appropriate filing authority not later than the 7th business day after the date the originally filed questionnaire becomes incomplete or inaccurate.) Name of local government officer with whom filer has employment or business relationship. NONE EXIST Name of Officer This section (item 3 including subparts A, B, C & D) must be completed for each officer with whom the filer has an employment or other business relationship as defined by Section 176.001(1-a), Local Government pages to this Form CIQ as necessary. A. Is the local government officer named in this section receiving or likely to receive taxable income, income, other than investment income, from the filer of the questionnaire? B. Is the filer of the questionnaire receiving or likely to receive taxable income, other than investment income, from or at the direction of the local government officer named in this section AND the taxable income is not received from the local governmental entity? No C. Is the filer of this guestionnaire employed by a corporation or other business entity with respect to which the local government officer serves an officer or director, or holds an ownership of 10 percent or more? Yes D. Describe each employment or business relationship with the tocal government officer named in this section. the last JULY 25, 2024 Signature of person doing business with the governmental entity PARUL KACHHIA-PATEL, MARKETING SPECIALIST Date

			CITY OF LAREDO PURCHASING DIVISION	
27.0	Non-Col	lusive Affidavit	AFFIDAVIT	
Projec	t: FY24-09	95 WATER & WASTEWA	TER TREATMENT CHEMICALS	
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Signature of: PARUL KACHHIA-PATEL, MARKETING SPECIALIST

Bidder, if the Bidder is an individual Partner, if the Bidder is a Partnership Officer, if the Bidder is a Corporation

Subscribed and sworn before me this 25TH day of JULY 20 24

My commission expires:

ELIZABETH RYNO
NOTARY PUBLIC OF NEW JERSEY
Commission # 50022926
My Commission Expires 09/10/2025

28.0 Discretionary Contracts Disclosure



## City of Laredo Discretionary Contracts Disclosure

Please fill out this form online, print completed form and submit with proposal to originating department. All questions must be answered.

*1. Name of person	submitting this disclosur	e form.		
PARUL		KACHHIA-PATEL		
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Not applicable. Contracting party(ies) does not have partner, parent, or subsidiary business entities.	
Name of partner, parent, or subsidiary business entity(ies):	
CHEMTRADE CHEMICALS CORPORATION (100% OWNER OF CHEMTRADE CHEMICALS US LLC)	
*5. List any individuals or entities that will be subcontractors on this contract.	7.2
☐ Not applicable. No subcontractors will be retained for this contract.	
☐ Subcontractors may be retained, but have not been selected at the time of this submission.	
☐ List of subcontractors:	
R & L CARRIER & GROENDYKE TRANSPORT (ONLY SUBCONTRACTING IS FOR TRANSPORT OF CHEMICALS) (PLEASE NOTE THAT SUBCONTRACTORS MAY CHANGE DEPENDING UPON AVAILABILITY)	
*6. List any attorneys lobbyists; or consultants that have been retained to assist in secking this contract.	7
Not applicable. No attorneys, lobbyists, or consultants that have been retained to assist in seeking this contract.	
☐ List of attorneys, lobbyists, or consultants that have been retained to assist in seeking this contract:	
*7. Disclosure of political contributions.  List any campaign or officeholder contributions made by the following individuals in the past 24 months totaling more than \$100 to any current member of City Council, former member of City Council, any candidate for City Council, or to any political action committee that contributes to City Council elections.	
<ul> <li>a) Any individual seeking contract with the city (Question 3)</li> <li>b) Any owner or officer of entity seeking contract with the city (Question 3)</li> <li>c) Any individual or owner or officer of any entity listed above as partner, parent, or subsidiary business (Question 4)</li> <li>d) Any subcontractor or owner/office of subcontracting entity retained for the contract (Question 5)</li> <li>e) The spouse of any individual listed in response to (a) through (d) above</li> <li>f) Any attorney, lobbyist, or consultant retained to assist in seeking contract (Question 6)</li> </ul>	
☑ Not applicable. No campaign or officeholder contributions have been made in the preceding 24 months by these individuals.	

* OUTPORT A NY BOOM
☐ List of contributors:
Updates on Contributions Required Information regarding contributions must be updated by submission of a revised form from the date of the submission of this form, up through the time City Council takes action on the contract identified in response to Question 2 and continuing for 30 calendar days after the contract has been awarded.
*8. Disclosure of conflict of interest
Are you aware of any fact(s) with regard to this contract that would raise a "conflict of interest" issue under Section 2.01 of the Ethics Code for any City Council member or board/commission member that has not or will not be raised by these city officials?
☑ I am not aware of any conflict(s) of interest issues under Section 2.01 of the Ethics Code for members of City Council or a city board/commission.
☐ I am aware of the following conflict(s) of interest:
*Acknowledgements
☑ <u>Updates Required</u>
I understand that this form must be updated by submission of a revised form if there is any change in the information before the discretionary contract is the subject of action by the City Council, and no later than five (5) business days after any changes has occurred, whichever comes first. This include information about political contributions made after the initial submission and up until thirty (30) calendar days after the contract has been awarded.
No Contract with City Officials or Staff during Contract Evaluation
I understand that a person or entity who seeks or applies for a city contract or any other person acting on behalf of that person or entity is prohibited from contracting city officials and employees regarding the contract after a Request for Proposal (RFP), Request for Qualifications (RFQ), or other solicitation has been released.
This no-contract provision shall conclude when the contract is posted as a City of Laredo Council agenda item. If contact is required with city officials or employees, the contact will take place in accordance with procedures incorporated into the solicitation documents. Violation of this prohibited contacts provision set out in Section 2.09 of the Ethics Code by respondents or their agents may lead to disqualification of their offer from consideration.
*Conflict of Interest Questionnaire (CIQ) Chapter 176 of the Local Government Code requires contractor and vendors to submit a Conflict of Interest Form (CIQ) to the Office of the City Secretary.

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Please fill this form out online, print and submit completed form with proposal to origination department. All questions must be answered. If necessary to mail, send to:

City of Laredo P.O. Box 579 Laredo, TX 78042-0579

## 29.0 Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295)

In an effort to comply with state law the certificate of interested parties must be filled out once a vendor has been granted a contract. All of this information can be found on the State of Texas website, please use this link provided, <a href="https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/tec/1295-Info.htm">https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/tec/1295-Info.htm</a>.

## Implementation of House Bill 1295

## 29.1 Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295):

In 2015, the Texas Legislature adopted House Bill 1295, which added section 2252.908 of the Government Code. The law states that a governmental entity or state agency may not enter into certain contracts with a business entity unless the business entity submits a disclosure of interested parties to the governmental entity or state agency at the time the business entity submits the signed contract to the governmental entity or state agency. The law applies only to a contract of a governmental entity or state agency that either (1) requires an action or vote by the governing body of the entity or agency before the contract may be signed or (2) has a value of at least \$1 million. The disclosure requirement applies to a contract entered into on or after January 1, 2016.

The Texas Ethics Commission was required to adopt rules necessary to implement that law, prescribe the disclosure of interested parties form, and post a copy of the form on the commission's website. The commission adopted the Certificate of Interested Parties form (Form 1295) on October 5, 2015. The commission also adopted new rules (Chapter 46) on November 30, 2015, to implement the law. The commission does not have any additional authority to enforce or interpret House Bill 1295.

## 29.2 Filing Process:

Staring on January 1, 2016, the commission will make available on its website a new filing application that must be used to file Form 1295. A business entity must use the application to enter the required information on Form 1295 and print a copy of the completed form, which will include a certification of filing that will contain a unique certification number. An authorized agent of the business entity must sign the printed copy of the form. The completed Form 1295 with the certification of filing must be filed with the governmental body or state agency with which the business entity is entering into the contract.

The governmental entity or state agency must notify the commission, using the commission's filing application, of the receipt of the filed Form 1295 with the certification of filing not later than the 30th day after the date the contract binds all parties to the contract. The commission will post the completed Form 1295 to its website within seven business days after receiving notice from the governmental entity or state agency.

Information regarding how to use the filing application will be available on this site starting on January 1, 2016.

Additional Information:

HB 1295

Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295)

New Chapter 46, Ethics Commission Rules:

46.1. Application

46.3. Definitions

46.5. Disclosure of Interested Parties Form

CERTIFICATE OF INTE	RESTED PARTIES			FORM 1295
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Form provided by Texas Ethics Commission

www.ethics.state.tx.us

Adopted 10/5/2015

******Form does not need to be notarized*****

## 30.0 Vendors Instructions:

Hand delivered bids will be received at the City Secretary Office, 1110 Houston St., 3rd. floor, Laredo, Texas 78040 until 5:00 P.M. on August 8, 2024; and all bids received will be opened and read publicly at 9:00 A.M. at the Office of the City Secretary on August 9, 2024.

Hand delivered Bids are to be submitted in a scaled envelope clearly marked:

Bid: Water & Wastewater Treatment Chemicals – Utilities Department FY24-095

Bids can be downloaded and submitted through Cit-E-Bid: https://cityoflaredo.ionwave.net/Login.aspx

or

Hand Delivered:

City of Laredo - City Secretary C/O Mario I. Maldonado Jr. City Hall - Third Floor 1110 Houston Street Laredo, Texas 78040

## CONFLICT OF INTEREST QUESTIONNAIRE For vendor doing business with local governmental entity

A complete copy of Chapter 176 of the Local Government Code may be found at http://www.statutes.legis.state.tx.us/Docs/LG/htm/LG.176.htm. For easy reference, below are some of the sections cited on this form.

<u>Local Government Code § 176.001(1-a)</u>: "Business relationship" means a connection between two or more parties based on commercial activity of one of the parties. The term does not include a connection based on:

- (A) a transaction that is subject to rate or fee regulation by a federal, state, or local governmental entity or an agency of a federal, state, or local governmental entity;
- (B) a transaction conducted at a price and subject to terms available to the public; or
- (C) a purchase or lease of goods or services from a person that is chartered by a state or federal agency and that is subject to regular examination by, and reporting to, that agency.

## Local Government Code § 176.003(a)(2)(A) and (B):

- (a) A local government officer shall file a conflicts disclosure statement with respect to a vendor if:
  - (2) the vendor:
    - (A) has an employment or other business relationship with the local government officer or a family member of the officer that results in the officer or family member receiving taxable income, other than investment income, that exceeds \$2,500 during the 12-month period preceding the date that the officer becomes aware that
      - (i) a contract between the local governmental entity and vendor has been executed; or
      - (ii) the local governmental entity is considering entering into a contract with the vendor:
    - (B) has given to the local government officer or a family member of the officer one or more gifts that have an aggregate value of more than \$100 in the 12-month period preceding the date the officer becomes aware that:
      - (i) a contract between the local governmental entity and vendor has been executed; or
      - (ii) the local governmental entity is considering entering into a contract with the vendor.

### Local Government Code § 176.006(a) and (a-1)

- (a) A vendor shall file a completed conflict of interest questionnaire if the vendor has a business relationship with a local governmental entity and:
  - (1) has an employment or other business relationship with a local government officer of that local governmental entity, or a family member of the officer, described by Section 176.003(a)(2)(A);
  - (2) has given a local government officer of that local governmental entity, or a family member of the officer, one or more gifts with the aggregate value specified by Section 176.003(a)(2)(B), excluding any gift described by Section 176.003(a-1); or
  - (3) has a family relationship with a local government officer of that local governmental entity.
- (a-1) The completed conflict of interest questionnaire must be filed with the appropriate records administrator not later than the seventh business day after the later of:
  - (1) the date that the vendor:
    - (A) begins discussions or negotiations to enter into a contract with the local governmental entity; or
    - (B) submits to the local governmental entity an application, response to a request for proposals or bids, correspondence, or another writing related to a potential contract with the local governmental entity; or
  - (2) the date the vendor becomes aware:
    - (A) of an employment or other business relationship with a local government officer, or a family member of the officer, described by Subsection (a);
    - (B) that the vendor has given one or more gifts described by Subsection (a); or
    - (C) of a family relationship with a local government officer.

# INSTRUCTIONS FOR CONFLICTS OF INTEREST QUESTIONNAIRE [Form CIQ]

Chapter 176 of the Texas Local Government Code requires vendors who wish to conduct business or be considered for business with a city to file a "conflict of interest questionnaire." The Texas Ethics Commission (TEC) created the conflict of interest questionnaire (Form CIQ).

## Who must complete and filed CIQ form?

Every vendor doing business with the City or seeking to do business with the City must complete Box 1 and sign and date in Box 7. Whether or not a conflict exists determines the other information to include on the form.

## Who is a vendor?

The term "vendor" includes a partnership, corporation or other legal entities, including those performing professional services. Partnerships or corporations act through individuals, but it is the partnership or corporation that is doing business with or seeking to do business with the City.

If the vendor seeking to do business with the City is a sole proprietorship, then just the name of the person who is the vendor is needed.

## What triggers the requirement to file the Form CIQ?

When a vendor (or an agent of the vendor) begins (1) contract discussions or negotiations with the city or (2) submits an application, quote, response to request for proposals or bids, or anything else that could result in an agreement (contract or purchase order) with the City, Form CIQ must be completed. Whether the vendor initiates the discussion or the City initiates the discussions, Form CIQ must be completed. The monetary amount or value of the contract/purchase does not matter. The contract or purchase may involve the sale or purchase of property, goods, or services with the City of Laredo

## When does a conflict requiring disclosure exist? What has to be revealed?

- A vendor shall file a completed conflict of interest questionnaire if the vendor has a business relationship with the City of Laredo and the vendor:
  - (1) has an employment or other business relationship with an officer of the City of Laredo, or a family member of an officer, that results in taxable income exceeding \$2,500 during the 12 month period preceding the date a contract/purchase is executed or a contract/purchase is being considered; or
  - (2) has given an officer of the City of Laredo, or a family member of an officer, one or more gifts with the aggregate value of more than \$100 in the 12 month period preceding the date a contract/purchase is executed or a contract/purchase is being considered
  - (3) has a family relationship with an officer of the City of Laredo.

