

TOWN OF MANSFIELD
AUDREY P. BECK BUILDING
4 SOUTH EAGLEVILLE ROAD
MANSFIELD, CONNECTICUT 06268
Office of the Town Manager

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids for the construction of the following project will be received by the Town of Mansfield, Connecticut at the Office of the Director of Finance, 4 South Eagleville Road, Mansfield, CT 06268 until 2:00 p.m., July 23, 2012, at which time they will be publicly opened and read.

VILLAGE STREET
AND
TRANSIT PATHWAYS
CONTRACT NO. 1 – ROADS AND UTILITIES

The Town of Mansfield hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation, and they will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, national origin or sex, in consideration for an award.

Plans, specifications and proposals for the above project may be examined in the Engineering Office of the Town of Mansfield, Town Office Building, 4 South Eagleville Road, Mansfield, CT 06268.

The minimum rates to be paid labor of the various classifications shall be in accordance with the current schedule of wages established by the Federal and State Departments of Labor as provided in the General Statutes of Connecticut, as revised.

Copies of the Contract Documents may be obtained for a Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) nonrefundable deposit for each set so obtained. Plans are available at BL Graphics, 355 Research Parkway, First Floor, Meriden, Connecticut, 06450, between the hours of 9:00 AM and 4:00 PM on regular workdays, beginning June 27, 2012. The phone number for BL Graphics is 203-630-2671 and the email address is repro@blcompanies.com.

A mandatory Pre-Bid Conference will be held at Audrey P. Peck Municipal Building, 4 South Eagleville Road, Mansfield, CT 06268. Please meet in the Council Chambers at 10:30 a.m., Thursday, July 12, 2012. Bidders are required to attend the Pre-Bid Conference and sign the attendance sheet to confirm their attendance.

All bidders are required to inform themselves fully of the conditions relating to the construction and labor under which the work will be or is now being performed and the contractor shall employ, as far as possible, such methods and means in the carrying out of this work cause interruption or interference with any other contractor.

NOTE: Each bid must be accompanied by Bid Security on form furnished by the Town of Mansfield. Bid Security is to be made payable to the Town of Mansfield in an amount of five percent (5%) of Bidder's maximum Bid Price and in the form of cash, a certified or cashier's check, or a Bid Bond, issued by a surety company on the Federal Treasury Index List. The Bid Security shall be sealed in a separate envelope containing the Bid. The Town of Mansfield reserves the right to reject any and all bids or to waive any defect, irregularities in the bidding.

NOTE: The bidder agrees that no less than 5% (as certified by the Connecticut Department of Transportation) of the awarded contract value shall be performed by the disadvantaged business enterprises (DBE) as approved subcontractor or owner-operator of construction equipment. The successful bidder must indicate the disadvantaged business enterprise(s) it intends to utilize to achieve the above stated percentage prior to the award of the contract.

NOTE: Bidding Contractors shall be prequalified by the CT DAS under Section 4b-91 of the CGS, and must provide a prequalification certificate and update bid statement with their bid. All Bidders will be required to certify that they are not on the Comptroller General's list of ineligible contractors. Further, the Contractor will be required to comply with all applicable equal employment opportunity laws and regulations.

NOTE: The Town hereby notifies all Bidders that in regard to any contract entered into pursuant to this Request for Proposals, advertisement or solicitation, small and/or minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit proposals in response, and will not be subjected to discrimination on the basis of race, color, sex, or national origin in consideration for an award.

An Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer. Minority/Women's Business Enterprises are encouraged to apply.

For additional information, contact Lon Hultgren, Mansfield Department of Public Works, at (860) 429-3332 or by email at HultgrenLR@MansfieldCT.org.