

SPECIFICATIONS & PROPOSAL:

SEALCOAT PARKING LOT PROGRAM

Bids due by: *May* 9, 2023 @ 10 a.m.

Submitted By:

 Company Name

 Street Address

 City
 State
 Zip

 Contact Person
 Phone No.
 Email Address

David G. Kline, Mayor Michael Rorar, Director of Public Service

46 North Avenue, Tallmadge, Ohio 44278

Phone 330-633-0854 • Fax 330-633-1359

City of Tallmadge Department of Public Service Invitation to Bid

Sealed proposals will be accepted in the Public Service Department, City of Tallmadge, 46 North Avenue, Tallmadge, Ohio, 44278 until 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, May 9, 2023. (City Hall is open for public access Monday thru Friday from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.) Bids being opened immediately thereafter in the Council Chambers of the Municipal Building for:

Seal Coat Parking Lot Sealer

Detailed information, proposal forms and complete specifications may be obtained from the City of Tallmadge website at <u>https://www.tallmadge-ohio.org/bids</u>.

Bidders must use the forms available on the website as no other will be accepted. Proposals must include a price for each item in the Bid Proposal form. Incomplete proposals will be considered informal and will not be considered. Each bid must contain the full name of every person or company participating in the bid.

Each bid must be accompanied by a Bid Guaranty, in accordance with Section 153.54 of the Ohio Revised Code. Each bidder shall submit either a Bid Guaranty bond in the amount of 100%, OR a certified check in the amount of 10% of the proposal, made payable to the CITY OF TALLMADGE. Should any bid not be awarded or be rejected, such check or bond will be returned to the bidder or bidders after the execution of the contract.

The award of this contract shall be to the lowest and best bidder. The City of Tallmadge reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept the bid(s) deemed most beneficial to the City of Tallmadge.

The bidder is responsible for monitoring the above-named website for any official addenda.

Please contact Tina Fiocca in the Public Service Department at <u>tfiocca@tallmadge-ohio.org</u> if you have any questions regarding this bid.

Project Estimate: \$63,000

Michael Rorar Director of Public Service Ordinance 2023-44

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Table of Contents and Bidder's Checklist

A complete bid packet will consist of the items listed below.

Complete this checklist to confirm the items required in your bid. Place a checkmark or "X" next to each item that you are submitting to the City of Tallmadge. Failure to submit the listed documents may be cause for rejection of your bid. This checklist should be returned with your bid.

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SECTION I: INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

All pages of the Bid Proposal, Specifications and Contract Documents must be intact and included in the bid submittal. Bidders must use the forms provided on Vendor Registry or the City of Tallmadge website as no other will be accepted.

The City of Tallmadge does encourage bidders to submit all bid forms with their bids.

Submit all bids to the City of Tallmadge Public Service Department, 46 North Avenue, Public Service Department, Tallmadge, Ohio 44278 according to the instructions in the Invitation to Bid posted on the City of Tallmadge's website at <u>https://www.tallmadge-ohio.org/bids</u>

Bids should be in a sealed envelope marked with project title and the name and address of bidder and reach the Public Service Department, no later than 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, May 9, 2023. In addition, clearly mark on the outside of the mailing envelope what the bid is for. The Public Service date/time stamp is the official date/time used for the deadline of the submission of bids. The City will disqualify any bid not received on or before 10:00 AM local time on Tuesday, May 9, 2023.

The City reserves the right to waive any informality in any proposal, and to reject any or all bids. The City also reserves the right not to enter into any contract as a result of this invitation for bid.

All addendums will be posted on the City website through Vendor Registry. It is the bidder's responsibility to check this site on a regular basis. The City will not be responsible for any information not viewed by bidders. All bidders should register with <u>www.vendorregistry.com</u> so that the City has all the necessary vendor information.

In reviewing bids to determine who is the lowest and best, the City will take into consideration the extent to which the bid conforms to the bid specifications and the qualifications of the bidder to satisfactorily implement the requirements of the Contract. The City specifically reserves the right to reject any bids for which the bidder fails to demonstrate the ability to provide the service required in a responsible manner.

Any bidder may withdraw his bid, by written request, at any time prior to the deadline set for the bid opening. Please be advised, the City of Tallmadge may impose a \$500.00 penalty to any bidder that withdraws his bid after the bid opening and prior to a contract award(s).

Bid will be awarded to the lowest and best bidder. The City will be the judge of the factors and will make the award accordingly. Should the successful bidder not be able to provide the required services, the City reserves the right to request service from other sources.

Prospective bidders will take notice that the City of Tallmadge, in determining the lowest and best bidder in the award of this contract, may award a local bidder preference to any qualified bidder pursuant to Section 143.06 of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Tallmadge. The determination of whether a bidder qualifies for the local preference shall be made by Board of Control. The Board's decision shall be final.

After award of the bid, by the City of Tallmadge, the successful bidder will receive an official award notification from the City. The signed contract will represent agreement between the City and the successful bidder (all terms of the bid specifications and any applicable addenda will apply).

The Contractor shall be required to furnish to the City of Tallmadge, evidence showing insurance coverage to be in force throughout the term of the contract. The Contractor shall carry Comprehensive General Liability and Auto Liability Insurance to cover damages for which the contractor may be legally responsible due to bodily injury or property damage. The contractor shall provide to the City of Tallmadge a certificate of insurance showing \$1,000,000.00 Combined Single Limit and \$2,000,000.00 Aggregate Coverage and Workers Compensation Insurance. The City of Tallmadge must be included as an additional insured.

The Contractor covenants to save, defend, hold harmless, and indemnify the City, and all of its officers, departments, agencies, agents, and employees (collectively the "City") from and against any and all claims, losses, damages, injuries, fines, penalties, costs (including court costs and attorney's fees), charges, liability, or exposure, however caused, resulting from, arising out of, or in any way connected with the Contractor's intentional, negligent, or grossly negligent acts or omissions in performance or nonperformance of its work called for by the Contract Documents.