## What family relationships create a conflict?

A "family member" is a person related to another person within the first degree by consanguinity (blood) or affinity (marriage), as described by Subchapter B, Chapter 573, Texas Government Code. The ending of a marriage by divorce or the death of a spouse ends relationships by affinity created by that marriage <u>unless</u> a child of that marriage is living, in which case the marriage is considered to continue as long as a child of that marriage lives.

"Family relationship" means a relationship between a person and another person within the third degree by consanguinity or the second degree by affinity, as those terms are defined by Subchapter B, Chapter 573, Texas Government Code.

## Who are officers of the City of Laredo?

Officers are the members of the Laredo City Council, the City Manager, and any agent or employee who exercises discretion in the planning, recommending, selecting, or contracting with a vendor. An agent may include engineers and architects, as well as others, who assist the City is making a decision on some contract or purchase.

## When must a vendor file the conflict of interest questionnaire?

No later than seven days after the date the vendor: (a) begins contract discussions or negotiations with the city, or (b) submits an application or response to a request for proposals or bids, correspondence, or another writing related to a potential agreement with a city, or (c) becomes aware of an employment or other business relationship with an officer or family member of the officer that the vendor (i) has made one or more gifts of more than \$100 or (ii) has a family relationship with.

## How do I go about filling out the Conflict of Interest Questionnaire form?

- Section 1: Fill in the full name of the person or company who is trying to do business with the City. If the "person" is a corporation, partnership, etc., then it is the name of that corporation, partnership, etc., that is required on Form CIQ. If a sole proprietorship, then just the name of the individual is needed. If the "person" is an individual acting as an agent for some other person or a company, then it is the agent's name. Any time an agent is involved, two FORM CIQs must be completed and submitted: one for the agent, and one for the person or company that the agent acted for. The agent's FORM CIQ must note the vendor that the agent acted for.
- Section 2: Check box if the form is an update to a form previously completed. Updates are required by the 7th business day after an event that makes a statement in a previously filed questionnaire incomplete or inaccurate. Updates are also required by September 1 of each year in which the person submits a proposal, bid or response to the City of Laredo or begins contract discussions or negotiations with the City.
- Section 3: Insert the name of the City of Laredo officer with whom there is an affiliation to or business relationship. If there is more than one City officer with whom there is an affiliation or business relationship, a separate form should be completed for each officer.
- Section 4: Check the "Yes" or "No" box in Section 4 A or B.
  - 4.A: State whether the officer named on the form receives or is likely to receive taxable income, other than investment income, from the vendor filing the questionnaire.
  - 4.B: State whether the vendor receives or is likely to receive taxable income, other than investment income, from or at the direction of the officer named on the form AND the taxable income is not received from the City.
- Section 5: Describe each employment or business relationship with the local government officer named on the form.
- Section 6: Check box to acknowledge gifts made that require disclosure.
- Section 7. Person completing form must date and sign the form. If the form is being completed for a corporation, partnerships, etc., the person signing should be someone who is authorized to act on behalf of the corporation, partnership, etc.

A signature is required in box #4 regardless of any other entry on the form.

A copy of Chapter 176 of the Texas Local Government Code can be found at:

http://www.statutes.legis.state.tx.us/SOTWDocs/LG/htm/LG.176.htm

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## CONFLICT OF INTEREST QUESTIONNAIRE For vendor doing business with local governmental entity

A complete copy of Chapter 176 of the Local Government Code may be found at http://www.statutes.legis.state.tx.us/Docs/LG/htm/LG.176.htm. For easy reference, below are some of the sections cited on this form.

<u>Local Government Code § 176.001(1-a)</u>: "Business relationship" means a connection between two or more parties based on commercial activity of one of the parties. The term does not include a connection based on:

- (A) a transaction that is subject to rate or fee regulation by a federal, state, or local governmental entity or an agency of a federal, state, or local governmental entity;
- (B) a transaction conducted at a price and subject to terms available to the public; or
- (C) a purchase or lease of goods or services from a person that is chartered by a state or federal agency and that is subject to regular examination by, and reporting to, that agency.

## Local Government Code § 176.003(a)(2)(A) and (B):

- (a) A local government officer shall file a conflicts disclosure statement with respect to a vendor if:
  - (2) the vendor:
    - (A) has an employment or other business relationship with the local government officer or a family member of the officer that results in the officer or family member receiving taxable income, other than investment income, that exceeds \$2,500 during the 12-month period preceding the date that the officer becomes aware that
      - (i) a contract between the local governmental entity and vendor has been executed; or
      - (ii) the local governmental entity is considering entering into a contract with the vendor;
    - (B) has given to the local government officer or a family member of the officer one or more gifts that have an aggregate value of more than \$100 in the 12-month period preceding the date the officer becomes aware that:
      - (i) a contract between the local governmental entity and vendor has been executed; or
      - (ii) the local governmental entity is considering entering into a contract with the vendor.

## Local Government Code § 176.006(a) and (a-1)

- (a) A vendor shall file a completed conflict of interest questionnaire if the vendor has a business relationship with a local governmental entity and:
  - (1) has an employment or other business relationship with a local government officer of that local governmental entity, or a family member of the officer, described by Section 176.003(a)(2)(A);
  - (2) has given a local government officer of that local governmental entity, or a family member of the officer, one or more gifts with the aggregate value specified by Section 176.003(a)(2)(B), excluding any gift described by Section 176.003(a-1); or
  - (3) has a family relationship with a local government officer of that local governmental entity.
- (a-1) The completed conflict of interest questionnaire must be filed with the appropriate records administrator not later than the seventh business day after the later of:
  - (1) the date that the vendor:
    - (A) begins discussions or negotiations to enter into a contract with the local governmental entity; or
    - (B) submits to the local governmental entity an application, response to a request for proposals or bids, correspondence, or another writing related to a potential contract with the local governmental entity; or
  - (2) the date the vendor becomes aware:
    - (A) of an employment or other business relationship with a local government officer, or a family member of the officer, described by Subsection (a);
    - (B) that the vendor has given one or more gifts described by Subsection (a); or
    - (C) of a family relationship with a local government officer.

## FORM CIQ CONFLICT OF INTEREST QUESTIONNAIRE For vendor doing business with local governmental entity OFFICE USE ONLY This questionnaire reflects changes made to the law by H.B. 23, 84th Leg., Regular Session. This questionnaire is being filed in accordance with Chapter 176, Local Government Code, by a vendor who Date Received has a business relationship as defined by Section 178.001(1-a) with a local governmental entity and the vendor meets requirements under Section 176.006(a). By law this questionnaire must be filed with the records administrator of the local governmental entity not later than the 7th business day after the date the vendor becomes aware of facts that require the statement to be filed. See Section 176.006(a-1), Local Government Code. A vendor commits an offense if the vendor knowingly violates Section 176.006, Local Government Code. An offense under this section is a misdemeanor. Name of yendor who has a business relationship with local governmental entity. CHEMTRADE CHEMICALS US LLC 2 Check this box if you are filling an update to a previously filed questionnaire. (The law requires that you file an updated completed questionnaire with the appropriate filing authority not later than the 7th business day after the date on which you became aware that the originally filed questionnaire was incomplete or inaccurate.) 3 Name of local government officer about whom the information is being disclosed. NONE EXISTS Name of Officer 4 Describe each employment or other business relationship with the local government officer, or a family member of the officer, as described by Section 176.003(a)(2)(A). Also describe any family relationship with the local government officer. Complete subparts A and B for each employment or business relationship described. Attach additional pages to this Form CIQ as necessary. A. Is the local government officer or a family member of the officer receiving or likely to receive taxable income. other than investment income, from the vendor? No Yes B. Is the vendor receiving or likely to receive taxable income, other than investment income, from or at the direction of the local government officer or a family member of the officer AND the taxable income is not received from the local governmental entity? No Yes Describe each employment or business relationship that the vendor named in Section 1 maintains with a corporation or other business entity with respect to which the local government officer serves as an officer or director, or holds an ownership interest of one percent or more. 6 Check this box if the vendor has given the local government officer or a family member of the officer one or more gifts as described in Section 176.003(a)(2)(B), excluding gifts described in Section 176.003(a-1). 7 Lord JULY 26, 2024 Date Signature of vendor doing business with the governmental entity

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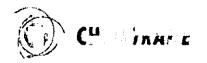
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Adopted 10/5/2015

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## **AFFIDAVIT**

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Subscribed and sworn before me this 26TH	day of JULY 20 24
	Notary Public
My commission expires:	ELIZABETH RYNO NOTARY PUBLIC OF NEW JERSEY Commission # 50022926 My Commission Expires 09/10/2025



#### **DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY**

I, Scott Rook, President and Chief Executive of Chemtrade Chemicals US LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Chemtrade"), do hereby delegate and appoint the following agents of Chemtrade to execute all municipal contracts and instruments, including bids, proposals and quotations, which in the ordinary course of business are processed by the Marketing Group of the company:

Parul Kachhia-Patel: Lisa Brownlee: Paul Peters: Elizabeth Ryno: Leilina Gossa: Christine LaSala: Delana Peralta: Michele Schroeher: Marie-Josee Joly

Set forth below is a certified copy of the resolution of Chemtrade authorizing such action.

Dated as of the 21st day of February, 2023

Scott Rook

President and Chief Executive Officer

#### CERTIFICATE OF SECRETARY

i, Susan Pare, hereby certify that I am the Corporate Secretary of Chemtrade Chemicals US LLC ("Chemtrade") and that set forth below is a true and correct copy of the resolution of the Board of Managers of Chemtrade, adopted by unanimous written consent as of the 10th day of November, 2003 and that the same has not been modified or revoked and is on the date hereofin full force and effect:

RESOLVED that any officer of the Company be, and he hereby is, authorized to delegate, with the right of further delegation, to any other officer, employee or agent of the Company, all or any part of the authority granted to them by the Board of Managers; and that any such delegations may be general or specific and subject to such limitations and restrictions as the delegating officer shall determine.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that Scott Rook is the duly elected President and Chief Executive Officer of Chemtrade and holds such offices on the date hereof, that Mr. Rook is, in his capacity as President and Chief Executive Officer is authorized to represent and bind Chemtrade in all matters including, but not limited to, contracts and that set forth below is the genuine signature of such officer:

Scott Rook

President and Chief Executive Officer

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the seal of the Company to be affixed effective this 21st day of February, 2023.

Seal

Susan Pare Corporate Secretary

> 90 East Halsey Road Parsippany, NJ 07054 Td: 800-441-2659



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## **ESTIMATED CHEMICAL DELIVERY TIMES**

3-5 DAYS AFTER RECEIPT OF ORDER

Chemtrade - Qualification: rev. 03/17/2017



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## CONTACT AND EMERGENCY INFORMATION

Normal operating business hours are Monday - Friday 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM E.S.T.

## To place orders, contact your Customer Service Representative:

Carly Williams 647-632-7548

E-mail: cssorders@chemtradelogistics.com

Fax: (647) 255-3655

<u>After normal business hours</u>, for emergencies please call 1-647-531-9709 and the on-call Customer Service Representative will be available to assist you. This number will also be provided if you call the regular Customer Service line.

For Technical Service: Call (315) 478-2323 or visit our website at

http://www.chemtradelogistics.com

## Corporate/Sales Office & Bids Address

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Michele Schroeher, Pricing Manager

Phone: 973-515-1841

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## **Bid/Contract Information:**

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## CHEMTRADE'S QUALITY & TECHNICAL QUALIFICATIONS

All Chemtrade manufacturing locations, technical laboratories and technical centers are certified laboratories and are ISO 9001:2015 certified. Additionally, the products that we are bidding on meet both NSF/ANSI Standard 60 AWWA Standard s in every respect. To maintain these certifications, we comply with their standards and are available for the audits required by both NSF and AWWA. Chemtrade responds accordingly to any finding that they may have.

Each individual plant has a testing laboratory. Before each shipment is sent out, a sample is taken and tested to ensure all standards are met. This procedure is covered under our ISO certification.

All Chemtrade facilities are subject to a number of environmental regulations that address water, air, soil, groundwater, and hazardous waste issues. Chemtrade is in full compliance with these laws as evidenced by internal audits and periodic agency inspections.

Chemtrade is a member of the Chemistry Industry Association of Canada (CIAC) and supports and adheres to the Association's Responsible Care® ethic and its Codes of Practices. Responsible Care® is a global voluntary initiative of the chemical industry and is a unique ethic for the safe and environmentally sound management of chemicals. It also guides companies towards environmental, societal, and economic sustainability.

Chemtrade's Clar+Ion CS4 Bulk is actively registered with the US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) under FIFRA for the Odem, TX facility, where we manufacture this blend with virgin raw materials. An EPA-registered label on a product means the product has been registered with the EPA and meets minimum standards. The label is a key part of pesticide regulation and provides vital information on how to use the product safely and avoid harming people or the environment.

https://iaspub.epa.gov/apex/pesticides/f?p=PPLS:1

Our EPA registration can be found using this search criteria:

**EPA Registration Number: 83918-5** 

Company Name: CHEMTRADE SOLUTIONS LLC

**Division Name: ATTN: WENDY BRESCIA** 

Address: 90 EAST HALSEY ROAD

City, State Zip: PARSIPPANY, NJ 07054 First Registered Date: JANUARY 25, 2002

Current Status (Date): Registered (JANUARY 25, 2002)

Restricted Use: NO



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Chemtrade's EHS policy is attached. In addition, systems are in place to ensure the proper internal and regulatory reporting occurs in the event of an environmental release. This includes the use of CHEMTREC for all transportation related emergencies.



