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**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

Sealed bids may be submitted on or before the bid opening date of June 5, 2020 until 9:00 a.m. local time, at the Huron County Engineer’s Office, 150 Jefferson Street, Norwalk, Ohio 44857, for the following Project: Letting Bids for the 2020 Chip and Seal Program. Bids shall be opened and publically read aloud at 9:01 a.m. The opening will be conducted using the meeting software Zoom at website address <https://zoom.us/join>. No in person attendance will be allowed without conforming to social distancing rules and the wearing of masks is highly encouraged. Please contact Tracy Konik (419-668-1997 x101) up to 24 hours in advance of the opening to obtain the meeting ID, or personal link name, or telephone number and passcode for the bid opening. This information will also be posted at <http://www.hccommissioners.com> and <http://huroncountyengineer.org> prior to 24 hours in advance to the bid opening.

Bid Documents, including contract terms & conditions, must be obtained for a $25.00 (check only) non-refundable fee from the Huron County Engineer at 150 Jefferson Street Norwalk Ohio 44857, between the hours of 7:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., Monday through Friday (holidays excluded). Bidder may elect to have these documents mailed to them for an additional fee of $10.00 for shipping.

Each bidder is required to furnish with its proposal a Bid Guaranty and Contract Bond in accordance with section 153.54 of the Ohio Revised Code. Bid security furnished in Bond form, shall be issued by a Surety Company or Corporation licensed in the State of Ohio to provide said surety.

Each proposal must contain the full name of the party or parties submitting the proposal and all persons interested therein. Each bidder must submit evidence of its experiences on projects of similar size and complexity. The owner intends and requires that this project be completed no later than September 11, 2020.

All contractors and subcontractors involved with the project will to the extent practicable use Ohio products, materials, services, and labor in the implementation of their project. Additionally, contractor compliance with the equal employment opportunity requirements of Ohio Administrative Code Chapter 123 is required.

Bidders must comply with the prevailing wage rates on Public Improvements in Huron County, Ohio as determined by the Ohio Department of Commerce, Bureau of Wage and Hour Administration, 614.644.2239.

All proposals must be submitted bound in their entirety, and on the forms furnished in the Contract documents. Bid documents must be obtained from the Huron County Engineer, no copies will be accepted.

The Board of County Commissioners of Huron County reserves the right to waive any and all irregularities in the bids or bidding process and may reject any and all bids.

This advertisement may also be found on the Huron County Commissioners website at <http://www.hccommissioners.com> and can be accessed by clicking on Legal Notices.

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