

**ADVERTISEMENT
NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

**ALL - EASTOWN ROAD – 0.00
CONSTRUCTION OF EASTOWN ROAD
PHASE 4
SHAWNEE & AMERICAN TOWNSHIP
ALLEN COUNTY, OHIO
PID NO. 24489
FEDERAL PROJECT NO. E041(40)**

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the Board of Allen County Commissioners; Allen County Courthouse; 301 N. Main Street; Lima, Ohio, until 11:00 o'clock A.M., February 2, 2009, at which time they will be opened and publicly read aloud. Bids will be for the construction of Eastown Road. ALL – EASTOWN ROAD -0.00, which is a new 4 lane highway. The construction includes but is not limited to the following work: construction of new pavement, base and drainage from Spencerville Road (SR 117) to Elm Street. It also includes construction of a new RR crossing 4 lanes wide (done by the RR). The pavement will be asphalt 4 lanes wide with a grassed median and include concrete curb and gutter, sanitary sewer, storm sewer, traffic signals, and landscaping. The road will be closed to through traffic, allowing ingress and egress for residents on the side streets. The length of the project is approximately 5,140 feet, beginning at Spencerville Road (SR 117) and extending north to Elm Street.

Bids will be accepted only from **Contractors** who perform at least 50% of the cost of the project and are prequalified with the State of Ohio, Department of Transportation, per Section 102.01 AS MODIFIED HEREIN of the State of Ohio, Department of Transportation Construction and Material Specifications, dated January 1, 2008. **Subcontractors** must also be prequalified unless they perform 15% or less of the total bid. Further requirements are listed in the Instructions to Bidders.

No contract shall be entered into unless the bidder possesses a valid Certificate of Compliance with Affirmative Action Programs, issued by the State EEO Coordinator, Certification Section, 77 South High Street, 24th Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215, dated no later than 180 days prior to the fixed bid opening date.

Each bidder is required to furnish with its proposal, a Bid Guarantee and Contract Bond in accordance with Section 153.54 and 153.571 of the Ohio Revised Code. Bid security furnished in Bond form, shall be issued by a Surety Company or Corporation licensed in the State of Ohio to provide said surety.

Each Proposal must contain the full name of the party or parties submitting the Proposal and all persons interested therein. Each bidder must submit evidence of its experiences on projects of similar size and complexity and a complete listing of all subcontractors to be used. The owner intends and requires that the road will be open to traffic by the Interim Completion Date NOVEMBER 25th, 2009 and all work embodied in this Proposal, together with all additions will be completed by the Contract Completion Date June 15th, 2010.

Bidders must comply with the prevailing wage rates on Public Improvements in Allen County, Ohio as determined by the Davis-Bacon Act (Davis-Bacon Wage Determination Database).