## **RESPONSIBLE CARE POLICY**

CHEMTRADE believes the principles of Responsible Care are key to our success regarding societal, economic, and environmental sustainability. Responsible Care is our commitment to do and be seen as doing the "right thing" and forms the basis of our business philosophy in all areas including Environmental Management, Safety and Health, Transportation, Process Safety Management, and Security. Chemtrade leadership expects everyone to be accountable and committed to the Responsible Care principles. We demonstrate our commitment to Responsible Care by:

- Promoting awareness of Responsible Care® throughout our organization and inspiring others to commit to these principles.
- Setting objectives and targets that challenge our employees and other stakeholders to work towards continual improvement of our processes.
- Ensuring responsible stewardship of our raw materials, products, emissions, and waste streams throughout their life cycle.
- Achieving operational excellence by designing, maintaining, and operating our facilities in a safe, secure, and environmentally sound manner.
- Implementing procedures and providing the training and tools to identify, reduce, and manage our risks in order to provide a safe and secure workplace for our employees and the communities in which we operate.
- Fulfilling our compliance obligations and identifying responsible methods of resource conservation, pollution prevention, waste minimization, and energy efficiency.
- Demonstrating accountability and responsiveness to our stakeholders, including the communities in which
  we operate, by encouraging dialogue and communicating our risks, benefits, and Responsible Care®
  performance.
- Supporting innovation of the environmental, safety, security, and health aspects of our products and processes to further improve people's lives, add value, and strive to meet or exceed expectations for social responsibility and community outreach.

Scott Rook

**President & Chief Executive Officer** 

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**Water Treatment Group** 

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### ABOUT CHEMTRADE CHEMICALS

Chemtrade Chemicals is a worldwide supplier of water treatment and performance chemicals with our roots dating back to 1899. Chemtrade Chemicals operates a network of manufacturing and storage facilities, including over 37 water chemical facilities located in Canada and across the United States.

We operate the largest number of alum manufacturing plants in North America and are a technical driving force in the water and waste treatment industries. We offer a broad line of aluminum chemistry: polyaluminum hydroxychloride formulated aluminum sulfate products, aluminum chloride and formulated products aluminum chloride, along with many grades of aluminum sulfate (liquid and dry), ammonium sulfate, polymers, and ferric sulfate.

Our facilities are supported by a domestic and international network of technical and customer service support. We also operate warehousing and distribution centers, rail, barge and truck fleets, and sales offices linked by one of the industry's most advanced computer-based customer service systems.

Chemtrade Chemicals uses a combination of private trucks and common carriers to ship our products. We have established long term quality partnerships with selected suppliers across the continental United States and Canada to service our numerous water treatment chemical plants.

Chemtrade Chemicals' Technical Service and Sales Team are always available to assist the customer in determining the most efficient and cost-saving product for their treatment needs. We offer a broad range of water treatment chemicals that can be tested through bench and full-scale trials. Our Technical Advisors can recommend alternate products or ways to optimize current products/systems to gain cost savings and quality performance.

We strive to supply the highest quality in both products and services. Chemtrade Chemicals water treatment manufacturing plants have earned ISO 9001:2015 certifications. Chemtrade is a member of the Chemistry Industry Association of Canada (CIAC) and supports and adheres to the Association's Responsible Care® ethic and its Codes of Practices.

## Value Added Services:

- Technical Service: Syracuse Technical Center is available to our customers, free of charge. Our
  technical team can handle and assist specification and application questions. In addition, we can
  offer bench test and full-scale testing; offer suggestions on which products would benefit the
  individual plants and how to optimize there use. We can offer frequent technical visits.
- 24 Hour Customer Service: Chemtrade Chemicals' Customer Service Hotline is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, and 365 days a year. After normal business hours, the scheduled on-call Customer Service Representative is available to handle any emergency shipments.
- Over 30 manufacturing sites located across the United States and Canada allow us to ship our
  customers, even under emergency or force majeure situations. Chemtrade can utilize back-up
  facilities if a disruption comes to one location to avoid interruption of service to our customers.
  This advantage enables Chemtrade to assist municipalities not currently supplied by us if their
  primary supplier is unable to supply for any reason whatsoever.

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## PRODUCT CERTIFICATION

Chemtrade Chemicals US, LLC certifies that all grades of the following products produced by our manufacturing locations will meet National Sanitation Foundation Standard 60 and ANSI/AWWA standard as indicated.

Aluminum Sulfate:

B403-16

Liquid Ammonium Sulfate

B 302-16

Safety Data Sheet, NSF Certification and related technical information is attached for review.

Parul Kachhia-Patel

Marketing Specialist



## Liquid Alum PRODUCT DATA SHEET

### CHARACTERISTICS

Liquid Alum is a clear, light green, slight yellow, brown, amber or orange-like tinted solution. It is a cationic inorganic coagulant and flocculant suitable for industrial and municipal water and wastewater treatment applications.

NSF/ANSI/CAN Standard 60: Drinking Water Chemicals - Health Effects; Certified

## TYPICAL PROPERTIES

Formula: C.A.S. Aqueous solution of aluminum sulfate

10043-01-3 (Aluminum sulfate)

1.4 - 2.6 1.30 - 1.35

pH (neat) Specific Gravity @ 21°C (70°F)

1.30 - 1.35 -16°C (4°F)

Freezing Point Density, lbs./gal., US

10.8 - 11.3 4.2 - 4.5

Aluminum as Al, %
Aluminum as Al₂O₃. %

8.0 - 8.4

Aluminum as Al₂O₃, % Aluminum as Al₂(SO₄)₃•14H₂O (Dry Alum), %

46 - 49

## **PRODUCT USES**

Municipal and industrial water and wastewater treatment for the removal of turbidity, color, suspended solids and phosphorus. Sludge compaction and volume reduction. Lagoon treatment. Oily wastewater clarification and dissolved air flotation. Emulsion breaking. Fixing rosin sizes on paper fibers. Paper machine drainage and retention aid. Paper machine pitch control.

## SHIPPING CONTAINERS

**Bulk transport** 

Bulk car

275 US gal, one-way container

55 US gal. plastic drum

## SHIPPING REGULATIONS (US DOT / TDG)

Proper Shipping Name: Corrosive Liquid, Acidic, Inorganic, N.O.S. (Contains Aluminum Sulfate)

Hazard Class: 8

ID Number: UN3264

Packing Group: III

The US EPA reportable quantity (RQ) for aluminum sulfate is 5,000 lbs.

## PRODUCT SAFETY INFORMATION

Anyone procuring, using or disposing of these products or their containers must be familiar with the appropriate safety and handling precautions. Such information may be found in the Safety Data Sheets (SDS) for these products or you may contact Chemtrade at 416-496-5856. In the event of an emergency with these products, call the 24-hour Emergency Number: USA and Canada (CHEMTREC) 800-424-9300. For additional information contact:

Syracuse Technical Center 315-478-2323 or 800-255-7589

Water Treatment Chemicals
Customer Service 844-204-9675

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## 1. Identification

**Product identifier** 

**Product Identity** 

Liquid Alum

Other means of identification

Aluminum Sulfate, liquid, Liquid Alum

**Product Form** 

Mixture

Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Alum is used as a coagulating agent in municipal and industrial water and wastewater treatment

and as an additive in papermaking.

Restrictions on use:

For use in water treatment, refer to NSF dosage

information.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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**Emergency** 

24 hour Emergency Telephone No.

Chemtrade Emergency Contact: (866) 416-4404

(Toronto)

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For Chemical Emergency, Spill, Leak, Fire, Exposure,

or Accident, call CHEMTREC - Day or Night

**Customer Service:** 

For SDS Info: (416) 496-5856 www.chemtradelogistics.com

## 2. Hazard(s) identification

Exposure may aggravate pre-existing eye, skin, or respiratory conditions.

Classification of the substance or mixture

Metal corrosion; H290

May be corrosive to metals.

Skin corrosion/irritation category 1C; H314

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Serious eye damage / eye irritation, category 2;

H319

Causes serious eye irritation.

Aquatic toxicity (acute), category 3; H402

Harmful to aquatic life.

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#### Label elements



Danger

H290 May be corrosive to metals.

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

H402 Harmful to aquatic life.

## [Prevention]:

P234 Keep only in original container.

P260 Do not breathe dust, fume, mist, vapours or spray.

P264 Wash thoroughly after handling.

P273 Avoid release to the environment.

P280All Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection, face protection.

## [Response]:

P301+330+331 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

P301+330+331 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

P303+361+353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove, take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water, shower.

P304+340 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

P305+351+338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER, doctor or physician.

P337+313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice or attention.

P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

P390 Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.

## [Storage]:

P405 Store locked up.

P406 Store in a corrosive resistant, container with a resistant inner liner.

## [Disposal]:

P501 Dispose of contents or container in accordance with local and national regulations.

## 2.3. Other hazards

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This product contains no PBT/vPvB chemicals.

This product contains no endocrine disrupting chemicals.

## 3. Composition/information on ingredients

This product contains the following substances that present a hazard within the meaning of the Hazardous Products Regulations.

Ingredient/Chemical Designations	Weight %	GHS Classification	Notes
Water CAS Number:7732-18-5	30 - 55	Not classified	No additional notes
Aluminum sulfate  CAS Number: 0010043-01-3 Synonyms: Note: Aluminum sulfate is as Al2(504)3 • 14H20 (Dry Aluminum Sulfate). , Aluminium sulfate, Sulfuric acid, aluminum sait (3:2)	45 - 70	Serious eye damage / eye irritation, category 1;H318 Metal corrosion;H290 Aquatic toxicity (acute), category 3;H402	No additional notes

The actual concentration or concentration range is withheld as a trade secret.

The specific chemical identity and/or exact percentage of composition are withheld as a trade secret within the meaning of the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard [29 CFR 1910.1200].

## Section 4. First aid measures

## Description of first aid measures

**General** In all cases of doubt, or when symptoms persist, seek medical attention.

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Inhalation Remove to fresh air, keep patient warm and at rest. If unconscious, place in the

recovery position and obtain immediate medical attention. Give nothing by

mouth.

Eyes Irrigate copiously with clean water for at least 30 minutes, holding the eyelids apart

and seek medical attention. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.

Continue rinsing.

Skin Remove contaminated clothing. Wash skin thoroughly with soap and water or use a

recognized skin cleanser. Drench affected area with water for at least 30 minutes.

Obtain medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

Ingestion If swallowed obtain immediate medical attention. Keep at rest. Do NOT induce

vomiting.

## Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Overview Contact with skin causes severe skin burns. Causes serious eye damage.

Acute Health Effects: the substance causes serious eyes damage and severe burns. EYE: Contact causes serious eye damage. Causes permanent damage to the cornea, iris, or conjunctiva with redness, pain, swelling, blurred vision, and severe burns (Immediate). No delayed effects from eye contact are expected. No chronic effects

from eye contact are known.

SKIN: Causes severe irritation which will progress to chemical burns. Symptoms may include redness, pain, serious skin burns, and blisters. (Immediate). No

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^{*}PBT/vPvB - PBT-substance or vPv8-substance.

The full texts of the phrases are shown in Section 16.

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delayed effects from skin contact are expected. No chronic effects from skin contact are known.

INHALATION: May be corrosive to the respiratory tract. Prolonged exposure may cause irritation of the upper respiratory passages. (Immediate). May cause delayed pulmonary edema. No chronic effects from inhalation are known.

INGESTION: May cause burns or irritation of the linings of the mouth, throat, and gastrointestinal tract (Immediate). No delayed symptoms from ingestion are expected. No chronic effects from ingestion are known.

Indication of Any Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed: If

exposed or concerned, get medical advice and attention.

See section 2 for further details.

**Eyes** Causes serious eye irritation.

Skin Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

## Section 5. Fire-fighting measures

## **Extinguishing media**

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Water spray, dry chemical, foam, carbon dioxide.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media:** Do not use water jet, or heavy water stream. Use of heavy stream of water may spread fire.

## Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazardous decomposition: Can liberate toxic and corrosive fumes of SO2 and SO3 under extreme conditions when boiled to dryness or heated above 600 °C (1112 °F).

Keep only in original container.

Do not breathe dust, fume, mist, vapours or spray.

## Advice for fire-fighters

As with all fires, wear positive pressure, self-contained breathing apparatus, (SCBA) with a full-face piece and protective clothing. Persons without respiratory protection should leave area. Wear SCBA during clean up immediately after fire. No smoking.

Fire Hazard: Product is not flammable but may burn at high temperatures.

**Explosion Hazard:** <u>Product is not explosive. Contact with metallic substances may release flammable hydrogen gas.</u>

**Firefighting Instructions:** Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection. Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Remove containers from fire area if this can be done without risk. **Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire.** 

Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal conditions.

Other Information: Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.

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## Section 6. Accidental release measures

## Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

**General Measures:** Evacuate surrounding areas. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Provide

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adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment. See Section 8.

Use good personal hygiene practices. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Promptly remove soiled clothing and wash thoroughly before reuse.

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Do not breathe mist, spray, and vapours.

Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Use appropriate personal protection equipment (PPE). Wear protective gloves, eye protection, face protection (refer to section 8 for more details).

## **Environmental precautions**

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Avoid release to environment.

See Section 8 for exposure controls and personal protection and Section 13 for disposal considerations.

## Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Upon arrival at the scene, a first responder is expected to recognize the presence of dangerous goods, protect oneself and the public, secure the area, and call for the assistance of trained personnel as soon as conditions permit.

Ventilate area.

Contain, dilute cautiously with water, and neutralize with soda ash or lime.

**Containment:** Contain any spills with dikes or absorbents to prevent migration and entry into sewers or streams. As an immediate precautionary measure, isolate spill or leak area in all directions. Ventilate area. Contain, dilute cautiously with water, and neutralize with soda ash or lime.

Methods for Clean up: Clean up spills immediately and dispose of waste safely. Transfer spilled material to a suitable container for disposal. Contact competent authorities after a spill.

## Section 7. Handling and storage

## Precautions for safe handling

Handle containers carefully to prevent damage and spillage.

Store locked up.

Use good personal hygiene practices. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Promptly remove soiled clothing and wash thoroughly before reuse.

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Do not breathe mist, spray, and vapours.

Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Use appropriate personal protection equipment (PPE).

Wear protective gloves, eye protection, face protection (refer to section 8 for more details).

See section 2 for further details. - [Prevention]:

## Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep container closed when not in use. Store in a dry, cool place. Keep/Store away from extremely high or low temperatures and incompatible materials. Store in original container or corrosive resistant and/or lined container.

