

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS
STEEL RIVERS COUNCIL
OF GOVERNMENTS
REQUEST FOR
PROPOSALS**

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the Steel Rivers Council of Governments office at 1705 Maple Street, Room 100, Homestead PA 15120. Bid Proposals will be received until 10:00 A.M. prevailing time on December 14, 2023 whereupon bids will be publicly opened and read immediately thereafter for the following project:

1) **CD 48 – 7.6D – Catch Basin Replacement, Munhall:** Replacement of 8 catch basins with pipe and connections complete as specified, associated work and all restoration including asphalt and concrete curbs sidewalks, ADA ramps, and asphalt pavement.

2) **CD 48 – 3.10.1 – Street Reconstruction, Elizabeth Borough:** Includes milling, 1,870 SY binder and wearing courses and utility adjustment associated work items Separate copies of the Contract Specifications, Instructions to Bidders, General Conditions, Form of Proposal and Agreement can be obtained at the offices of the Steel Rivers Council of Governments, Room 100, 1705 Maple Street, Homestead PA 15120 upon payment of a non-refundable fee of \$60.00 for each project made payable to the Steel Rivers COG. Documents will be mailed upon receipt of an additional \$10.00 postage and handling fee for each project. Each project proposal shall be delivered in a separate sealed envelope bearing the name and address of the bid der on the outside, addressed to the Steel Rivers COG and marked with the project name. Proposals to receive consideration must be accompanied by a Certified Check or Bidder's Bond from a Surety Company authorized to do business in Pennsylvania, made to the order of the Steel Rivers Council of Governments and/or Authority in an amount equal to ten percent (10%) of the Proposal as a guarantee that, if the Proposal is accepted, the successful Bidder will immediately enter into Agreement after the Notice of Award of the Contract and commence start of construction immediately thereafter. Compliance is required with the Davis-Bacon Act and other Federal Labor Standard Provisions; Title VI and other applicable provisions of the Civil Rights Act of 1964; the Department of Labor Equal Opportunity Clause (41 CFR 60-1.4); Section 109 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974; Executive Order 11625 (Utilization of Minority Business Enterprise); Executive Order 12138 (Utilization of Female Business Enterprise); in compliance with Section 504 of Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990; the Allegheny County MBE/WBE Program enacted July, 1981, which sets forth goals of 13 percent Minority and 2 percent Female Business Enterprise; and the Allegheny County Ordinance #6867-12, setting forth goals of 5 percent Veteran-Owned Small Businesses. Further, notice is hereby given that this is a Section 3 Project under the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968 (as amended), and must to the greatest extent feasible, utilize lower income residents for employment and training opportunities and Section 3 Business concerns and all contracts and subcontracts for this project shall contain the Section 3 Clause" as set forth in 24 CFR, Part 135.38. Moreover, compliance is required by the prime contractor and all subcontractors with the document entitled federal General County Conditions that is included with the bid materials furnished, these federal General County Conditions to be incorporated by reference into all construction contracts between operating agency and contractor, contractor and subcontractor(s), and subcontractor(s) and lower tiered subcontractor(s). The Steel Rivers Council of Governments reserves the right to waive any informalities or to reject any or all proposals, or any part thereof. No Bidder may reject his/her bid for the period as specified in the project bid documents after the scheduled closing time for receipt of bids.

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