

## **ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS/PUBLIC NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners, County of Trumbull, Ohio, will receive sealed Bids at the office of the Clerk of the Board, 160 High St., NW, Warren, Ohio 44481 until **2:30 p.m., January 19, 2018** for the **Brookfield WWTP Generator Replacement Project** (Trumbull County Project No. 3-S-11), at which time and place all Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

The project is located in Brookfield Township, Trumbull County, Ohio. This project includes furnishing and/or installing all labor, equipment, materials and incidentals required to remove and replace a 500-kW generator at the Brookfield WWTP, a new concrete pad with a reinforced grade beam 8" thick, replacing portions of a chain link fence, removal of a 2,000 gallon UST per BUSTR regulations. This project is located off of Standard Ave. in Masury, Ohio. Any questions are to be directed to Mr. George Sendrey, PE at 330-375-1390 or gsendrey@envdesigngroup.com.

Bids must be in accordance with specifications and on forms available from Environmental Design Group, LLC at 450 Grant Street, Akron, Ohio 44311, at a non-refundable cost of Eighty Dollars (\$80.00) picked up or One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) mailed. A pre-bid meeting will be held on January 4, 2018 at 10:00 am at the Brookfield WWTP, 921 Standard Avenue, Masury, Ohio 44438.

Bids must be submitted using only forms contained in the bound Project Bid Documents and must be sealed in individual envelopes addressed to the **TRUMBULL COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**. The Project name must be clearly shown on the outside the envelope. Full names and address of the party or parties making the Bid and all persons interested therein shall be named in the Bid Documents. Each Bidder must submit evidence of experience on projects of similar size and complexity, along with verifiable references for such work.

Each Bidder must furnish a Bond, signed by a Surety Company authorized to do business in the State of Ohio, in the sum of 100 percent of the amount bid, or a Certified Check, Cashier's Check, or Letter of Credit, revocable only by Trumbull County, equal to 10 percent of the amount bid. Such Bond or check is a guarantee that if the Bid is accepted, a Contract will be entered into and the performance of it properly secured by a Performance and Payment Bond in the amount of 100 percent of the Contract (unless a 153.571 bond is provided with the bid), in accordance with Section 153.54 of the Ohio Revised Code.

All Contractors and Sub-Contractors involved with this project will, to the extent practicable, use Ohio products, materials, services, and labor in the implementation of the Contract. Additionally, Domestic Steel Use Requirements, as specified in Section 153.001 of the Ohio Revised Code apply to this project. Copies of Section 153.001 of the Revised Code can be obtained from any offices of the Department of Administrative Services.

Attention is directed to all bidders that a Non-Collusion Affidavit must be signed. The successful Bidder must sign a statement concerning Personal Property Taxes, in accordance with Ohio Revised Code, Section 5719.042.

Attention is directed to all bidders that Trumbull County adopted a "New" Drug and Alcohol-Free Workplace Policy on September 7, 2016, and terms of this Policy also apply to any Contractor[s] directly reimbursed for services through the County; a copy of the Policy is to be part of proposal; and that each proposal be accompanied by a "Sign-Off Sheet" duly signed by the bidder thereof.

Attention is directed to all bidders that a Safety Statement Affidavit must be signed.

Attention is also directed to all bidders that, pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Sections 307.86 and 307.87, effective 09/26/03, this notice of Bid will be published one time only, with the condition that this notice has been posted to the County's internet site on the worldwide web, found at <http://www.demandstar.com/>. (This notice may also be found on the Commissioners website at [www.commissioners.co.trumbull.oh.us](http://www.commissioners.co.trumbull.oh.us).)

As Owner of the project, Trumbull County reserves the right to reject any or all Bids, to waive any informalities or irregularities in Bids received, to request additional information relative to a Bidder's job experience and/or equipment, to increase, decrease or omit any Item in the Contract Documents, and/or to accept the Bid deemed

most favorable to the County by the lowest, most qualified Bidder. If, in the opinion of Trumbull County or a delegated representative thereof, the lowest Bid is not deemed most qualified or favorable and in the best interest of the County, the County may accept another Bid so opened or reject all Bids and re-advertise for other Bids.

A Contract shall be awarded to the lowest and/or best Bidder as soon as practical after Bid opening, subject to the reservation of the preceding paragraph. The successful Bidder must enter into a Contract with Trumbull County within 10 days after receipt of the formal 'Notice of Award'.

No bidder may withdraw his bid for a period of 60 days after the time of opening bids.

State Prevailing wages are required for this project.

Substantial Completion by 150 Days from Notice to Proceed.

Restoration and Ready for Final Payment - 30 days from date of Substantial Completion.

Liquidated damages at \$750/calendar day shall apply after the Substantial Completion date. Restoration and Ready for Final Payment Date shall be thirty (30) days after date Substantial Completion was scheduled or adjusted by Change Order, or earlier if actual date. Liquidated damages after Restoration and Ready for Final Payment Date of \$250/day shall apply. Liquidated damages are cumulative if damages from Substantial Completion and Ready for Final Payment overlap.

BY ORDER OF THE TRUMBULL COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:

Frank S. Fuda, President; Mauro Cantalamessa; Daniel E. Polivka

By: Paulette A. Godfrey, Clerk/Interim Administrator

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