

NOTICE TO BIDDERS AND CONTRACTORS

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners of Hamilton County, Indiana, hereinafter referred to as the Owner, will receive sealed bids for the following project:

***REPLACEMENT PLANS FOR SMALL STRUCTURE NO. 21037 (BRIDGE NO. 311)
206TH STREET OVER FINLEY CREEK
WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP, HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA
PB-18-0003***

Proposals may be forwarded individually by registered mail or delivered in person, addressed to the Hamilton County Auditor, 33 North 9th Street, Suite L21, Noblesville, Indiana, 46060, until 11:30 a.m., October 28, 2020. After 11:30 a.m. they can be delivered to the Auditor in the **Historic Courtroom on the second floor of the Historic Courthouse** up to the time of the noticed bid opening. Only proposals from those *CONTRACTORS* who are registered on the Indiana Department of Transportation's current listing of Prequalified Contractors for item D(A) "Bridges: Highway Over Water" will be considered. Any bids submitted by *CONTRACTORS* not approved for this item on the list will be returned to the bidder unopened.

All proposals will be considered by the *OWNER* at a public meeting held in the Hamilton County Historic Courthouse in Noblesville, Indiana, Historic Courtroom, and opened and read aloud at **1:00 p.m. local time, October 28, 2020**.

The work to be performed and the proposals to be submitted shall include a bid for all general construction, labor, material, tools, equipment, taxes, permits, licenses, insurance, service costs, etc. incidental to and required for this project.

All materials furnished and labor performed incidental to and required by the proper and satisfactory execution of the contracts to be made, shall be furnished and performed in accordance with requirements from the drawings and specifications included in these documents. Bidding documents will be available beginning at **9:00 am. on October 5, 2020**. Copies of the Proposal, Specifications, Contract Documents and Plans must be obtained from Reprographix (<http://reprographix.com/>) or contact Nick Bergman, P.E. at nbergman@infrastructure-eng.com for further information. **Cost for obtaining the Contract Document & Plans from Reprographix will be around \$75.00 without tax.** Payments and costs of Contract Documents are non-refundable. Interested parties can view the Contract Documents online at www.hamiltoncounty.in.gov. Documents posted on the county website are for informational purposes only. It shall be the responsibility of the individual to periodically check for addendums posted online. Contract Documents and Plans must be obtained through Reprographix to be eligible to bid on this contract.

Each proposal must be enclosed in a sealed envelope with the county supplied sealed bid notice, bearing the title of the project, bid opening date and the name and address of the bidder firmly affixed. **The bidder shall affix identifying tabs to the following sheets of each proposal:**

<i>Form 96</i>	<i>Financial Statement</i>
<i>Non-Collusion Affidavit</i>	<i>Receipt of Addendum (If Applicable)</i>
<i>Bid Bond</i>	<i>Itemized Proposal</i>
<i>Employment Eligibility Verification Certification</i>	

Each individual proposal shall be accompanied by a certified check or acceptable ***Bidder's Bond***, made payable to the Hamilton County Auditor, in a sum of not less than ***ten percent*** of the total amount of the proposal, which check or bond will be held by the said Hamilton County Auditor as evidence that the bidder will, if awarded a contract, enter into the same with the *OWNER* upon notification from him to do so within ten days of said notification. Failure to execute the contract and to furnish performance bond to Hamilton County, Indiana, will be cause for forfeiture of the amount of money represented by the certified check, or bidder's bond, as and for liquidated damages. Form 96, as prescribed by the Indiana State Board of Accounts, shall be properly completed, and submitted with bid proposals. The Commissioners at their discretion reserve the right to waive any and all informalities in the bidding. All bids submitted shall be valid for 90 days from the opening of the bids.

Robin M. Mills
Hamilton County Auditor

Dated: September 21, 2020
Hamilton County Reporter: **October 5, 2020 and October 12, 2020**
Noblesville Times: **October 7, 2020 and October 14, 2020**