

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Allen County Commissioners, at 301 N. Main St., Courthouse, Lima, Ohio 45801 until **11:00 a.m., on Thursday, September 3, 2009** for furnishing all labor, materials and equipment necessary to complete the Project known as **WOODBRIAR PUMP STATION**, at which time they will be opened and publicly read.

Separate proposals are requested for the General Work and Electrical Work. The proposed work consists of: **GENERAL:** furnish and install 302 lf sanitary sewer, 4 each sanitary manholes, 1 each pump station, 2655 lf 6" force main and all related items shown on the Drawings and called for in the Specifications. **ELECTRICAL:** install a 40 kw standby generator and related electrical work as shown on the Construction Drawings and called for in the Specifications.

Copies of the Construction Drawings, Specifications and other Contract Documents may be obtained or examined at the office of Allen County Sanitary Engineering Dept. located at 3230 N. Cole St., Lima, OH.

A **non-refundable** payment of **fifty (\$50.00) dollars** will be required for each set of Drawings, Specifications and Contract Documents taken from the above office. Checks shall be made **payable to Allen County Sanitary Engineering Dept.**

Each Bidder is required to furnish with its proposal, a Bid Guaranty and Contract Bond in accordance with Section 153.54 of the Ohio Revised Code. Bid security furnished in Bond form, shall be issued by a Surety Company or Corporation licensed in the State of Ohio to provide said surety.

Each bid shall contain the full name of each person or company interested and shall be accompanied by a bond or certified check made payable to the Board of Allen County Commissioners equal to at least ten (10%) percent of the bid upon the condition that if the bid is accepted, a contract will be entered into within ten (10) days. A Performance Bond and the Maintenance Guarantee Bond of one hundred (100%) percent of the amount of the contract, with satisfactory corporate sureties, will be required for the faithful performance of the work.

This Project is being constructed in part with American Recovery & Reinvestment Act (ARRA) funds. This Project will be subject to Davis-Bacon Prevailing Wage Rates, Buy American requirements, Disadvantaged Business Enterprises utilization and related Federal Regulations.

Bids shall be sealed and endorsed Board of Allen County Commissioners – WOODBRIAR PUMP STATION, BATH TOWNSHIP, ALLEN COUNTY, OHIO – GENERAL or ELECTRICAL.

The bidder's attention is called to the necessity of starting the work at once upon receipt of the written Notice to Proceed.

No bidder shall be permitted to withdraw his bid for a period of sixty (60) days after the time of opening bids.

The Board of Allen County Commissioners reserves the right to accept or reject all proposals or to waive all informalities or irregularities in the bidding. The contracts will be awarded based on the lowest and best bid or the lowest responsible bid as approved by law.

By Order of the
Board of Allen County Commissioners

Clerk of Board

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