

Public Notice

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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
City of Clifton Playground Improvement
CDBG Project. No.: 25-PF-029

OWNER:
City of Clifton
104 E. Parallel St.
Clifton, KS 66937

The City of Clifton will receive sealed bids for the construction of updates to the City of Clifton park at the City Hall, 104 E. Parallel St. in Clifton, Kansas 66937 until **Tuesday June 23, 2026 at 10:00 am**. Bids received after this time will not be accepted. Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at the City Hall immediately after Bid Closing time.

The major items of WORK include: Equipment for two play areas one for children ages 6 months to 5 years; one for children ages 5 years to 12 years of age. Play areas will include, but not be limited to crawling tubes/tunnels, slides, play and activity panels, climbers, platforms, child size picnic table, play house, kaleidoscope, towers, and other general playground activities.

Also, ground cover, border/sidewalks, concrete, rebar, standalone activities such as zip line, or similar will be included.

Will be bid with optional equipment Installation.

Issuing Office for Bidding Documents is: the City of Clifton, address above. Ph: (785) 455-3711, email: cityofclifton@twinvalley.net. Contact is City Clerk, Becky Stephens. For additional information, please reach out to CDBG Administrator, Deb Ohlde at North Central Regional Planning Commission 785-738-2218 or communitydevelopmentadvisor@ncrpc.org. Bidding documents may be examined at the City Hall at the above address, Monday through Friday between 9:00 a.m. and 4p.m.

Bidding Documents. Electronic copies of the Bidding Documents may be obtained by reaching out to either of the above individuals by email. The Owner will be responsible for full or partial sets of Bidding Documents, including Addenda, if any, obtained from sources other than the Issuing Office.

Bid Security of 5% will be required in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders. Bidder qualifications may be required in accordance with Instructions to Bidders. Owner reserves the right to reject any and all Bids and to waive irregularities. If an award is made, it will be to the best and most responsive bidder.

Project Funding. This project is funded by the Kansas Department of Commerce (KDC) CDBG program and local funds.

COMPLIANCE WITH THE FOLLOWING REQUIRED: Federal Davis-Bacon minimum wage rates under the contract (Davis Bacon Act)-*applies to Prime and all subcontractors*; Copeland "Anti-Kickback" Act; Fair Labor Standards Act, and the Contractor Work Hours and Safety Standards Act. Attention of bidders is called to the requirements as to conditions of employment to be observed and Federal prevailing wage rates to be paid under the contract, Section 3 of the 1968 Housing Act, Segregated Facility, Section 109 of the 1984 Housing and Community Development Act, and the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

Equal Employment Opportunity- Bidders on this work will be required to comply with the presidents Executive Order 11246 (Equal Employment Opportunity) as amended. Requirements for bidders and contractors under this order are explained in the project manual.

Excluded Parties List System - Contractors, subcontractors, or suppliers that appear on the Excluded Parties List System at www.sam.gov are not eligible for award of any contracts.

This Advertisement for Bids is issued by City of Clifton, KS

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THE MESSENGER

Future Hope

I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future. — Jeremiah 29:11

This verse could be printed inside a graduation card. It sounds encouraging and positive about the future. We might imagine that these words could be used to give encouragement to someone who has accomplished great things and is on their way to even greater things.

But the Lord was speaking through the prophet to people who were in exile. What's more, they had just heard the news that they would be in exile for many more years before they could return to their homeland. These were not people who had accomplished great things, and they were not people who were feeling positive about their future. They were probably feeling quite discouraged about the exile and about their dim prospects for the future.

To these people—and to us today—God does not promise health and wealth and a great personal life. Instead he promises something so much deeper and better: God promises that he is saving the whole world and that we can be included in that salvation. Our hope for the future rests not in our own selves but in his power and love. In our own exile of sin, God gives us not just a graduation card but certain hope for a future held in his care.

Do you have that hope? Rest in it today!
Scripture Reading — Jeremiah 29:10-14



St Mary Catholic Church
Clifton

Fr. Andrew Rockers
Mass: Sunday Mornings,
8:30 am

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church
Clyde

Fr. Andrew Rockers
212 N High Street
Mass: Saturday
evening @ 5:30 pm,
Sunday morning @ 10:30 am

Brantford Covenant Church

Pastor Michael Ostermann
Sundays: 9:15 am Sunday
School, 10:30 am Worship
Service; Wednesdays at the
Branch: 6:30 pm Adult Bible
Study

The Church of the Last Days

Pastor Bill Walsh
Saturday services at 6:30 pm
in community room of the old
grade school at 620 Broadway
St. Handicap ramp and elevator -
south door

Faith United Church Presbyterian
200 West Highway 9
Clifton

Pastor Suzy Meyer
11:00 am In-Person Worship
(also on Facebook.com)

Clyde Christian Church

Lincoln & Grant Streets
Pastor Marty Singleton
Sunday: 10:30 am Morning
Worship

Agenda United Methodist Church
Pastor Amos McCarthy
Sunday: 9:00 am Worship

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