After satisfactory completion of services, the Contractor shall forward invoice(s) to the following address: The City of Tallmadge, Public Service Department, 46 North Ave., Tallmadge, Ohio 44278. **This is a prevailing wage contract.**

SECTION II: BID FORMS

- _____ Bid Form 1: Note
- _____ Bid Form 2: Bid Guaranty and Contract Bond
- _____ Bid Form 3: Non-Collusion Affidavit
- _____ Bid Form 4: Statement of Non Liability for Delinquent Personal Property Taxes
- _____ Bid Form 5: Statement of Liability for Delinquent Personal Property Taxes
- _____ Bid Form 6: Certification of Drug Free Workplace
- _____ Bid Form 7: Certification for Local Preference
- _____ Bid Form 8: Affidavit in Compliance with Section 3517.13
- _____ Bid Form 9: Independent Contractor Anti-Bias Disclosure
- _____ Bid Form 10: Certification of No Personal Interest
- _____ Bid Form 11: OPERS Independent Worker/ Contractor Acknowledgment Form
- _____ Bid Form 12: OPERS Form

NOTE

The bidder hereby agrees that the Public Service Director has the right to reject any or all bids and to waive informality in any bid and that the bidder shall not dispute the correctness of the quantities used in computing the lowest and best bidder.

	(Date)	
(Business Address of Bidder)		
(Business Phone Number of Bidder)		
CERTIFIED CHECK OR BID BOND		
Certified check or bid bond in the amount	of:	
		on
(State Amoun	t)	
(Name of Bank or Bondi	ng Company)	
		deposited herewith.
	(Riddor)	
	(Bidder)	

(Date)

ALL BIDS NOT IN CONFORMITY WITH THESE PROVISIONS WILL BEREJECTED.

BID GUARANTY/ CONTRACT BOND/ MAINTENANCE BOND

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that we the undersigned

as Principal, and

_as Sureties, are hereby held and firmly bound unto the

CITY OF TALLMADGE, OHIO

as Obligee in the penal	sum of the	dollar amount o	f the Bid su	bmitted by the	Principal to
the Obligee on the	day of _		, 20	to undertake	the Project
known as:					

The penal sum referred to herein shall be the dollar amount of the Principal's Bid to the Obligee, incorporating any additive or deductive alternate proposals made by the Principal on the date referred to above to the Obligee, which are accepted by the Obligee. In no case shall the penal sum exceed the amount of

dollars (\$_____). (If the foregoing blank is not filled in, the penal sum will be the amount of the Principal's Bid, including alternates. Alternatively, if the blank is filled in, the amount stated must not be less than the full amount of the Bid including alternates, in dollars and cents. A percentage is not acceptable.) For the payment of the penal sum well and truly to be made, we hereby jointly and severally bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns.

THE CONDITION OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATION IS SUCH, that whereas the above name Principal has submitted a Bid for

_ for the City of Tallmadge, Ohio;

NOW THEREFORE, if the Obligee accepts the Bid of the Principal and the Principal fails to enter into a proper Contract in accordance with the Bid and the other contract documents; and in the event the Principal pays to the Obligee the difference not to exceed ten percent of the penalty hereof between the amount specified in the Bid and such larger amount for which the Obligee may in good faith Contract with the next lowest bidder to perform the work covered by the Bid; or in the event the Obligee does not award the Contract to the next lowest bidder and resubmits the Project for bidding, the Principal pays to the Obligee the difference not to exceed ten percent of the penalty hereof between the amount specified in the Bid, or the costs, in connection with the resubmission of printing new contract documents, required advertising, and printing and mailing notices to prospective bidders, whichever is less, then this obligation shall be null and void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect; if the Obligee accepts the Bid of the Principal and the Principal within ten days after the awarding of the Contract enters into a proper Contract in accordance with the Bid and the other contract documents, which said Contract is made a part of this Bond the same as though set forth herein;

NOW ALSO, if the said Principal shall well and faithfully do and perform the things agreed by said Principal to be done and performed according to the terms of said Contract; and shall pay all lawful claims of Subcontractors, materialmen, and laborers, for labor performed and materials furnished in the carrying forward, performing, or completing of said Contract; we agreeing and assenting that this undertaking shall be for the benefit of any materialman or laborer having a just claim, as well as for the Obligee herein; then this obligation shall be void; otherwise the same shall remain in full force and effect; it being expressly understood and agreed that the liability of the Surety for any and all claims hereunder shall in no event exceed the penal amount of this obligation as herein stated.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION is such that a maintenance guarantee, with good and sufficient surety, in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the amount of the performance guarantee for a period of two (2) years from and after the date of completion and acceptance by the Owner, replace any and all defects arising in the Work, whether resulting from defective materials or defective workmanship, after such period this obligation shall be null and void; otherwise it will remain in full force and effect.

The said Surety hereby stipulates and agrees that no modifications, omissions, or additions, in or to the terms of the said Contract or in or to the Drawings or Specifications therefor shall in any wise affect the obligations of said Surety on its Bond.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seal this

day of	, 20	•
	Principa	al
	Ву	
	Surety	y
	Ву	
	Address	_
	Phone No	

(SEAL)

IMPORTANT - Surety companies executing Bonds must appear on the Treasury Department's most current list (Circular 570 as amended) and be authorized to transact business in the state where the Project is located.

NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF)
) SS.
COUNTY OF)

Being duly sworn, do depose and say:

that ____

(Insert names of all persons, firms or corporations interested in the bid.)

its agent, officers or employees have not directly or indirectly entered into any agreement, participated in any collusion, or otherwise taken any action in restraint of free competitive bidding in connection with this proposal; and also that no member of the Council, head of any Department or bureau, or employee therein, or any officer of the City of Tallmadge is directly or indirectly interested therein.

(Signature)

(Title)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this _____day of _____, 20____

Notary Public in and for the

COUNTY OF_____, STATE OF_____

My commission expires_____, 20____.

