

INVITATION TO BID
Barre Town STP EH06 (19)

Sealed bids from pre-qualified contractors shall be accepted until 1:00 pm, prevailing time, on July 11, 2018 at the Barre Town Municipal Offices located at 149 Websterville Road in Websterville, VT for construction of the project hereinafter described. Bid opening will occur immediately after the bid submittal deadline. The time of receiving and opening bids may be postponed due to emergencies or unforeseen conditions.

Sealed BIDS shall be marked in the lower left hand corner: **Bid: Barre Town STP EH06 (19).**

Each BID must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the Town of Barre for five percent (5%) of the total amount of the BID. A BID bond may be used in lieu of a certified check.

PREQUALIFICATION OF CONTRACTORS: All bidders on this project shall be on the Agency of Transportation's prequalified list under the categories listed below or shall have submitted a complete prequalification application to the Agency of Transportation, Contract Administration, a minimum of ten (10) working days prior to the bid opening. For information contact Jon Winter at 802-828-2643.

- Bike and/or Pedestrian Path
- Curb and Sidewalk
- Roads and Highway Construction

Bids submitted by bidders that exceed their Maximum Dollar Capacity Rating (MDCR) as determined by the Vermont Agency of Transportation on an annual basis will be considered non-responsive.

LOCATION: Beginning on Websterville Road (TH #90) in the village of East Barre at the East Barre Post Office, extending approximately 110 ft north to Mill Street (TH #2), and then turning onto Mill St and extending approximately 750 ft east to Summer St.

TYPE OF CONSTRUCTION: Work to be performed under this project includes the construction of new catch basins, storm manholes, storm drains, new concrete sidewalk, granite curbing and on-street parking.

CONTRACT COMPLETION DATE: The Contract shall be substantially complete (all curb & sidewalk work completed) on or before October 5, 2018; with final completion on or before November 2, 2018.

OBTAINING PLANS: Plans and Bid Documents may be obtained from Lamoureux & Dickinson Consulting Engineers, Inc., 14 Morse Drive, Essex, VT 05452, phone 802-878-4450 at a cost of \$50 per set made payable to Lamoureux & Dickinson. Plans are not returnable. Plans and Bid Documents will be available beginning June 20, 2018.

ENGINEERS ESTIMATE: For this Proposal the Engineers Estimate falls between \$0 and \$300,000.

PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS AND PROPOSAL MAY BE SEEN AT THE OFFICES OF:

1. Town of Barre Municipal Offices, 149 Websterville Road, Websterville, VT 05678.
2. Lamoureux & Dickinson, 14 Morse Drive, Essex, VT 05452

PREBID CONFERENCE: A non-mandatory pre-bid conference will be held for the project on July 2, 2018, 9:00 am at the Town of Barre Municipal Offices.

STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS: This contract is governed by the Vermont Agency of Transportation (“VTrans”) 2011 Standard Specifications for Construction.

QUESTIONS: During the advertisement phase of this project all questions shall be addressed solely to Elaine Wang, Asst. Town Manager and Municipal Project Manager, at the above address or phone 802-477-1356.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY (EEO) CERTIFICATION: Certification is required by the Equal Employment Opportunity regulations of the Secretary of labor (41 CFR 60-1.7(b) (1)) and must be submitted by bidders and proposed subcontractors only in connection with contracts and subcontracts which are subject to the equal opportunity clause. Generally only contracts and subcontracts of \$10,000 or under are exempt as set forth in 41 CFR 60-1.5. See Appendix A for Contractors EEO Certification Form (CA-109). **This certification form must be submitted with the bid.**

NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT: All bidders are required to execute a sworn statement, certifying that the bidder has not, either directly or indirectly, entered into any agreement, participated in any collusion, or otherwise taken any action in restraint of free competitive bidding in connection with such contract. See Appendix B for Debarment and Non-Collusion Affidavit (CA-91). **This affidavit must be submitted with the bid.**

DEBARMENT AFFIDAVIT: All bidders are required to execute a sworn statement, certifying that the bidder has not within the last three (3) years been, suspended, debarred, voluntarily excluded or determined ineligible by any Federal or State Agency; does not have a proposed suspension, debarment, voluntary exclusion or ineligibility determination pending; and has not been indicted, convicted or had civil judgment rendered against (it, him, her, them) by a court having jurisdiction in any matter involving fraud or official misconduct within the past three (3) years. See Appendix B for Debarment and Non-Collusion Affidavit (CA-91). **This affidavit must be submitted with the bid.**

NON-DISCRIMINATION IN FEDERALLY ASSISTED CONTRACTS: The Town of Barre hereby notifies all bidders that it will ensure that any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the basis of race, color, religion, sex or national origin for an award. This is consistent with the Town’s requirement to comply with provisions of Title VI.

DAVIS BACON WAGE REQUIREMENTS: Bidders agree to abide by the Davis Bacon Wage Rate Schedule, which are appended to these Contract Documents.

BUY AMERICA REQUIREMENTS: Buy America requirements of 23 CFR 635.410 are applicable to all Federal-aid construction projects. All steel or iron products permanently incorporated into Federal-aid projects, shall be products that have been entirely manufactured within the United States. All manufacturing processes of the steel or iron material, in a product, must occur within the United States to be considered of domestic origin. This includes process such as rolling, extruding, machining, bending, grinding, and drilling. The action of applying a coating to a material is deemed a manufacturing process subject to Buy America. Coating includes epoxy coating, galvanizing, painting, and any other coating that protects or enhances the value of the material.