

BOROUGH OF RARITAN
NOTICE TO BIDDERS {tc "NOTICE TO BIDDERS " \ 2}

For Sherman Avenue Sidewalk Improvements

NOTICE TO BIDDERS is hereby given that sealed Bids are invited and will be received as set forth herein.

OWNER: Borough of Raritan, Somerset County, New Jersey

PROJECT TITLE: Sherman Avenue Sidewalk Improvements

GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT: This project includes installation of concrete sidewalk and handicapped ramps on Sherman Avenue from Thompson Street to Route 206. Existing sidewalk and curb will be removed and replaced as required to achieve compliance with the American with Disabilities Act.

ADDRESS FOR SUBMITTING BIDS: Borough of Raritan, 22 First Street, Raritan, NJ 08869

ENGINEER'S NAME AND ADDRESS:

VAN CLEEF ENGINEERING ASSOCIATES
755 Memorial Parkway, Suite 110, Phillipsburg, NJ 08865
ATTN.: Stanley J. Schrek, PE, AIA, PP, CME, LEED AP
Phone: 908-454-3080

ENGINEER'S PHYSICAL ADDRESS:

VAN CLEEF ENGINEERING ASSOCIATES, same as above.

EXAMINATION OF CONTRACT DOCUMENTS:

Contract Documents may be examined Monday through Friday, except legal holiday, from 9:00AM to 4:00PM, only at the office of the Engineer at the address set forth above.

OBTAINING CONTRACT DOCUMENTS:

Contract Documents may be obtained only from the office of the Engineer at the address and hours set forth above upon payment of One-Hundred dollars (\$100.00) for each set of Contract Documents. All refunds must be forwarded in strict compliance with N.J.S.A. 40A:11-24(b).

BID SECURITY:

Bid Security is required in an amount of not less than ten percent (10%) of the total amount of the Bid, but not in excess of Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000.00) as set forth in N.J.S.A. 40A:11-21

CONSENT OF SURETY:

Certificate from a Surety Company is required indicating consent to be bound as surety and guarantor for performance required under the Contract Documents.

BID SUBMISSION PROCEDURES:

Bids must be submitted on the Bid Form contained in the Contract Documents and must be enclosed in a sealed envelope plainly marked on the outside with the name of project and the name and address of the Bidder. The Bid must be delivered to the Owner prior to Bid opening at the above address for submitting Bids. Bids will not be accepted after Thursday, April 4, 2013 at 10:00 AM.

CONTRACTOR REGISTRATION:

Bidders are required to be registered by the **New Jersey Department of Labor** at the time bids will be received by the Project Owner pursuant to the Public Works Contractor Registration Act (P.L. 2003, c. 91, N.J.S.A. 34:11-56.51). Effective September 1, 2004, Bidders are also required to be registered by the **New Jersey Department of Treasury, Division of Revenue** at the time bids will be received by the Project owner pursuant to the Business Registration Act (P.L.2004, c.57, N.J.S.A.52:32-44).

PUBLIC BID OPENING AND READING:

Date: Thursday April 4, 2013

Time: 10:00 AM

Place: Borough of Raritan, 22 First Street, Raritan, New Jersey 08869

STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS:

Bidders are required to comply with applicable statutory requirements set forth in the Contract Documents including the requirements of N.J.S.A. 10:5-31, et seq. & N.J.A.C. 17:27-1.1, et seq. (Affirmative Action); P.L. 1963, c. 150 (Prevailing Wage); Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. 12101, et seq.); and P.L.2004, c.19 & P.L.2005, c.271 (Pay to Play). In addition, effective August 1, 2005, P.L. 2005, c.67 authorized a new form of change order called "Value Engineering Construction Change Orders." Please review these specifications to determine if this bid will involve this new form of change order for contracts that are estimated to exceed \$5,000,000.00.

REJECTION OF BIDS:

The Borough of Raritan reserves the right to reject any or all Bids, or to waive any Bid defect where such defect is not detrimental to the best interest of Borough of Raritan and fairness of the bidding process. The right is also reserved to increase or decrease the quantities specified in the manner designated in the Contract Documents.

BY THE ORDER OF THE BOROUGH OF RARITAN, SOMERSET COUNTY, NEW JERSEY.

Rayna E. Harris, Borough Clerk