

**SECTION 00 11 16**

**INVITATION TO BID**

TOWN OF CANTON  
WATER POLLUTION CONTROL AUTHORITY  
CANTON, CONNECTICUT

The Town of Canton, Connecticut, acting by and through the Water Pollution Control Authority invites Bidders to submit sealed bids for "Secret Lake Road, Sanitary Sewer Re-Routing & Flow Meter Manhole, Water Pollution Control Authority, Town of Canton, Connecticut, August 2017", which includes but is not limited to the following:

1. Provide a new 10-inch PVC gravity sewer line from Secret Lake Road to an existing manhole located on the property of The Shoppes at Farmington Valley including new sewer pipe, manholes, surface restoration, bypass pumping and decommission/abandon existing 10-inch PVC sewer segment.
2. Provide a new prefabricated FRP flow meter manhole on an existing gravity sewer line located in a sewer easement adjacent to Secret Lake Road including surface restoration, bypass pumping and dewatering.
3. All materials and equipment, services and construction inherent to the Work.

This Contract is being bid in accordance with the provisions of the Connecticut General Statutes and municipal codes and ordinances.

The Work shall be substantially complete and ready for final payment in accordance with the dates set forth in 00 52 10 Agreement.

A non-mandatory pre-Bid conference will be held at 9:00 AM local time on August 22, 2017 at the project location, in the parking lot vicinity of Talbots and Chico's clothing stores, at The Shoppes at Farmington Valley, 110 Albany Turnpike, Canton, Connecticut, 06019. Bidders are encouraged to attend and participate in the conference. Other access to the site can be provided by contacting Roger Ignazio, Jr., WPCA Superintendent at 860-693-7867. Note that site visits must be scheduled a minimum of 24 hours in advance, and all questions relating to this project must be submitted in writing to the Engineer.

Sealed Bids will be received at the Canton Town Hall, Office of the Chief Administrative Officer, 4 Market Street, Collinsville, Connecticut 06022 at 11:00 A.M. on August 31, 2017 at which time all bids will be opened and publicly read aloud. Bids received after the time of announced opening will not be accepted. Sealed bids must have outer envelope marked as "Secret Lake Road, Sanitary Sewer Re-Routing & Flow Meter Manhole, Water Pollution Control Authority, Town of Canton, Connecticut, August 2017, Bid Enclosed."

No Bid may be withdrawn within thirty (30) days after the date of the opening of bids, excluding weekends and legal holidays. Owner reserves the right to waive any informality in or to reject any

or all Bids, or to accept any Bid which in their opinion, is in the public interest to do so. This bid may be subject to the Town of Canton Local Bidder Preference Policy.

Sets of bidding documents may be obtained on or after August 17, 2017 at 10:00 AM.

**electronically** at no cost via the Engineer's OneDrive website by registering via email with the Engineer at [cknick@woodardcurran.com](mailto:cknick@woodardcurran.com) to be included on the Bidder's list. OneDrive information will then be provided to all parties on the Bidder's list which will be maintained by the Engineer at the Issuing Office.

**in hardcopy from Issuing Office** as follows.

Non-refundable deposit for each set of Bidding Documents: \$50 payable by certified check, treasurer's or cashier's check, or money order to Woodard & Curran.

Issuing Office:  
Woodard & Curran  
1699 King Street  
Suite 406  
Enfield, CT 06082

Complete sets of Bidding Documents shall be used in preparing Bids; neither Owner nor Engineer assumes any responsibility for errors or misinterpretations resulting from the use of the incomplete sets of Bidding Documents or for modifications to the Bidding Documents including electronic conversion.

Bid security in the amount of 5 percent of the Bid must accompany the Bid in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders.

The Project is subject to the prevailing wage laws under CGS §31-53 and 31-53a and is subject to prevailing wage rates as determined by the Connecticut Department of Labor Commissioner who has adopted as prevailing wage rates, the Federal Minimum Wage Rates as determined by the United States Department of Labor under the Davis-Bacon Act in accordance with CGS §31-53(d).

Owner reserves the right to reject any or all Bids, including without limitation, nonconforming, nonresponsive, unbalanced, or conditional Bids. Owner further reserves the right to reject the Bid of any Bidder whom it finds, after reasonable inquiry and evaluation, to not be eligible or responsible. Owner may also reject the Bid of any Bidder if Owner believes that it would not be in the best interest of the Project or the public to make an award to that Bidder. Owner also reserves the right to waive all informalities not involving price, time, or changes in the Work and to negotiate contract terms with the Successful Bidder.

The Town of Canton is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer.

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