INVITATON TO BID

Lewis Township, Lycoming County, PA will receive sealed Proposals for furnishing one Precast Concrete Arch Bridge at the Township Building, 69 Main Street, Trout Run, PA 17771, until 1:00 P.M. Local Prevailing Time, July 6, 2017, at which time the Owner will publicly open and read aloud the Bids. Proposals shall either be hand delivered, shipped or mailed to the Township Building. The work shall consist of furnishing **either** one 66 ft. span x 24 ft. long x 19 ft. rise **or** one 66 ft. span x 30 ft. long x 19 ft. rise single span precast concrete arch bridge system complete with twin leaf arch units, headwalls including geogrid and wingwalls. Contractor shall fabricate the precast concrete arch bridge system and ship to the site within Lewis Township, coordinating the location and time of delivery with the Engineer and General Contractor.

Prospective Bidders may receive copies of the Pre Purchase Conformed Project Manual from Bassett Engineering upon payment to Bassett Engineering of a non-refundable fee of \$80 per set, plus a \$40 mailing fee per set if applicable (or shipping account number). Bassett will provide the Pre Purchase Conformed Project Manual as hard copy. Furnished plans will be full size (24" x 36") drawings. Lewis Township will only accept Bids from interested parties who have purchased bid documents from Bassett Engineering.

The Pre Purchase Conformed Project Manual will be available for review at Bassett Engineering, 1440 Broad Street, Montoursville, PA 17754, Phone: (570) 368-2131, from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday thru Friday. Refer to the Bassett Engineering website (www.bassetteng.com) for addenda, scope details, materials specifications, and updated plan holders lists. Bidders must submit questions, clarifications and RFI's to the Engineer at least three (3) days before the bid opening date.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a certified bank treasurer's check, certified cashier's check, or a bid bond in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the bid, payable to the order of Lewis Township. The successful Bidder will be required to repair all defects of material and workmanship for one (1) calendar year following approval and acceptance of the construction. Bidders must be PennDOT approved suppliers for the specified materials.

Lewis Township reserves the right to accept or reject any and/or all bids and to waive any informalities or irregularities in the bidding. The Township may hold all Bids, which shall remain irrevocable for 60 days after the bid opening, for the purpose of reviewing the bids and verifying the Bidders' qualifications.

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