

SOMERSET COUNTY NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that on **Thursday, February 6, 2020 at 2:30 PM**, 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, 2nd Floor, Engineering Conference Room for:

2019 LORD STIRLING STABLE FENCE PROJECT 256 MAPLE AVENUE, BERNARDS TOWNSHIP SOMERSET COUNTY, NEW JERSEY CONTRACT NO. 19028

Bids shall be delivered in sealed envelopes and addressed to Karen L. McGee, Purchasing Agent, County Administration Building, Purchasing Division – 3rd 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 23, 2020**. 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.

The work to be performed under this contract shall include:

The installation of approximately 9,100 lf of new no-climb horse fence. Approximately 4,519 lf of this fence is to have hot wire installed. This work shall include all labor, materials, and equipment necessary for furnishing and installing no-climb horse fence including but not limited to oak top board and hot wire (and associated equipment).

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 County website at www.co.somerset.nj.us, and processed in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A: 11-23(c)(2). 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 L. McGee
Purchasing Agent