

BID PROPOSAL

PROJECT: 800MHz SEARCHLIGHT NEW GENERATOR PROJECT

LOCATION: Clark County, Nevada

OWNER: San Bernardino County

BID OPENING: October 24, 2023, at 2:00 PM

BIDDER: Arizona West Builders and Communications

San Bernardino County  
 Project and Facilities Management Department  
 385 North Arrowhead Avenue, Third Floor  
 San Bernardino, CA 92415-0184  
 www.pfm.sbcounty.gov

In compliance with your invitation for bids, the undersigned has carefully examined the project Bid Documents, including the drawings and specifications, for the scope of work at the Searchlight, Nevada Project Site, which calls for the demolition of the existing ground tank, MTS, exhaust duct, silencer, day tanks, and racks, new emergency backup power generator with a belly tank, new concrete equipment pad, new ATS, new MTS with Cam-Lock, with minor electrical work, located in Searchlight, Clark County, Nevada and fully understands the scope and meaning of the Bid Documents.

The undersigned hereby agrees to furnish all materials, labor, tools, equipment, apparatus, facilities, and transportation necessary to complete all work in strict conformity with the drawings and specifications, and to execute the contract to the satisfaction of the Project and Facilities Management Department, at the cost(s) noted below.

In case of discrepancy between the written bid set forth and the numerical bid set forth, the written bid shall prevail. In the case of a discrepancy between the written bid or numerical bid set forth on the bid proposal, and the numerical bid set forth in the ePro system, the information on the bid proposal shall prevail.

BASE BID

For the furnishing of the labor, materials, and equipment necessary to complete all work designated in the Plans and Specifications.

The LUMP SUM of Two hundred one thousand Dollars

(\$ 201,000.00)

The above-mentioned BASE BID includes applicable Nevada state sales tax, bonds, insurance and all other costs required to perform all the work described in the project drawings and specifications.

The lowest bid shall be the lowest bid price on the BASE BID. A responsible and responsive bidder who submitted the lowest bid shall be awarded the contract, if it is awarded.

#### BID DEPOSIT (BID BOND)

There is enclosed herewith, a certified check or surety bond in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the BASE BID, or, more specifically, Twenty thousand one hundred Dollars (\$ 20,100.00 ), made payable to the County of San Bernardino. The undersigned agrees that in the event of the failure by the undersigned to execute the necessary contract and furnish the required contract bonds and insurance, the certified check or surety bond and the money payable thereon shall be, and remain, the property of the County of San Bernardino. If the bid is accompanied by a certified or cashier's check, the check shall be deposited by the Real Estate Services Department – Project Management Division, and a County warrant for the full amount shall be issued to the undersigned approximately one month after Contract Award.

If the bid is submitted through the County of San Bernardino Electronic Procurement Network (ePro) then scan the bid security (bid bond) and submit the scanned copy with your bid submittal in ePro, additionally, mail or submit the original bid security, in a separate sealed envelope labeled "Bid Bond" with the title of the work and the name of the bidder clearly marked on the outside, to: Real Estate Services Department – Project Management, 385 North Arrowhead Avenue, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, San Bernardino, California, 92415-0184. **Any mailed or submitted bid security must be received on or before the time set for the opening of the bids.**

#### TIME OF COMPLETION

The undersigned agrees to complete the work within 340 calendar days from the date stipulated in the Notice to Proceed.

#### LIQUIDATED DAMAGES

In the event that all the Work called for in this Contract is not completed within the number of calendar days set forth, Contractor shall forfeit and pay to the County the sum of \$750.00 per day for each calendar day the work remains incomplete, to be deducted from any payments due or to become due to the Contractor. (Reference General Conditions and Special Conditions)

#### REJECTION OF BIDS

The undersigned agrees that the County reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and reserves the right to waive informalities in a bid or bids, not affected by law, if to do so seems to best serve the public interest.

#### VALIDITY OF BIDS

The undersigned agrees that this bid will remain valid for sixty (60) days after the scheduled bid opening.