THIS AFFIDAVIT MUST BE EXECUTED FOR THE APPLICATION TO BE CONSIDERED.

STATEMENT OF NON-LIABILITY FOR DELINQUENT PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES*

STATE OF OHIO)	
COUNTY OF)SS: <u>)</u>	
(See note below) at the time of the submission of personal property taxes on		charged with delinquent
(Name of County and State)		
(See note below)		
Sworn to and subscribed before m	ne this day of	20
	Notary Public in and for	r the
	COUNTY OF	STATE
My Commis	ssion expires	

Note:

Where an individual has submitted a bid, the name of the individual should appear here. Where an individual signs for a partnership, the name of the partner signing for the partnership should appear together with the name of the partnership. Where a corporation has submitted a bid, the name of the officer, his position, and the name of the corporation should appear.

*Complete either Statement of Non-Liability or Statement of Liability, but not both.

STATEMENT OF LIABILITY FOR DELINQUENT PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES*

STATE OF OHIO)
)SS: COUNTY OF)
, being first duly sworn, says that See note below)
ne may be awarded a contract by (Name of Subdivision)
after competitive bidding; and that at the time of the submission of said affivant
was charged with delinquent personal property taxes on the general tax list of
personal property of (Name of County and State) and that the amount of the due and unpaid delinquent tax is \$and
hat the amount of the due and unpaid penalties and interest is <u>\$</u> .
Sworn to and subscribed before me this day of 20
Notary Public in and for the
COUNTY OF STATE OF
Note:
Where an individual has submitted a bid, the name of the individual should appear here.

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CERTIFICATION OF DRUG FREE WORKPLACE

BIDDER'S NAME: ______ADDRESS: ______CITY, STATE: _____

Project:

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned, being a duly authorized agent of the Bidder does certify that the following facts are true:

- 1. Bidder has published and provided to employees notice that the manufacture, use, possession, or distribution of drugs in the work place is prohibited, as well as a specification of the disciplinary action that may be taken against employees who violate that prohibition.
- 2. It is the policy of the Bidder that any employee convicted of violating a criminal drug statute occurring in the work place is required to notify the employer of said conviction within five (5) days after such conviction.
- 3. Bidder has published notice specifying the sanctions for or requiring satisfactory participation in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program by an employee convicted of violating a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace.
- 4. Bidder has implemented a program for the distribution of information on drug abuse awareness and the availability of counseling and referral services.

I further certify and understand that the City of Tallmadge, pursuant to Ordinance 142-1994, can enter into a contract resulting from the competitive bidding process only with those Bidders who provide a drug free workplace by meeting the above requirements.

DATE: _____

Signature:

Title:

CERTIFICATION FOR LOCAL PREFERENCE

The undersigned bidder does hereby certify that his principal place of business is within the corporate limits of the City of Tallmadge, Ohio or within the Brimfield / Tallmadge JEDD Area and that he qualifies as a *"local business"* by complying with the following policy as established by Ord. 126-97 Section 143.06:

Local Preference Policy

A. DEFINITIONS:

1. "Business" means a domestic corporation, sole proprietorship, partnership, or joint venture whose principal place of business is located in Tallmadge, Ohio or is located within the area designated as a Joint Economic Development District as established by the City of Tallmadge and the Township of Brimfield. If one party to joint venture has its principal place of business in Tallmadge, Ohio, or is located within the Joint Economic Development District, the joint venture shall be considered as having its principal place of business in Tallmadge. No business as defined herein shall benefit from the local preference policy unless it is participating in the JEDD by withholding and paying City income tax.

- 2. "Bidder" means the respondent to invitations to bid and/or to requests for proposals.
- B. Bidders having established their principal place of business in Tallmadge, Ohio for two successive calendar years immediately preceding the bid opening date or proposal date, may be preferred as lowest if their bid does not exceed the lowest bid by more than 3%, not to exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) of the apparent low bid.
- C. To qualify for local preference bidders shall include the following on their bid or proposal documents:
 - 1. Certification that "The bidder of offer hereby certifies that its principal place of business is in Tallmadge, Ohio and has been for at least two successive years immediately preceding the opening date herein".
 - 2. Location of principal place of business.
 - 3. Date of business establishment
 - 4. If the bid is for a City vehicle or motor vehicle or accessory, the bidder's price shall be the same as or lower than the State Purchasing Program price.
- D. Each bidder shall have only one principal place of business.
- E. Local preference may be applied as provided herein where prohibited by state or federal law.
- F. Local preference may be applied in considering the lowest bid and shall not waive or nullify evaluation of bidders which are responsive and responsible or lowest and best.
- G. In determining the qualifications of bidders for supplies, commodities, materials, equipment, furnishings or general services as lowest responsive and responsible or lowest and best bidder, the Board of Control shall exercise a preference of local bidders as provided for herein. The local preference shall apply to contracts for the building, repair or renovation of public buildings or improvements

BIDDER'S NAMED	ATE BUSINESS ESTABLISHED
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Location of principal place of business_

Successive years at this location immediately prior to bid opening date:

DATEDSignet	ed
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AFFIDAVIT IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 3517.13

STATE OF OHIO COUNTY OF _____ss:

Personally, appeared before me the undersigned, a bidder, a representative of a bidder, a contractor or vendor on behalf of

(Name of Business)

for a contract for _____ (Type of Product or Service)

to be let by the City of Tallmadge, who, being duly cautioned and sworn, makes the following statement with respect to prohibited activities constituting a conflict of interest or other violations under R.C. Section 3517.13, and further states that the undersigned has the authority to make the following representation on behalf of the entity if the undersigned as an individual is not the bidder himself or herself:

- 1. On behalf of the corporation, business trust, estate, individual business owner, partner or owner of partnership or other unincorporated business, shareholder of an association, that all of the following persons, where applicable, are in compliance with R.C. 3517.13.
 - a. each owner of more than twenty percent of a corporation;
 - b. each individual, partnership or other unincorporated business, association, including without limitation, professional associations;
 - c. each shareholder of an association, administrator or executor of any estate and trustee of any trust, or political action committee associated with any of the foregoing;
 - d. each spouse of the above;
 - e. each child seven years of age to seventeen years of age of any of the above;
 - f. any combination of the above.
- 2. The undersigned further certifies that if awarded a contract as a result of competitive bidding, or request for proposals, he, she or it shall not once the contract is awarded and extending until one year following the conclusion of the contract, make as an individual, one or more campaign contributions totaling in excess of \$1,000 or collectively, contributions totaling in excess of \$2,000 (over a twoyear period), to the holder of the public office having ultimate responsibility for the award of the contract or to the public officer's campaign committee, including individuals or groups of individuals specified in paragraph 1, above.

