NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids for the construction of the **Alum Creek / Sharon Woods Connector Trail (Project No. P&R 2014-002)**, will be received by the City of Westerville, Ohio at the office of the City Manager, 2nd Floor, 21 S. State Street, Westerville, Ohio, 43081, until **3:00 p.m. (local time) on Thursday, June 19, 2014** and will be publicly opened and read immediately thereafter.

The WORK in accordance with the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS, dated May 21, 2014, and any addenda thereto, includes but is not limited to: erosion control, excavation, grading, fill and compaction, concrete pavement and ramps, 60 foot wood pedestrian bridge with railing and concrete abutments for a 4,000 foot 10 foot wide asphalt paved multi-use path, solar flashing pedestrian crossing signal, striping, bus shelter relocation, seeding, restoration, landscape planting and other appurtenant WORK.

ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE for BASE BID:	$409,000
ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE for Alternate No. 01 SOLAR FLASHING PEDESTRIAN CROSSING:	$11,000
ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE for Alternate No. 02 LANDSCAPE PLANTINGS:	$7,000

The CONTRACT DOCUMENTS may be examined at:

Westerville **City Manager's Office** 21 S. State Street Westerville, OH 43081 PH: (614) 901-6400 FX: (614) 901-6401	**Westerville** **Planning and Development Dept.** 64 E. Walnut Street Westerville, Ohio 43081 PH: (614) 901-6650 FX: (614) 901-6666	**Dodge Reports** 1175 Dublin Road Columbus, Ohio 43215 PH: (614) 486-6575 FX: (614) 486-0544	**Central Ohio Minority** **Business Association** 1393 E. Broad Street Columbus, OH 43205 PH: (614) 252-8005 FX: (614) 258-9667

Copies of the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS may be purchased directly at Key Blueprint, 6180 Cleveland Ave, Columbus OH 43231, (614) 899-6180, upon payment of $**60.00 NONE OF WHICH WILL BE REFUNDED.**

A PRE-BID CONFERENCE will be held on **Thursday, June 5, 2014** at **3:00** p.m. (local time) for all BIDDERS. The conference will be held at **Westerville Community Center, 350 North Cleveland Avenue, Westerville, Ohio 43082-9105**.

All bids must be accompanied by a BID Guaranty. The recommended form of BID Guaranty is a Bid Guaranty and Contract Bond in the full amount of the bid, including all add alternates, as prescribed by Section 153.571 of the Ohio Revised Code. Other acceptable forms of BID Guaranty include a bid bond, certified check, cashier's check, or letter of credit equal to ten percent (10%) of the bid plus all add alternates. Bid security issued in bond form, shall be issued by a Surety Company or Corporation licensed in the State of Ohio to provide said surety. In case a certified check is given, it shall be drawn payable to the order of the City of Westerville, Ohio.

If the BID is accepted, a Contract must be executed and a satisfactory Performance/Payment Bond furnished, conditioned according to law in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the Contract price, within ten (10) days after notice of award. Sureties on all bonds must be satisfactory to the City.

The PROJECT is subject to Chapter 4115 of the Ohio Revised Code regarding Prevailing Rates of Wages.

No BIDDER may withdraw their BID for a period of 90 days after the actual date of the opening thereof. The City reserves the right not to award a contract and to reject any or all BIDS and to waive any informalities and irregularities. Subject to the right of the City not to award a contract and to reject any or all BIDS, the City will award a Contract to the BIDDER submitting the lowest and best BID, taking into consideration accepted alternates.

David Collinsworth, City Manager

Advertise: May 21, 2014