#### STATE LICENSES

The undersigned hereby certifies that he is currently the holder of a valid Nevada State Contractor's Class "A (any sub-classification) or B" License as a contractor in the State of Nevada and that the license is the correct class of license for the work described in the project drawings and specifications.

#### INSURANCE

The undersigned agrees to furnish certified copies of all insurance policies and endorsements; all certificates of comprehensive, general and auto liability insurance; workers' compensation insurance; and such other insurance that will protect them from claims for damages and personal injury, including death, which may arise from operations under the contract, whether such operation be by the undersigned or by any subcontractor of the undersigned, or anyone directly or indirectly employed by the undersigned or any subcontractor of the undersigned in accordance with Section 11.2 of the General Conditions. **The undersigned agrees to provide the Project and Facilities Management Department with Certificates of Insurance evidencing the required insurance coverage at the time Contractor executes the contract with the County.** All policies (excluding workers' compensation) shall name San Bernardino County and American Tower Corporation and their respective officers, employees, agents and volunteers as additional insureds. All coverages shall be subject to approval by the County for adequacy of protection.

#### BONDS

If this Bid is successful, the undersigned agrees to execute the required Standard Contract and will furnish a payment bond in an amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the contract price and a Faithful Performance Bond in an amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the contract price. These bonds shall be secured from a surety company or companies satisfactory to the County within ten (10) calendar days of the contract award and shall be on County approved bond forms. Bonds shall remain in full force and effect for a period of one year following the date of filing of Notice of Completion.

#### FORMER COUNTY OFFICIALS

Contractor agrees to provide or has already provided information on former County of San Bernardino administrative officials (as defined below) who are employed by or represent Contractor. The information provided includes a list of former county administrative officials who terminated county employment within the last five years and who are now officers, principals, partners, associates or members of the business. The information also includes the employment with or representation of contractor. For purposes of this provision, "county administrative official" is defined as a member of the Board of Supervisors or such officer's staff, Chief Executive Officer or member of such officer's staff, county department or group head, assistant department or group head, or any employee in the Exempt Group, Management Unit or Safety Management Unit.

INACCURACIES OR MISREPRESENTATIONS

If during the course of the bid proposal process or in the administration of a resulting Contract, the County determines that the contractor has made a material misstatement or misrepresentation or that materially inaccurate information has been provided to the County, the contractor may be terminated from the bid proposal process, or in the event a Contract has been awarded, the Contract may be immediately terminated. If a Contract is terminated according to this provision, the County is entitled to pursue any available legal remedies.

VISITING THE SITES

The undersigned has visited the site and is familiar with the local conditions of the work site.

ADDENDA

This bid includes      Addendum No.   1        dated   Sept 28, 2023    
                                 Addendum No.   2        dated   Oct 6, 2023    
                                 Addendum No.                 dated                           

Bidder must acknowledge all addendums above, regardless of any acknowledgment of addendums in ePro.

AFFIDAVIT

The undersigned has submitted with the bid proposal a non-collusion declaration, signed under penalty of perjury, for the principal contractor.

**The undersigned acknowledges it has registered with the ePro system prior to the date and time to receive sealed bids or it will be disqualified.**

The undersigned declares: that the only person or parties interested in this proposal as principals are those named herein; that this bid is made without any connection with any other person or persons making a bid for the same work, except for another division of the undersigned which may submit an independent bid; that the bid is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; that the undersigned has read the Advertisement for Bids and the Instructions to Bidders and agrees to all the stipulations contained therein; that the undersigned has examined the form of contract (including the specifications, drawings, and other documents incorporated therein by reference); that in the event this bid as submitted, including the incorporated bidding documents, be accepted by the County, the undersigned shall execute a contract to perform the work as outlined herein.

If undersigned is a corporation, proposal must be signed by an authorized officer of the corporation.

If the bid proposal is submitted through ePro the undersigned acknowledges that its electronic signature is legally binding.

