

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The City of Galesburg, Illinois, hereby invites sealed bids for lead water service line replacements. This project will occur in the City of Galesburg. Bids will be received until 11:00 a.m., local time, April 21, 2017, at the office of the Purchasing Agent located in City Hall, 55 West Tompkins Street, Galesburg, IL 61401; and at that time, publicly opened and read aloud in the City Council Chambers, located in City Hall. . Bid documents are available from Bruner, Cooper & Zuck on their website at www.bczengineering.com.

Construction of Lead Service Line Replacement to the City of Galesburg, various locations, is being financed by the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (SRF). The SRF program is administered by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency and receives a portion of its money to fund the set types of projects from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. This project includes replacement of 409 lead water service lines. Replacement will be from the water main to the meter. Once complete, it will improve water quality for area residents in the City of Galesburg by having no lead water service pipes to residences. SRF programs operate in each state to provide communities the resources necessary to build, maintain, and improve the infrastructure that protects one of our most valuable resources; water. This project is being funded by a four million dollar forgivable loan through the SRF and there will be no local funds contributed to this project.

All bids shall be accompanied by a Bid Bond and Performance Bonds will be required for this project. The right is reserved to accept any bid or any part or parts thereof or to reject any and all bids. Vendors will be required to comply with all applicable EEO laws

and regulations. The submission of the bid by the offeror in response to this Advertisement for Bids constitutes an acknowledgement of and an agreement by the Offeror that it understands and will comply with the Davis-Bacon Act. Resolution No. 90-74 requires compliance with the Human Relations Act and all pertinent federal and state rules and regulations. The contract award shall be made to the lowest responsible bidder whose bid properly addresses and complies with the invitation, and is most advantageous to the City of Galesburg; price and other factors considered.

Kraig D. Boynton
Purchasing Agent