

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
Catawba County Bid # 1
Catawba County, NC
Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP)
Grant # HMGP-4146-0004

Project: HMGP Elevation of a Home Located at 4479 Ridge Street, Claremont, NC

Sealed proposals endorsed “**HMGP Elevation of 4479 Ridge Street, Claremont, NC**” are to be furnished to Rick Oxford, Home Program Director and Community Development Administrator with the Western Piedmont Council of Governments, 1880 2nd Ave. NW, Hickory, NC 28601. Bids will be received by the WPCOG until 2:00 P.M. on Thursday, May 11, 2017, at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud in Conference Room A-1 located at the Western Piedmont Council of Governments, 1880 2nd Ave. NW, Hickory, NC 28601.

The bid package includes specifications for the elevation of one (1) residential structures to a Finished Floor Elevation (FFE) above the 100 Year Base Flood Elevation (BFE), including lifting of existing structure; foundation construction; utility relocation and retrofitting; and modifications to steps/porches/decks to comply with the 2012 NC State Residential Building Code. The structures included in this bid package have been inspected by the Project Engineer and are deemed to be suitable for elevation with some minor modifications to the existing superstructure. All foundation construction will be performed in strict accordance with the provisions of the 2012 NC State Residential Building Code, the General Scope of Elevation Work, and Engineering Drawings included in the Bid Package.

Each bid must be submitted in a sealed envelope bearing on the outside the name and address of the Bidder, Contractor's NC License number, the name of the project for which the bid is submitted, the contract number, and the date and time of opening. Sealed bids will be submitted as follows to the attention of Rick Oxford at the Western Piedmont Council of Governments:

1. If mailing: PO Box 9026, Hickory, NC 28603.
2. If hand delivering in person: 1880 2nd Ave. NW, Hickory, NC 28601

A Pre-Bid Conference will be held in Conference room #A-1 at the Western Piedmont Council of Governments, 1880 2nd Ave, NW, Hickory, NC 28601, at 1:00 PM on Thursday, April 27, 2017. Bid documents will be available at the Pre-Bid Conference or in advance by ordering from Appian Consulting Engineers, PA by calling 252.972.7703. There is no charge for receiving standard size bid documents. *Attendance at the Pre-Bid Conference is required for any bidder that has not attended an Elevation project bid by Appian before and bids will not be accepted from new Bidders who does not attend.* Plans may also be viewed at our web site at:

<http://www.catawbanc.appianengrs.com>.

Catawba County reserves the right to reject any and all Bids, to waive any informality in any bid and to re-advertise for bids. No Bidder may withdraw his bid within sixty(60) calendar days after the date set for the bid opening.

The Catawba County Hazard Mitigation Grant Elevation Program (HMGP – Elevation) has been funded by FEMA, and the entire project consists of a single residential structure. The project is

financed with federal funds and will be subject to federal regulations as set forth in the General Provisions of the bid documents.

Catawba County is an equal opportunity employer and encourages participation by historically underutilized businesses, including small, minority, and female-owned businesses.

For Catawba County,

Rick Oxford
Project Manager 828.485.4245