Comply with applicable regulations.

**Incompatible materials**: Non acid-proof metals (such as aluminum, copper and iron), bases, unalloyed steel, galvanized surfaces.

See section 2 for further details. - [Storage]:

## Specific end use(s)

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Alum is used as a coagulating agent in municipal and industrial water and wastewater treatment and as an additive in papermaking.

### Restrictions on use:

For use in water treatment, refer to NSF dosage information.

## Section 8. Exposure controls / personal protection

## **Control parameters**

## **Exposure**

CAS No.	Ingredient	Source	Value
0010043-01-3	Aluminum sulfate	ACGIH	No Established Limit
		OSHA	No Established Limit
		NIOSH	TWA 2 mg/m³
		Alberta	No Established Limit
		British Columbia	No Established Limit
		Manitoba	No Established Limit
		New Brunswick	No Established Limit
		Newfoundland and Labrador	No Established Limit
		Nova Scotia	No Established Limit
		Northwest Territories	No Established Limit
		Nunavut	No Established Limit
		Ontario	No Established Limit
		Prince Edward Island	No Established Limit
		Quebec	No Established Limit
		Saskatchewan	No Established Limit
	Tanana da da da da da da da da da da da da da	Yukon	No Established Limit









**Exposure controls** 

**Respiratory** Use NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator, following manufacturer's recommendations

when concentrations exceed permissible exposure limits.

**Eyes** Chemical safety goggles and face shield.

Skin Chemical resistant clothing such as coveralls/apron and boots should be worn.

Avoid skin contact. Wear protective gloves. Wear suitable protective clothing. **Materials for Protective Clothing:** Chemically resistant materials and fabrics.

fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

Ensure all national/local regulations are observed.

Other Work Practices Put on appropriate personal protective equipment. Chemically compatible gloves,

protective clothing, and chemical resistant safety goggles, face shield. Insufficient

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ventilation: wear respiratory protection. Use good personal hygiene practices. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Promptly remove soiled clothing and wash thoroughly before reuse.

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Do not breathe mist, spray, and vapours.

Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Use appropriate personal protection equipment (PPE). Wear protective gloves, eye protection, face protection (refer to section 8 for more details).

Lower Explosive Limit: No available information

See section 2 for further details.

## Section 9. Physical and chemical properties

## 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical StateliquidColorClearOdorOdorless

Freezing point -15.56 °C (3.99 °F)
Initial boiling point 101 °C (213.8 °F)
Flammability (solid, gas) Not applicable

Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

Flash Point Upper Explosive Limit: No available information °F °C, Test method: (Open/Close cup)

Auto-ignition temperature No available information

**Decomposition temperature**No available information

pH 1.4 – 2.6

Viscosity (cSt)

No available information

Solubility in Water

Completely Soluble in water.

Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Kow) No available information

Vapour pressure (Pa)No available informationRelative DensityNo available informationVapour DensityNo available information

**Evaporation rate (Ether = 1)**No available information

Not applicable

Specific Gravity 1.30 - 1.35
Other information

No other relevant information.

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## Section 10. Stability and reactivity

## Reactivity

May be corrosive to metals. Contact with metals may evolve flammable hydrogen gas. May react exothermically with water releasing heat. Adding an acid to a base or base to an acid may cause a violent reaction.

## Chemical stability

Stable under recommended handling and storage conditions (see section 7).

## Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

### Conditions to avoid

Direct sunlight, extremely high or low temperatures, and incompatible materials.

## Incompatible materials

Non acid-proof metals (such as aluminum, copper and iron), bases, unalloyed steel, galvanized surfaces.

## Hazardous decomposition products

Can liberate toxic and corrosive fumes of SO2 and SO3 under extreme conditions when boiled to dryness or heated above 600 °C (1112 °F).

## Section 11. Toxicological information

## **Acute toxicity**

Note: When no route specific LD50 data is available for an acute toxin, the converted acute toxicity point estimate was used in the calculation of the product's ATE (Acute Toxicity Estimate).

	Oral LO50, mg/kg	Skin LD50, mg/kg	inhalation vapour LCSO, mg/L/4hr	Inhalation Dust/Mist LC50, mg/L/4hr	Inhalation Gas LC50, ppm
Product Acute Toxicity Estimates	3495	NA	NA	NA	N/A

Ingredient	Oral LD50, mg/kg	Skin LD50, mg/kg	Inhalation vapour LC50, mg/L/4hr	inhalation Dust/Mist LC50, mg/L/4hr	Inhalation Gas LC50, ppm
Aluminum sulfate - (10043-01-3)	2,500.00, Rat -	No data	No data	No data	No data
	Category: 5	avallable.	avallable.	available.	available.

## **Carcinogen Data**

CAS No.	Ingredient	Source	Value				
0010043-01-3	Aluminum sulfate	IARC	Group 1: No; Group 2a: No; Group 2b: No; Group 3: No; Group 4: No;				
		ACGIH	No Establish	ed Limit			
Classification		Ca	tegory	Hazard Description			
Acute toxicit	y (oral)			Not Applicable			
Acute toxicit	y (dermal)			Not Applicable			
Acute toxicit	y (inhalation)		+	Not Applicable			
Skin corrosio	n/irritation		1C	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.			
Serious eye damage/irritation			2	Causes serious eye irritation.			
Respiratory sensitization				Not Applicable			

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Skin sensitization	 Not Applicable
Germ cell mutagenicity	 Not Applicable
Carcinogenicity	 Not Applicable
Reproductive toxicity	 Not Applicable
STOT-single exposure	 Not Applicable
STOT-repeated exposure	 Not Applicable
Aspiration hazard	 Not Applicable

Possible routes of entry:

## Symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed:

Contact with skin causes severe skin burns. Causes serious eye damage.

Acute Health Effects: the substance causes serious eyes damage and severe burns.

EYE: Contact causes serious eye damage. Causes permanent damage to the cornea, iris, or conjunctiva with redness, pain, swelling, blurred vision, and severe burns (Immediate). No delayed effects from eye contact are expected. No chronic effects from eye contact are known.

SKIN: Causes severe irritation which will progress to chemical burns. Symptoms may include redness, pain, serious skin burns, and blisters. (Immediate). No delayed effects from skin contact are expected. No chronic effects from skin contact are known.

INHALATION: May be corrosive to the respiratory tract. Prolonged exposure may cause irritation of the upper respiratory passages. (Immediate). May cause delayed pulmonary edema. No chronic effects from inhalation are known.

INGESTION: May cause burns or irritation of the linings of the mouth, throat, and gastrointestinal tract (Immediate). No delayed symptoms from ingestion are expected. No chronic effects from ingestion are known.

**Indication of Any Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed:** If exposed or concerned, get medical advice and attention.

Most likely route(s) of exposure Skin, Eyes

**Eyes** Causes serious eye irritation.

Skin Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

## Section 12. Ecological information

## **Toxicity**

Harmful to aquatic life.

## **Aquatic Ecotoxicity**

Ingredient	96 hr LC50 fish,	48 hr EC50 crustacea,	ErC50 algae,	
	mg/l	mg/i	mg/l	
Aluminum sulfate - (10043-01-3)	186.00, Danio rerio	38.20, Daphnia	0.45, Ceriodaphnia dubia	

### Persistence and degradability

There is no data available on the preparation itself.

## Bioaccumulative potential

No available information

### Mobility in soil

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No available information

## Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This product contains no PBT/vPvB chemicals.

#### Other adverse effects

No available information

## Section 13. Disposal considerations

#### Waste treatment methods

Dispose of waste material in accordance with all local, regional, federal, provincial, state, territorial and international regulations.

**Ecology - Waste Materials:** Avoid release to the environment. This material is hazardous to the aquatic environment. Keep out of sewers and waterways.

Additional Information: Container may remain hazardous when empty. Continue to observe all precautions.

## Section 14. Transport information



Classification Method: Classified as per Part 2, Sections 2.1 - 2.8 of the Transportation of Dangerous Goods Regulations.

	DOT / TDG (Domestic Surface Transportation)	IMO / IMDG (Ocean Transportation)	ICAO/IATA
UN number	UN3264	UN3264	UN3264
UN proper shipping name	UN3264, Corrosive liquid, acidic, inorganic, n.o.s., (contains aluminum sulfate), 8, III	Corrosive liquid, acidic, inorganic, n.o.s., (contains aluminum sulfate)	Corrosive liquid, acidic, inorganic, n.o.s., (contains aluminum sulfate)
Transport	TDG Hazard Class: 8	IMDG: 8	Air Class: 8
hazard class(es)	Sub Class: Not Applicable	Sub Class: Not Applicable	Sub Class: Not Applicable
Packing group	p III	III	III

**Environmental hazards** 

Marine Pollutant: No;

Special precautions for user

No available information

## Section 15. Regulatory information

**Regulatory Overview** The regulatory data in Section 15 is not intended to be all-inclusive, only selected regulations are represented.

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## **NFPA Ranking**

Health (blue):3

Fire (red):0

Reactivity (yellow):1

Special (white):ACID



This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria Hazardous Products Regulations (SOR/2015-17) and the SDS contains all of the information required by those regulations.

## **Toxic Substance Control Act (TSCA):**

Aluminum sulfate (Present)

Water (Present)

## EPCRA 311/312 Chemicals and RQs (lbs):

Aluminum sulfate (5,000.00)

## **Canadian Domestic Substance List (DSL):**

Aluminum sulfate

Water

## Canadian Non-Domestic Substance List (NDSL):

To the best of our knowledge, there are no chemicals at levels which require reporting under this statute.

# **New Jersey RTK Substances (>1%):**

Aluminum sulfate

## Pennsylvania RTK Substances (>1%):

Aluminum sulfate

## Proposition 65 - Carcinogens (>0.0%):

To the best of our knowledge, there are no chemicals at levels which require reporting under this statute.

## Proposition 65 - Developmental Toxins (>0.0%):

To the best of our knowledge, there are no chemicals at levels which require reporting under this statute.

## **Proposition 65 - Female Repro Toxins (>0.0%):**

To the best of our knowledge, there are no chemicals at levels which require reporting under this statute.

## Proposition 65 - Male Repro Toxins (>0.0%):

To the best of our knowledge, there are no chemicals at levels which require reporting under this statute.

## **Proposition 65 Label Warning:**

This product contains no chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm.

Chemical Name (CAS Number)	US TSCA	Australia AICS	Korea ECL	EU EINECS	EU ELINCS	EU SVHC	EN NLP	Mexico INSQ

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Aluminum	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	
sulfate (0010043-01-3)									

Chemical Name (CAS Number)	China IECSC	Japan ENCS	Japan ISHL	Japan PDSCL	Japan PRTR 1	Japan PRTR 2	Philippines PICCS	New Zealand NZIOC
Aluminum sulfate (0010043-01-3)	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes

## Section 16. Other information

#### **Revision Date**

10/03/2023

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The full text of the phrases appearing in section 3 is:

H290 May be corrosive to metals.

H318 Causes serious eye damage.

H402 Harmful to aquatic life.

Disclaimer: The information presented herein is supplied as a guide to those who handle or use this product. Safe work practices must be employed when working with any materials. It is important that the end user makes a determination regarding the adequacy of the safety procedures employed during the use of this product.

#### **Revision Summary**

Section :	Modification
2	Updated skin corrosion category to H314 1C to match Transportation packing group III

Handle product with due care and avoid unnecessary contact. This information is supplied under U.S. OSHA'S "Right to Know" (29 CFR 1910.1200) and Canada's WHMIS regulations. Although certain hazards are described herein, we cannot guarantee these are the only hazards that exist. The information contained herein is based on data available to us and is believed to be true and accurate but it is not offered as a product specification. No warranty, expressed or implied, regarding the accuracy of this data, the hazards connected with the use of the product, or the results to be obtained from the use thereof, is made and Chemtrade and its affiliates assume no responsibility. Chemtrade is a member of the CIAC (Chemistry Industry Association of Canada) and adheres to the codes and principles of Responsible Care.

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# Liquid Ammonium Sulfate PRODUCT DATA SHEET

### **CHARACTERISTICS**

Liquid Ammonium Sulfate is an odorless, clear, faint yellow to amber colored liquid. It is an advanced inorganic product suitable for industrial and municipal water and wastewater treatment applications.

NSF/ANSI/CAN Standard 60: Drinking Water Chemicals - Health Effects; Certified

#### **TYPICAL PROPERTIES**

Formula:

Aqueous solution of ammonium sulfate

C.A.S.

7783-20-2 (Ammonium sulfate)

pH (neat)

neat)

3.0 - 7.0 1 216 - 1 2

Specific Gravity @ 21°C (70°F)

1.216 - 1.228

Freezing Point

Less than -12°C (10°F) 10.15 - 10.25

Density, lbs./gal., US (NH₄)₂SO₄, %

38 - 40

NH₃ Equivalent, %

9.8 - 10.3

#### **PRODUCT USES**

Municipal and industrial water and wastewater treatment for disinfection as a source of ammonia in chloramination. Disinfection byproduct control.

## **SHIPPING CONTAINERS**

Bulk transport

Bulk car

275 US gal. one-way container

55 US gal. plastic drum

## SHIPPING REGULATIONS (US DOT / TDG)

Classification: Not regulated for transport

RQ: Not applicable

## **PRODUCT SAFETY INFORMATION**

Anyone procuring, using or disposing of these products or their containers must be familiar with the appropriate safety and handling precautions. Such information may be found in the **Safety Data Sheets (SDS)** for these products or you may contact Chemtrade at 416-496-5856. In the event of an emergency with these products, call the 24-hour **Emergency Number: USA and Canada (CHEMTREC) 800-424-9300.** For additional information contact:

Syracuse Technical Center 315-478-2323 or 800-255-7589

Water Treatment Chemicals
Customer Service 844-204-9675

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Hazardous Products Regulation, February 11, 2015.

