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# NOTICE TO BIDDERS

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**A NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that sealed Bid will be received by the BOROUGH QUALIFIED PURCHASING AGENT for the BOROUGH OF ENGLEWOOD CLIFFS, County of Bergen, State of New Jersey on **June 3, 2026, at 2:00P.M.** prevailing time and conducted on electronic platform, in accord with N.J.A.C. 5:34-1 et. Seq., on BIDNET at [www.bidnetdirect.com//boroughofenglewoodcliffs](http://www.bidnetdirect.com//boroughofenglewoodcliffs) at which time and place the Bid Packets will be publicly unsealed and its contents announced in public for the **SANITARY SEWER IMPROVEMENTS - PHASE 1.**

***NOTE: It is the bidder's responsibility to ensure that the bid package is uploaded onto the e-procurement site by the bid opening date and time. Any bid document received after the deadline established by the Department of Purchasing will not be accepted, regardless of the method of delivery.***

The scope of Work contemplated for the above-named Project includes the point repairs of sanitary sewer lines, lining of sanitary sewer lines, cutting protruding laterals, as well as all other Work of any type or description necessary for contemplation of the Project, whether or not specifically described in these Contract Documents. All Work on this Contract shall be completed within Sixty (60) Calendar Days from Notice to Proceed.

The provided Bid Packet must be completed and submitted in accordance with N.J.A.C. 5:34-1 et. Seq., on BIDNET. Also, Bid Packets must be accompanied by a Statement of Consent of Surety from a surety company holding a Certificate of Authorization to do business in the State of New Jersey and either a Bid Bond or a Certified Check drawn to the order of "BOROUGH OF ENGLEWOOD CLIFFS" for not less than ten percent (10%) of the total bid price amount, except that the check shall not exceed \$20,000.00. The successful Bidder is hereby notified that a Performance and Payment Bonds for the full amount of this Project is required.

Bidders are required to comply with the requirements of N.J.S.A. 10:5-31 et seq. and N.J.A.C. 17:27, regarding Affirmative Action and Executive Order 11246 regarding Equal Opportunity, and with all provisions of the Local Public Contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et. seq. and all rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, the provisions of which are incorporated herein by reference.

New Jersey Business Registration Requirements: N.J.S.A. 40A:11-23.2 requires all Contractors and Subcontractors with public contracting agencies to provide proof of registration with the Department of Treasury, Division of Revenue.

The Contractor shall provide written notice to its Subcontractors of the responsibility to submit proof of Business Registration to the Contractor. The requirement for proof of Business Registration extends through all levels (tiers) of the project. Before final payment on the Contract is made by the contracting agency, the Contractor shall submit an accurate list and the proof of Business Registration of each Subcontractor or supplier used in the fulfillment of the Contract or shall attest that no Subcontractors were used.

The award of the Contract for this Project will not be made until the necessary funds have been provided by BOROUGH OF ENGLEWOOD CLIFFS in a lawful manner. The award of the Contract for this Project will not be made until the necessary funds have been provided by Borough of Englewood Cliffs in a lawful manner. Please be advised that this Project is being funded by the New Jersey Department of Transportation. By virtue of Executive Order #34 (1976), vendors currently suspended, debarred or disqualified are excluded from participating on this Project.

The successful Bidder shall be required to comply with the applicable statutory requirements of the Contract Documents and Plans which include all of the following: (i) **N.J.A.C. 17:27**; (ii) **N.J.S.A. 10:5-31 et seq.**; (iii) **Business Registrations** (N.J.S.A. 52:32-44); (iv) **Prevailing Wage Act** (N.J.S.A. 34:11-56.25, et seq.); (v) **Public Work Contractor Registration** (N.J.S.A. 34:11-56.48); and (vi) **Affirmative Action Requirements** (N.J.S.A. 10:5-1, et seq.); and any other legal requirements applicable to this Project.

BOROUGH OF ENGLEWOOD CLIFFS intends to award this Project to the lowest Bidder whose Bid Packet is responsive and complies with its requirements for the Project, provided that in the judgment of BOROUGH OF ENGLEWOOD CLIFFS is reasonable, within available funds and in the interest of BOROUGH OF ENGLEWOOD CLIFFS. BOROUGH OF ENGLEWOOD CLIFFS reserves the right to reject any and all Bid Packets to the extent permitted by law. An award will be made, or Bid Packets will be rejected within sixty (60) Calendar Days after the opening of the Bid Packets, during which time the Bid Packets shall be irrevocable and unavailable to withdraw by Bidders, unless otherwise extended in the Contract Documents.

By order of the Mayor and Borough Council, Borough of Englewood Cliffs, Bergen County, New Jersey.