Si	gnature
Ti	tle
Sworn to before me, a notary public, and subscribe	d in my presence thisday of20
N	otary Public
М	y Commission Expires

<u>CITY OF TALLMADGE</u> <u>INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR ANTI-BIAS DISCLOSURE</u>

1. To the best of your knowledge, do you have any prior relationship(s) with any employee, elected official, or non-elected official of the City of Tallmadge?



2. If you answered yes to question number 1, Please check the appropriate box(es) that describe that relationship(s)

Spouse
Child whether dependent or independent
Parent
Grandparent
Sibling
Aunt/Uncle
In-law
Step-child
Step-parent
Step-grandparent
Step-sibling
Step-aunt/Step-Uncle
Any other person related by blood or marriage and residing in the same household
Prior business relationship or business associate
Friend
Other significant relationship

1. If	you answered Other significant relationship in question number 2, please explain below:
2.	Please provide below the name(s) of any and all employees of the City of Tallmadge with whom you have any of the above relationships:
decla ind co	re (or certify, verify, or state) under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true prrect.
Print N	Jame

Signature

Date

CITY OF TALLMADGE CERTIFICATION OF NO PERSONAL INTEREST

Under penalty of perjury, I hereby certify that:

- 1. I am not a family member of any public official or public servant of the City of Tallmadge; unless otherwise disclosed in writing to all officers and elected officials of the city.
- 2. I am not a business associate of any public official or public servant of the City of Tallmadge unless otherwise disclosed in writing to all officers and elected officials of the city.
- 3. No officer, employee or assignee of the undersigned contractor is a family member or a business associate of the City of Tallmadge and has an ownership interest greater than 5% in the contractor's organization.
- 4. No owner, officer, employee or agent of contractor's organization gave, offered or promised anything of value, including future benefits, to a public servant or public official of the City of Tallmadge, other than the consideration expressly provided for in the contract.

DATE: _____

CONTRACTOR:

Name of Organization

Signature

Title

OPERS Independent Worker/Contractor Acknowledgment Form Questionnaire

Please answer the questions below to determine if you will be required to complete the attached OPERS Independent Worker/Contractor Acknowledgment Form.

Question 1:

Are you a sole proprietor/independent contractor?

_____ Yes. You are required to complete the attached OPERS Independent Worker/Contractor Acknowledgement Form. If you have less than 5 employees, each employee is also required to complete the form.

____ No. Please go to Question 2.

Question 2:

Are you a business entity with less than 5 employees?

____ Yes. You and each of your employees are required to complete the attached OPERS Independent Worker/Contractor Acknowledgement Form.

____ No. Please sign the statement below.

I have answered the above questions accurately and truthfully. Based on those answers, I will not be completing the OPERS Independent Worker/Contractor Acknowledgement Form .

Signature

Title

Printed Name



INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR/WORKER

ACKNOWLEDGMENT Ohio Public Employees Retirement System 277 East Town Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215-4642

Employer Outreach: 1-888-400-0965 www.opers.org

This form is to be completed if you are an individual who begins providing personal services to a public employer on or after Jan. 7, 2013 but are not considered by the public employer to be a public employee and will not have contributions made to OPERS. This form must be completed not later than 30 days after you begin providing personal services to the public employer.

STEP 1: Personal Information	
Social Security Number	
First Name	MI Last Name
STEP 2: Public Employment Information	
Name of Public Employer	
Employer Contact	
First Name	MI Last Name
Employer Code	Employer Contact Phone Number
Service Provided to Public Employer	
Start Date of Service	End Date of Service
Month Day Year	Month Day Year
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STEP 3: Acknowledgment

The public employer identified in Step 2 has identified you as an independent contractor or another classification other than a public employee. Ohio law requires that you acknowledge in writing that you have been informed that the public employer identified in Step 2 has classified you as an independent contractor or another classification other than a public employee for the services described in Step 2 and that you have been advised that contributions to OPERS will not be made on your behalf for these services.

If you disagree with the public employer's classification, you may contact OPERS to request a determination as to whether you are a public employee eligible for OPERS contributions for these services. Ohio law provides that a request for a determination must be made within five years after you begin providing personal services to the public employer, unless you are able to demonstrate through medical records to the Board's satisfaction that at the time the five-year period ended, you were physically or mentally incapacitated and unable to request a determination.

By signing this form, you are acknowledging that the public employer for whom you are providing personal services has informed you that you have been classified as an independent contractor or another classification other than a public employee and that no contributions will be remitted to OPERS for the personal services you provide to the public employer. This acknowledgment will remain valid as long as you continue to provide the same services to the same employer with no break in service regardless of whether the initial contract period is extended by any additional agreement of the parties. You also acknowledge that you understand you have the right to request a determination of your eligibility for OPERS membership if you disagree with the public employer's classification.

This form must be retained by the public employer and a copy sent to OPERS. The public employer's failure to retain this acknowledgment may extend your right to request a determination beyond the five years referenced above.

