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## **ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

## HOBART SANITARY AND STORMWATER DISTRICT HOBART, INDIANA 2022 SANITARY SEWER REHABILITATION PROJECT

Hobart Sanitary and Stormwater District (Owner) is requesting Bids for the construction of the following Project:

Sanitary Sewer Rehabilitation 21-0900

Sealed bids for the construction of the Project will be received at the Office of the Clerk/Treasurer located at Hobart City Hall, 414 Main Street, Hobart, Indiana, until April 5<sup>th</sup>, 2023 at 10:00am local time (central). At that time, the time for submitting bids will be declared closed and Bids timely received will be publicly opened and read.

The Project includes the following Work:

Approximately 1,925 LF of sanitary sewer lining ranging from 8" to 15" sewers, cement lining sanitary sewer manholes, and other appurtenant work. Work to be performed in three different locations in the City of Hobart.

Obtaining the Bidding Documents

Information and Bidding Documents for the Project can be found at the following designated website: https://www.abonmarche.com/bids/

Bidding Documents may be downloaded from the designated website. Included in the Bidding Documents are reports generated from televised inspections. Videos of the inspections can be requested from Jake Manzo <a href="mailto:jmanzo@abonmarche.com">jmanzo@abonmarche.com</a>. Prospective Bidders are urged to register with the designated website as a plan holder, even if Bidding Documents are obtained from a plan room or source other than the designated website in either electronic or paper format. The designated website will be updated periodically with addenda, lists of registered plan holders, reports, and other information relevant to submitting a Bid for the Project. All official notifications, addenda, and other Bidding Documents will be offered only through the designated website. Neither Owner nor Engineer will be responsible for Bidding Documents, including addenda, if any, obtained from sources other than the designated website.

The Bidding and Contract Documents, including Bidders Procedure Checklist for Construction Services, Official Notice to Bidders, Instructions to Bidders, Bid Proposal Form, Form of Bid Bond, Agreement, Form of Performance Bond, Form of Payment Bond, General Conditions, Supplementary Conditions, Specifications, Drawings and Addenda, if any, may be examined at the following locations:

Administrative Offices
Office of the Clerk/Treasurer
414 Main Street
Hobart, IN 46342

Consulting Engineer Office
17 North Washington Street
Valparaiso, Indiana 46383
219.850.4624

A pre-bid conference for the Project will not be held.

Two (2) copies of the Bid Package should be submitted and must be accompanied by a certified or cashier's check on a solvent bank or trust company, drawn to the order of the Hobart Sanitary and Stormwater District, or an acceptable Bid Bond, in an amount of not less than ten percent (10%) of the total Bid for the Project. This sum is a guarantee that, if the Bid is accepted, a contract will be entered into and its performance properly secured.

Bid security of all excepting the three lowest, responsive, responsible Bidders will be returned within thirty (30) days after the opening of bids. Any Bidder whose Bid security has been retained may, after thirty (30) days from the opening of Bids, request return of his Bid security provided he has not been notified of

acceptance of his Bid. The Bid security of the successful Bidder will not be returned until Bidder delivers the required signed contract and Performance Bond.

Any Bid may be withdrawn prior to the scheduled time for the opening of Bids or authorized postponement thereof. However, no Bid may be withdrawn for sixty (60) days after the scheduled time for opening, unless agreed to by the OWNER.

The award of the contract will be made by the OWNER. In determining who is the lowest, responsive, responsible Bidder, the OWNER will consider the Bid, and all other relevant facts or matters mentioned in the Contract Documents or which the Sanitary District Board may legally consider in determining the lowest, responsive, responsible Bidder.

The Sanitary District Board reserves the right, after all Bids have been examined and tabulated, to waive any informalities and insubstantial defects in any Bid; to accept the Bid which it deems to be the lowest, responsive, and responsible; and to reject any and all of the Bids received. All Bid awards are made subject to an appropriate contract being finalized between the Sanitary District Board and the winning Bidder.

Questions about these Bidding Procedures should be directed to the City of Hobart Attorney, Ms. Heather McCarthy, tel. (219) 942-4844, email address: hmccarthy@cityofhobart.org.

Questions about the drawings and specifications should be directed to the Engineer, Charles Thompson, P.E., tel. (219) 850-4624, email address: cthompson@abonmarche.com.

## Instructions to Bidders.

For all further requirements regarding bid submittal, qualifications, procedures, and contract award, refer to the Instructions to Bidders that are included in the Bidding Documents.

This Advertisement is issued by:

Owner: Hobart Sanitary and Stormwater District

By: Phillip Gralik
Title: City Engineer
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