ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS WOODBRIDGE FIRE DISTRICT NO. 1 MIDDLESEX COUNTY

Notice is hereby given that the Woodbridge Fire District No. 1, Middlesex County, will be receiving sealed bids labeled "New Garage & Addition & Renovations to Main Office" which are to be submitted to Marianne Horta, Purchasing Agent, at Woodbridge Fire District No. 1, 109 Green Street, Woodbridge, NJ 07095, no later than Tuesday, February 6, 2024 at 1:00 p.m. prevailing time, where bids will be read aloud. Bids will be received for the following:

CONTRACT NO. 1: NEW GARAGE BUILDING & ALL SITE WORK

CONTRACT NO. 2: OFFICE BUILDING ADDITION & RENOVATION

The Bid Documents have been prepared by Settembrino Architects with an office at 37 E Washington Avenue, Atlantic Highlands, NJ 07716. Bid documents may be obtained directly from the office of the architect, after Friday, January 5, 2024, as an electronic PDF document only, by emailing the company name, contact info, phone, fax and email address to aloudin@settembrino.com.

A strongly recommended, but not required pre-bid meeting will be conducted on Wednesday, January 17, 2024 at 9:30 a.m. on site at 109 Green Street, Woodbridge, NJ 07095.

No bid will be accepted that does not conform to the Specifications. Bids shall be submitted and must be made on standard proposal forms in the manner designated by the Specifications. Bids are to be submitted as follows: hand delivery, U.S. Mail, UPS, Federal Express, or similar courier service. No bid may be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days from the opening of the bids, except as allowed by N.J.S.A. 40A:11-23.3. Each bid shall be accompanied by the following:

Bidders are notified as follows:

- Notice of revisions or addenda to the advertisement or bid specifications will be sent via email to all persons who have requested a copy of the bidding documents. Notice shall be provided no later than seven (7) days, Saturday, Sundays or holidays excepted, prior to the date for acceptance of bids to any person who has received a bid package. All amendments and addenda will be properly noticed pursuant to NJSA 40A:11-23. It is the responsibility of the Bidder to incorporate all properly noticed addenda within its Bid. Failure to receive notice of any amendment, revision or clarification when good faith notice is sent or delivered in accordance with applicable law shall not be considered failure by the Township to provide notice and shall not relieve a bidder from any obligation under his bid. All amendments, revisions and clarifications shall become part of the contract documents.
- 2. Bidders are required to comply with the requirements of <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 10:2-1 <u>et seq.</u>, "The Law Against Discrimination", <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 10:5-1 <u>et seq.</u>, and <u>N.J.A.C.</u> 17:27-1.1 <u>et seq.</u>
- 3. No bidder who is on the State Treasurer's, or the Federal Government's List of Debarred, Suspended or Disqualified Bidders shall be eligible to bid on this project. In addition, no person nor the person's affiliates who is debarred at the federal level from contracting with a federal government agency shall be eligible to bid on this project in accordance with N.J.S.A. 52:32-44.1.
- 4. Bidders are notified that they must comply with provisions of N.J.S.A. 34:11 56.25 et seq., (Wages on Public Works) and that the contract to be awarded in this case shall contain a stipulation that the wage rate to be paid to workers employed in the performance of the contract shall not be less than the prevailing wage rate as determined by the Commissioner of the Department of Labor and Industry of the State of New Jersey.

- 5. Bidders are put on notice that the Township is an exempt organization under the provisions of the New Jersey State Sales and Use Tax Act (N.J.S.A. 54:32B-1 et seq.) and is not required to pay sales tax.
- 6. All Bidders are put on notice that they are required to comply with all rules and regulations and orders promulgated by the State Treasurer and with all provisions of the N.J.S.A. 10:2-1 through 10:2-4 (Affirmative Action).

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 Affirmative Action N.J.S.A. 10:5-31 et seq., 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.

BY ORDER OF THE WOODBRIDGE FIRE DISTRICT FIRE NO. 1 JACK KENNY, PRESIDENT, BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS