

NOTICE OF BID

Township of Lawrence
County of Mercer

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received and publicly opened and read at the Lawrence Township Municipal Building, Lower Conference Room, 2207 Lawrence Road, Lawrence Township NJ 08648 at 11:00 a.m. prevailing time on August 9, 2023 for the project known as **Bid 23-09: Lawrence-Hopewell Trail Maidenhead Meadows Trail Segment – DVRPC FY 2018 Competitive COMA, Federal Job No. CMAQ-D00S (429), New Jersey Department of Transportation Job No. 6507306.**

The bid shall provide for the installation of approximately 2,163 linear foot ten-foot wide boardwalk with one (1) thirty-foot and one (1) fifty-foot clear span (bridge) and 250 linear foot porous pavement trail on Lawrence Township's Maidenhead Meadows property. The boardwalk and clear spans shall be constructed at an elevation above the New Jersey Flood Hazard Area Design Flood Boundary elevation. The two clear spans will be over the Shipetauken Creek and a tributary to the Shipetauken Creek, where no pilings may be installed within the stream channel banks. The porous pavement portion of the trail will be 10' wide, constructed to match existing adjacent grades. It is anticipated that a construction contract will be awarded on September 19, 2023 subject to the availability of funds in the 2023 Adopted Budget and 2023 Capital Plan. Construction shall commence on or about November 6, 2023 and shall be completed August 28, 2024.

Proposals are being solicited through a fair and open process in accordance with N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.2, et seq., and as such, contractors are exempt from the limitations on making political contributions under that law. Further, for that reason, as well as because of a language in the New Jersey's Annual Appropriations Act, refusal to disclose campaign contributions otherwise required by N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.2 et seq., and 19:44A-20.25 et seq., will not adversely affect your consideration for award.

The Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) goal is four-percent (4%). These requirements are indicated on Federal Attachment No. 1.

The number of Training Positions will be 0 (where feasible consisting of at least Zero (0) Apprentices and Zero (0) Apprentice Graduates of the P.A.P. and/or Trainees (Total Trainees Hours = 0). These requirements are indicated on Federal Attachment No. 2.

Signed bids shall be submitted in a sealed envelope, addressed to the Engineering Department with the name of the project printed on the face of the envelope. Bids must be made on the proposal forms included with the bid specifications.

Bidders must comply with the regulations of N.J.S.A. 10:5-31 et seq. and N.J.A.C. 17:27 - 1 et seq.

Plans, Specifications, Instructions and Statutory Requirements and other bid information may be obtained by contacting James Parvesse at jparvesse@lawrencetwp.com or 609 844 7087 in the Engineering Department, Lawrence Township Municipal Building, 2207 Lawrence Road, Lawrence Township NJ 08648, beginning July 6, 2023 during regular business hours, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. Bids are available in both digital or hard copy and no fee is required.

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