

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
STORMWATER IMPROVEMENTS &
RECONSTRUCTION OF LAKESIDE LANE
Township of Carneys Point, Salem County, New Jersey

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Township of Carneys Point for the "Stormwater Improvements & Reconstruction of Lakeside Lane" in Carneys Point, New Jersey at 10 AM prevailing time on 6/1/2016 at the office of the Township of Carneys Point, 303 Harding Highway, Carneys Point, NJ 08069. Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at 10 AM prevailing time on said date. There will not be a Pre-Bid Meeting.

Stormwater Improvements & Reconstruction of Lakeside lane consists of, but not limited to, all labor material and equipment necessary or required to complete all proposed improvements, in the Lakeside Lane right-of-way, as set forth in the specification and construction plans. Major construction activities include milling of existing asphalt roadway, installation of new asphalt roadway; striping and signage; construction a stormwater drainage system; minor re-grading of grassed areas within the right-of-way; and top soiling and seeding.

Bidders may examine and obtain copies of the Bid Documents from the office of the Township's Engineer, Professional Consulting, Inc., 1719 Route 10, Suite 225, Parsippany, NJ 07054 upon payment of \$125.00. Checks should be made payable to Professional Consulting, Inc. If contract documents are to be mailed, add fifteen dollars (\$15.00) to the cost of the documents. **NO REFUND SHALL BE MADE FOR RETURN OF THESE DOCUMENTS.**

Bids must be submitted on the bid forms provided within the documents in the manner designed therein. Bids must be enclosed in a sealed envelope bearing the bidder's name and address labeled "Stormwater Improvements & Reconstruction of Lakeside Lane" and addressed to the Township of Carneys Point, 330 Harding Highway, Carneys Point, 303 Harding Highway, Carneys Point, NJ 08069, and Attention: June Proffitt, Municipal Clerk". If forwarded by mail, the sealed envelopes containing the bid must be enclosed in another envelope addressed to the Township of Carneys Point.

Bids must be accompanied by a Certificate of Surety from an acceptable surety and a bid security in the form of a certified check, cashier's check or bid bond payable to the Township of Carneys Point in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the total bid amount but not excess of \$20,000.00.

The Contract, if awarded, will be to the lowest responsible bidder whose bid proposal conforms to the requirements set forth in the Bidding Documents. The Township will award the Contract to reject the bids within sixty (60) municipal days after the date of the bid opening. Should there be any reason the contract cannot be awarded within the specified period, the time may be extended by mutual agreement between the Township and the bidder.

All bidders are required to provide a copy of the contractors and subcontractors business registration certificate(s) issued by the Department of the Treasury in accordance with Section 1 of P.L. 2004, c.57 (C.52:32-44). All Contractors and subcontractors must also comply with the "Public Works Contractor Registration Act" (P.L. 2203, c.91).

The successful bidder must furnish a Performance Bond and Payment Bond, each in the amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the contract price. Said bonds must be in a form acceptable to the Township of Carneys Point and be issued by a surety authorized to do business in the State of New Jersey. The successful bidder must comply with Affirmative Action requirements pursuant to Public Law 1975 C. 127 (N.J.A.C. 17:27) as revised and amended to date, and must furnish an Initial Project Manning Report (AA201) upon execution of the Agreement.

The Township of Carneys Point reserves the right to reject any and all bids in whole or in part, and to waive any informalities or minor defects therein, should it be deemed in the best interest of the Township.

June Proffitt, Municipal Clerk