- Check One:  Sole Proprietor  
 Partnership  
 Corporation  
 Other

Name of Bidder: Arizona West Builders and Communications

Address: 7515 S Atwood Mesa, AZ 85212

Phone: 602-418-1440

Email: marty@azwestbuilders.com

Contractor's License No.: 0082891 Primary Class: A Gen Engineering

Expiration Date of Contractor's License 10/31/23

I declare under penalty of perjury the above is true and correct.

Authorized Signature:  Title: President

Print Name: Carl Guilliams Date: 10/19/23

**NONCOLLUSION DECLARATION**

**TO BE EXECUTED BY BIDDER AND SUBMITTED WITH BID**

The undersigned declares:

I am the President of Arizona West Builders and Communications, the party making the foregoing bid.

The bid is not made in the interest of, or on behalf of, any undisclosed person, partnership, company, association, organization or corporation. The bid is genuine and not collusive or sham. The bidder has not directly or indirectly induced or solicited any other bidder to put in a false or sham bid. The bidder has not directly or indirectly colluded, conspired, connived, or agreed with any bidder or anyone else to put in a sham bid, or to refrain from bidding. The bidder has not in any manner, directly or indirectly, sought by agreement, communication, or conference with anyone to fix the bid price of the bidder or of any other bidder, or to fix any overhead, profit, or cost element of the bid price, or of that of any other bidder. All statements contained in the bid are true. The bidder has not, directly or indirectly, submitted his or her bid price or any breakdown thereof, or the contents thereof, or divulged information or data relative thereto, to any corporation, partnership, company, association, organization, bid depository, or to any member or agent thereof, to effectuate a collusion or sham bid, and has not paid, and will not pay, any person or entity for such purpose.

Any person executing this declaration on behalf of a bidder that is a corporation, partnership, joint venture, limited liability company, limited liability partnership, or any other entity, hereby represents that he or she has full power to execute, and does execute, this declaration on behalf of the bidder.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Nevada that the foregoing is true and correct and that this declaration is executed on October 19, 2023 [date], at Mesa [city], Arizona [state].

Signed:  \_\_\_\_\_

Title: President \_\_\_\_\_

# Bid Bond

**CONTRACTOR:**

*(Name, legal status and address)*

Arizona West Builders and Communications, Inc.

2779 E. Walnut Rd.  
Gilbert, AZ 85298

**OWNER:**

*(Name, legal status and address)*

San Bernardino County  
385 North Arrowhead Avenue  
San Bernardino, CA 92415

**BOND AMOUNT:**

10% of Total Amount Bid

**PROJECT:**

*(Name, location or address, and Project number, if any)* 800MHz Searchlight New Generator, Project No. 10.10.0989

Project Number, if any:

This document has important legal consequences. Consultation with an attorney is encouraged with respect to its completion or modification. Any singular reference to Contractor, Surety, Owner or other party shall be considered plural where applicable.

The Contractor and Surety are bound to the Owner in the amount set forth above, for the payment of which the Contractor and Surety bind themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, as provided herein. The conditions of this Bond are such that if the Owner accepts the bid of the Contractor within the time specified in the bid documents, or within such time period as may be agreed to by the Owner and Contractor, and the Contractor either (1) enters into a contract with the Owner in accordance with the terms of such bid, and gives such bond or bonds as may be specified in the bidding or Contract Documents, with a surety admitted in the jurisdiction of the Project and otherwise acceptable to the Owner, for the faithful performance of such Contract and for the prompt payment of labor and material furnished in the prosecution thereof; or (2) pays to the Owner the difference, not to exceed the amount of this Bond, between the amount specified in said bid and such larger amount for which the Owner may in good faith contract with another party to perform the work covered by said bid, then this obligation shall be null and void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect. The Surety hereby waives any notice of an agreement between the Owner and Contractor to extend the time in which the Owner may accept the bid. Waiver of notice by the Surety shall not apply to any extension exceeding sixty (60) days in the aggregate beyond the time for acceptance of bids specified in the bid documents, and the Owner and Contractor shall obtain the Surety's consent for an extension beyond sixty (60) days.

