

## NOTICE TO BIDDERS

**Notice is hereby given** that sealed proposals will be received by the Purchasing Agent of the Borough of Middlesex, Middlesex Borough, Middlesex County, New Jersey for the **2020 ROAD PROGRAM** and be opened and read in public at the Municipal Building located at 1200 Mountain Avenue, Middlesex, New Jersey, 08846, on **Thursday, July 1, 2021, at 11:00 A.M.** prevailing time.

All work in this contract shall be completed within ninety (60) calendar days.

The Work of this Contract includes following projects: Harris Avenue Improvements, and Chestnut Street Improvements. The scope of work includes, but is not limited to, the installation of curb ramps, detectable warning surfaces, concrete curb, concrete sidewalk, concrete aprons, milling and asphalt paving, resetting and reconstruction of drainage structures, installing new drainage structures, striping, and restoration of the project area.

Contract Documents and Drawings for the proposed work, which have been prepared by the Senior Project Manager, Thomas J. Herits, P.E., of the firm of Colliers Engineering & Design, are available at the office of said Engineer at One River Center – Building Two, 331 Newman Springs Road, Red Bank, New Jersey, and may be inspected by prospective bidders during business hours.

Bidders will be furnished with a copy of the Contract Documents by request upon proper notice and payment of a non-refundable charge of One Hundred dollars (\$100.00) payable to Colliers Engineering & Design to defray the cost thereof. Proposals must be made on the standard Proposal Forms in the manner designated in the Contract Documents, must be enclosed in sealed envelopes bearing the name and address of the Bidder, and the name of the work on the outside; addressed to Carmen Modica, Middlesex Borough Purchasing Agent, 1200 Mountain Avenue, Middlesex, New Jersey, 08846; and must be accompanied by a statement of Consent of Surety from a surety company authorized to do business in the State of New Jersey and acceptable to the Borough and either a Bid Bond or a Certified Check drawn to the order of Treasurer of the Borough of Middlesex for not less than ten percent (10%) of the amount bid, except that the check need not exceed \$20,000.00. The successful bidder is hereby notified that a performance bond for the full amount of the project is required.

The award of the contract for this project will not be made until the necessary funds have been provided by the Borough of Middlesex in a lawful manner.

The Borough of Middlesex or the Engineer reserves the right to require a complete financial and experience statement from prospective bidders showing that they have satisfactorily completed work of the nature required before furnishing proposal forms or specifications, or before awarding the Contract.

Proposals for this Contract will be accepted only from bidders who have properly qualified in accordance with the requirements of the Contract Documents.

The right is also reserved to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities where such informality is not detrimental to the best interest of the Borough of Middlesex. The right is also

reserved to increase or decrease the quantities specified in the manner designated in the Specifications.

The successful bidder shall be required to comply with the following:

- A. Affirmative Action requirements (P.L. 1975, C.127, N.J.S.A. 10:5-1 et. seq.).
- B. The provisions of the New Jersey Prevailing Wage Act (N.J.S.A. 34:11-56.25 et. seq).
- C. Anti-Kickback Regulations under Section 2 of the Act of June 13, 1934, known as the Copeland Act.
- D. Worker and Community Right-to-Know Act (N.J.S.A. 34:5A-1).

Moreover, the bid must be accompanied by a list of names and addresses of all stockholders owning 10% or more of the stock in accordance with the provisions of the Public Disclosure Law (P.L. 1988, C.33, N.J.S.A. 52:25-24.2).

By order of the Council of the Borough of Middlesex, Middlesex County, New Jersey.

Carmen Modica, QPA  
Purchasing Agent