

**SOMERSET COUNTY  
NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

Notice is hereby given that on **Thursday, February 2, 2017 at 2:30 P.M.** sealed bids will be opened and read in public by the Purchasing Agent in the County of Somerset, Administration Building, 20 Grove Street, Somerville, New Jersey 08876, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Engineering Conference Room for:

**REPLACEMENT OF COUNTY BRIDGE NO. H0403  
SOUTH MIDDLEBUSH ROAD (CR 615)  
OVER SIX MILE RUN  
FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP, SOMERSET COUNTY  
CONTRACT NO. 16011**

Bids shall be delivered in sealed envelopes and addressed to Karen L. McGee, Purchasing Agent, County Administration Building, Purchasing Division – 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, 20 Grove Street, Somerville, New Jersey 08876, **clearly marked on the outside with the contract name and number, bearing the name and address of the bidder on the outside.**

Specifications and drawings (if applicable) may be inspected or obtained by prospective bidders in the office of the County Engineer at the same address, during regular business hours, on or after **Thursday, January 12, 2017**. A document fee of **\$75.00 NON-REFUNDABLE** in the form of a check payable to Somerset County Treasurer will be required for each set of documents taken out by prospective bidders.

This contract includes, but is not limited to, the following major items of work:

- Implementation of a signed detour to divert traffic during construction;
- Maintenance of stream flow;
- Establishment of soil erosion and sediment control measures;
- Demolition and replacement of County Bridge H0403 with cast-in-place concrete footings, abutments and stone-veneered wing walls supporting a stress-laminated glulam timber superstructure;
- Coordination with utility companies for utility pole relocations and protection of an existing fiber optic line;
- Approach roadway work including installation of guide rail and drainage items;
- Removal of traffic detour and reopening roadway to traffic.
- Project includes Incentive/Disincentive Provisions.

Bidder shall submit with the bid a certified check, cashier's check or bid bond in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the total price bid, but not in excess of \$20,000, payable unconditionally to Somerset County Treasurer, along with a Certificate (Consent of Surety) with Power of Attorney for full amount of bid price from a Surety Company authorized to do business in the State of New Jersey and that said Surety will furnish a Performance and Payment Bond in amounts of 100% of successful bidder's contract.

\*All Bid Addenda will be issued on the website at [www.co.somerset.nj.us](http://www.co.somerset.nj.us). Therefore, all interested respondents should check the website from now through bid opening. It is the sole responsibility of the respondent to be knowledgeable of all addenda related to this procurement.

Bidders shall comply with the requirements of N.J.S.A. 10:5-31 and N.J.A.C. 17:27 et seq.

Karen McGee  
Purchasing Agent