

May 30, 2008

Subject: Request for bids for drilling of Test Well for
City of Sumner

To interested Contractors:

Robinson, Noble, & Saltbush, Inc., is requesting bids for the drilling and testing of an 8-inch test well for the City of Sumner. The City is the Owner and will be contracting the drilling firm. Robinson, Noble, & Saltbush is the hydrogeologic consultant for the project and will be acting as the Owner's representative. The well will be drilled utilizing cable-tool methods unless otherwise authorized. The intent of the project is to land, at a minimum, 8-inch diameter casing at a depth of 500 feet. Before 8-inch drilling can commence an artesian seal with 16-inch and 12-inch diameter casing must be installed to about 120 feet. A performance bond will be required for this project.

Requests for or questions regarding the technical specifications can be addressed to Chandler Ellis at Robinson, Noble & Saltbush, 3011 South Huson, Suite A, Tacoma, WA 98409, or (253) 475-7711. A pre-bid meeting at the drilling site is scheduled for Wednesday, June 11th, Wednesday, at 10:00 A.M. at the City Shop location as indicated on the site map with the technical specifications package.

Included in the package are: 1) Technical specifications, 2) Standard Conditions, 3) Location and site maps, 4) Instructions to Bidders, 5) Log of a nearby well, and 6) Bid forms. Please submit bids to:

Attention: Chandler Ellis
Robinson, Noble & Saltbush, Inc.
3011 South Huson St, Suite A
Tacoma, WA 98409

by **2:00 P.M., Wednesday, June 25, 2008**. Following receipt, all bids will be submitted to the City for final approval. This project is time sensitive and bid cost will not be the only criteria evaluated for contract award. Thank you for providing bids for this project.

Very truly yours,
Robinson, Noble & Saltbush, Inc.

Hydrogeologist