

JERSEY CITY MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY

555 ROUTE 440 JERSEY CITY, NEW JERSEY 07305
JCMUA CONTRACT NO. TCSC-2015-28

PUBLIC NOTICE

Sealed bids for the 3rd and Coles Street Sewer Replacement Project will be received by the Jersey City Municipal Utilities Authority in the Anthony J. Fiola Memorial Conference Room, Administration Building, located at 555 Route 440, Jersey City, New Jersey on **April 6, 2016 at 2:00 PM** prevailing time, at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud. It is strongly suggested that ALL BIDDERS attend a pre-bid conference which will be held on **March 16, 2016 at 10:30 AM** the Anthony J. Fiola Memorial Conference Room and a site visit to both site locations shall follow immediately after the meeting.

The Jersey City Municipal Utility Authority sewer system is a confined space and all work shall be subject to the Authority's Confined Space Procedures, OSHA and other applicable requirements. The successful bidder shall be responsible for securing all permits as may be required for performance of the work.

All Work shall be subject to the City of Jersey City's requirements regarding uniformed traffic directors. The successful bidder shall be responsible for satisfying all such requirements.

The work consists of the following items:

- Replacement of approximately 350 linear feet of existing 18-inch combined sewers on Coles Street
- Replacement of approximately 330 linear feet of existing 18-inch combined sewers on 3rd Street

All bids shall be presented to the OWNER by the parties bidding, or their agents, at the place and time designated. All bids shall be in a sealed envelope bearing the name of the project, name and address of bidder and addressed to the Purchasing Agent, Jersey City Municipal Utilities Authority. No Bids shall be received by mail. Bids shall be received by courier service (date and time recorded) or hand delivered.

Contract Documents may be examined at the offices of the Jersey City Municipal Utilities Authority (JCMUA), 555 Route 440, Jersey City, New Jersey 07305 or at the offices of ARCADIS U.S., Inc., 17-17 Route 208 North, Fair Lawn, New Jersey 07410. Copies may be obtained from the offices of the JCMUA upon a non-refundable payment of \$100.00 for each set (Check or Money Orders ONLY). Neither the Jersey City Municipal Utilities Authority nor the ENGINEER will be responsible for full or partial sets of Contract Documents, including any addenda obtained from other sources. Checks or money orders for Contract Documents shall be made payable

to the Jersey City Municipal Utilities Authority.

BIDDER MUST SUPPLY ONE (1) ORIGINAL AND ONE (1) COPY OF THE BID. IN ADDITION, BIDDER MUST SUPPLY ONE CD ROM VERSION IN PDF FORMAT. YOU DO NOT NEED TO INCLUDE PLANS AND DRAWINGS JUST THE SPECIFICATIONS.

A bidder's proposal must be accompanied by a Surety's Consent and either a bid bond or Certified check for not less than ten (10%) percent of the amount of the bid or \$20,000.00 maximum whichever is the lesser. Certified checks shall be made payable to Jersey City Municipal Utilities Authority. The said Surety shall be bound to furnish Performance and Labor and Material and Maintenance Bonds, each in an amount equal to one hundred percent of the Contract Price. The said Surety shall be listed on the Federal Treasury List and licensed to do business in the State of New Jersey. (Environmental Protection Department Circular 570-Surety Companies Acceptable on Federal Bonds).

The Jersey City Municipal Utility Authority will reserve the right to reject any and all bids and to waive minor informalities or irregularities and award the contract to the lowest responsible responsive bidder as per applicable law.

PROPOSALS MUST BE MADE UPON THE BLANK FORMS PROVIDED, AND SUBMITTED WITH THE SPECIFICATION BOOK.

BIDDERS MUST COMPLY WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF N.J.S.A. 10:5-31 et seq. and N.J.A.C. 17:27 AFFIRMATIVE ACTION OF THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY.

Accompanying the bid of corporation or a partnership shall be a statement setting forth the name and address of all stockholders in the corporation or partnership who own 10% or more of its stock, of any class; or of all individual partners in the partnership who own a 10% or greater interest therein, as the case may be. If one or more such stockholder(s) or partner(s) is itself a corporation or partnership the stockholders holding 10% or more of that corporation's stock, or the individual partners owning a 10% or greater interest in that partnership, as the case may be, shall also be listed. The disclosure shall be continued until names and address of every non-corporate stockholder and individual partner exceeding the 10% ownership criteria established in the applicable New Jersey Public Laws of 1977, Chapter 8, has been listed. The requirements of P.L. 1977 Chapter 8 N.J.S.A. 5225-242 are applicable to all forms of corporations and partnerships including limited partnerships, limited liability corporations, limited liability partnerships and subchapter S corporations.

The attention of the BIDDERS is called particularly to the requirements of the N.J. Prevailing Wage Act N.J.S.A. 34:11-5625 et seq. with respect to conditions of employment to be observed and minimum wage rates to be paid as required by the Contract Documents. In accordance with The Public Works Contractor Registration Act C.P.L. 1999, c238, as amended by P.C. 2003, c.91) no Contractor shall bid on any contract for Public Work as defined in Section 2 of P.L. 1963, c.150 (c.3411-56.26) unless the contractor is registered pursuant to the act.

No BIDDER may withdraw his Bid within sixty days after the date of the opening of Bids without the written consent of the Jersey City Municipal Utilities Authority.

All Contractors and Subcontractors must present a Business Registration Certificate and a Public

Works Contractor Registration in accordance with applicable law.

The owner shall award a contract or reject all bids within 60 days of the bid opening.

Mutually agreed upon extensions of time may be made, if necessary, and in accordance with law.

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Jersey City Municipal Utilities
Authority