

Village of Northfield
2017 Utility Improvements
GHA #3509.033

INVITATION FOR BIDS

Sealed proposals for the improvements described below will be received at the Northfield Public Works/Fire-Rescue facility, located at 1800 Winnetka Road, Northfield, Illinois 60093 (Tel. 847.441.3810) until 10:00 a.m. Thursday, February 9, 2017. All bids will be publicly opened at that time and read aloud.

Plans, Specifications, Bid Forms and other Contract Documents will be available at Gewalt Hamilton Associates, Inc., 625 Forest Edge Drive, Vernon Hills, Illinois 60061 after 9:00 a.m. on Thursday, January 19, 2017 for a non-refundable payment of \$20.00 per set.

Subcontracting portions of the work will be allowed pursuant to Section 108.01 of the "Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction", Illinois Department of Transportation, latest edition. The Owner reserves the right to disallow the subcontracting of construction operations and/or to reject any Bidder or subcontractor who, in the opinion of the Engineer, does not have adequate experience, personnel or equipment to perform the work in a timely, efficient and satisfactory manner.

Not less than the prevailing rate of wages as found by the Department of Labor or determined by a court on review shall be paid to all laborers, workers and mechanics performing work under this contract.

The work for which proposals are requested will generally consist of, but shall not be limited to, the following:

This project involves the installation of approximately 980 lineal feet of 6-inch, 8-inch, and 10-inch diameter water main installed by open-cut practices and 400 lineal feet by directional drilling; 195 lineal feet of 8-inch diameter sanitary sewer replacement; 4,000 square feet of 5" concrete sidewalk; 500 square yards of hot-mix asphalt pavement patching; 1,400 square yards of seal coat; vaults; fire hydrant assemblies; water services; water main abandonment; landscape restoration; and other appurtenant work.

Bid security in the form of a Bid Bond, Bank Cashier's Check, or Certified Check in the amount of TEN (10) percent of the total bid amount, made payable to the Village of Northfield shall accompany the bid.

The Village of Northfield reserves the right to accept or reject any bid, to award all or part of a contract, and to make such awards as are in the best interests of the Village. Factors other than price which will be considered in awarding or rejecting bids shall include the results of reference contacts, and the quality of the bidder's performance on prior Village projects, if any, in the judgment of the Village Board and Village staff. All proposals submitted shall be valid for a period of 60 days.

DATED this 19th, January, 2017.

By Order of the President and Village Board
Village of Northfield