

SECTION 00020

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids for constructing the **Kenwood Road Utility and Roadway Improvement Project** will be received by the Sycamore Township Trustees (OWNER) administration office, 8540 Kenwood Road, Cincinnati, Ohio 45236 until **10:00 a.m., Local Time on January 14, 2013**, at which time the bids will be opened, tabulated, and read aloud. The OWNER reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive informalities and to negotiate with the apparent lowest, responsive, responsible bidder to such extent as may be in the OWNER'S best interest.

This project consists of moving existing overhead utility lines and services underground and roadway reconstruction. Bids shall be tabulated on a unit price basis and evaluated on the resultant lump sum.

Bidding Documents may be examined at the following locations:

Sycamore Township
8540 Kenwood Road
Cincinnati, OH 45236
Contact: Tracy Kellums

Allied Construction Industries
3 Kovach Drive
Cincinnati, OH 45215
Phone: (513) 221-8020

Copies of the bidding Documents are available for purchase from Phipps Reprographics, 6920 Plainfield Road, Cincinnati, OH 45236, phone: (513) 793-1030, fax: (513) 793-1107 **at the cost of reproduction**. Neither the OWNER nor the ENGINEER will be responsible for full or partial sets of Bidding Documents, including any addenda, obtained from other sources.

A Pre-Bid Meeting will be held on Friday, December 21, 2012 at 10:00 a.m., local time at Sycamore Township Administration Building. All interested bidding contractors are strongly encouraged to attend; attendance is not required for bid submission.

Contractor and all Subcontractors will be required to conform to the labor standards set forth in the Contract Documents. This project **does** fall under the provisions of O.R.C. Section 4115 for prevailing wage rates.

Bidders shall provide bid security and proof of qualifications to perform the Work as described in the Instructions to Bidders. Bidders must comply with all statutory requirements in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders.

A Bid must be made on the Bid Form bound in the Specifications book. The Bid Form shall not be separated from the Specifications book, nor shall it be altered in any way. The entire Specification book must be submitted.

The Successful Bidder shall furnish a 100 percent Performance Bond and a 100 percent Payment Bond with a Surety company satisfactory to the OWNER. Performance and Payment Bond shall be for the total Lump Sum amount for the combination of the two project sets.

OWNER reserves the right to reject any or all Bids and to waive any irregularities in bidding.

++END OF NOTICE TO BIDDERS++