

PUBLIC NOTICE
BOROUGH OF BOGOTA
NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids for the **PALISADE AVENUE (SECTION 7) ROAD IMPROVEMENTS AND PALISADE AVENUE/EAST FORT LEE ROAD INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS** will be received by the Borough Clerk, Borough of Bogota and publicly opened and read aloud in the public meeting room of the Borough of Bogota at the Municipal Building located at 375 Larch Avenue, Bogota, New Jersey 07603 on March 14, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. prevailing time, or as soon thereafter as the matter can be reached.

The work to be performed under this contract includes the milling and resurfacing of Palisade Avenue and the installation of a traffic signal at the intersection of Palisade Avenue and East Fort Lee Road as shown on the plans and any incidental construction pertaining thereto.

Principal items of work in the project include:

- 9,000 SY HMA Milling, 3" or less
- 1,200 TONS Hot Mix Asphalt 12.5M64 Surface Course, 2" Thick
- 2,000 LF 9" x 18" Concrete Vertical Curb
- 1,200 SY Concrete Sidewalk, 4" Thick
- 400 SY Concrete Driveway, Reinforced, 6" Thick
- 1 UN Traffic Signal

Contract Documents are on file in the Borough Clerk's Office and may be examined by prospective bidders during normal business hours beginning February 21, 2012. Bidders will be furnished with a copy of the contract documents and plans upon proper notice and payment of a non-refundable charge of One hundred Dollars (\$100.00) payable to the Borough of Bogota.

All Bids shall be made on the Bid Form contained in the Contract Documents and shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope clearly marked on the outside with the name of the project and the name and address of the bidder. The Bid must be delivered to the Borough of Bogota Municipal Building, Attn: Borough Clerk, at the above address prior to the opening of the Bids. **THE BOROUGH IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR LATE DELIVERY BY ANY COURIER OR THE POSTAL SERVICE.**

The award of the Contract for this work will not be made until the necessary funds have been provided by the Borough of Bogota in a lawful manner.

The Bid shall be accompanied by a Bid Bond or Certified Check to the order of the Borough of Bogota in an amount not less than ten percent (10%) of the total amount of the bid for each bid submitted. The Bid shall also contain a Statement of Consent of Surety under which a surety company holding a Certificate of Authorization to do business in the State of New Jersey agrees to provide a performance and payment bond if the contract is awarded to its principal.

Bidders must comply with applicable statutory requirements contained in the Contract Documents including the requirements of P.L. 1975, c.127 (Affirmative Action) and P.L. 1977, c.33 (Disclosure of Ownership). The successful bidder shall be required to comply with the provisions of the New Jersey Prevailing Wage Act, Chapter 150 of the Laws of 1963, effective January 1, 1964 and the Public Works Contractor Registration Act, P.L. 1999, c.238 (N.J.S.A. 34:11-56.25).

This contract is subject to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Community Development Block Program Regulations and Federal Labor Standard provisions. All contracts and subcontracts for construction and purchase of materials are subject to Section 3 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1968 where to the greatest extent possible, opportunities for training and employment shall be given to low and moderate income persons residing within the project area and, when possible, utilize businesses located in or owned in substantial part by persons residing within the project area.

At the time of submission of a bid, Bidder must provide their Business Registration Certificate pursuant to N.J.S.A. 34:11-56.51 and N.J.S.A. 52:32-44.

Bidders are cautioned to read the Contract Documents carefully and to execute the non-collusion affidavit, sign their proposals and comply with surety requirements. All prices must be written in ink or typewritten and signatures must be in ink. Failure to comply with the provisions of this Notice will result in rejection of the bid.

This bid solicitation is made in a fair and open process in accordance with N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.5 et. seq. Please be advised that County and/or Federal funds are being utilized in this project. By virtue of Executive Order #34 (1976), vendors currently suspended, debarred or disqualified are excluded from participation on this project.

All Bids shall be irrevocable and shall not be subject to withdrawal for any reason for a period of sixty (60) days following the dated fixed above for the opening thereof. The Mayor and Council reserve the right to reject any and all Bids, or to waive any Bid defect where such defect is not detrimental to the best interest of the Borough and fairness of the bidding process. The right is also reserved to increase or decrease the quantities specified in the manner designated in the Contract Documents.

BY ORDER OF THE Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Bogota, Bergen County, NJ,
Francis Garlicki, Borough Clerk.