VILLAGE OF GRATIS, OHIO ADA DOTY STREET IMPROVEMENTS

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed bids will be received at the Board of Preble County Commissioners (Contracting Authority) on behalf of the Village of Gratis, Ohio (Owner) at the Preble County Courthouse, 101 East Main Street, Eaton, Ohio, 45320 until <u>11:00</u> <u>A.M. (local time), on August 2, 2017</u> for furnishing all labor, materials, and equipment necessary to complete the project known as <u>Village of Gratis - Ada Doty Street Improvements</u>. The bids will then be publicly opened and read aloud during the regular session on the same day. The work for which proposals are invited consists of installation of 1,905 L.F. water main, 1,054 L.F. storm sewer, 10,732 S.F. sidewalk, 1,910 L.F. curb and gutter, driveway approaches, and all related appurtenances.

The Contract Documents including Specifications may be examined or obtained from the Issuing Office of the Consulting Engineer, Mote & Associates, Inc., 214 West Fourth Street, Greenville, Ohio 45331 (937.548.7511) or the office of the Preble County Commission at 101 East Main Street, Eaton, Ohio 45320. A non-refundable charge for the Contract Documents is required in the amount of \$90.00 per set, payable to Mote & Associates, Inc. An additional non-refundable handling charge of <u>\$15.00</u> will be required if documents are to be shipped. An electronic version of the Contract Documents is also available for a non-refundable charge of \$25.00. The Owner and/or Engineer will not be responsible for full or partial sets of Bidding Documents, including Addenda if any, obtained from sources other than the Engineer. Proposals will only be accepted from bidders who have purchased the Contract Documents from Mote & Associates, Inc. and are registered as a planholder.

Each Bidder is required to furnish with its proposal a Bid Bond or certified check 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 Proposal must contain the full name of the party or parties submitting the Proposal and all persons interested therein. Each Bidder must submit evidence of its experience on projects of similar size and complexity, and a complete list of all subcontractors to be used. The Owner intends and requires that the project be substantially complete with the exception of the sidewalk, drive approaches, and seeding and mulching no later than November 15, 2017, with those remaining items completed on or before April 13, 2018. No bidder may withdraw his bid within sixty (60) days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

Additionally, attention is called to all requirements contained in the Contract Documents and on the plans, particularly to the Federal Labor Standards Provisions including Davis-Bacon Prevailing Wage Rates, various insurance requirements, equal opportunity provisions, and the required 100% Performance and Payment Bond.

DOMESTIC STEEL USE REQUIREMENTS AS SPECIFIED IN OHIO REVISED CODE SECTION 153.011 APPLY TO THIS PROJECT. COPIES OF SECTION 153.011 CAN BE OBTAINED FROM ANY OF THE OFFICES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES OR THROUGH <u>HTTP://CODES.OHIO.GOV/ORC/153.011</u>.

The Board of Preble County Commissioners and the Village of Gratis reserve the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, to waive any informalities in the bidding, and to enter into a contract with the bidder whom in their consideration offered the lowest and best proposal.

This legal advertisement is also published on the Preble County Commissioner's website. To access the legal notice, click on "legal ads" on the left side of the homepage at www.prebco.org. Once the "Legal Ads" page is displayed, click on the project name under "Bids".

By Connie L. Crowell, Clerk BOARD OF PREBLE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

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