

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby provided that the Town Boards of Cambria, Newfane, Pendleton and Somerset and the Village Boards of Barker and Middleport, New York, herein referred to as "Consortium" issued a notice for sealed bids for the collection and disposal of refuse, garbage and collection, processing and marketing of recyclables from the residential and other participating parcels within the member communities of the Niagara County Solid Waste Consortium.

Sealed proposals will be received until 2:00pm on Tuesday July 28th at the Office of the Town Clerk, Pendleton Town Hall, 6570 Campbell Blvd, Lockport, New York 14094, at which time the bids will be publically opened and read.

The Bid Specifications may be obtained electronically by contacting Dawn M. Timm, Niagara County Environmental Coordinator at dawn.timm@niagaracounty.com or 716-439-7242. The Consortium requires all correspondence to occur with Dawn Timm at dawn.timm@niagaracounty.com. The Consortium will accept comments and questions until 2:00pm Wednesday July 15th and will answer questions via an addenda to the extent the Consortium deems necessary.

The sealed proposals will require a Bid Security in an amount not less than five (5%) percent of the amount of the total bid price for all municipalities and failure to submit same shall be cause for rejection.

The contract shall be for a period of six years, commencing on Friday January 1, 2021, with renewal for up to two additional three-year periods upon mutual agreement, under the same terms and conditions.

The Consortium reserves the right to reject or accept any and all bids for any reason. If an award is made, it will be to the lowest responsible bidder.

The Consortium reserves the right to waive any informalities.

Each bid proposal must be submitted in a sealed envelope addressed to the Niagara County Solid Waste Consortium with the bid bond or other security, certification of compliance with the Iranian Divestment Act and the Non-Collusive Bidding Certificate enclosed. On the outside of the envelope it must be clearly noted "Bid for Refuse Collection, Disposal and Recyclable Materials Collection, Processing and Marketing" and must indicate the name, address and phone number of the bidder. Proposals not meeting the above format may be rejected.

The schedule for this solicitation of bids is included in the timeline presented below. The Consortium reserves the right to modify this schedule as necessary, and is therefore tentative and subject to changes. All addendums and changes to this project will be sent via electronic mail to all prospective bidders that have provided contact information.

Proposed Date

Action

July 1, 2020.....Bid published and made available.

July 15, 2020 (2:00pm).....Last day to submit questions

July 28, 2020 (2:00pm)..... Sealed proposals due
July 28 to August 3, 2020..... Sealed proposals evaluated
August 2020..... Each Consortium Community awards to
selected Contractor
January 1, 2021..... Commence contract

Dated: July 1, 2020