

## TOWN OF WINSLOW NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed Bids addressed to the **Town of Winslow, Attn: John Giroux, 114 Benton Avenue, Winslow, Maine 04901** and endorsed on the wrapper **“Bids for Construction of a Bicycle/Pedestrian Path in the Town of Winslow”** will be received from contractors by the **Town Clerk at the Town Office, 114 Benton Avenue, Winslow, Maine 04901** until **10:00 o'clock A.M.** (prevailing time) on **February 25, 2010** and at that time and place publicly opened and read. Bids will be accepted from all bidders. The lowest responsive bidder must have completed, or successfully complete, a prequalification with the Department for **Highway Construction** or project specific prequalification to be considered for the award of this contract.

Description: Maine Federal Aid Project No. **STP-1613(200)X , PIN 16132.00**

Location: In Kennebec County, project is located at the Town park south of the Town Office at 114 Benton Avenue in Winslow.

Outline of Work: **This project shall consist of the construction of an 842 foot long, 10 foot wide asphalt walkway initiating at Mill Street, and terminating on Benton Avenue. The project includes the construction of the walkway, including full depth construction of the walkway sections throughout the project site, grading of slopes along the walkway, paving of the walkway, construction of 13 decorative lights as indicated on the design plans, as well as the installation of approximately 670 foot length of concrete block retaining wall with an average height between 3 and 4 feet, and other incidental work required to complete the construction as indicated on the design plans.**

For general information regarding Bidding and Contracting procedures, contact **Boyd Snowden** at (207)465-4400. For Project-specific information fax all questions to **Boyd A. Snowden** at (207)465-4441. Questions received after 12:00 noon of Monday prior to bid date will not be answered. Bidders shall not contact any other Departmental staff for clarification of Contract provisions, and the Department will not be responsible for any interpretations so obtained.

Plans, specifications and bid forms may be seen at the **Town Office in Winslow, Maine** and at the office of **Snowden Consulting Engineers, 34 Libby Hill Professional Building, Oakland, Maine 04963**. They may be purchased from the **Snowden Consulting Engineers, Inc.** between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. by cash or check payable to **Snowden Consulting Engineers, 34 Libby Hill Professional Building, Oakland, Maine 04963**. They also may be purchased by telephone at (207) 465-4400 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. **Full size plans \$50 (\$55 by mail)**. Half size plans \$25 (\$30 by mail), **Bid Book \$10 (\$13 by mail)**, Single Sheets \$2, payment in advance, all non-refundable.

Each Bid must be made upon blank forms provided by the **Town of Winslow** and must be accompanied by a bid bond at 5% of the bid amount or an official bank check, cashier's check, certified check, certificate of deposit, or United States postal money order in the amount of **5% of bid amount** payable to **Town of Winslow** as a Bid guarantee. A Contract Performance Surety Bond and a Contract Payment Surety Bond, each in the amount of 100 percent of the Contract price, will be required of the successful Bidder.

**The low bid will be awarded to the lowest responsive bidder, contingent upon all forms being properly signed and submitted, as well as the subsequent prequalification from the Department. The bids will be evaluated based upon the BASE BID price. The bid alternate pricing will not be considered in the selection of the low bidder.**

This Contract is subject to all applicable Federal Laws. This contract is subject to compliance with the Disadvantaged Business Enterprise program requirements as set forth by the Maine Department of Transportation.

All work shall be governed by “State of Maine, Department of Transportation, Standard Specifications, Revision of December 2002”, price \$10 [\$13 by mail], and Standard Details, Revision of December 2002, price \$20 [\$25 by mail]. Standard Detail updates can be found at [://www.maine.gov/mdot/contractor-consultant-information/contractor\\_cons](http://www.maine.gov/mdot/contractor-consultant-information/contractor_cons).

The right is hereby reserved to the Town of Winslow to reject any or all bids.

Augusta, Maine  
October 28, 2009

Boyd A. Snowden  
Principal Engineer