

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

FOR

**BLUE SKY EARLY ACTION GRADING AND UTILITY WORK
Contract No.: EN-244**

NOBLESVILLE, INDIANA

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Public Works and Safety, City of Noblesville, at the Office of the Clerk-Treasurer, 16 South 10th Street, Noblesville, Indiana, until 8:30 a.m. (local time) on **August 11, 2015** and then will be publicly opened and read aloud at 9:00 a.m. on **August 11, 2015**. Any bid(s) received later than 8:30 a.m. (local time) on **August 11, 2015** will be returned unopened.

DESCRIPTION OF WORK: The work consists of the installation of approximately 1,000 feet new water main with one hydrant; sanitary sewer manhole work with approximately 50 feet of 6" PVC lateral; the installation of conduit and duct work for the future use and the installation of fiber and communications utilities by others; and, the completion of preliminary grading work as shown on the plans.

BID DOCUMENTS: Specifications and Contract Documents are available for examination on or after July 27, 2015 in the following location:

- City of Noblesville – Department of Engineering, 16 South 10th Street, Suite 155, Noblesville, Indiana;

Copies of the Specifications and Contract Documents may be obtained on or after **July 27, 2015** at the City of Noblesville – Department of Engineering, Noblesville, Indiana, upon payment of \$25.00 per set. A set consists of single copies of Specifications and Contract Documents. This remittance is not refundable.

Electronic copies of the Contract Documents and Plans may also be obtained by sending an email to jhellmann@noblesville.in.us requesting instructions to download project documents. In the email request, state project name, company information with primary contract (address, phone, fax, and email).

Bids shall be properly and completely executed on Bid Forms contained in the Contract Documents. Each Bid shall be accompanied by a completely filled out Form No. 96 (Revised 2013), and acceptable bid security. Any Bid not accompanied by the aforementioned required items shall be deemed to be a non-responsive Bid.

No Bidder may withdraw the proposal within a period of 60 days following the date set for the receiving of bids. The City reserves the right to retain any and all bids for a period of not more than 60 days and said bid shall remain in full force and effect during said time. The City further reserves the right to waive informalities and to award the Contract to any Bidder all to the advantage of the City of Noblesville or to reject all bids.

BID SECURITY: Each bid shall be accompanied by an acceptable certified check made payable to the City of Noblesville or an acceptable bid bond in the amount equal to five percent of the total bid price executed by an incorporated surety company in good standing

and qualified to do business in the State of Indiana and whose name appears of the current Treasury Department Circular 570.

BONDS: A Performance Bond and Payment Bond each in the amount of 100 percent of the Contract price will be required from the Contractor to whom the work is awarded.

QUALIFICATION OF BIDDERS:

All contractors, suppliers and subcontractors shall demonstrate 5 years of progressive experience in work similar in nature to this project. All workers employed on the project shall have documented legal citizenship or immigration status. Any general or subcontractor that has outstanding fees or inspections or has outstanding work-related, performance, or quality issues with the City of Noblesville may be deemed as non-responsive or non-responsible. The successful contractor must be or have a sub-contractor pre-qualified to install and test water main by the Indiana-American Water Company.

Any bid submitted by a firm that is not a plan holder and does not appear on the Official Plan Holders List for this project will be deemed non-responsive and non-responsible.

PRE BID MEETING: There will be a Pre-Bid Meeting on **August 3, 2015** at 2:00 PM (local time) in City Hall, 16 South 10th Street, Noblesville, Indiana.

INDIANA REQUIREMENTS: Standard Questionnaire Form 96 – Revised 2013, completely filled out and signed, including attachment of Contractor's Financial Statement.