

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sealed bids will be received by the **Borough of Middlesex** for the **Rehabilitation of Sanitary Sewers Phase II Greenbrook Road and Louis Avenue Pump Stations**, Middlesex Borough, Middlesex County, New Jersey.

In general, the work on this project consists of the rehabilitation of (2) two existing wet well mounted lift stations. The first is located in Greenbrook Road and the second in Louis Avenue in Middlesex Borough.

This project is funded in part by the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust Program and the successful Bidder must comply with all the provisions of N.J.A.C. 7:22-9.1 et seq. for the participation of small business enterprises owned and controlled by socially and economically disadvantaged individuals (SED).

Bid forms, contracts and specifications are on file at the office of Remington & Vernick Engineers, 3 Jocama Boulevard, Suite 300-400, Old Bridge, New Jersey 08857.

Said Bids will be received, opened and read aloud in public at the Middlesex Borough Municipal Building located at 1200 Mountain Avenue, Middlesex, Middlesex County, New Jersey 08846-2700 on June 9, 2021 at 11:00 AM prevailing local time.

Copies of the bid forms, contracts and specifications may be obtained from said Remington and Vernick Engineers, by prospective bidders upon request, upon payment of the sum of \$50.00 for each set.

PAYMENT MUST BE RECEIVED PRIOR TO OBTAINING SAID SPECIFICATIONS, EITHER BY MAIL OR IN PERSON.

NO BIDS ARE TO BE DROPPED OFF AT THE ENGINEER'S OFFICE.

The **Borough** reserves the right to consider the bids for sixty (60) days after the receipt thereof, and further reserves the right to reject any or all bids, either in whole or in part and also to waive any informality in any and make such awards or take action as may be in the best interest of the **Borough**.

Bids must be on the bid form prepared by Remington & Vernick Engineers, in the manner designated therein and required by the specifications, must be enclosed in sealed envelopes bearing the name and address of the bidder on the outside and also bearing on the outside reference to the particular work bid upon. Said bids shall be addressed to, **Carmen Modica, Municipal Purchasing Agent, 1200 Mountain Avenue, Middlesex Borough, Middlesex County, New Jersey 08846-2700.**

Each bid shall be accompanied by a certified check, cashier's check or bid bond duly executed by the bidder as principal and having as surety thereon a surety company approved by the **Borough** in an amount not less than ten percent (10%) but in no case in excess of \$20,000.00 of the amount bid. Any such bid bond shall be without endorsement or conditions. Bid shall also be accompanied by a consent of surety from a surety company stating that it will provide the bidder with the completion bond in 100% of the Contract price.

The award of the contract shall be made subject to the necessary moneys to do the work being provided by the **Borough** in a lawful manner. The contract to be executed by the successful bidder will provide that it shall not become effective until the necessary moneys to do the work have been provided by the **Borough** in a lawful manner. The award shall further be subjected to the securing of necessary State, Federal or Local permits governing the work.

Bidders are required to comply with the requirements of N.J.S.A. 10:5-31 et. seq., N.J.A.C. 17:27 (Affirmative Action), P.L. 1963. C150 (New Jersey Prevailing Wage Act), and Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. 12101, et. seq.).

Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 10:5-33, the contractor is further notified that he must comply with P.L. 1975, c. 127.

The contractor is further notified that he must comply with the provisions set forth in the N.J.S.A. 52:32-44 requiring New Jersey Business Registration and the collection of use taxes.

The contractor is further notified that he must comply with P.L. 1977, c. 33, and submit a Disclosure Statement listing stockholders with his bid.

The contractor is further notified that he must comply with P.L. 1999 c.238 Public Works Contractor Registration Act and he and any subcontractors must be registered in accordance with the act.

The contractor is also further notified that he must comply with P.L. 2004 c. 57 and submit proof of business registration and submit proof of business registration for any named subcontractors in accordance with the act.

This contract or subcontract is expected to be funded by in part with funds from the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection and the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust. 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 contractor or subcontract. This contract is subject to the provisions of N.J.A.C. 7:22-3, 4, 5, 9 and 10. In accordance with the provisions of N.J.S.A. 58:11B-26, N.J.A.C. 7:22-3.17(a) 24 and 4.17(a) 24, the contractor (subcontractor) shall comply with all of the provisions of N.J.A.C. 7:22-9.

This Notice shall appear in the Newspaper not less than ten (10) working days before the bid opening; and notice of revisions or addenda to advertisements or bid documents will be as outlined in N.J.S.A. 40A:11-23.

For all contracts the date fixed for receiving the bids shall not fall on Monday, or any other day directly following a State or Federal Holiday as outlined in N.J.S.A. 40A:11-23A.

By Order of the Mayor and Council
Borough of Middlesex, Middlesex County, New Jersey

Dated: May 19, 2021 - 1210T037