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Version: 4.0

## **SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION**

# Product Identifier

Product Form: Mixture

Product Name: Liquid Ammonium Sulfate

#### Intended Use of the Product

Municipal and industrial water and wastewater treatment for disinfection as a source of ammonia in chloramination. Disinfection

#### byproduct control.

## Name, Address, and Telephone of the Responsible Party

#### Manufacturer

CHEMTRADE LOGISTICS INC. 155 Gordon Baker Road

Suite 300

Toronto, Ontario M2H 3N5
For SDS Info: (416) 496-5856
www.chemtradelogistics.com
Emergency Telephone Number

Emergency Number :

Canada: CANUTEC +1-613-996-6666 / US: CHEMTREC +1-800-424-9300

INTERNATIONAL: +1-703-741-5970

Chemtrade Emergency Contact: (866) 416-4404

For Chemical Emergency, Spill, Leak, Fire, Exposure, or Accident, call CHEMTREC - Day or Night

## SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Classification of the Substance or Mixture

**GHS Classification** 

Aquatic Acute 2 H401

Full text of hazard classes and H-statements : see section 16

## <u>Label Elements</u>

**GHS** Labeling

Hazard Statements

: H401 - Toxic to aquatic life.

**Precautionary Statements** 

: P273 - Avoid release to the environment.

P501 - Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local, regional, national,

provincial, territorial and international regulations.

## **Other Hazards**

Exposure may aggravate pre-existing eye, skin, or respiratory conditions.

## Unknown acute toxicity

No data available

## SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

#### Mixture

Name	Product Identifier	<b>%</b> *	GHS Ingredient Classification
Water	(CAS No) 7732-18-5	39.9 – 69.0	Not classified
Ammonium sulfate	(CAS No) 7783-20-2	30 - 60*	Aquatic Acute 2, H401
Citric acid	(CAS No) 77-92-9	0.1 to 1*	Eye Irrit. 2A, H319
			Comb. Dust

Full text of H-phrases: see section 16

### **SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**

## **Description of First-aid Measures**

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^{*}Percentages are listed in weight by weight percentage (w/w%) for liquid and solid ingredients. Gas ingredients are listed in volume by volume percentage (v/v%).

^{*}The actual concentration of the ingredient(s) is withheld as a trade secret in accordance with the Hazardous Products Regulations (HPR) SOR/2015-17 and 29 CFR 1910.1200.

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**General:** Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).

Inhalation: When symptoms occur: go into open air and ventilate suspected area. Obtain medical attention if breathing difficulty persists.

**Skin Contact:** Remove contaminated clothing. Drench affected area with water for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

**Eye Contact:** Rinse cautiously with water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Obtain medical attention.

Ingestion: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Obtain medical attention.

## Most Important Symptoms and Effects Both Acute and Delayed

General: Not expected to present a significant hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use.

Inhalation: Prolonged exposure may cause irritation.

Skin Contact: Prolonged exposure may cause skin irritation.

**Eye Contact:** May cause slight irritation to eyes. **Ingestion:** Ingestion may cause adverse effects.

Chronic Symptoms: None expected under normal conditions of use.

#### Indication of Any Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed

If exposed or concerned, get medical advice and attention. If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

## SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

### **Extinguishing Media**

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Water spray, dry chemical, foam, carbon dioxide.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media: Do not use a heavy water stream. Use of heavy stream of water may spread fire.

#### Special Hazards Arising From the Substance or Mixture

Fire Hazard: Not considered flammable but may burn at high temperatures.

Explosion Hazard: Product is not explosive.

Reactivity: Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal conditions.

## Advice for Firefighters

Precautionary Measures Fire: Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire.

Firefighting Instructions: Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers.

Protection During Firefighting: Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

Hazardous Combustion Products: At temperatures of 235 °C (455 °F) ammonia can be emitted. Sulfur oxides.

Other Information: Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.

## Reference to Other Sections

Refer to Section 9 for flammability properties.

#### SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

General Measures: Avoid prolonged contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid breathing (vapor, mist, spray).

## For Non-Emergency Personnel

Protective Equipment: Use appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE).

Emergency Procedures: Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

### For Emergency Personnel

Protective Equipment: Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.

Emergency Procedures: Upon arrival at the scene, a first responder is expected to recognize the presence of dangerous goods, protect oneself and the public, secure the area, and call for the assistance of trained personnel as soon as conditions permit. Ventilate area.

## **Environmental Precautions**

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Avoid release to the environment.

## Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning Up

For Containment: Contain any spills with dikes or absorbents to prevent migration and entry into sewers or streams.

Methods for Cleaning Up: Clean up spills immediately and dispose of waste safely. Transfer spilled material to a suitable container for disposal. Contact competent authorities after a spill.

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#### Reference to Other Sections

See Section 8 for exposure controls and personal protection and Section 13 for disposal considerations.

## **SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

#### Precautions for Safe Handling

**Additional Hazards When Processed:** Handle in accordance with standard industrial practices, and ensure appropriate ventilation. Avoid all contact with skin, eyes, clothing. Do not release into the environment.

**Precautions for Safe Handling:** Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Avoid prolonged contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid breathing vapors, mist, spray.

Hygiene Measures: Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures.

### **Conditions for Safe Storage, Including Any Incompatibilities**

Technical Measures: Comply with applicable regulations.

Storage Conditions: Keep container closed when not in use. Store in a dry, cool place. Keep/Store away from extremely high or low temperatures and incompatible materials.

incompatible Materials: Alkalies, alkalizing substances, nitrites and alkaline substances, oxidizers.

#### Specific End Use(s)

Municipal and industrial water and wastewater treatment for disinfection as a source of ammonia in chloramination. Disinfection byproduct control.

## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### **Control Parameters**

For substances listed in section 3 that are not listed here, there are no established Exposure limits from the manufacturer, supplier, importer, or the appropriate advisory agency including: ACGIH (TLV), AIHA (WEEL), NIOSH (REL), OSHA (PEL), Canadian provincial governments, or the Mexican government.

#### **Exposure Controls**

Appropriate Engineering Controls: Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure all national/local regulations are observed.

Personal Protective Equipment: Gloves. Protective clothing. Protective goggles.







Materials for Protective Clothing: Chemically resistant materials and fabrics

Hand Protection: Wear protective gloves. Eye Protection: Chemical safety goggles.

Skin and Body Protection: Wear suitable protective clothing.

Respiratory Protection: If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, approved respiratory protection should be worn. In case of inadequate ventilation, oxygen deficient atmosphere, or where exposure levels are not known wear approved respiratory protection.

Other Information: When using, do not eat, drink or smoke.

## **SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

## Information on Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State : Liquid

Appearance : Clear, faint yellow to amber colored

Odor: OdoriessOdor Threshold: Not available

pH : 3-7

 Evaporation Rate
 : Not available

 Melting Point
 : Not applicable

 Freezing Point
 : -12 °C (10.4 °F)

 Boiling Point
 : Not available

 Flash Point
 : Not available

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**Auto-Ignition Temperature** : Not available **Decomposition Temperature** Not available Flammability (solid, gas) Not applicable Lower Flammable Limit Not available **Upper Flammable Limit** Not available Vapor Pressure Not available Relative Vapor Density at 20°C Not available **Specific Gravity** 1.216 - 1.228 Solubility Not available Partition Coefficient: N-Octanol/Water Not available Not available Viscosity

## **SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

**Reactivity:** Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal conditions.

Chemical Stability: Stable under recommended handling and storage conditions (see section 7).

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

Conditions to Avoid: Extremely high or low temperatures and incompatible materials.

Incompatible Materials: Alkalies, alkalizing substances, nitrites and alkaline substances, oxidizers.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: None expected under normal conditions of use.

## **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

## Information on Toxicological Effects - Product

Acute Toxicity (Oral): Not classified
Acute Toxicity (Dermal): Not classified
Acute Toxicity (Inhalation): Not classified

LD50 and LC50 Data: Not available Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Not classified

pH: 3 - 7

Eye Damage/Irritation: Not classified

pH: 3 - 7

Respiratory or Skin Sensitization: Not classified

Germ Cell Mutagenicity: Not classified

Carcinogenicity: Not classified

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Repeated Exposure): Not classified

Reproductive Toxicity: Not classified

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Single Exposure): Not classified

Aspiration Hazard: Not classified

Symptoms/Effects After Inhalation: Prolonged exposure may cause irritation.

Symptoms/Effects After Skin Contact: Prolonged exposure may cause skin irritation.

Symptoms/Effects After Eye Contact: May cause slight irritation to eyes. Symptoms/Effects After Ingestion: Ingestion may cause adverse effects. Chronic Symptoms: None expected under normal conditions of use.

## Information on Toxicological Effects - Ingredient(s)

#### LD50 and LC50 Data:

Ammonium sulfate (7783-20-2)			
<b>LD50 Oral Rat</b> > 2000 mg/kg			
Citric acid (77-92-9)			
LD50 Oral Rat	5400 mg/kg		
LD50 Dermal Rat	> 2000 mg/kg		

## SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Toxicity

Ecology - General: Toxic to aquatic life.

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Ammonium sulfate (7783-20	)-2)			
C50 Fish 1 5.2 (5.2 - 8.2) mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Oncorhynchus mykiss [static])				
EC50 Daphnia 1	14 mg/l (Exposure time: 48 h - Species: Daphnia magna)			
LC50 Fish 2	32.2 (32.2 - 41.9) mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Oncorhynchus mykiss [flow-through])			
Citric acid (77-92-9)				
LC50 Fish 1	1516 mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Lepomis macrochirus [static])			

Persistence and Degradability

Liquid Ammonium Sulfate			
Persistence and Degradability Not established.			
Citric acid (77-92-9)			
Persistence and Degradability	Readily biodegradable in water.		

**Bioaccumulative Potential** 

Liquid Ammonium Sulfate				
Bioaccumulative Potential Not established.				
Ammonium sulfate (7783-20-2)				
Log Pow	-5.1 (at 25 °C)			
Citric acid (77-92-9)	7/1/2			
Log Pow	-1.72 (at 20 °C)			

### **Mobility in Soil**

Not available

## **Other Adverse Effects**

Other Information: Avoid release to the environment.

## **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Waste Disposal Recommendations: Dispose of waste material in accordance with all local, regional, national, provincial, territorial and international regulations.

Additional Information: Container may remain hazardous when empty. Continue to observe all precautions.

Ecology - Waste Materials: Avoid release to the environment. This material is hazardous to the aquatic environment. Keep out of sewers and waterways.

## **SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

The shipping description(s) stated herein were prepared in accordance with certain assumptions at the time the SDS was authored, and can vary based on a number of variables that may or may not have been known at the time the SDS was issued. Not regulated for transport according to: US DOT, IMDG, IATA, and Canada's TDG.

### SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

## **US Federal Regulations**

Chemical Name (CAS No.)	CERCLA RQ	EPCRA 304 RQ	SARA 302 TPQ	SARA 313
Ammonium sulfate (7783-20-	Not present	Not present	Not present	No
2)				
Citric acid (77-92-9)	Not present	Not present	Not present	No

### **US TSCA Flags**

Not present

## **US State Regulations**

## California Proposition 65

Chemical Name (CAS No.)	Carcinogenicity	Developmental Toxicity	Female Reproductive Toxicity	Male Reproductive Toxicity
Ammonium sulfate (7783-20-	No	No	No	No
Citric acid (77-92-9)	No	No	No	No

## State Right-To-Know Lists

Ammonium sulfate (7783-20-2)		
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- U.S. Massachusetts Right To Know List Yes
- U.S. New Jersey Right to Know Hazardous Substance List No
- U.S. Pennsylvania RTK (Right to Know) Environmental Hazard List Yes
- U.S. Pennsylvania RTK (Right to Know) Special Hazardous Substances No
- U.S. Pennsylvania RTK (Right to Know) List Yes

#### Citric acid (77-92-9)

- U.S. Massachusetts Right To Know List No
- U.S. New Jersey Right to Know Hazardous Substance List No
- U.S. Pennsylvania RTK (Right to Know) Environmental Hazard List No
- U.S. Pennsylvania RTK (Right to Know) Special Hazardous Substances No
- U.S. Pennsylvania RTK (Right to Know) List No

### Canadian Regulations

## Ammonium sulfate (7783-20-2)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

Not listed on the Canadian NDSL (Non-Domestic Substances List)

### Citrlc acid (77-92-9)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

Not listed on the Canadian NDSL (Non-Domestic Substances List)

#### International Inventories/Lists

Chemical Name (CAS No.)	Australia AIC\$	Turkey CICR	Korea ECL	EU EINECS	EU ELINCS	EU SVHC	EU NLP	Mexico INSQ
Ammonium sulfate (7783-20-2)	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	Yes
Citric acid (77-92-9)	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	Yes
Chemical Name (CAS No.)	China IECSC	Japan ENCS	Japan ISHL	Japan PDSCL	Japan PRTR	Philippines PICCS	New Zealand NZIOC	US TSCA
Ammonium sulfate (7783-20-2)	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Citric acid (77-92-9)	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes

## SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION, INCLUDING DATE OF PREPARATION OR LAST REVISION

Revision Date

: 05/07/2018

#### **Revision Summary**

Section	Change	Date Changed
3	HPR trade secret statement	05/07/2018
16	NFPA HMIR information	05/07/2018

### Other Information

: This document has been prepared in accordance with the SDS requirements of the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200 and Canada's Hazardous Products Regulations (HPR).

## **GHS Full Text Phrases:**

Aquatic Acute 2	Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Acute Hazard Category 2			
Comb. Dust	Combustible Dust			
Eye Irrit. 2A	Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 2A			
H319	Causes serious eye irritation			
H401	Toxic to aquatic life			

## NFPA 704

NFPA Health Hazard : 1 - Exposure could cause irritation but only minor residual

injury even if no treatment is given.

NFPA Fire Hazard : 1 - Must be preheated before ignition can occur.

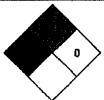
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NFPA Reactivity Hazard

 0 - Normally stable, even under fire exposure conditions, and are not reactive with water.



