

LEGAL NOTICE

Allen County Radio Project Van Wert, Paulding and Ft. Recovery

Online bids will be received via QuestCDN.com by the Board of Allen County Commissioners, 204 N. Main Street, Suite 301, Lima, Ohio 45801 until 10:45 a.m. on June 23, 2020, at which time they will be read by the Clerk of Board for the Allen County Radio Project – Van Wert, Paulding and Ft. Recovery. Bid tabulation will be posted as quickly as possible after the 10:30 a.m. deadline

The Board of Allen County Commissioners is requesting bids for six (6) sections of interoperable radio communications purchases as outlined in the bid specifications packet. Allen County, as the purchasing entity, reserves the right to increase or decrease the number of radios/chargers purchased based on the selected vendor's bid unit price. The County is restricted by funding, thus all vendors submitting an online bid agree to honor the unit price regardless of increase or decrease in units purchased which may be up to +/- 20% units total.

Complete digital project documents are available at www.QuestCDN.com. A vendor may view the contract documents at no cost prior to becoming a Planholder. Input the QuestCDN **Project Number 7128933** on the website's projects search page to download the digital documents for a fee of **\$15.00**. Contact QuestCDN Customer Support at 952-233-1632 or info@questcdn.com for assistance in membership registration, downloading digital project information and vBid online bid submittal questions. Project bid documents must be downloaded from QuestCDN which will add your company to the Planholder List and allow access to vBid online bidding for the submittal of your bid (which is required for this project). Bidders will be charged a fee of **\$30.00** to submit a bid electronically. For this project, bids will **ONLY** be received and accepted via the online electronic bid service through QuestCDN.com. Bidders are responsible for all fees associated for submitting a bid on the project.

Bids in excess of \$50,000.00 shall be accompanied by a Bid Bond, Certified Check, Cashier's Check, or money order on a solvent bank or savings and loan association equal to but not in excess of 10% of the bid upon condition that, if the bid is accepted, a contract will be entered into within thirty (30) days which contract shall not be assigned without the prior written approval of the Board of Allen County Commissioners. The Bid Bond, Certified Check, Cashier's Check, or money order may be appropriated by the County of Allen, as liquidated damages in the event the successful bidder fails to execute the Contract or otherwise comply with the Specifications within ten (10) days after the award. If the bidder is unsuccessful, then the Bid Bond, Certified Check, Cashier's Check, or money order will be returned within ten (10) days after the successful bidder has executed the Contract.

Any bid may be withdrawn prior to the above scheduled time and date for the bid opening or authorized postponement thereof. Any bids received after the scheduled time and date of the bid opening shall not be considered. Additionally, Bidders shall not be permitted to alter their bid after the bid opening. Further, all prices quoted by the bidder in their respective bids must remain unchanged for a period of sixty (60) days after the date of the bid opening. The Board of County Commissioners reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

This notice may also be viewed on www.commissioners.allencountyohio.com under the heading of Legal Notices. **Quest eBidDoc # 7128933**.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
ALLEN COUNTY, OHIO

Kelli A. Singhaus
Clerk of Board

** Please advertise June 6, 2020 and June 13, 2020**