## **Notice to Bidders**

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the Mayor and Township Council of the Township of Brick, Ocean County, New Jersey for "2023 Road Program – Lakewood Gardens (1.86 Miles)" and be opened and read in public in the Court Room at Township of Brick, 401 Chambers Bridge Road, Brick, New Jersey, on Wednesday August 23 at 11:00 AM prevailing time.

All work on this contract shall be completed within forty-five (45) calendar days.

Contract Documents and Drawings for the proposed work, which have been prepared by Theodore Wilkinson, P.E. of the firm of Colliers Engineering & Design, Inc. (DBA Maser Consulting), are available at the Township of Brick Municipal Building, located at 401 Chambers Bridge Road, Brick, NJ, and may be inspected and/or purchased by prospective bidders between the hours of 9:00 AM and 4:00 PM.

## The project scope includes milling, base repair, asphalt paving, installing stormwater pipes, replacing inlets, inlet grates & curb pieces, new curb in selected locations, replacement of existing concrete curb, restoration, striping, and other miscellaneous work.

Bidders will be furnished with a copy of the Contract Documents by request upon proper notice and payment of a non-refundable charge of Fifteen Dollars (\$15.00) payable to Township of Brick at the Brick Township Municipal Building to defray the cost thereof. Contract documents can be paid for in the form of a check, cash, or credit. Payments made via credit card or cash can only be accepted in person.

Proposals must be made on the standard Proposal forms 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 Township Clerk, 401 Chambers Bridge Road, Brick, New Jersey 08723, 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 Township of Brick and either a Bid Bond or a Certified Check drawn to the order of Treasurer of the Township of Brick 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 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 Township of Brick in a lawful manner.

The Township or the Engineer reserves the right to require a complete experience statement from prospective bidders showing that they have satisfactorily completed work of the nature required before awarding the Contract.

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

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 Township. 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 the following:

- A. Affirmative Action requirements (P.L. 1975, C.127, <u>N.J.A.C.</u> 17:27, <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 10:5-31 <u>et seq</u>.).
- B. The provisions of the New Jersey Prevailing Wage Act (<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 34:11-56.25 <u>et seq</u>.).
- C. Anti-Kickback Regulations under Section 2 of the Act of June 13, 1934, known as the Copeland Act.
- D. Worker and Community Right-to-Know Act (<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 34:5A-1).
- E. New Jersey Business Registration Certificate (P.L. 2004 C.57 & P.L. 2009, c.315).
- F. Disclosure of Investment Activities in Iran (P.L. 2012, C.25).
- G. Prohibited Activities in Russia and Belarus (P.L. 2022, C.3).

Moreover, the bid must be accompanied by a list of names and addresses of all stockholders owning 10% or more of the stock in accordance with the provisions of the Public Disclosure Law (P.L. 1988, C.33, N.J.S.A. 52:25-24.2).

By order of the Mayor and Township Council of the Township of Brick, Ocean County, New Jersey.