**HMIS Rating** 

Health

: 1 Slight Hazard - Irritation or minor reversible injury possible

Flammability

: 1 Slight Hazard

Physical

: 0 Minimal Hazard See Section 8

PPE

Abbreviations and Acronyms

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

AIHA - American Industrial Hygiene Association

ATE - Acute Toxicity Estimate

BCF - Bioconcentration factor

BEI - Biological Exposure Indices (BEI)

CAS No. - Chemical Abstracts Service number

CERCLA RQ - Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and

Liability Act - Reportable Quantity

CICR - Turkish Inventory and Control of Chemicals

DOT - 49 CFR - US Department of Transportation - Code of Federal

Regulations Title 49 – Transportation. EC50 - Median effective concentration

ECL - Korea Existing Chemicals List

EINECS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

**ELINCS - European List of Notified Chemical Substances** 

EmS - IMDG Emergency Schedule Fire & Spillage

**ENCS - Japanese Existing and New Chemical Substances Inventory** 

EPA - Environmental Protection Agency

EPCRA 304 RQ – EPCRA 304 Extremely Hazardous Substance Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know-Act – Reportable Quantity ERAP Index – Emergency Response Assistance Plan Quantity Limit

ErC50 - EC50 in Terms of Reduction Growth Rate

ERG code (IATA) - Emergency Response Drill Code as found in the International

Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)

ERG No. - Emergency Response Guide Number HCCL - Hazard Communication Carcinogen List HMIS – Hazardous Materials Information System IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer

IATA - International Air Transport Association – Dangerous Goods Regulations

IDLH - Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances Produced or Imported in

China

IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code

INSQ - Mexican National Inventory of Chemical Substances

ISHL - Japan Industrial Safety and Health Law

LC50 - Median Lethal Concentration

LD50 - Median Lethal Dose

LOAEL - Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level LOEC - Lowest-observed-effect Concentration Log Pow - Octanol/water Partition Coefficient

NFPA 704 – National Fire Protection Association - Standard System for the

Identification of the Hazards of Materials for Emergency Response NIOSH - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

NLP - Europe No Longer Polymers List NOAEL - No-Observed Adverse Effect Level NOEC - No-Observed Effect Concentration NZIOC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

OEL - Occupational Exposure Limits

OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration

PEL - Permissible Exposure Limits

PICCS - Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances PDSCL - Japan Poisonous and Deleterious Substances Control Law

PPE - Personal Protective Equipment

PRTR - Japan Pollutant Release and Transfer Register

**REL - Recommended Exposure Limit** 

SADT - Self Accelerating Decomposition Temperature SARA - Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act

SARA 302 - Section 302, 40 CFR Part 355

SARA 311/312 - Sections 311 and 312, 40 CFR Part 370 Hazard Categories

SARA 313 - Section 313, 40 CFR Part 372 SRCL - Specifically Regulated Carcinogen List

STEL - Short Term Exposure Limit

SVHC – European Candidate List of Substance of Very High Concern TDG – Transport Canada Transport of Dangerous Goods Regulations

TLM - Median Tolerance Limit TLV - Threshold Limit Value TPQ - Threshold Planning Quantity

TSCA - United StatesToxic Substances Control Act

TWA - Time Weighted Average

WEEL - Workplace Environmental Exposure Levels

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# Clartion® CS4 PRODUCT DATA SHEET

### CHARACTERISTICS

Clar*ton® CS4 is a clear, blue-green colored liquid. It is an advanced cationic coagulant and flocculant suitable for industrial and municipal water and wastewater treatment applications.

NSF/ANSI/CAN Standard 60: Drinking Water Chemicals - Health Effects; Certifled

### TYPICAL PROPERTIES

Formula:

Aluminum sulfate mixture

C.A.S.

10043-01-3 / 7758-99-8 (Aluminum sulfate / Cupric sulfate pentahydrate)

pH (neat)

2.4 - 2.7

Specific Gravity @ 21°C (70°F)

Freezing Point (approx.)

Density, lbs./gal., US

Aluminum as Al, %

Aluminum as Al₂O₃, %

Copper (II) Sulfate Pentahydrate, %

Soluble Cupric Iron (Cu+2), %

2.4 - 2.7

1.29 - 1.32

10.8 - 1.2

0.8 - 1.2

0.20 - 0.31

### **PRODUCT USES**

Municipal and industrial water and wastewater treatment for the removal of turbidity, color, suspended solids and phosphorus. Sludge compaction and volume reduction. Lagoon treatment. Oily wastewater clarification and dissolved air flotation. Emulsion breaking.

## SHIPPING CONTAINERS

Bulk transport

Bulk car

275 US gal. one-way container

55 US gal. plastic drum

## SHIPPING REGULATIONS (US DOT / TDG)

Proper Shipping Name:

Corrosive Liquid, Acidic, Inorganic, N.O.S. (Contains Aluminum Sulfate)

Hazard Class: 8

ID Number: UN3264

Packing Group: III

The US EPA reportable quantity (RQ) for aluminum sulfate is 5,000 lbs. and for cupric sulfate is 10 lbs.

## PRODUCT SAFETY INFORMATION

Anyone procuring, using or disposing of these products or their containers must be familiar with the appropriate safety and handling precautions. Such information may be found in the **Safety Data Sheets** (SDS) for these products or you may contact Chemtrade at 416-496-5856. In the event of an emergency with these products, call the 24-hour **Emergency Number: USA and Canada (CHEMTREC)** 800-424-9300. For additional information contact:

Syracuse Technical Center 315-478-2323 or 800-255-7589

Water Treatment Chemicals
Customer Service 844-204-9675

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## **SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION**

## **Product Identifier**

Product Form: Mixture
Product Name: Clar+lon® CS4

FIFRA Number 83918

## Intended Use of the Product

For professional use only.

Use Of The Substance/Mixture: Municipal and industrial water and wastewater treatment for the removal of turbidity, color, suspended solids and phosphorus. Sludge compaction and volume reduction. Lagoon treatment. Oily wastewater clarification and dissolved air flotation. Emulsion breaking. Algaecide.

## Name, Address, and Telephone of the Responsible Party

Manufacturer

CHEMTRADE LOGISTICS INC. 155 Gordon Baker Road Suite 300

Toronto, Ontario M2H 3N5 For SDS Info: (416) 496-5856 www.chemtradelogistics.com

## **Emergency Telephone Number**

**Emergency Number :** 

Canada: CANUTEC +1-613-996-6666 / US: CHEMTREC +1-800-424-9300

INTERNATIONAL: +1-703-741-5970

Chemtrade Emergency Contact: (866) 416-4404

For Chemical Emergency, Spill, Leak, Fire, Exposure, or Accident, call CHEMTREC - Day or Night

## **SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

## Classification of the Substance or Mixture

## **GHS Classification**

Met. Corr. 1 H290 Eye Dam. 1 H318 Aquatic Acute 3 H402 Aquatic Chronic 3 H412

Full text of hazard classes and H-statements : see section 16

**Label Elements** 

**GHS Labeling** 

**Hazard Pictograms** 



Signal Word

: Danger

**Hazard Statements** 

: H290 - May be corrosive to metals.

H318 - Causes serious eye damage. H402 - Harmful to aquatic life.

H412 - Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

**Precautionary Statements** 

: P234 - Keep only in original container. P273 - Avoid release to the environment.

P280 - Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, and eye protection.

P305+P351+P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove

contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. P310 - Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor. P390 - Absorb spillage to prevent material damage.

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P406 - Store in corrosive resistant container with a resistant inner liner.

P501 - Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local, regional, national, territorial, provincial, and international regulations.

### Other Hazards

Exposure may aggravate pre-existing eye, skin, or respiratory conditions.

**Unknown acute toxicity** 

No data available

## SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

#### Mixture

Name	Product Identifier	%*	GHS Ingredient Classification
Water	(CAS-No.) 7732-18-5	40 - 70	Not classified
Sulfuric acid, aluminum salt (3:2)	(CAS-No.) 10043-01-3	30 – 60†	Met. Corr. 1, H290 Eye Dam. 1, H318 Aquatic Acute 3, H402
Sulfuric acid, copper(2+) salt (1:1), pentahydrate**	1:1), (CAS-No.) 7758-99-8 1 – 5* Acute Tox. 4 (C Skin Irrit. 2, H3 Eye Irrit. 2A, H Aquatic Acute		Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Skin Irrit. 2, H315 Eye Irrit. 2A, H319 Aquatic Acute 1, H400 Aquatic Chronic 1, H410

Full text of H-phrases: see section 16

## **SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**

#### **Description of First-aid Measures**

**General:** Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label if possible). **Inhalation:** Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Obtain medical attention if breathing difficulty persists.

Skin Contact: Remove contaminated clothing. Gently wash with plenty of soap and water followed by rinsing with water for at least 15 minutes. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Eye Contact: Rinse cautiously with water for at least 30 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

Ingestion: Do NOT induce vomiting. Rinse mouth. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

### Most Important Symptoms and Effects Both Acute and Delayed

General: Causes serious eye damage.

Inhalation: May cause respiratory irritation.

Skin Contact: May cause skin irritation.

Eye Contact: Causes serious eye damage. Symptoms may include: Redness, pain, swelling, itching, burning, tearing, and blurred vision.

Ingestion: Ingestion is likely to be harmful or have adverse effects.

Chronic Symptoms: None expected under normal conditions of use.

## Indication of Any Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed

If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).

## SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

#### **Extinguishing Media**

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Use extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding fire.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media: Do not use a heavy water stream. Use of heavy stream of water may spread fire.

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⁺The actual concentration of the ingredient(s) is withheld as a trade secret in accordance with Regulations Amending the Hazardous Product Regulations (HPR) SOR/2018-68 and 29 CRF 1910.1200.

^{*}Percentages are listed in weight by weight percentage (w/w%) for liquid and solid ingredients. Gas ingredients are listed in volume by volume percentage (v/v%).

^{**}As Al2(SO4)3 • 14H2O (Dry Aluminum Sulfate).

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#### Special Hazards Arising From the Substance or Mixture

Fire Hazard: Not considered flammable but may burn at high temperatures.

Explosion Hazard: Contact with metallic substances may release flammable hydrogen gas.

Reactivity: May be corrosive to metals. Contact with metals may evolve fiammable hydrogen gas.

## **Advice for Firefighters**

**Precautionary Measures Fire:** Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire.

Firefighting Instructions: Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers.

Protection During Firefighting: Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

Hazardous Combustion Products: Sulfur oxides.

Other Information: Refer to Section 9 for flammability properties.

**Reference to Other Sections** 

Refer to Section 9 for flammability properties.

## SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

General Measures: Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Avoid breathing (vapor, mist, spray).

#### For Non-Emergency Personnel

Protective Equipment: Use appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE).

Emergency Procedures: Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

#### For Emergency Personnel

Protective Equipment: Equip cleanup crew with proper protection. Emergency Procedures: Stop leak if safe to do so. Ventilate area.

## **Environmental Precautions**

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Notify authorities if liquid enters sewers or public waters.

#### Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning Up

For Containment: Contain any spills with dikes or absorbents to prevent migration and entry into sewers or streams.

Methods for Cleaning Up: Clean up spills immediately and dispose of waste safely. Spills should be contained with mechanical barriers. Transfer spilled material to a suitable container for disposal. Contact competent authorities after a spill.

## **Reference to Other Sections**

See Heading 8. Exposure controls and personal protection. For further information refer to section 13.

## SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

## **Precautions for Safe Handling**

Additional Hazards When Processed: Corrosive to metals upon prolonged contact.

Hygiene Measures: Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work.

#### Conditions for Safe Storage, Including Any Incompatibilities

Technical Measures: Comply with applicable regulations.

Storage Conditions: Store in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container closed when not in use. Keep/Store away from extremely high or low temperatures and incompatible materials. Store in original container or corrosive resistant and/or lined container.

Incompatible Materials: Strong acids. Strong bases. Strong oxidizers.

#### Specific End Use(s)

For professional use only. Municipal and industrial water and wastewater treatment for the removal of turbidity, color, suspended solids and phosphorus. Sludge compaction and volume reduction. Lagoon treatment. Oily wastewater clarification and dissolved air flotation. Emulsion breaking. Algaecide.

## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

## **Control Parameters**

For substances listed in section 3 that are not listed here, there are no established Exposure limits from the manufacturer, supplier, importer, or the appropriate advisory agency including: ACGIH (TLV), AIHA (WEEL), NIOSH (REL), OSHA (PEL), Canadian provincial governments, or the Mexican government.

Copper compounds (Not applicable)					
USA ACGIH	ACGIH TWA (mg/m³)	1 mg/m³ (dust and mist)			
USA NIOSH NIOSH REL (TWA) (mg/m³) 1 mg/m³ (dust and mist)					

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USA IDLH	US IDLH (mg/m³)	100 mg/m³ (dust and mist)
Manitoba	OEL TWA (mg/m³)	1 mg/m³ (dust and mist)
Newfoundland & Labrador	OEL TWA (mg/m³)	1 mg/m³ (dust and mist)
Nova Scotla	OEL TWA (mg/m³)	1 mg/m³ (dust and mist)
Prince Edward Island	OEL TWA (mg/m³)	1 mg/m³ (dust and mist)

#### **Exposure Controls**

Appropriate Engineering Controls: Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure. Ensure all national/local regulations are observed.

Personal Protective Equipment: Protective goggles. Gloves. Protective clothing. Insufficient ventilation: wear respiratory protection.









Materials for Protective Clothing: Chemically resistant materials and fabrics.

Hand Protection: Wear chemically resistant protective gloves.

Eye Protection: Chemical safety goggles.

Skin and Body Protection: Wear suitable protective clothing.

**Respiratory Protection:** If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, approved respiratory protection should be worn. In case of inadequate ventilation, oxygen deficient atmosphere, or where exposure levels are not known wear approved respiratory protection.

Environmental Exposure Controls: Do not allow the product to be released into the environment.

