## ADVERTISEMENT AND NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that sealed Bids will be received by the Township of Galloway for: **"2021 Drainage Program"** and opened and read aloud in the Court Chambers of the Galloway Township Municipal Complex, located at 300 East Jimmie Leeds Road, Galloway Township, NJ, on **December 8, 2021, at 10:00 am** prevailing local time.

The project generally consists of the drainage improvements of various roadways in the Township of Galloway. Approximate quantities include 120 TN of hot mix asphalt, 30 LF 12" Reinforced Concrete pipe Class V, 430 LF 15" Perforated HDPE pipe, 500 LF 18" Perforated HDPE pipe, 350 LF 24" Perforated HDPE pipe, and 100 SY of HMA driveway including associated work and restoration.

Plans, Specifications and Proposal Sheets may be obtained during normal business hours at the Office of the Township Engineer, Kurt J. Otto, P.E., CME Associates, 849 West Bay Avenue, Suite 7, Barnegat, New Jersey, at 732-410-2650, until 48 hours prior to the time set for the opening of bids upon payment of \$50.00 per set. No refunds will be made.

The said Contract Documents and Proposal sheets may be examined at the Township of Galloway, Administration Office, at 300 East Jimmie Leeds Road, Galloway Township, New Jersey between the hours of 10am and 2pm by contacting the Municipal Clerk's Office at 609-652-3700, ext. 237 to set up an appointment.

Bids must be furnished on the proposal sheets included in the Contract Documents, enclosed in a sealed envelope and addressed to the Municipal Clerk, Township of Galloway, New Jersey and plainly marked on the outside with the name and address of the bidder and the Contract Number and Title.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check of not less than ten (10%) percent of the bid payable without any conditional endorsement as a guarantee that in case the contract is awarded to the bidder, he/she will within ten (10) days thereafter execute such contract and furnish satisfactory performance bond. Upon failure to do so, he/she shall forfeit the bid security as liquidated damages and the acceptance of the bid will be contingent upon the fulfillment of this requirement by the bidder. No interest shall be allowed upon any such certified check. A bid bond in the amount of ten (10%) percent of the bid may be substituted for certified check, except the amount of the bid security shall not be less than \$500.00 - nor more than \$20,000.00. Each bid must be accompanied by a Certificate of Experience and Certificate of Equipment.

Each bid must also be accompanied by a certificate of Consent of Surety from a bonding company licensed to do business in the State of New Jersey guaranteeing that if the proposal of the bidder be accepted they will furnish the bond set forth in the Instructions to Bidders and the acceptance of the bid will be contingent upon the fulfillment of this requirement.

The Township reserves the right to increase or decrease quantities specified in the manner designated in the Specifications. The Township reserves the right to award this contract based on funds available.

Bidders are required to comply with the requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act (N.J.S.A.10:5-31 et seq.) and Affirmative Action (N.J.A.C. 17:27) and with the disclosure provisions of N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.13. 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. Bidders shall comply with N.J.S.A. 52:32-44 latest revision, regarding Business Registration with the <u>New Jersey Division of Revenue</u>.

During the performance of this contract the Contractor agrees to comply with the requirements of P.L. 1975, c. 127 (N.J.A.C. 17:27), all requirements of the State of New Jersey Worker Health and Safety Act (N.J.A.C. 12:110 et seq.) as amended and the United States Occupational Safety and Health Act (OSHA) (29 CFR 1910), as amended with regard to worker and jobsite safety.

No bidder may withdraw his bid for a period of sixty (60) days after the date set for the opening thereof. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a surety company bond in the full amount of the contract price indemnifying the Township of Barnegat, New Jersey for all proceedings, suits or actions of any kind of description and conditional for the faithful performance of the work.

The Township Council of the Township of Galloway reserves the right to reject any or all bids if in its opinion it is in the best interest of the Township to do so.

KELLI DANIELI – MUNICIPAL CLERK TOWNSHIP OF GALLOWAY