Signature_

Do not print or type name

_Today's Date____/

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A. SCOPE OF WORK

- 1. The City is seeking a qualified contractor to perform sealing services, repair and related work. The scope of work is to provide all supervision, labor, tools, equipment, and services required to perform seal coat pavement work as specified herein. Contractor shall furnish all necessary supervision, labor, equipment, tools, and transportation, and other resources for excavation, installation and hauling for all seal coat pavement services.
- 2. The following work shall consist of furnishing all materials, equipment and labor necessary to complete the required items in accordance with the latest edition of the State of Ohio, Department of Transportation, Construction and Material Specifications (ODOT CMS) and the City of Tallmadge Specifications stated herein. The various subsections of the ODOT CMS referenced items shall apply and are hereby considered part of these specifications by reference. All traffic control and maintenance of traffic shall be the responsibility of the contractor. The following sections highlight the general requirements, and are also in addition to, the ODOT CMS.
- 3. All work performed by the contractor will be subject to inspection by the City of Tallmadge Street and or Service Department and payment will be withheld for any work not complying with the above referenced specs until the deficiencies are corrected. Deficiencies shall be corrected at the sole expense of the contractor.
- 4. Tallmadge will be responsible for having parking area cleared of vehicles.

B. EQUIPMENT AND PERSONNEL SPECIFICATION

Equipment, tools, and personnel to be supplied by the contractor include:

- 1. The contractor will supply the necessary equipment to fulfill the job such as blowers, sweepers, trucks, etc.
- 2. It shall be the sole responsibility of the Contractor(s) performing services for this contract to safeguard their own materials, tools, and equipment. The City of Tallmadge shall not assume any responsibility for any damaged materials, tools, or equipment.
- 3. Adequate barricades shall be erected and maintained around all areas where equipment and materials are stored and used.

C. SAFETY AND LIABILITY

- 1. Contractor must contact Ohio Utilities Protection Services to have utilities marked before the start of the project. Call 811
- 2. Contractor, its agents, successors and assigns shall comply with all rules of the Summit County Health Department and City and all applicable Ohio Department of Health orders and CDC Guidelines.
- 3. Contractor is responsible to provide a safe workplace and to comply with OSHA and other federal, state or local health and safety regulations.

- 4. Contractor must follow the Ohio Manual of Uniform Traffic Control Devices (OMUTCD). <u>http://www.dot.state.oh.us/Divisions/Engineering/Roadway/DesignStandards/traffic/OhioM</u> <u>UTCD/Pages/OMUTCD2012</u> current_default.aspx
- 5. Contractor shall attest in writing with the submission of the bid that all equipment utilized during this contract is in good and serviceable condition.
- 6. Contractor shall assume the entire responsibility and liability for all damages or injuries of any kind or nature whatsoever to all persons, whether its employees or otherwise, and to all property growing out of or resulting from the execution of the work provided for in this contract or occurring in connection therewith. Contractor agrees to defend, indemnify, and hold harmless the City of Tallmadge, its agents, employees, and insurers from and against any and all losses and expenses, including court costs and attorney's fees, damages or injuries growing out of or resulting from or occurring in connection with the execution of the work herein provided for; provide, however, that Contractor will not be held liable for loss of life or injury or damage to person or property due to the sole negligence of the City, its agents, or its employees.
- 7. If any damage is done to the property of others by Contractor, its employees, or agents during the term of this contract, Contractor will repair and restore at its sole cost any such property and correct any damages inflicted thereto, returning it to as good a condition as the property was in before being damaged, in a manner satisfactory to the owner(s) of the property for the damage suffered.

D. OTHER REQUIREMENTS

- 1. Contractor shall comply with all federal, state, and local laws and regulations applicable to the performance of its work under this contract including business license requirements of the City of Tallmadge.
- 2. Contractor shall not pull the crew off-line for work in another locale without first receiving permission from the City Service Director.

E. AWARD PROCESS

- 1. Contracts will be awarded based on the sum of lowest and best bidder for chip seal services.
- 2. The Board of Control reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept the bid(s) deemed most beneficial to the City of Tallmadge.

F. QUESTIONS AND ADDENDA

- All questions should be submitted in writing at least five (5) business days prior to the bid opening. Answers to questions will be issued in writing as official addenda no later than seventy-two (72) business hours prior to the time of the bid opening. Said addenda will become a component of the invitation to bid and should be acknowledged as received on the proposal page. Failure to acknowledge all official addenda in this manner may result in your bid being disqualified.
- 2. All questions should be directed to:

Tina Fiocca City of Tallmadge Service Department Email: <u>tfiocca@tallmadge-ohio.org</u>

- 3. Bidders are expected to and responsible for monitoring the Vendor Registry for all official addenda.
- 4. Oral instructions or decisions, unless confirmed by addenda, will not be considered valid, legal or binding.
- 5. Please be advised that when you submit a bid to the City of Tallmadge, the City will assume that an authorized representative of your company reviewed said bid to assure that the bid is correct and/or accurate.
- 6. Any bidder may withdraw a bid, by written request, at any time prior to the time set for the bid opening. This request must be made to Michael Rorar, Director of Public Service at <u>mrorar@tallmadge-ohio.org</u> If there is no withdrawal of the bid, in accordance to this procedure, the City reserves the right to enforce said bid prices(s) and/or contract(s).
- 7. If a bidder attempts to alter any of the terms and/or conditions of these bid specifications the City of Tallmadge may reject said bid.
- 8. The party submitting a bid is solely responsible for the delivery of the bid to the specified location prior to the deadline for the receipt of bids. The Public Service Department copy machine time stamp is the official time used for the deadline of the submission of bids.