Consumer Exposure Controls: Do not eat, drink or smoke during use

## SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### Information on Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State : Líquid

Appearance : Clear to blue green color

Not available Odor Not available **Odor Threshold** рH 2.4 - 2.7Not available **Evaporation Rate** Not available **Melting Point** -16 °C (3.2 °F) **Freezing Point Boiling Point** Not available Not available Flash Point Not available **Auto-ignition Temperature Decomposition Temperature** Not available Flammability (solid, gas) Not applicable Not available **Lower Flammable Limit Upper Flammable Limit** Not available Not available Vapor Pressure Not available Relative Vapor Density at 20°C Not available **Relative Density** 1.29 - 1.32 **Specific Gravity** 100% in water. Solubility

#### **SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Partition Coefficient: N-Octanol/Water

Viscosity

**Reactivity:** May be corrosive to metals. Contact with metals may evolve flammable hydrogen gas. **Chemical Stability:** Stable under recommended handling and storage conditions (see section 7).

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Not available

Not available

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<u>Possibility of Hazardous Reactions</u>: Hazardous polymerization will not occur. <u>Conditions to Avoid</u>: Extremely high or low temperatures. Incompatible materials.

Incompatible Materials: Strong acids. Strong bases. Strong oxidizers.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Thermal decomposition generates: sulfur oxides.

#### SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Information on Toxicological Effects - Product

Acute Toxicity (Oral): Not classified
Acute Toxicity (Dermal): Not classified
Acute Toxicity (Inhalation): Not classified
LD50 and LC50 Data: Not available

Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Not classified

pH: 2.4 - 2.7

Eye Damage/Irritation: Causes serious eye damage.

pH: 2.4 - 2.7

Respiratory or Skin Sensitization: Not classified

Germ Cell Mutagenicity: Not classified

Carcinogenicity: Not classified

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Repeated Exposure): Not classified

Reproductive Toxicity: Not classified

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Single Exposure): Not classified

Aspiration Hazard: Not classified

Symptoms/Effects After Inhalation: May cause respiratory irritation.

Symptoms/Effects After Skin Contact: May cause skin irritation.

Symptoms/Effects After Eye Contact: Causes serious eye damage. Symptoms may include: Redness, pain, swelling, itching, burning,

tearing, and blurred vision.

Symptoms/Effects After Ingestion: Ingestion is likely to be harmful or have adverse effects.

Chronic Symptoms: None expected under normal conditions of use.

#### Information on Toxicological Effects - Ingredient(s)

LD50 and LC50 Data:

Sulfuric acid, copper(2+) salt (1:1), pentahydrate (7758-99-8)	
LD50 Oral Rat	960 mg/kg

## SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## **Toxicity**

Ecology - General: Harmful to aquatic life. Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Sulfuric acid, copper(2+) salt (1:1), pentahydrate (7758-99-8)			
LC50 Fish 1	0.66 (0.66 - 1.15) mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Lepomis macrochirus [semi-static])		
EC50 Daphnia 1	0.147 (0.147 - 0.227) mg/l (Exposure time: 48 h - Species: Daphnia magna [Static])		
LC50 Fish 2	0.96 (0.96 - 1.8) mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Lepomis macrochirus (static))		

#### Persistence and Degradability Not available

Bioaccumulative Potential Not available

Mobility in Soil Not available

**Other Adverse Effects** 

Other Information: Avoid release to the environment.

## SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal Recommendations: Dispose of waste material in accordance with all local, regional, national, provincial, territorial and international regulations.

Ecology - Waste Materials: Avoid release to the environment.

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## SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The shipping description(s) stated herein were prepared in accordance with certain assumptions at the time the SDS was authored, and can vary based on a number of variables that may or may not have been known at the time the SDS was issued.

TRANSPORTATION	DOT	TDG	IMDG	IATA
CLASSIFICATION				
Identification Number	UN3264	UN3264	UN3264	UN3264
Proper Shipping Name	CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (CONTAINS ALUMINUM SULFATE)	CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (CONTAINS ALUMINUM SULFATE)	CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (CONTAINS ALUMINUM SULFATE)	CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (CONTAINS ALUMINUM SULFATE)
Transport Hazard Class(es)	8	8	8	8
	Constitute			
Packing Group	III	III	111	111
Environmental Hazards	Marine Pollutant : No	Marine Pollutant : No	Marine Pollutant : No	Marine Pollutant: N/A
Emergency Response	ERG Number: 154	ERAP Index: Not applicable	EMS: F-A, S-B	ERG code (IATA): 8L
Additional Information	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

## **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

## **US Federal Regulations**

Chemical Name (CAS No.)	CERCLA RQ	EPCRA 304 RQ	SARA 302 TPQ	SARA 313
Sulfuric acid, copper(2+) salt (1:1), pentahydrate (7758-99-8)	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	No
Sulfuric acid, aluminum salt (3:2) (10043-01-3)	500 <b>0</b> lb	Not applicable	Not applicable	No

#### SARA 311/312

## Clar+Ion® CS4

Immediate (acute) health hazard

#### US TSCA Flags Not present

## **US State Regulations**

## California Proposition 65

Chemical Name (CAS No.)	Carcinogenicity	Developmental Toxicity	Female Reproductive Toxicity	Male Reproductive Toxicity
Sulfuric acid, copper(2+) salt (1:1), pentahydrate (7758-99-8)	No	No	No	No
Sulfuric acid, aluminum salt (3:2) (10043-01-3)	No	No	No	No

## State Right-To-Know Lists

## Sulfuric acid, copper(2+) salt (1:1), pentahydrate (7758-99-8)

- U.S. Massachusetts Right To Know List No
- U.S. New Jersey Right to Know Hazardous Substance List No
- U.S. Pennsylvania RTK (Right to Know) Environmental Hazard List No
- U.S. Pennsylvania RTK (Right to Know) Special Hazardous Substances No
- U.S. Pennsylvania RTK (Right to Know) List No

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### Sulfuric acid, aluminum salt (3:2) (10043-01-3)

- U.S. Massachusetts Right To Know List Yes
- U.S. New Jersey Right to Know Hazardous Substance List Yes
- U.S. Pennsylvania RTK (Right to Know) Environmental Hazard List Yes
- U.S. Pennsylvania RTK (Right to Know) Special Hazardous Substances No
- U.S. Pennsylvania RTK (Right to Know) List Yes

## **Canadian Regulations**

### Sulfuric acid, copper(2+) salt (1:1), pentahydrate (7758-99-8)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)* Anhydrous form is listed on the DSL as (7758-98-7)

Not listed on the Canadian NDSL (Non-Domestic Substances List)

## Sulfuric acid, aluminum salt (3:2) (10043-01-3)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

Not listed on the Canadian NDSL (Non-Domestic Substances List)

#### international inventories/Lists

Chemical Name (CAS No.)	Australia AICS	Turkey CICR	Korea ECL	EINECS	EU ELINCS	EU SVHC	EU NLP	Mexico INSQ
Sulfuric acid, copper(2+) salt (1:1), pentahydrate (7758-99-8)	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Sulfuric acid, aluminum salt (3:2) (10043-01-3)	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	Yes
Chemical Name (CAS No.)	China IECSC	Japan ENCS	Japan ISHL	Japan PDSCL	Japan PRTR	Philippines PICCS	New Zealand NZIOC	US TSCA
Sulfuric acid, copper(2+) salt (1:1), pentahydrate (7758-99- 8) * Anhydrous form is listed on TSCA as (7758-98-7)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Sulfuric acid, aluminum salt (3:2) (10043-01-3)	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes

## SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION, INCLUDING DATE OF PREPARATION OR LAST REVISION

Date of Preparation or Latest Revision : 05/26/2018

## **Revision Summary**

Section	Change	Date Changed
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### Other Information

: This document has been prepared in accordance with the SDS requirements of the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200 and Canada's Hazardous Products Regulations (HPR).

#### **GHS Full Text Phrases:**

Acute Tox. 4 (Oral)	Acute toxicity (oral) Category 4
Aquatic Acute 1	Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Acute Hazard Category 1
Aquatic Acute 3	Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Acute Hazard Category 3
Aquatic Chronic 1	Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Chronic Hazard Category 1
Aquatic Chronic 3	Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Chronic Hazard Category 3
Eye Dam. 1	Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 1

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Eye Irrit. 2A	Serious eye damage/eye irritation Category 2A
Met. Corr. 1	Corrosive to metals Category 1
Skin Irrit. 2	Skin corrosion/irritation Category 2
H290	May be corrosive to metals
H302	Harmful if swallowed
H315	Causes skin irritation
H318	Causes serious eye damage
H319	Causes serious eye irritation
H400	Very toxic to aquatic life
H402	Harmful to aquatic life
H410	Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects
H412	Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects

**NFPA 704** 

NFPA Health Hazard : 3 - Materials that, under emergency conditions, can cause

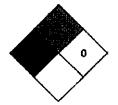
serious or permanent injury.

NFPA Fire Hazard : 0 - Materials that will not burn under typical dire

conditions

NFPA Reactivity Hazard : 0 - Material that in themselves are normally stable, even

under fire conditions.



**HMIS Rating** 

Health : 3 Serious Hazard - Major injury likely unless prompt action is taken and medical treatment is

given

Flammability : 0 Minimal Hazard
Physical : 0 Minimal Hazard
PPE See Section 8

## **Abbreviations and Acronyms**

IDLH - Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances Produced or Imported in

AICS – Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances LC50 - Median Lethal Concentration

ACGIH – American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists LD50 - Median Lethal Dose
AIHA – American Industrial Hygiene Association LOAEL - Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level

AIHA – American Industrial Hygiene Association LOAEL - Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level ATE - Acute Toxicity Estimate LOEC - Lowest-observed-effect Concentration

BCF - Biological Exposure Indices (BEI)

LOG Pow - Octanol/water Partition Coefficient

NFPA 704 – National Fire Protection Association - Standard System for the

CAS No. - Chemical Abstracts Service number Identification of the Hazards of Materials for Emergency Response

CERCLA RQ - Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and
NIOSH - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health
Liability Act - Reportable Quantity
NLP - Europe No Longer Polymers List

CICR - Turkish Inventory and Control of Chemicals NOAEL - No-Observed Adverse Effect Level

DOT – 49 CFR – US Department of Transportation – Code of Federal NOEC - No-Observed Effect Concentration

Regulations Title 49 – Transportation.

Regulations Title 49 – Transportation.

Regulation of the transportation CL - Korea Existing Chemicals List

EINECS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration
PEL - Permissible Exposure Limits

ELINCS - European List of Notified Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

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EmS - IMDG Emergency Schedule Fire & Spillage PDSCL - Japan Poisonous and Deleterious Substances Control Law

ENCS - Japanese Existing and New Chemical Substances Inventory PPE - Personal Protective Equipment

EPA – Environmental Protection Agency

PRTR - Japan Pollutant Release and Transfer Register

EPCRA 304 RQ – EPCRA 304 Extremely Hazardous Substance Emergency

REL - Recommended Exposure Limit

Planning and Community Right-to-Know-Act – Reportable Quantity

ERAP Index – Emergency Response Assistance Plan Quantity Limit

SARA - Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act

ErC50 - EC50 in Terms of Reduction Growth Rate SARA 302 - Section 302, 40 CFR Part 355

ERG code (IATA) - Emergency Response Drill Code as found in the International SARA 311/312 - Sections 311 and 312, 40 CFR Part 370 Hazard Categories

Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)

ERG No. - Emergency Response Guide Number

HCCL - Hazard Communication Carcinogen List

STEL - Short Term Exposure Limit

HMIS - Hazardous Materials Information System

SVHC - European Candidate List of Substance of Very High Concern

ARS - Informational Agrees for Received on Candidate List of Substance of Very High Concern

TDG - Transport Candidate List of Substance of Very High Concern

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IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer TDG - Transport Canada Transport of Dangerous Goods Regulations IATA - International Air Transport Association - Dangerous Goods Regulations TLM - Median Tolerance Limit

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TLV - Threshold Limit Value

TPQ - Threshold Planning Quantity

Safety Data Sheet

According to U.S. Federal Register / Vol. 77, No. 58 / Monday, March 26, 2012 / Rules And Regulations and according to Canada's Hazardous Products Regulation, February 11, 2015.

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IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code INSQ - Mexican National Inventory of Chemical Substances

ISHL - Japan Industrial Safety and Health Law

TSCA - United StatesToxic Substances Control Act

TWA - Time Weighted Average

WEEL - Workplace Environmental Exposure Levels

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# NSF/ANSI/CAN 60 Drinking Water Treatment Chemicals - Health Effects

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Facility: Beaumont, TX

## Sodium Bisulfite[1]

Trade DesignationProduct FunctionMax UseSodium BisulfiteDechlorinator & Antioxidant50mg/LSodium Bisulfite SolutionDechlorinator & Antioxidant50mg/L

[1] This product contains sulfite.

Sulfites have been known to cause potentially lethal

allergic reactions in sulfite-sensitive individuals.

The maximum recommended allowable

residual sulfite level in the finished drinking water is 100 ppb (0.1 mg/L).

#### **Sulfuric Acid**

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
93% Sulfuric Acid	pH Adjustment	50mg/L
98% Sulfuric Acid	pH Adjustment	50mg/L
99% Sulfuric Acid	pH Adjustment	50mg/L

NOTE: Only products bearing the NSF Mark on the product, product packaging, and/or documentation shipped with the product are Certified.

