

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed bids will be received at the offices of the Board of County Commissioners, 204 N. Main St., 3RD Floor, Lima, Ohio 45801, until **11:00 a.m., (local time) on January 9, 2020** for completing the **Lafayette Mail Access Improvements, FY18 CDBG ALLOCATION** at which time they will be opened and publicly read.

The proposed work at the Village of Lafayette Mail Access Area consists of paving 8,500 square feet of public access and parking constructing a roof structure over the existing village mail cluster boxes: complete with all related items as shown in the Contract Documents and called for on the Proposal for Unit Price Contract. **The Engineer's estimate for the cost of construction is \$85,000 .**

Copies of the Specifications and Contract Documents may be obtained or examined at the office of Access Engineering Solutions 1200 Imscher Blvd, Celina, OH. 45822.

A **non-refundable** payment of **Seventy-Five (\$75.00) Dollars** will be required for each set of Contract Documents taken from the above office. Checks shall be made **payable to Access Engineering Solutions, Inc.** If shipping of set is requested, Bidder will need to provide a United Parcel Service or FEDEX account number to charge shipment to or payment of an additional \$15.00 to cover shipping and handling (Ground only). Plan Holders list is available at www.accessengllc.com. Only Plan Holders are eligible to bid.

Each bid shall contain the full name of each person or company interested and shall be accompanied by a bond or certified check made payable to the Board of Allen County Commissioners, equal to at least ten (10%) percent of the bid upon the condition that if the bid is accepted, a contract will be entered into within ten (10) days. A performance bond of one hundred (100%) percent of the amount of the contract, with satisfactory corporate sureties, will be required for the faithful performance of the work.

This Project is being constructed, in part, with Federal Community Development Block Grant funds. This Project will be subject to Federal Prevailing Wage Rates. It will also be subject to all applicable Federal Equal Opportunity Laws, and related regulations.

Bids shall be sealed and endorsed **Lafayette Mail Access Improvements, FY18 CDBG ALLOCATION, ALLEN COUNTY, OHIO**, and addressed to the Board of Allen County Commissioners. No proposal will be entertained unless made on the blanks attached to the bound documents furnished by Access Engineering Solutions. Sealed bids must contain an original and one (1) copy of the Bid submission.

The bidder's attention is called to the necessity of starting the work at once upon written Notice to Proceed. All work shall be completed by **August 31, 2020**. No bidder shall be permitted to withdraw his bid for a period of thirty (30) days after the time of opening bids.

The Board of Allen County Commissioners reserves the right to accept or reject all proposals or to waive all informalities or irregularities in the bidding. This Contract will be awarded based on the lowest and best bid or the lowest responsible bid as approved by law.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF
ALLEN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

By _____
Clerk of Board

Advertise: December 12, 2019
December 19, 2019