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NOTICES

Killingsworth, Administrator.
AVISO DE FECHA LIMITE
 El Consejo Administrativo de West Coke County Hospital District da aviso a su eleccion que da principio el 7 de mayo, 2016 con el proposito de elegir tres (3) directores por plazo de dos (2) años cada uno. Los candidatos pueden obtener las aplicaciones para la inclusion en la votacion entre el 20 de enero 2016 y el 19 de febrero 2016. Las aplicaciones y las peticiones se pueden obtener en las oficinas de Robert Lee Care Center durante el horario normal, 9 am -5 pm, de lunes ha viernes. Cualquiera pregunta puede ser dirigida a Tom Killingsworth, Administrator.

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**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
 CITY OF BRONTE, TEXAS
 WATER SUPPLY IMPROVEMENTS
 TDA PROJECT NO. 7214059**

Separate sealed bids for the construction of WATER SUPPLY IMPROVEMENTS will be received by the City of Bronte, Texas until 1:30 pm, Tuesday February 16, 2016, at City Hall, 114 South Washington Street, Bronte, Texas 76933, and then at said location publicly opened and read aloud. The project includes the construction of 1 water well approximately 330 feet deep, approximately 2,600 linear feet of 4" PVC water line, valves, water line connection, and incidentals. The Contractor shall furnish and install the water well complete with casing, gravel pack, cement, pump, piping, valves, electrical, controls, SCADA, fencing, testing, O&M manual, and placing into operation.

The Contract Documents, consisting of Advertisement for Bids, Information for Bidders, Bid Proposal, Contract, Supply or Warranty Bond, General Conditions, Notice of Award, Notice to Proceed, Plans, Specifications, Addenda (if any) and Project Contracting and Compliance Provisions may be examined at the following locations:

CITY HALL, 114 S. Washington Street, Bronte, Texas 76933, and JACOB & MARTIN, LLC, Consulting Engineers, 3465 Curry Lane, Abilene, Texas 79606

Bids will not be received from bidders who have not obtained original plans and specifications from the City of Bronte or Jacob & Martin. Bids shall be submitted on original documents and the entire specification book must be returned with bid. No faxes or copies of bid sheets will be accepted.

The Owner reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids. Bids may be held by the Owner for a period not to exceed 60 days from the date of bid opening for

the purpose of reviewing the bids and investigating the qualifications of Bidders prior to awarding of the contract.

Copies of the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS must be ordered online at www.jacobmartin.com. Orders for CONTRACT DOCUMENTS may include hard copies for pick up, mail out or digital download via www.jacobmartin.com. Upon verification of online payment, hard copies may be picked up at Jacob & Martin, LLC, located at 3465 Curry Lane, Abilene, TX 79606. Cost for hard copies of the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS will be \$40.00 for 11x17 Half Size Plans. Cost for digital download of CONTRACT DOCUMENTS will be \$20.00. Contractors must purchase a set of CONTRACT DOCUMENTS to be considered a registered plan holder eligible to bid the project.

A certified check or bank draft, payable to the order of the CITY OF BRONTE negotiable U.S. Government bonds (at par value) or a satisfactory Bid Bond executed by the Bidder and an acceptable surety in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the total bid shall be submitted with each bid.

Bidder's attention is called to the fact that not less than the federally determined prevailing wage rate, as issued by the Texas Department of Agriculture and as set forth in the Contract Documents, must be paid on this project, and that the Contractor must ensure that employees and

applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of their race, color, religion, sex, or national origin. Adherence to the grant recipient's Section 3 Policy is required for contracts and subcontracts in excess of \$100,000.00. All contractors/subcontractors that are debarred, suspended or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation on federal assistance programs may not undertake any activity in part or in full under this project.

CITY OF BRONTE, TEXAS
 By: Gerald Sandusky, Mayor
 Date: January 29, 2016

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 and churches and continue to serve beyond their retirement. Paul Gothard urged all school personnel to take advantage of the important legislation and information through Texas Retired Teachers Association's web site at trta.org. The on-line newsletter is a current source of news concerning effects of legislation and retirement income.

It was decided to present each elementary school in Coke County with \$50 donation of new books, and a memorial to June Gully, as well as to support Project Graduation at each high school.

All retired school personnel are encouraged to lend their support to TRTA by joining the Coke County group for good company and good food, as well as keeping on top of retirement

concerns. The next regular meeting will be at noon at the First Baptist Church in Bronte on Monday, February 15.

Free Online Program Helps Farmers and Ranchers with Conservation Efforts

As winter weather continues to hit large areas of Texas, the USDA-Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) wants to remind farmers, ranchers and others about the ease and convenience of using the agency's online Conservation Client Gateway to work with NRCS personnel and local field offices.

"The Conservation Client Gateway web based tool came about because the Natural Resources Conservation Service saw an opportunity using web based technology to be able to expand its client base and not only that, but to facilitate opportunities for our clients and non NRCS clients to have easier access to NRCS services and programs," says Salvador Salinas, Texas NRCS state conservationist.

For farmers and ranchers who do not live close to their local NRCS office, the Conservation Client Gateway offers numerous benefits. For instance, producers can go online and see all their NRCS contracts. They can also digitally sign their contracts online through the secure Conservation Client Gateway

website. And, technical assistance from an NRCS employee is just a click away 24 hours a day, seven days a week online.

Rick Castello of Fayette County was one of the first NRCS producers to adopt the Conservation Client Gateway technology.

"The ability to use this website and to go online and find the forms and make things happen that way allows me to save in many cases 280 miles, which is a lot of time and with the gas prices the way they were, a lot of money, so there is a significant savings monetarily and timewise from it," says Castello. "The other part is it allows me to get things done quicker and frankly more accurately because it's on paper and we know what we are trying to go do."

Castello farms in Fayette County, but lives near Houston and travels for work. He has found that using Conservation Client Gateway not only saves him time and money, but when he travels it allows him to sign paperwork on the go, to access his conservation plans and financial contracts and track payments easily. He can also message the local office if he has questions or needs to set up an appointment during times that he will be at the farm.

For more information about Conservation Client Gateway, visit your NRCS office.

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