ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
INSTALLATION OF CONCRETE SIDEWALK - S. 51ST STREET FROM W. MINNESOTA AVENUE NORTH TO W. RAWSON AVENUE (CTH BB) IN THE CITY OF FRANKLIN

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sealed bids for concrete sidewalk installation on S. 51st Street from W. Minnesota Avenue north to W. Rawson Avenue in the City of Franklin will be received until 11:00 a.m. on December 12, 2013, at the Office of the City Clerk, Franklin City Hall, 9229 West Loomis Road, Franklin, Wisconsin 53132.

All bids received will be publicly opened and the total base bid will be read aloud in the Common Council Chambers at Franklin City Hall at 11:05 a.m. on December 12, 2013.

The contract documents including plans and specification supplements are on file and available for inspection at the Office of the City Clerk of the City of Franklin. General specifications for this project include the “City of Franklin Engineering Department Design Standards and Construction Specifications dated May, 2007” with all subsequent additions or revisions, Section 3.10 and Federal American Disability Act Standards.

Copies of the documents including plans and specification supplements required for review or bidding purposes may be obtained from the Office of the City Clerk of the City of Franklin. All bidders must file a “Bidders Proof of Responsibility Form” with the City Clerk on or before 11:00 a.m. on December 6, 2013.

The bidder’s attention is called to the “Notice of Requirement for Affirmative Action to Ensure Equal Employment Opportunity (Executive Order 11246),” contained in the bid documents, which sets forth, in part, goals and timetables for the employment of women and minorities in the project area.

Contractors and Subcontractors are required to pay not less than the prevailing wage rates on public work as established by Federal Department of Labor, or the State of Wisconsin’s Department of Industry, Labor, and Human Relations wage scale rates, whichever rate scale is higher for the job classification. A copy of these wage rates is contained in the Contract Document. Contractors will be required to obtain minority-owned businesses to perform work totaling 20 percent, and women-owned businesses 5 percent, of the construction contract amount. The Milwaukee Urban League (374-5850) and the Milwaukee County Community Development Program (278-5254) will assist contractors in soliciting minority and women owned subcontractors and suppliers if requested.

A certified check or bid bond, payable without condition to the City of Franklin in an amount not less than ten percent (10%) of the bid, shall be submitted with each bid as a guarantee that if the bid is accepted, a proper contract and bond will be executed and filed within ten (10) days after the acceptance of the bid. If such bidder fails to execute and file such contract and bond, the amount of the check or bid bond shall be forfeited as liquidated damages.

No bid shall be withdrawn after the opening of bids without the consent of the City of Franklin for a period of ninety (90) days after the time of opening of bids. Each bidder agrees upon submission of bid that if the same be accepted within said time period, he shall be bound by the terms of acceptance hereinafter contained.

The bidder is cautioned that some work may occur in areas subject to other improvements. The contractor shall cooperate with the respective contractors. Bids shall include the furnishing and installation of all labor, materials, permits, equipment, tools, supplies, etc., for complete installation of the work as described.

The work associated with this project will include the installation of 5-foot wide concrete sidewalk; onto ¾” traffic bound and the adjacent lawn and driveway restoration.

An estimate of quantities for this program are as follows:
- 1200 Sq. Yds. of 5 ft. wide Concrete Sidewalk (5” thick)
- 86 Sq. Yds. of 5 ft wide Concrete Sidewalk (7” thick)
- 300 Tons of Limestone Base (3/4” TB)
- 2000 Sq. Yds. of site Restoration (topsoil, seed, fertilizer & mulch)
- 1 Each Detectable Warning Plate
- 118 Sq. Yds. Asphalt Drive Patch

All bids must be prepared as described in instructions to bidders and must be sealed and addressed to the City of Franklin and filed in the Office of the City Clerk of the City of Franklin, Wisconsin. There shall appear on the envelope of each bid, the name and address of the bidder and the purpose for which the bid is intended.

Plans and specifications for this project were prepared by the office of the City Engineer, City of Franklin, Wisconsin. Published by authority of the Common Council of the City of Franklin, Wisconsin.

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City of Franklin, Wisconsin
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