ADVERTISMENT FOR BID

The City of Rochester, New Hampshire is accepting sealed bids for construction of the New Route 125 Wastewater Pump Station Upgrade Project. Bids must be submitted in a sealed envelope plainly marked:

"New Route 125 Wastewater Pump Station Upgrade" Bid # 14-27 City of Rochester City Hall 31 Wakefield Street Rochester, NH 03867 Attn: Purchasing Agent

All bids must be received no later then January 30, 2014 at 2:15 PM. Actual bid opening will be at 2:30 PM. No late bids, faxed, e-mailed or telephone bids will be accepted. Bid proposals and specifications may be obtained from the City of Rochester Purchasing Department, 31 Wakefield Street, Rochester NH 03867. All bid proposals must be made on the bid proposal forms supplied, and the bid proposal forms must be fully completed when submitted.

- Completion time for the project will be calculated as calendar days from the date specified in the "Notice to Proceed" as follows:

 180 calendar days fro substantial completion
 210 calendar days for Final completion
 Liquidated damage will be in the amount of \$1,000 for each calendar day of delay from the date established for substantial completion, and \$2,000 for each calendar day of delay from the date established for final completion.
 Each General Bid shall be accompanied by a Bid Security in the amount of 5% of the Total Bid Price.
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- 3. The successful Bidder must furnish 100% Performance and Payment Bonds, and will be required to execute the Contract Agreement within 10 days following notification of the acceptance of his Bid.
- 4. Any contract or contracts awarded under this Advertisement for Bids are expected to be funded in whole or in part by:
 - [x] a loan from the NH State Water Pollution Control Revolving Loan Fund (CWSRF)

- [] a loan from the NH State Drinking Water Revolving Loan Fund (DWSRF)
- [] a grant from the NH Department of Environmental Services (SAG)
- [] a loan or grant from USDA Rural Development
- [] a grant from the NH Office of Energy and Planning (CDBG)
- 5. The successful Bidder on this work is required to comply with the President's Executive Order No. 11246 entitled "Equal Employment Opportunity" as amended by Executive Order 11375, and amendments or supplements thereto, and as supplemented in Department of Labor Regulations (41 CFR Part 80). The requirements for bidders and contractors under this order are explained in the Information For Bidders.
- 6. <u>Utilization of Minority and Women's Business Enterprises (MBEs and WBEs</u>)

The successful Bidder on this work must demonstrate compliance with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's MBE/WBE policy in order to be deemed a responsible bidder. The requirements for bidders and contractors covered by this policy are explained in the Information for Bidders.

- 7. The successful Bidder on this work is subject to U.S. Department of Labor's Davis Bacon wage provisions.
- 8. No Bidder may withdraw a Bid within 60 days after the actual date of opening thereof.
- There will be a non-mandatory pre-bid meeting for all prospective bidders at the City of Rochester Wastewater Treatment Facility, 175 Pickering Road, Rochester, NH on January 15, 2014 at 9:00 am. Representatives of the Owner and Engineer will be present to discuss the project.
- 10. Site walk-throughs will only be conducted on January 15, 2014 from 10:30 am till 12 pm.

The Contract Documents may be examined at the following locations: City of Rochester, 31 Wakefield Street, New Hampshire 03867

Copies of the Contract Documents may be obtained from <u>The City of Rochester</u> upon payment of a fee of <u>\$150.00</u> per set, which will not be refunded. Partial sets will not be distributed. All requests for mailed documents must be accompanied by an additional fee of <u>\$25.00</u> to cover the cost of postage and handling.