CITY OF BURLINGTON
NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by Burlington City for the "Assiscunk Creek Levee Pipe Replacement" project and will be opened and read in public at the Burlington City Hall, Council Chamber located at 525 High Street, Burlington, NJ, 08016, on **Wednesday December 9, 2026 at 10:00 A.M.** prevailing time.

The work includes the furnishing of all labor, material, and equipment necessary or required to complete all work set forth in the Project Manual and shown on the Plans for the replacement of the Assiscunk Creek Levee Pipe located in the City of Burlington, New Jersey, including but not limited to installation of driveway and 10' wide sliding access gate, replacement of existing culvert pipe, and installation of concrete headwalls.

Specifications and forms of bid for the proposed work prepared by Pennoni Associates, Inc., Municipal Engineers, and approved by Burlington City have been filed and are available at the Office of the Municipal Clerk, City Hall, 525 High Street, Burlington, NJ, 08016, and may be inspected by prospective bidders during regular business hours. The electronic copy of the bid documents is available via email.

Digital copies of the Bid Documents will be provided and may be obtained at no cost by contacting Pennoni Associates, Inc. by e-mail at kshine@pennoni.com with cc to aborstad@pennoni.com.

Bids must be made on the standard Proposal form in the manner designated therein, providing one (1) original and one (1) copy, and must be enclosed in a sealed envelope bearing the name and address of the bidder and the name of the project on the outside, addressed to Burlington City, and must be accompanied by a Certified Check, Bid Bond or Cashier's Check drawn to the order of Burlington City for ten percent (10%) of the total amount bid, provided said security not be more than $20,000.00. All bid guarantees shall be accompanied by an executed consent from an approved surety company, licensed to conduct business in the State of New Jersey, agreeing to furnish the required Performance, Payment and Maintenance Bond upon the award of contract.

The signed Proposal forms and bid security must be delivered to the place on or before the hour named above. The accepted bidder must sign the contract within ten (10) days after the Notice of Award or forfeit his bid security. All bid security, except the security of the three apparent lowest responsible bidders, shall be returned, unless otherwise requested by the bidder, within 10 days after the opening of the bids, Sunday and holidays excepted, and the bids of such bidders shall be considered as withdrawn. Within three days, Sundays and holidays excepted, after the awarding and signing of the contract and the approval of the contractor's performance bond, the bid security of the remaining unsuccessful bidders shall be returned to them.

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. (Affirmative Action Law); N.J.S.A. 52:32-44 (Business Registration Act); and N.J.S.A. 34:11-56.48 et seq. (Public Works Contractor Registration Act).

In accordance with P.L. 2021, c. 301, a contractor submitting the lowest bid for a contract that is subject to the Prevailing Wage Act, if that bid is 10 percent or more lower than the next lowest bid, shall certify to the public body that the prevailing wage rates required by the Act shall be paid.

The right is reserved to reject any or all Proposals, in whole or in part, or to make awards to such bidder or bidders, who, in the judgment of the City of Burlington makes the most advantageous bid and to waive such informalities as may be permitted by law.

Cindy Crivaro, Municipal Clerk