

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The City of Marlborough (“City”), the Awarding Authority, invites sealed bids from contractors for the **Reconstruction of Harrison Place and Appurtenant Work in Marlborough, Massachusetts, CONTRACT NO. ED 2022-02** for the Department of Public Works-Engineering Division in accordance with the documents prepared by the City of Marlborough. The project consists of roadway reconstruction, water, sewer and drainage improvements, including all labor, material and equipment necessary to complete the Work. The estimated project cost is approximately **\$190,510.00**. **MassDOT prequalification of contractors with the class of work as, (HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION), for the project with an estimated value of \$190,510.00 will be required.** Bids are subject to M.G.L., c. 30, §39M, and to minimum wage rates as required by M.G.L. c.149, §26 through 27H inclusive. **The Bid Package may be obtained as of 9:00 AM on March 30, 2022** and must be downloaded from Projectdog.com by following these instructions: Go to www.Projectdog.com to log in or click “Sign Up” to create a new user account. Enter **Project Code 848858** in the search box and select “Acquire Documents” for a free, downloadable bid set. Hard copies of the documents may be purchased online. A free CD-ROM may be requested by contacting Projectdog – shipping & handling charges apply. Neither Owner nor Designer shall be responsible for full or partial sets of Bidding Documents, including Addenda if any, obtained from sources other than Projectdog Inc. *DUE TO COVID-19 PROTOCOLS, UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE, PROJECTDOG HAS REVISED HOW ORDERS MAY BE RECEIVED. ALL ORDERS WILL BE MAILED VIA UPS OR BY CURBSIDE PICK-UP BY CALLING AHEAD.* Questions regarding the website or project distribution should be directed to Projectdog at (978) 499-9014. Questions concerning the bid specifications must be submitting in writing via email to Attn: Mark Dascoli at mdascoli@marlborough-ma.gov no later than 3 business days prior to the scheduled bid opening. All questions and answers shall be distributed as an addendum to all on record as having received the bid documents. **Bidders are strongly encouraged to attend a non-mandatory Pre-Bid Conference to be held at 9:00 AM on Thursday, April 7, 2022** at the Engineering Division located at 135 Neil Street-Marlborough, MA 01752. **Electronic Sealed Bids will be received until 9:00 AM on April 14, 2022** through online submission at www.Projectdog.com. Hard copies of bids will not be accepted by Projectdog.com or by the City offices. Each sealed electronic bid shall be submitted on the prescribed forms. Tutorials and Instructions are available online at www.Projectdog.com. Bids will be available immediately for public view at the date and time stated above online at www.Projectdog.com. Bids shall be clearly identified as per instructions at Projectdog’s website. Bids shall be accompanied by a bid deposit of not less than five (5%) percent of the value of the bid in accordance with M.G.L. c. 30, §39 M (a), and made payable to the City of Marlborough, the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit may be submitted in the form of a certified check, a treasurer’s or cashier’s check issued by a responsible bank or trust company or a Bid Bond. In lieu of a Bid Bond, deposit checks must be submitted in a sealed envelope with a completed Bid Bond Affidavit form and received by the City before the bidding deadline. The Bidder must also submit a completed Bid Bond Affidavit form with their electronic bid. Bidders may download a blank Bid Bond Affidavit form at www.Projectdog.com. Due to COVID-19 bidding protocols, at this time, the City is not accepting cash bid deposits. In accordance with the provisions of applicable statutes, laws, rules, regulations, and ordinances, the City of Marlborough does not discriminate in employment or the provision of services and all qualified contractors will receive consideration without regard to race, age, color, religious creed, gender, handicap, sexual orientation, veteran’s status or national origin. The City reserves the right to cancel this procurement process, or reject in whole or in part any and all bids, if the City determines that cancellation or rejection serves the best interests of the public to do so.

The project is paid for by a grant to the City from the Massachusetts Department of Housing and Community Development CDBG program. The Contract must comply with the Davis-Bacon Act (40

U.S.C. 276a – a7), the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standard Act (40 U.S.C. 327 – 330) as it relates to the Federal wage rates, Workmen’s Compensation and condition of employment as amended and other regulations which are included in the bid and contract documents, or any other state or federal construction law or regulation. The Contract must comply with the most current Schedule of Minimum Wage Rates established by the Massachusetts Department of Labor and Industries for the contract work. The higher of the federal and state wage rates per category shall apply. Equal opportunity and affirmative action in employment shall apply. Minority Business Enterprise (MBE) and Women’s Business Enterprise (WBE) policies of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the City of Marlborough are applicable to this Contract. The “Fair Share” construction goal for this project is a minimum of 4.2 percent MBE participation and 8.8 percent WBE participation by state-certified MBEs and WBEs.

This legal notice shall also be posted by the MetroWest Daily on the Massachusetts Newspaper Publishers Association’s (MNPA) website (masspublicnotices.org).

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