

Notice to Contractors  
City of Rochester  
FY 2008 Paving Projects

1. Receipt of Bids The City of Rochester, New Hampshire, (OWNER) will accept sealed bids at the Business Office, 31 Wakefield Street, Rochester, New Hampshire until 2:30 p.m. (local time) on September 13, 2007, at which time the bids will be opened and read aloud. The envelopes containing the bids must be sealed and designated as CITY OF ROCHESTER FY-2008 PAVING PROJECT – Bid No. 08-09. The bid opening shall be public and open to all parties.
2. Project Summary The proposed work will consist of pavement maintenance / of the specified roads within the limits of the City of Rochester. Work will include where specified either:
  - Reclamation of existing pavements and resurfacing or shims / overlays of existing street / road pavements and related miscellaneous and restoration work.
  - Cold planing of existing pavements to a specified depth below the existing pavement and resurfacing with bituminous concrete.
  - Overlay streets specified with a one-inch or one and one-half inch layer of bituminous concrete, as directed by the OWNER. Asphalt shims may be required to ensure an even paved surface following consultation with the OWNER.
  - Reestablishment of open drainage ditches and installation of underdrain along Chestnut Hill Road in association with the planned reclamation and repaving of the street.

Erosion/sedimentation control, dust control, and traffic control shall also be maintained throughout the project duration.
3. Specifications - Specifications and bid / contract documents may be obtained at the Business Office by calling (603) 335-7602 or visiting the business office at 31 Wakefield Street in Rochester, New Hampshire 03867. All questions concerning the specifications and bid / contract documents shall be directed to the City Engineer, City of Rochester Public Works
4. Construction Schedule -The successful bidder shall commence work under this contract on or before a date to be specified in the "Notice to Proceed" and complete the segments as described in the following table. Project is to be fully completed not later than September 1, 2008, with interim time milestones throughout the contract.

STREET/ROAD	RECLAIM & FINE GRADE or COLD PLAIN (as applicable)	APPLICATION OF BINDER COURSE	APPLICATION OF WEARING COARSE	Notes
Chestnut Hill Road	September 30, 2007	October 7, 2007	June 30, 2008	All newly established ditches and drainage vegetation and erosion control shall be in place and established by November 15, 2007 where applicable. (Chestnut Hill Road) -
Autumn Street	May 30, 2008	June 10, 2008	June 30, 2008	
Chesley Hill Road	May 30, 2008	July 30, 2008	August 15, 2008	
Walnut Street	May 30, 2008	N/A	June 15, 2008	
Airport Drive	N/A	N/A	July 31, 2008	
Sunset Drive	N/A	N/A	October 15, 2007	

\* Temperature permitting, the city engineer will not permit wearing coarse applications at pavement or ambient temperatures that are not according to NH DOT Specifications.

5. Award of Contract - **The Owner reserves the right to reject any and all Bids and to waive any irregularity in Bidding.** The successful Bidder(s) will be required to furnish the necessary Bonds and Insurance Certificates.
6. Performance Bond -The successful Bidder(s) shall execute a Performance Bond in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the Bid Price. The Bidder, Owner and a Surety Company shall execute Bond.
7. Payment Bond - The successful bidder shall provide a Payment Bond in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the Bid Price, executed between the Bidder, Owner and a Surety Company.
8. Bid Bond - All bids must be submitted with a Bid Bond in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the Bid Price executed between the Bidder and a Surety Company.