G. Prevailing Wage

- 1. The successful bidder must comply with all State of Ohio Prevailing Wage Rates.
- 2. Please describe any allegations of violations of the prevailing wage law and any other state or federal labor law, including, but not limited to, child labor violations, failure to pay wages, or unemployment insurance tax delinquencies or unfair practices within the past five years.
- 3. This contract is subject to Ohio Prevailing Wage Laws, Chapter 4115 of the Ohio Revised Code and the Contractor and all subcontractors shall comply with all provisions contained therein or as otherwise provided by this note. The Contractor guarantees that the prevailing wage scale to be paid to all laborers and mechanics employed on this contract shall be in accordance with the schedule of the prevailing hourly wage and fringe benefits as determined by the Ohio Department of Commerce for the county in which the work is being performed. The failure to pay prevailing wages to all laborers and mechanics employed on this project shall be considered a breach of contract. Such a failure may result in the revocation of the contractor's and/or subcontractor's certificate of qualification and debarment. A schedule of the most current prevailing wage rates may be accessed by logging in/registering with the Ohio Department of Commerce, Labor and Worker Safety Division, Wage and Hour Bureau at the following web address:

http://198.234.41.198/w3/webwh.nsf/wrlogin/?openform

The Contractor and all subcontractors shall compensate the employees on this contract at a pay rate not less than the hourly wage and fringe rate listed on the website noted above, for the applicable job classification or as may be modified by the Ohio Department of Commerce, Division of Labor and Worker Safety Wage and Hour Bureau, when new prevailing rates are established.

Overtime shall be paid at one and one-half times the basic hourly rate for any hours worked beyond forty hours during a pay week. The Contractor and all subcontractors shall pay all compensation by company check to the worker and fringe benefit program.

- 4. The wage and fringe rates determined for this project or as may be later modified, shall be posted by the Contractor in a prominent and accessible place on the project, field office, or equipment yard where they can be easily read by the workers or otherwise made available to the workers. On the first pay date of contract work the Contractor and all subcontractors shall furnish each employee covered by prevailing wage a completed form (WHPW-1512) in accordance with section 4115.05 of the Ohio Revised Code, showing the classification, hourly pay rate, and fringes, and identifying the public authority's Prevailing Wage Coordinator, if such employees are not covered by a collective bargaining agreement or understanding between employers and bona fide organizations of labor. These forms shall be signed by the Contractor or subcontractor and the employee and kept in the Contractor's or subcontractor's payroll files.
- 5. The Contractor and all subcontractors shall submit to the Service Department, certified payrolls on form WHPW-1512 or equivalent, in accordance with sections 4115.07 and 4115.071 (C) of the Ohio Revised Code, three weeks after the start of work and every subsequent week until the completion of the contract. Additionally, a copy of the "Apprentice Certification" obtained from the Ohio State Apprenticeship Council, must accompany all certified payrolls submitted, for all apprentices working on this project. Upon completion of the contract and before the final payment, the Contractor shall submit to the Service Department a final wage affidavit in accordance with section 4115.07 of the Ohio Revised Code stating that wages have been paid in conformance with the minimum rates set forth in the contract. Please be aware that it is ultimately the responsibility of the Contractor to ensure that all laws relating to prevailing wages in Chapter 4115 of the Ohio Revised Code are strictly adhered to by all subcontractors.
- 6. The Contractor and all subcontractors shall make all of its payroll records available for inspection, copying or transcription by any authorized representative of the contracting agency. Additionally, the Contractor and all subcontractors shall permit such representatives to interview any employees during working hours while the employee is on the job. Department, and payment will be withheld for any work not complying with the above referenced specs until the deficiencies are corrected. Deficiencies shall be corrected at the sole expense of the contractor.

H. Time of Completion and Liquidated Damages

1. The bidder shall commence work on the project and various elements thereof on <u>July 10, 2023</u>, or as modified in a written "Notice to Proceed" from the owner and to fully complete the surface wearing course, including joint sealing and pavement marking portions of the project within <u>45</u> consecutive calendar days thereafter. In addition, sealing of the parking lot of Old Town Hall - the historic building in the Tallmadge Circle, needs to be completed by August 11, 2023. The bidder shall also pay as liquidated damages the sum of \$500 for each consecutive calendar day thereafter as hereinafter provided. The contractor shall continue to pay liquidated damages in the amount indicated until such time that all work is substantially complete.

I. CRACK SEALING

1. DESCRIPTION:

Surface and hairline cracks less than one eighth (1/8) inch in width do not require repair.

Router all cracks with $\frac{1}{2}$ " by $\frac{1}{2}$ " kerf. Clean all cracks with compressed air, wire wheel routing, and hand work to ensure all loose debris is removed.

To assure adhesion, cracks shall be dry and clean of all foreign debris, loose dirt and vegetation prior to applying crack sealant.

Fill cracks with commercial grade hot-applied sealant material that meets or exceeds the performance of SealMaster CrackMaster 3405 Sealant. Finished sealed cracks and joints will be uniformly level and all "sinkers" will be refilled to achieve one-eighth (1/8) inch concave surface appearance.

Material to be heated using a conventional oil jacketed unit equipped with an agitator and temperature control device for both material and heat transfer oil.

Heated material applied using either a pump and wand system or a pour pot.

2. PAYMENT:

Basis of Payment shall be as follows for quantities installed and accepted by the City of Tallmadge:

J. SEAL COATING

1. DESCRIPTION:

Sealing coating and pavement marking at the city owned parking lots. The Contractor shall furnish at its own expense, all labor, vehicles, equipment, tools, fuel, facilities, and any other item necessary to accomplish the work required under the contract. The Contractor shall provide and apply two applications of commercial grade hot-applied sealant material that meets or exceeds the performance of SealMaster MasterSeal over existing asphalt surfaces.

Surface Preparation – Contractor to remove parking stall car stops so that seal coating application is made in their place. Contractor to replace stops when seal coating is complete.

Trim the grass around the pavement edges. Clean all asphalt perimeters to extreme edges, removing overgrown grass and debris.

Sweeping for surface preparation shall be performed using a self-propelled power vacuum type sweeper. Sweeping road dirt onto the berms and lawns or onto side ditches and catch basins will not be permitted. Contractor is responsible for debris removal.

All petroleum spills and stains shall be cleaned by scraping or scrubbing with a detergent, then rinse thoroughly with clean water. Ager cleaning, treat areas with a latex oil spot primer. Bad oil spots will have the oil spot primer worked in with a stiff bristle brush.

