

## CITY OF HOBOKEN

### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that sealed bids will be received by the representative of the Division of Purchasing, for the City of Hoboken, County of Hudson, State of New Jersey on **August 24, 2016 1:00 PM** prevailing time at, City Hall, Office of the City Clerk, 94 Washington Street Hoboken N.J. 07030 at which time and place bids will be opened and read in public for:

**BID NUMBER: 16 - 09**

#### WASHINGTON STREET REDESIGN

The project generally consists of construction of various roadway improvements on Washington Street including the replacement of 15 new traffic signals, installation of new conduit for an electrical microgrid, replacement of sidewalk, roadway paving and traffic striping. Other improvements to be funded under the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Financing Program (NJEIFP) include the replacement of 12" and 8" water mains, hydrants and approximately 530 water service connections, as well as, construction of up to 15 rain garden structures and various drainage improvements. All work stipulated in the Contract shall be fully completed within five hundred fifty (550) calendar days of the date of mailing, by certified mail, or of receipted delivery, by hand or facsimile, of a Notice to Proceed. Additionally, all work stipulated in the Contract between Observer Highway and Eight Street shall be fully completed within three hundred sixty five (365) calendar days of the date of mailing, by certified mail, or of receipted delivery, by hand or facsimile, of a Notice to Proceed.

Specifications, plans, drawings and contract documents for the proposed work, prepared by the firm of T&M Associates, Consulting and Municipal Engineers, 1455 Broad Street, Suite 250, Bloomfield, NJ 07003 ("Engineer"), are on file in the office of the Engineer and may be inspected by prospective bidders during business hours.

Bidders will be furnished with a copy of the bid documents and plans by the Engineer upon proper notice and payment of a non-refundable charge of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) to defray the cost thereof.

**Bidders are highly encouraged to attend the pre bid conference and walk thru on August 4, 2016 at 10:00 AM prevailing time at City Hall, 94 Washington Street, Hoboken, NJ 07030:**

Bidders are hereby put on notice that this Bid, and the contract entered into thereunder, are subject to liquidated damages for failure to complete the project within the specified time of completion. By submitting a bid, Bidders acknowledge and accept the time of completion and the liquidated damage terms of the bid and underlying contract.

Bidders are required to comply, where applicable, with the requirements of N.J.S.A. 10:5-31 et seq., N.J.A.C. 17:27-1 et seq., New Jersey Statutes Title 19 Fair and Open Process, the City of Hoboken Chapter 20A Fair and Open Process, and all other applicable laws.

All corporations and partnerships must comply with Chapter 33, of the P.L. of 1977, regarding disclosure of partners and stockholders.

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All bids shall be irrevocable, not subject to withdrawal and shall stand available for a period of sixty (60) days.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids pursuant to applicable law and regulations, to waive informalities or irregularities in the bids received and to accept the bid from the lowest, responsive and responsible bidder.

This contract or subcontract is expected to be funded in part with funds from the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP) and the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust (NJEIT). Neither the State of New Jersey, the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust nor any of their departments, agencies, or employees is, or will be, a party to this contract or subcontract or any lower tier contract or subcontract. Portions of this contract are subject to the provisions of NJAC 7:22-3, 4, 5, 9 and 10.

Under the terms of any contract awarded under this invitation for bids, the successful bidder shall fully comply with the requirements, terms, and conditions of the NJDEP's Socially and Economically Disadvantaged Individuals (SEDs) Regulations, NJAC 7:22-3.7(a)24 and 7:22-4.17(a), or 7:22-6.17(a)24 for those portions of the contract being funded by the NJDEP and the NJEIT. Contractor must award not less than 10% of the costs for construction, materials, or services to small business concerns owned and controlled by SEDs.

Bidders are required to comply with the current requirements of N.J.S.A.10:5-31 et. seq. P.L. 1975, c.127 (Affirmative Action); N.J.S.A. 52:25-24.2 P.L. 1977, c.33 (Disclosure of Ownership) and N.J.S.A. 52:32-44P.L. 1999, c. 39, as amended by P.L. 2004, c. 57, (NJ Contractor Business Registration Act).

The contract shall not be approved until a favorable eligibility determination has been made by the New Jersey Department of Transportation.

The successful bidder shall be required to comply with the provisions of the New Jersey Prevailing Wage Act, N.J.S.A. 34:11-56.25 et seq Chapter 150 of the Laws of 1963, effective January 1, 1964 and the Public Works Contractor Registration Act (NJSA 34:11-56.48).

The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informality in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:11-13.2 and/or N.J.S.A. 40A:11-23.2.

**BY ORDER OF THE CITY OF HOBOKEN  
Al B. Dineris, QPA  
Purchasing Agent**