## **REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS**

## Farming of Newdale Wastewater Reuse Land Application Site

The City of Newdale is requesting proposals from qualified and experienced individuals or business entities to conduct the farming operations on its 45-acre wastewater reuse land application site during the growing season of April 1 through October 31 of each year.

It is anticipated a five-year lease agreement will be entered into between the City and the selected offeror – in return for a commitment to operate the facility in accordance with the requirements of the DEQ-issued Wastewater Reuse Permit, together with an annual lease payment to the City for use of the ground and available water as stipulated in the offeror's proposal. The farmer will have ownership of the harvested crops.

Sealed, written proposals are to be delivered to the Newdale City Office, 325 City Street, Newdale, ID 83436 (PO Box 70 for mailed proposals only) no later than 4 PM, Mountain Standard Time, November <u>7</u>, 2024.

Information concerning the Request for Proposal – including background information, instructions on submitting and the form of the proposal, a draft lease agreement, and the DEQ-issued Reuse Permit governing operation of the site – must be obtained by contacting the City Engineer at 208-390-9700. The documentation will be distributed electronically at no cost.

The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals received, to review and make a determination with regard to proposals for a period not to exceed 30 days, and to accept the proposal which is deemed to be in the best interest of the City.

City of Newdale, Idaho

October 24, 2024