If this Bond is issued in connection with a subcontractor's bid to a Contractor, the term Contractor in this Bond shall be deemed to be Subcontractor and the term Owner shall be deemed to be Contractor.

When this Bond has been furnished to comply with a statutory or other legal requirement in the location of the Project, any provision in this Bond conflicting with said statutory or legal requirement shall be deemed deleted herefrom and provisions conforming to such statutory or other legal requirement shall be deemed incorporated herein. When so furnished, the intent is that this Bond shall be construed as a statutory bond and not as a common law bond.

Signed and sealed this 8th day of September 2023

*(Witness)* \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Witness)* \_\_\_\_\_

Arizona West Builders and Communications, Inc. *(Seal)*  
*(Principal)* \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Title)* \_\_\_\_\_

RLI Insurance Company *(Seal)*  
*(Surety)* \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Title)* \_\_\_\_\_  
Greg Okonowski Attorney In Fact



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# POWER OF ATTORNEY

## RLI Insurance Company

9025 N. Lindbergh Dr. Peoria, IL 61615  
Phone: 800-645-2402

Bond No. LSM1357200

### Know All Men by These Presents:

That this Power of Attorney is not valid or in effect unless attached to the bond which it authorizes executed, but may be detached by the approving officer if desired.

That the RLI Insurance Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Illinois, and authorized and licensed to do business in all states and the District of Columbia does hereby make, constitute and appoint: Greg Okonowski in the City of Mesa, State of Arizona, as it's true and lawful Agent and Attorney In Fact, with full power and authority hereby conferred upon him/her to sign, execute, acknowledge and deliver for and on its behalf as Surety, specifically for the following described bond.

**Principal:** Arizona West Builders and Communications, Inc.  
**Obligee:** San Bernardino County  
**Bond Amount:** 10% of Total Amount Bid

The acknowledgement and execution of such bond by the said Attorney in Fact shall be as binding upon the Company as if such bond had been executed and acknowledged by the regularly elected officers of the Company.

The RLI Insurance Company further certifies that the following is a true and exact copy of a Resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of RLI Insurance Company, and now in force to-wit:

"All bonds, policies, undertakings, Powers of Attorney or other obligations of the corporation shall be executed in the corporate name of the Company by the President, Secretary, any Assistant Secretary, Treasurer, or any Vice President, or by such other officers as the Board of Directors may authorize. The President, any Vice President, Secretary, any Assistant Secretary, or the Treasurer may appoint Attorneys in Fact or Agents who shall have authority to issue bonds, policies, undertakings in the name of the Company. The corporate seal is not necessary for the validity of any bonds, policies, undertakings, Powers of Attorney or other obligations of the corporation. The signature of any such officer and the corporate seal may be printed by facsimile."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the RLI Insurance Company has caused these presents to be executed by its Vice President with its corporate seal affixed this 8th day of September, 2023.



**RLI Insurance Company**

By: B.W.D.  
Barton W. Davis Vice President

State of Illinois }  
County of Peoria } SS

### CERTIFICATE

On this 8th day of September, 2023, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Barton W. Davis, who being by me duly sworn, acknowledged that he signed the above Power of Attorney as the aforesaid officer of the RLI Insurance Company and acknowledged said instrument to be the voluntary act and deed of said corporation.

I, the undersigned officer of RLI Insurance Company do hereby certify that the attached Power of Attorney is in full force and effect and is irrevocable; and furthermore, that the Resolution of the Company as set forth in the Power of Attorney, is now in force. In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the RLI Insurance Company this 8th day of September, 2023.

By: Catherine D. Geiger  
Catherine D. Geiger Notary Public

**RLI Insurance Company**

By: Jeffrey D. Fick  
Jeffrey D. Fick Corporate Secretary

