

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Location: City of Bath, County of Sagadahoc, State of Maine

Description: Washington Street Sidewalk Project.

Project Identification: Maine Department of Transportation, FHWA, Locally Administered Project Number 13337.00

Sealed bids for the Washington Street Sidewalk Project will be received by the Bath Department of Public Works at the City of Bath Clerk's Office, 55 Front Street, Bath, Maine 04530 until 11:00 a.m, local time, August 25, 2008 and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud. Bids submitted after this time will not be accepted. Each bidder must submit a single sealed envelope, the outside of which must be clearly marked "Washington Street Sidewalk Project, Bath, Maine".

The Base Bid project involves construction of approximately 5,500 LF of bituminous asphalt curb and bituminous asphalt sidewalk; installing American with Disabilities Act compliant crossing zones and driveway aprons; installing approximately 1,000 LF of storm drainage pipe and associated drainage structures, miscellaneous grading and paving and miscellaneous traffic control devices.

This project is being funded in part by FHWA funds, reimbursable through the Maine Department of Transportation Local Project Administration Program. This contract is subject to all applicable Federal and State laws, policies and procedures. This contract is subject to compliance with the Disadvantaged Business Enterprise program requirements, as set forth by the Maine Department of Transportation.

Plans, Owner provided specifications and bid forms, may be examined at the following locations:

1. City of Bath, Department of Public Works Main Office, 450 Oak Grove Avenue, Bath, Maine 04530;
2. Office of the City Clerk, 55 Front Street, Bath, Maine 04530;
3. Wright-Pierce, 99 Main Street, Topsham, Maine 04086;

The State of Maine Department of Transportation Standard Specifications, Rev. Dec. 2002, are available for downloading at:

<http://maine.gov/mdot/technical-publications/technical-publications.php>

For project information only, go to www.wright-pierce.com.

The issuing office is:

Wright-Pierce, 99 Main Street, Topsham, Maine 04086
Phone: 207-725-8721 / Fax: 207-729-8414
Attention: Sue Gill

Copies of the Contract Documents may be obtained upon payment of a fee of \$100.00 per set. Partial sets will not be distributed. All requests for mailed documents must be accompanied by an additional non-refundable fee of \$25.00 to cover postage and handling. Checks should be made payable to WRIGHT-PIERCE. To be considered a responsive Bidder, the Contractor shall have obtained at least one set of paper plans and specifications from the Engineer (Wright-Pierce). The Bid will not be awarded to a Bidder unless a record for the purchase of at least one set of paper plans and specifications exists in the office of the Engineer. To meet this requirement and to establish the record of purchase, a prospective Bidder must purchase paper plans and specifications using the name that is to appear in the Bid Documents. Award will be based upon the lowest responsive and responsible Base Bid, as established in the Schedule of Items.

Work shall be primarily 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 at: http://www.maine.gov/mdot/contractor-consultant-information/contractor_cons.php.

Each Bid must be made upon the bid forms included in the bid documents and must be accompanied by a bid bond at 5% of the bid amount or a cashier's check, or certified bank check at 5% of the bid amount, made payable to "The City of Bath" as a bid guarantee. A Contract Performance Surety Bond and a Contract Payment Surety Bond, each in the amount of 100% of the Contract price, will be required by the successful bidder.

A mandatory pre-bid conference will be held for General Contractors at Bath City Hall, 55 Front Street, Bath, Maine on August 19, 2008 at 10:00 a.m. Attendance by Subcontractors, while encouraged, is not mandatory.

The City of Bath, Maine reserves the right to reject any or all Bids.

By Order of Bath City Council
City of Bath, Maine