Inlet Protection – Catch basin, inlets, and open grate storm manholes shall be protected to prevent sealer from entering the storm sewer. The inlet protection shall remain in place until after the final sweeping.

Seal Coating – Thoroughly clean the pavement of all dirt, dust loose debris, and foreign material, using high-speed power blowers, wire brooms, and scrapers.

Surfaces shall be dry before seal coat application. Sealer shall not be applied when weather is foggy, rainy or when ambient temperature is below 50 degrees Fahrenheit or if temperature is expected to drop below 50 degrees Fahrenheit at any time within a 24 hour period ager application. Do not apply if rain is forecast within 24 hours.

All surfaces shall receive two (2) coats of asphalt commercial grade hot-applied sealant material that meets or exceeds the performance of applied properly mixed MasterSeal (MasterSeal, water, additive and sand) and at a rate of 70-82 square feet (7.77 to 9.11 square yards) per gallon.

One coat of sealer shall be applied with self-propelled squeegee/ brush equipment and one coat to be spray applied. Self-propelled squeegee/ brush equipment shall have at least two (2) squeegee or brush devices (one behind the other) to assure adequate distribution and penetration of sealer into bituminous pavement. Spray equipment shall be capable of spraying pavement sealer with sand added. Hand squeegees and brushes shall be acceptable where practicality prohibits the use of mechanized equipment.

The material used will not be diluted more than 25% with water. A latex modifier will be added to the sealer for extra durability at a minimum of 2% ratio to undiluted sealer. Sand shall be added at a ratio of 4 pounds per gallon of undiluted sealer. To assure material consistency, all materials will be blended in a bulk, agitated, minimum 500-gallon tank. Prior to application, a manufacturers' product sheet may be required to be provided to verify that the product content does not contain asbestos or coal tar products. The Contractor may also be asked to submit certification by the manufacturer that the Contractor has purchased the appropriate quantity of material produced to comply with this specification, and this shall be in the form of a Certificate of Authenticity issued by the coating manufacturer. Quantities of sealer, modifier, and sand may be requested to be verified to the Tallmadge prior to application.

Allow final coat to dry overnight before allowing traffic. A minimum of twenty-four (24) hours or eight (8) daylight hours prior to applying traffic marking paint. All barricades will be supplied and set up prior to commencement of work and removed from job site after completion of project. Barricades must be lighted if left in place during the hours of darkness.

2. PAYMENT:

Basis of payment shall be per gallon of sealer installed and accepted.

The payment shall include all materials and labor necessary to complete the work described in this contract including incidental items such as maintenance of traffic and mobilization.

K. PAVEMENT MARKING

1. DESCRIPTION:

Contractor shall record all pavement markings by photograph or drawing to maintain painting layout following seal coating. All striping of lines and any other marking on pavement will be re-applied unless otherwise directed by Tallmadge. Standard parking

stall width shall be divided equally. ADA parking stalls shall meet Federal ADA compliance regulations for size and color. Corrections to existing markings may be required and marking layout shall be confirmed with the Tallmadge Inspector or his agent.

Paint will be applied by approved commercial striping equipment at the manufacturer's suggested application rate.

All paints used meet or exceed Federal Specification TTP115E or TTP1952B. Sealing coating and pavement marking at the city owned parking lots.

K1. PARKING SPACES:

Each parking space will be 180 square feet, 9' x 20'. Lane lines shall be white stripes 4" wide.

K2. HANICAP PARKING SPACES:

Line striping shall meet ADA title III specifications. Each space must be 96" wide. Lane lines shall be white stripes 4" wide.

K3. ACCESS AISLES:

Are to be a minimum of 60' wide, lines shall be continuous stripes 4" in width. Shall be continuous white stripes 4" wide stenciled at a 45 degree angle spaced 2.25'.

K4. CHANELIZING LINE:

Channelizing lines shall be continuous white stripes 4" wide.

K5. STOPLINE:

Stop lines shall be stenciled solid white stripes 24" wide.

K6. CROSWALK LINE:

Crosswalk lines shall be stenciled solid white stripes 4" wide.

K7. LANE ARROW:

Lane arrows shall be white markings. They shall conform to attached Figure M-22 from the OMUTCD.

K8. WORD ON PAVEMENT:

Words on pavement shall be white markings. The letters shall be 96" high.

K9. CROSS HATCHING LINE, 4":

Shall be continuous white stripes 4" wide stenciled at a 45 degree angle spaced 2.25'.

2. PAYMENT:

Basis of Payment shall be as follows for quantities installed and accepted by the City of Tallmadge:

Item	<u>Unit</u>
Parking Spaces	Each
Handicap Parking Spaces	Each
Crosshatching Spaces	Each
Channelizing	Linear Foot
Stop Line	Linear Foot
Crosswalk Line	Linear Foot
Lane Arrow	Each
Word on Pavement	Each
Cross Hatching, 12"	Linear Foot

SECTION IV: PARKING LOT LOCATION

SEALCOAT PARKING LOT SERVICES PROPOSED:

The following locations to be seal coated per specifications:

- 1. Lions Park 175 E. Garwood Dr Lower Lot off Northeast Ave.
- 2. Community Center Parking Lot 80 Community Rd
- 3. Rec. Center 46 N. Munroe Rd.
- 4. Police Department 53 Northeast Ave
- 5. City Hall 46 North Ave.
- 6. Old Town Hall The historic building in the Tallmadge Circle.
- 7. LC Washburn Park 160 Maca Dr.
- 8. Upper Hole Parking Lot (this is on the corner of Wright and Baron)
- 9. North Ave Soccer Fields. 730 North Ave.
- 10. Kent Dr Park 200 Kent Dr.
- 11. Maca Park 183 Maca Dr. (No Sealing Pavement Marking Only)

SECTION V: PROPOSAL AND SIGNATURE PAGE Sealcoat Parking Lot Program Bid Proposal 2023

Base Bid Prices are for Informational Purposes Only. Total Unit Prices will govern.

