

## BOROUGH OF OCEANPORT NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the Borough of Oceanport, Monmouth County, New Jersey (the "**Owner**") for BOROUGH DRAINAGE SYSTEM TIDAL VALVE INSTALLATION – PHASE I project and be opened and read in public at the Borough of Oceanport, 910 Oceanport Way, Oceanport, New Jersey on Thursday, September 29, 2022 11:00 AM prevailing time.

The Project consists of installation of up to ten check valves at various locations of the Borough's drainage system to minimize nuisance flooding. All work on this contract must be completed within 90 calendar days from issuance of a Notice to Proceed.

Contract documents and drawings for the proposed work which has been prepared by William H. R. White, III, PE, PP, CME, CFM, CPWM, of the firm Colliers Engineering & Design Inc. (DBA Maser Consulting), will be on file at the below date in the Borough of Oceanport, 910 Oceanport Way, Oceanport, New Jersey.

Bidders will be furnished with a copy of the Contract Documents by request upon proper notice and payment of a non-refundable charge of \$ 150.00 payable to Colliers Engineering & Design Inc. (DBA Maser Consulting) to defray the cost thereof. The Contract Documents will be available for purchase at the below date at the Engineer's Office, Colliers Engineering & Design Inc. (DBA Maser Consulting), 331 Newman Springs Road Suite 203, Red Bank, NJ 07701, 732 383 1950.

The Contract Documents will be available during business hours beginning on Wednesday, September 7, 2022 8:00 AM.

Proposals must be made on the standard proposal forms included with the Contract Documents 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 project on the outside and be addressed to the Borough of Oceanport, 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 Owner and either a bid bond or a certified check drawn to the order of the Borough of Oceanport for not less than ten percent (10%) of the amount bid, except that the check shall not exceed \$20,000.00. The successful bidder is hereby notified that a performance bond and labor and material (payment) bond for the full amount of this project is required.

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

A pre-bid non-mandatory site visit conference will start at 910 Oceanport Way on September 20, 2022, 10:00 AM.

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

All Bids shall be submitted in sealed envelopes addressed to the Mayor and Council, Borough of Oceanport, the envelope shall have marked conspicuously on its face on the top right-hand side in letters not less than one inch the word "**Public Bid**" followed immediately below those words in letters

not less than one half inch high: **“BOROUGH DRAINAGE SYSTEM TIDAL VALVE INSTALLATION – PHASE I”** and underneath that **“To be received on Thursday, September 29, 2022, at 11:00 am.”**

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 Owner, except as to those items which are deemed mandatory and non-waivable set forth in N.J.S.A. 40A:11-23.2. Further, the Owner reserves the right to abandon the project and reject the bids entirely if any legal or state or federal administrative action is taken against the Owner which could delay or jeopardize the project from commencing. 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 all applicable statutory and regulatory requirements, which include but are not limited to the affirmative action requirements of P.L. 1975, c. 127, N.J.S.A. 10:5-31 et seq. and N.J.A.C. 17:27-1 et seq.

Bidders will be required to comply with the public disclosure provisions of N.J.S.A. 52:25-24.2.

By order of the Borough of Oceanport, Monmouth County, New Jersey

Jeanne Smith, RMC, Borough Clerk