INVITATION TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids for performing the Contract identified below will be received by Passaic Valley Water Commission, at its offices located at 1525 Main Avenue, Clifton, New Jersey, on <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>January 23, 2018 at 2:00 p.m.</u>, local time, at which time and place said bids will be publicly opened and read.

CONTRACT #17-B-25 WATER MAIN REPLACEMENT LODI, NEW JERSEY

The Contract includes furnishing and installing approximately 11,000 linear feet of 4, 6, 8, and 12-inch diameter ductile iron pipe and approximately 1,300 linear feet of 2-inch diameter copper service mains including furnishing and installing new hydrants and blow-offs and will include all restoration work. This work will replace the existing 4 and 6-inch cast iron and asbestos cement pipe in their entirety in the region of Lodi, Bergen County, New Jersey. A more detailed description of the Work is presented in the Technical Specifications. The Contract duration in calendar days is presented in the Contract.

Information and Instructions for Bidders, Specifications and other Contract Documents may be obtained at the Purchasing Department of Commission upon payment of a \$75.00 fee, which will not be returned.

Bidders shall comply with the requirements of the Local Public Contracts Law N.J.S.A. 40A;11-1 et.seq. as supplemented and amended; Disclosure Notice (P.L. 1977, c 33) N.J.S.A. 10:5-32 in addition to other applicable State Laws.

A non-mandatory pre-bid conference will be held on Thursday, January 4, 2018 at 10:00 a.m. prevailing time at the Commission's Engineering Department Conference Room located at 1525 Main Avenue, Clifton, New Jersey. Representatives of the Owner will be present to discuss the project. Bidders are encouraged to attend and participate in the pre-bid conference.

The successful bidder for the Contract shall be required to comply with the prevailing local minimum wage rates as determined by the New Jersey Department of Labor.

Within the parameters established by the governing law, the Commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids or to waive any minor informalities or irregularities in the Proposal received and to award the contract to the lowest responsible bidder.

Passaic Valley Water Commission

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