

Invitation for Bids

The City of Combes will receive bids for City of Combes Sanitary Sewer System Improvements – GLO Contract No. 23-152-006-E178 bid advertisement on Wednesday, January 14, 2026, and again on Wednesday, January 21, 2026, at City Hall, 21626 Hand Road. Bids must be addressed to: Aida Gutierrez, City Administrator. The bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at 2:00 p.m. CST on Thursday, January 29, 2026 at 21626 Hand Road Combes, Tx 78552.

Pre-Bid Conference: A Pre-Bid Conference will be held on Friday, January 23, 2026, at 2:00 p.m. CST at City Hall 21626 Hand Road, Combes, Texas

Bids are invited for several items and quantities of work as follows:

1. Traffic Control (Refer to "BID PROPOSAL FORM")
2. New Manhole Lid w/ Concrete Collar (Refer to "BID PROPOSAL FORM")
3. Manhole Rehab (Epoxy Coating) (Refer to "BID PROPOSAL FORM")

Bid/Contract Documents, including Drawings and Technical Specifications are on file at 108 W/ 18th Street Mission, Tx 78572.

Copies of the Bid/Contract Documents may be obtained by depositing \$125.00 with Hinojosa Engineering, Inc. for each set of documents obtained. The deposit will be refunded if the documents and drawings are returned in good condition within 10 days following the bid opening.

A bid bond in the amount of 5 percent of the bid issued by an acceptable surety shall be submitted with each bid [for those contracts that exceed \$100,000]. A certified check or bank draft payable to the City of Combes or negotiable U.S. Government Bonds (as par value) may be submitted in lieu of the Bid Bond.

The project to be constructed will be financed with assistance from the General Land Office (GLO) under the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Community Development Block Grant - Disaster Recovery (CDBG-DR) program and is subject to all applicable Federal and State laws and regulations. Attention is called to the fact that not less than, the federally determined prevailing Davis-Bacon and Related Acts wage rate, as issued by the Department of Labor and contained in the contract documents, must be paid on this project. In addition, the successful bidder must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or national origin. Adherence to the City of Combes Section 3 Policy is required for all contracts.

All contractors and subcontractors must be cleared (not suspended or debarred) prior to any formal action authorizing the award of a contract to the contractor. Minority Business Enterprises, Small Business Enterprises, Women Business Enterprises, Section 3 Businesses, and labor surplus area firms are encouraged to submit bids.

The City of Combes reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding. Bids may be held by City of Combes for a period not to exceed 60 days from the date of the bid opening for the purpose of reviewing the bids and investigating the bidder's qualifications prior to the contract award.