

**CITY OF MOUNT AIRY, NORTH CAROLINA**  
**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

Sealed Bids will be received by the City of Mount Airy, North Carolina, hereinafter called the City, in the Mount Airy City Engineers office in the Municipal Services Building, 440 East Pine Street, Mount Airy, North Carolina until **2:00 p.m.**, local prevailing time on **November 6, 2019** and then in the Municipal Services Building main conference room be publicly opened and read aloud for the **Maple Street/Merritt Street Water Improvements Project**. The Base Bid includes furnishing and installing all piping, valves, road crossings, service connections, and appurtenances as described in the specifications and as shown on the contract drawings, including but not limited to **replacement of approximately 6,100 LF of 6" water line, all related water appurtenances, and street repairs. An Additive Bid is being received for replacement of approximately 560 LF of 18"-30" storm sewer, stormwater inlets, and related improvements.**

The City reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

NOTE: Prospective bidders are hereby notified that they must have proper license in North Carolina under the state laws governing their trade. General contractors are notified that Chapter 87, Article 1, General Statutes of North Carolina will be observed in receiving and awarding this contract.

A separate performance bond and payment bond each in an amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the Contract price will be required. A Performance and Indemnity Bond (North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) –Highway Encroachment Installation) shall be executed by the Contractor. Carriers must be authorized to do business in North Carolina.

All Bidders shall comply with the requirements of North Carolina General Statute 143-128.2. The low Bidder shall provide documentation of compliance.

**BIDDERS MUST COMPLY WITH ALL SAFETY REQUIREMENTS AS DETAILED IN THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS. FAILURE TO PROVIDE DOCUMENTATION OF AN ADEQUATE SAFETY PROGRAM SHALL BE CAUSE FOR THE BID TO BE REJECTED.**

Bidders must comply with the provisions of the N. C. Contractor's Licensing Act of 1925, as amended.

The City reserves the right to reject any proposal for failure to comply with all requirements of the Notice or of any of the Contract Documents; however, it may waive any minor defects or informalities at its discretion. The City further reserves the right to reject any and all proposals or to award the Contract which in its judgment is in the best interest of the City. The Engineer for the project is The Lane Group of Galax, VA.

Contract Documents may be examined at the following location:

**Public Works Center, City of Mount Airy, 440 East Pine Street, Mount Airy, North Carolina**

**The Lane Group, 119 North Main Street, Galax, Virginia**

On-line at:

**McGraw Hill Construction Dodge (subscription required)  
HCAC/Carolinas AGC via iSqFt (subscription required)**

Copies of the Contract Documents may be obtained at the office of The Lane Group, located at 119 North Main Street, Galax, Virginia, (276) 236-4588, e-mail [sphipp@thelane-group.com](mailto:sphipp@thelane-group.com), upon payment of a non-refundable fee of \$120.00 per set plus shipping charges, if incurred. Partial sets will not be issued. A CD containing PDF files of the Contract Documents can be obtained for a non-refundable fee of \$50.00.

**FIVE PERCENT (5%) BID DEPOSIT IS REQUIRED AND MUST BE SEALED IN A SEPARATE ENVELOPE AND ATTACHED TO THE OUTSIDE OF THE ENVELOPE CONTAINING THE PROPOSAL.**

THE CITY WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR FULL OR PARTIAL SETS OF CONTRACT DOCUMENTS, INCLUDING ANY ADDENDUM, OBTAINED FROM ANY OTHER SOURCE.

An optional Pre-Bid Conference will be held on **October 22, 2019 at 2:00 p.m.** in the Conference Room of the Municipal Services Building located at 440 East Pine Street, Mount Airy, NC. Attendance is optional, but all BIDDERS are encouraged to attend.

NOTICE: The City of Mount Airy maintains an email address list of individuals and companies who wish to be notified by email when a construction contract is let for bid. To be added to this list please send the request to Jessica East at [jeast@mountairy.org](mailto:jeast@mountairy.org) or 440 East Pine Street, Mount Airy, NC 27030. The City does not notify potential bidders and others of new projects by telephone.

**Female and minority-owned businesses are encouraged to submit bids.**

By Order of the Board of Commissioners of the City of Mount Airy, North Carolina.

Melissa N. Brame  
City Clerk

Dated: **October 6, 2019**