# Chemtrade Solutions LLC (formerly General Chemical LLC)

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#### **Ammonium Sulfate**

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Ammonium Sulfate Solution	Chloramination	40mg/L
Liquid Ammonium Sulfate	Chloramination	40mg/L

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Ferric Sultate		
Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
60% LFS	Coagulation & Floceulation	600mg/L
Fe3	Coagulation & Flocculation	600mg/L
Fer+Ion F10	Coagulation & Flocculation	450mg/L
Fer+Ion F15	Coagulation & Flocculation	336mg/L
Fer+Ion F150	Coagulation & Flocculation	600mg/L
Fer+Ion F1550	Coagulation & Flocculation	600mg/L
Fer+Ion F20	Coagulation & Flocculation	256mg/L
Fer+Ion F250	Coagulation & Flocculation	600mg/L
Fer+Ion F3	Coagulation & Flocculation	600mg/L

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Fer+Ion F350	Coagulation & Flocculation	600mg/L
Fer+Ion F5	Coagulation & Flocculation	600mg/L
Fer+Ion F7	Coagulation & Flocculation	600mg/L
Fer+Ion F750	Coagulation & Flocculation	600mg/L
Ferric Sulfate 50%	Coagulation & Flocculation	600mg/L
Ferric Sulfate 55%	Coagulation & Flocculation	600mg/L
Ferric Sulfate 60%	Coagulation & Flocculation	600mg/L
Ferric Sulfate Solution	Coagulation & Flocculation	600mg/L
Liquid Ferric Sulfate	Coagulation & Flocculation	$600 \mathrm{mg/L}$

## **Polymer Blends**

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Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Fer+Ion 202.5	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Fer+Ion 205	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Fer+Ion 2050	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Fer+Ion 2055	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Fer+Ion 210	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Fer+Ion 2100	Coagulation & Flocculation	200mg/L
Fer+Ion 2105	Coagulation & Flocculation	200mg/L
Fer+Ion 215	Coagulation & Flocculation	166mg/L
Fer+Ion 302.5[PY]	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Fer+Ion 305[PY]	Coagulation & Flocculation	200mg/L
Fer+Ion 3050[PY]	Coagulation & Flocculation	200mg/L
Fer+Ion 3055[PY]	Coagulation & Flocculation	200mg/L
Fer+Ion 310[PY]	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Fer+Ion 3100[PY]	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Fer+Ion 3105[PY]	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L

[PY] Polyamines Certified by NSF International comply with 40 CFR 141.111 requirements for percent monomer and dose.

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## Aluminum Chlorohydrate [AL]

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Gen+Pac® 2370	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+lon® 1090	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 92005[2]	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 92010	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 92015	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L

Hyper+lon® 92020	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 92025	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 92030	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9517	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L

- [2] This product may contain copper and may increase the amount of copper present in the finished drinking water. Following use of this product, the finished drinking water should be monitored to ensure that levels of copper do not exceed regulatory requirements.
- [AL] Based on an evaluation of health effects data, the level of aluminum in the finished drinking water shall not exceed 2 mg/L.

## Aluminum Chlorohydratc/Polyaluminum Chloride[AL]

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
EC-409	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 1030	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 1060	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 2662	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 2767	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 4393	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 5523	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 5848	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 5969	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 6311	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+lon® 6791	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 700	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 8551	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 8673	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 8962	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9084	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9114	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 92006	Coagulation & Flocculation	150mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 92035	Coagulation & Flocculation	150mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 92040	Coagulation & Flocculation	150mg/L
Hyper+lon® 92045	Coagulation & Flocculation	150mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 92050	Coagulation & Flocculation	150mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9213	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9409	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+lon® 1204	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+lon® 2167	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+lon® 3109	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+lon® 5044	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L

Hyper+lon® 800	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+lon® 8551	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+lon® 9128	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+lon® 9313	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
PAC® 2370	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L

[AL] Based on an evaluation of health effects data, the level of aluminum in the finished drinking water shall not exceed 2 mg/L.

### Aluminum Sulfate[AL]

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Alum	Coagulation & Floceulation	400mg/L
Aluminum Sulfate	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Clar+Ion® 9341[CP] [PO]	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Clar+Ion® A1	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Clar+Ion® A10	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Clar+Ion® A3	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Clar+Ion® A5	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Clar+Ion® A7	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Clar+Ion® CS[CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	110mg/L
Clar+Ion® CS12[CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	110mg/L
Clar+Ion® CS4[CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Clar+Ion® CS8[CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	200mg/L
Gen+Pas® 701	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Gen+Pas® 703	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Gen+Pas® 705	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Gen+Pas® 707	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Gen+Pas® 710	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Liquid Alum	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Liquid Alum Acidized 0.5-10.0%	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L

- [AL] Based on an evaluation of health effects data, the level of aluminum in the finished drinking water shall not exceed 2 mg/L.
- [CP] The finished drinking water shall be monitored to ensure that levels of copper do not exceed 1.3 mg/L.
- [PO] The finished drinking water shall be monitored to ensure that levels of manganese

do not exceed 0.05 mg/L.

#### **Ammonium Sulfate**

Trade Designation Product Function Max Use

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Ammonium Sulfate Solution Liquid Ammonium Sulfate	Chloramination Chloramination	40mg/L 40mg/L
Citric Acid[1]		
Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Citric Acid Solution	Membrane Cleaner	NA
Genclean 704	Membrane Cleaner	NA

[1] This product is designed to be used off-line and flushed out prior to using the system for drinking water, following manufacturer's use instructions.

Membrane Cleaner

## Copper Sulfate[CP]

Liquid Citrie Acid

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Aqua-Ox 446[PO]	Algicide	16mg/L
Copper Sulfate Solution	Algicide	16mg/L
Liquid Copper Sulfate 25%	Algicide	16mg/L

- [CP] The finished drinking water shall be monitored to ensure that levels of copper do not exceed 1.3 mg/L.
- [PO] The finished drinking water shall be monitored to ensure that levels of manganese

do not exceed 0.05 mg/L.

## Poly (Diallyldimethylammonium Chloride)(pDADMAC)

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Clar+Ion® P825	Coagulation & Flocculation	50mg/L
Clar+Ion® P830	Coagulation & Flocculation	50mg/L
Clar+Ion® P846	Coagulation & Flocculation	50mg/L
Clar+Ion® P850	Coagulation & Flocculation	50mg/L
Clar+Ion® P855	Coagulation & Flocculation	50mg/L
Clar+Ion® P9160	Coagulation & Flocculation	32mg/L
Clar+Ion® P9161	Coagulation & Flocculation	32mg/L
Clar+Ion® P917	Coagulation & Flocculation	25mg/L

## Polyacrylamide[PC]

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Hyper+Lyte 30	Coagulation & Flocculation	3.5mg/L

[PC] Polyacrylamide Products Certified by NSF International comply with 40 CFR 141.111 requirements for percent monomer and dose.

## Polyaluminum Chloride [AL]

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Gen+Pac® 2370	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 1090	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 92005[2]	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 92010	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 92015	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 92020	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 92025	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 92030	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9517	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L

- [2] This product may contain copper and may increase the amount of copper present in the finished drinking water. Following use of this product, the finished drinking water should be monitored to ensure that levels of copper do not exceed regulatory requirements.
- [AL] Based on an evaluation of health effects data, the level of aluminum in the finished drinking water shall not exceed 2 mg/L.

### **Polymer Blends**

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
Clar+Ion A403P[AL] [PY]	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Clar+Ion® 9100[AL] [CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Clar+Ion® 91008[AL] [CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	200mg/L
Clar+Ion® 91012[AL] [CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Clar+Ion® 91014[AL] [CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Clar+Ion® 91018[AL] [CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	200mg/L
Clar+Ion® 91024[AL] [CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Clar+Ion® 910312[AL] [CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	110mg/L
Clar+Ion® 91034[AL] [CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Clar+Ion® 91042[AL] [CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Clar+Ion® 91044[AL] [CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Clar+Ion® 91048[AL] [CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	200mg/L
Clar+Ion® 91054[AL] [CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Clar+Ion® 91108[AL] [CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	200mg/L
Clar+Ion® 91212[AL] [CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Clar+Ion® 91214[AL] [CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Clar+Ion® 914112[AL] [CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	110mg/L
Clar+Ion® 91414[AL] [CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L

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Clar+Ion® 91734[AL] [CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Clar+lon® A402H[AL] [PY]	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Clar+Ion® A403H[AL] [PY]	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Clar+Ion® A4041[AL] [PY]	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Clar+Ion® A4041M[AL] [PY]	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Clar+Ion® A407.5P[AL] [PY]	Coagulation & Flocculation	333mg/L
Clar+Ion® A410P[AL]	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Clar+Ion® A412P[AL]	Coagulation & Flocculation	208mg/L
Clar+Ion® A4522[AL] [PY]	Coagulation & Flocculation	400mg/L
Clar+Ion® P950[PY]	Coagulation & Flocculation	40mg/L
Clar+Ion® P951[PY]	Coagulation & Flocculation	40mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 92300[AL] [PY]	Coagulation & Flocculation	150mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 92303[AL] [CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	300mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9233[AL] [PY]	Coagulation & Flocculation	150mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 92412[AL] [CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	300mg/L
Hyper+lon® 92413[AL] [CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	300mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 92414[AL] [CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	300mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 92415[AL] [CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	300mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 92416[AL] [CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	300mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 92417[AL] [CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	300mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 92418[AL] [CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	300mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 92419[AL] [CP]	Coagulation & Flocculation	300mg/L

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- [CP] The finished drinking water shall be monitored to ensure that levels of copper do not exceed 1.3 mg/L.
- [PY] Polyamines Certified by NSF International comply with 40 CFR 141.111 requirements for percent monomer and dose.

## Sodium Hydroxide

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Product Function	Max Use
Corrosion & Scale Control	167mg/L
pH Adjustment	
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## Aluminum Chlorohydrate[AL]

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Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
EC-409	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Gen+Pac® 2370	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 1030	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 1060	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 1090	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 2662	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 2767	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 4393	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 5523	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 5848	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 5969	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 6311	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+lon® 6791	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 700	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 8551	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 8673	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 8962	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9084	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9114	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9213	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9409	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
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Hyper+lon® 3109	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+lon® 5044	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+lon® 800	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+lon® 9128	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+lon® 9313	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
PAC® 2370	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L

[AL] Based on an evaluation of health effects data, the level of aluminum in the finished drinking water shall not exceed 2 mg/L.

## Polyaluminum Chloride[AL]

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
EC-409	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Gen+Pac® 2370	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 1030	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 1060	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 1090	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L

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Hyper+Ion® 2662	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 2767	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 4393	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 5523	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 5848	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 5969	Coagulation & Flocculation	$25 \mathrm{omg/L}$
Hyper+Ion® 6311	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 6791	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 700	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 8551	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 8673	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 8962	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9084	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9114	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9213	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9409	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
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Hyper+lon® 1204	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+lon® 2167	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+lon® 3109	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+lon® 5044	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+lon® 800	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+lon® 9128	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+lon® 9313	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
PAC® 2370	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L

[AL] Based on an evaluation of health effects data, the level of aluminum in the finished drinking water shall not exceed 2 mg/L.

## Polymer Blends[AL] [PY]

Trade Designation	Product Function	Max Use
CPL-44420	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
EC-463	Coagulation & Flocculation	43mg/L
Gen+Pac® 1270-20A	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Gen+Pac® 1270-35A	Coagulation & Flocculation	71mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 1001	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+lon® 1055	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 1084	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 1098	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 1246	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 1271	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 1319	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L

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Hyper+Ion® 1339	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 1432	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 1487	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 1530	Coagulation & Flocculation	200mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 1587	Coagulation & Flocculation	40mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 1614	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 1674	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 1814	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 1816	Coagulation & Flocculation	62mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 2061	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 2063	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 2065	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 2107	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 2143	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 2230	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 2248	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 2269	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 2324	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 2411	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 2441	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 2467	Coagulation & Floceulation	250mg/L
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Hyper+Ion® 2558	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 2614	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 2819	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 2908	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 3072	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 3077	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 3108	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 3212	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 3228	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 3238	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 3307	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 3488	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 3530	Coagulation & Flocculation	71mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 3558	Coagulation & Flocculation	$100 \mathrm{mg/L}$
Hyper+Ion® 3602	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 3768	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 3794	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 3872	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 3883	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 3938	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 3948	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 4018	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L

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Hyper+Ion® 4019	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 4035	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 4107	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 4131	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 4195	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 4253	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 4262	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 4362	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 4457	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 4557	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 4602	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 4616	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 4639	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 4654	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 4703	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 4815	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 4948	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+lon® 5022	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 5051	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 5220	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 5244	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 5268	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 5397	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 5417	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 5540	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 5576	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 5632	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 5725	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 5754	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 5791	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 6106	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 6121	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 6205	Coagulation & Flocculation	<b>25</b> 0mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 6351	Coagulation & Flocculation	$100 \mathrm{mg/L}$
Hyper+Ion® 6353	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 6354	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+lon® 6388	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 6481	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 6550	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 6680	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 6844	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 6865	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 6897	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 6902	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L

Hyper+Ion® 701	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 702	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 705	Coagulation & Flocculation	200mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 7080	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+lon® 710	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 7192	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 720	Coagulation & Flocculation	50mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 7224	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 7244	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 725	Coagulation & Flocculation	40mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 7253	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 725D	Coagulation & Flocculation	43mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 7287	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 735	Coagulation & Flocculation	29mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 7420	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 7479	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
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Hyper+Ion® 7832	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 7918	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 7970	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 802	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 805	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 810	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 8135	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 820	Coagulation & Flocculation	125mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 8233	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 8240	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 8302	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 8323	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 8348	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 835	Coagulation & Flocculation	71mg/L
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Hyper+Ion® 8518	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 8608	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
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Hyper+Ion® 8871	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9003	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9020	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9033	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9057	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9079	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+lon® 9123	Coagulation & Flocculation	$250 \mathrm{mg/L}$

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Hyper+Ion® 9127	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9170	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9194	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9291	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9309	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
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Hyper+Ion® 9350	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
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Hyper+Ion® 9442	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9489	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9498	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9607	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9676	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9691	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9743	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9803	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9822	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9863	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9968	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+Ion® 9982	Coagulation & Flocculation	250mg/L
Hyper+lon® 1752	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+lon® 2275	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+lon® 3178	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+lon® 3821	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+lon® 4102	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+lon® 5677	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+lon® 6225	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+lon® 7071	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+lon® 7327	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+lon® 8804	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+lon® 9140	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+lon® 9558	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+lon® 9850	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L
Hyper+lon® 9903	Coagulation & Flocculation	100mg/L

[[]AL] Based on an evaluation of health effects data, the level of aluminum in the finished drinking water shall not exceed 2 mg/L.

[[]PY] Polyamines Certified by NSF International comply with 40 CFR 141.111 requirements for percent monomer and dose.

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