Spec. Item	ITEM No.	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATED QUANTITY			UNIT PRICE	TOTAL AMOUNT
					(IN FIGURES)	(IN WORDS)	
I		CRACK SEAL	10	lb.			
J		2 COATS OF SEALANT	38,820	SY			
К 1		PARKING SPACES	1015	Ea.			
К 2		HANDICAP PARKING SPACE	45	Ea.			
К 3		ACCESS AISLES	42	Ea.			
К4		CHANNELIZING LINE	110	L.F			
К 5		STOP LINE	76	L.F.			
K 6		CROSSWALK LINE	215	L.F.			
К 7		CROSS HATCHING LINE, 4 in.	131	L.F.			
К 8		LANE ARROW	8	Ea.			
К 9		WORD ON PAVEMENT	6	Ea.			

TOTAL BID PROPOSAL: \$

Name of Business______ Authorized Signature_____

Section VI: TALLMADGE CODEIFIED ORDINANCE

Ordinance 2023-44

Presented by: Director of Public Service Michael Rorar

AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS AND THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO CONTRACT FOR SEALING PARKING LOTS AND PROVIDING FOR IMMEDIATE ENACTMENT

WHEREAS, it is necessary to maintain and repair the parking lots in the City of Tallmadge; and

WHEREAS, the funds for this project were included in the 2023 Annual Appropriations.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TALLMADGE, COUNTIES OF SUMMIT AND PORTAGE, STATE OF OHIO:

SECTION 1. That the Mayor, acting through the Director of Public Service, is hereby authorized to advertise for bids and to contract with the lowest and best bidder upon proper approval by the Board of Control for the sealing and pavement markings of the parking lots in the City in accordance with plans and specifications now on file in the office of the Director of Public Service.

SECTION 2. That such written contract shall be awarded under the provisions of Tallmadge Codified Ordinance Chapter 143, and shall be approved as to form and correctness by the Director of Law and proper certification of funds by the Director of Finance.

SECTION 3. That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees on or after November 28, 1975 that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 4. That this ordinance is necessary to provide for and to accomplish the purposes herein set forth, which are conducive to the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Tallmadge. For that reason, provided this ordinance shall receive the affirmative vote of three-fourths of the members of Council and approval by the Mayor, it shall be enacted immediately and shall be of immediate effect.

Passed: 4-13-23

EBurton moan Susan E. Burton, Clerk of Council MER/jt 4/3/23 Filed with the Mayor 4-14-03

Dennis K, Loughry, President of Council

pproved: David G. Kline, Mayor

This 14 that day of

Committee Assignment: Publics Services

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 For:
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Note: B. ALLMAN - EXCUSED

Section VII: EQUIPMENT LIST

A listing of all the equipment to be used to fulfill the requirements of this contract must be submitted.

Equipment	Quantity	Year/ Age of:

Bidder attests that all equipment utilized during this contract is in good and serviceable condition. A City of Tallmadge Representative will inspect the equipment prior to the signing of the contract.

Section VIII: BIDDER REFERENCES

Complete the following information about Municipalities, which have been serviced by the contractor for similar work, within a 30 miles radius of the City of Tallmadge.

Municipality	Address	Contact:	Phone Number

NON-MUNICIPALTY REFERENCES / and CONTACTS

Company Name	Address	Contact:	Phone Number

Section IX: EXPERIENCE of MANAGEMENT/ SUPERVISORY PERSONNEL

Employees Name	Years with Company	Years Managed	Number of Employees Managed

Section X: PREVAILING WAGE REQUIREMENTS

OVERVIEW

This project will utilize Ohio Prevailing Wage Rates. All contractors and subcontractors are required to comply with all Prevailing Wage Requirements in the Ohio Revised Code. The documents outlined below are contained in the following pages and will be utilized to comply with these requirements.

DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENTS

The successful bidder will be required to submit all required documentation and certified payrolls per the requirements stipulated in Ohio Revised Code Chapter 4115 as work progresses to the City of Tallmadge Service Department.

PREVAILING WAGE AFFIDAVIT OF COMPLIANCE

This affidavit must be submitted to the City of Tallmadge Service Department before the surety is released or final payment is made.

PREVAILING WAGE RATES

Attached are the State of Ohio Prevailing Wage Rates as of the posting date of this bid. Actual rates due to workers will be those in affect at the time of work.

Payrolls

The Contractor must submit to the City of Tallmadge Service Department **original**, **certified**, **signed payrolls** containing the following information:

- A) Name of each employee
- B) Employees' social security numbers

C) Specific classification of employees (same as shown on wage determination or provisional approval).

D) Rate of pay not less than that shown on the wage determination.

- E) Allowable fringe benefits paid to the employee.
- F) Hours worked each day and total hours worked for each week for each employee.
- G) Gross amount paid to each employee.
- H) Itemized deductions for each employee.
- I) Net amount paid to each employee.
- J) The following certification:

"I certify that the payroll is correct and complete, that the wage rates contained therein are not less than the applicable rates contained in the Wage Determination decision of the Department of Industrial Relations, Prevailing Wage Rate Division, State of Ohio, and that the classifications set forth for each laborer or mechanic conform with the work he performs."

Prevailing Wage Affidavit of Compliance

I (Name of person signing affidavit)	(Title)
Do hereby certify that the wages paid to all employees	(Company Name)
for all hours worked on the(F	Project and Location)
project, during the period from	
are in compliance with State prevailing wage requirem	
I further certify that no rebates or deductions have bee from any wages paid in connection with this project, o	
	(Signature of Officer or Agent)
Sworn to and subscribed in my presence this	day of, 20
	(Notary Public)
The above affidavit must be executed and sworn to by	the officer or agent of the Contractor or

The above affidavit must be executed and sworn to by the officer or agent of the Contractor or Subcontractor who supervises the payment of employees. This affidavit must be submitted to the owner (public authority) before the surety is released or final payment due under the terms of the contract is made.