

Notice is hereby given by the Morris County Municipal Utilities Authority ("MCMUA") that sealed bids will be received by the Morris County Municipal Utilities Authority ("MCMUA") on **January 06, 2026** at **2:00pm** prevailing time in the Morris County Municipal Utilities Authority ("MCMUA") office located at 370 Richard Mine Road, Wharton, NJ 07885 at which time and place the sealed bids will be opened publicly and read for the following:

### **BID#2025-W03 HOWARD BLVD WATERMAIN EXTENSION**

- This project includes the installation of approximately 690 LF of proposed ductile iron water mains along Howard Boulevard from Stierli Court to the entrance of 172 Howard Boulevard in Mount Arlington Borough.
- The scope of work includes various improvements of water mains through the construction of new 8-inch Ductile Iron Pipe Class 52 Potable Water Mains along with fittings, service connections and components. This new water main system shall connect to the existing Morris County Municipal Utilities Authority (MCMUA) infrastructure within Mount Arlington Borough. As part of the project, the Contractor must perform a tie-in connection to the existing 8-inch DI pipe utilizing the necessary adaptors to make the watertight connection. The bidders shall provide all material and labor necessary to perform the installation and testing as per the construction documents and specifications. Site work scope includes various traffic control devices, soil erosion and sediment control measures, excavation, restoration of asphalt pavement, various driveway restorations, curb restoration, and landscape restorations.
- The Contract will allow 100 calendar days for completion of the work from the notice to proceed.

## **Obtaining Proposal Documents:**

• The bidding documents are available at <a href="https://www.suburbanconsulting.com">https://www.suburbanconsulting.com</a> under Bid Postings and/or www.questcdn.com, Reference Quest Number 9983282. To be considered a plan holder, register with QuestCDN.com for a free Regular membership and download the bidding documents for \$22.00. Bidders must download the documents and become a registered plan holder as plan holder's receive automatic notice of addenda and bid updates. Only registered bidders will be allowed to submit a bid. Interested parties may view the bidding documents at no cost prior to deciding to become a plan holder. Contact QuestCDN Customer Support at 952-233-1632 or Support@questcdn.com for assistance in membership registration and downloading digital bidding documents.

#### **Submission of Bid:**

Bids are to be submitted to the following address:

370 Richard Mine Road Wharton, NJ 07885

Re: BID#2025-W03 Howard Blvd Watermain Extension

If bidders hand deliver the bid submission, they are to deliver them to the MCMUA Office Building located at: 370 Richard Mine Road, Wharton, NJ 07885 during current business hours of 9:00am to 4:00pm.

- The bid opening at the MCMUA will also be conducted using remote meeting software which will be made available to the public with both video and audio capability. Members of the public, not attending in-person, are invited to participate in the bid opening using the provided video and audio-conferencing services. Forty-eight (48) hours prior to the bid opening, both a telephone number with conference call access number to join the bid opening as well as a web link to join the live bid opening will be posted on the MCMUA's website at <a href="http://mcmua.com">http://mcmua.com</a>.
- All bids will be scanned and available for viewing within 24 hours of the bid opening on the MCMUA website; www.MCMUA.com.
- All bids must be submitted on the bid proposal forms provided in the bid documents in order to be considered.
- Bid proposals must be accompanied by a bid security, by way of a certified check, cashier's check, or bid bond, in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the total amount of the bid, but not in excess of twenty thousand (\$20,000) dollars, made payable to the Morris County Municipal Utilities Authority ("MCMUA")

# **Bidder Requirements:**

- Bidder must comply with the requirements of NJSA 10:5-31 et seq., and NJAC 17:27.
- Other requirements as well as those described above are fully detailed in the bid document.

## **Additional Information:**

• Prospective Bidders are cautioned not to rely solely on this Notice to Bidders in preparing their Bids, but to read the Bid Documents in their entirety and comply with all bidding requirements set forth therein. Any questions concerning the Bid Documents should be submitted through the Question and Answer feature for the project at https://www.suburbanconsulting.com under Bid Postings and/or www.questcdn.com, Reference Quest Number 9983282. Any answers that would effectively revise or add to the substance of, rather than serve to clarify, an advertisement or bid document for a procurement subject to N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-21 or 40A:11-23, will be in the form of a written addenda to the specifications which, if issued will be available through the QuestCDN platform not later than seven (7) business days, Saturdays, Sundays and holidays excepted, prior to the date fixed for the opening of bids. Failure of any Bidder to receive any such addendum or interpretation shall not relieve such Bidder from any obligation under Their bid as submitted. All addenda so issued shall become part of the contract documents.

The MCMUA reserves the right, in accordance with applicable law, to reject any and all proposals that substantially or materially deviate from the specifications and other required bid documents, and further reserves the right to waive immaterial irregularities and informalities in the proposals in accordance with applicable law.

This bid has been advertised in accordance with the "Fair and Open" laws and nothing further shall be required under N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.4.