

Notice to Bidders
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Sealed bids for Somers Township, Dillman Road (T-209) Reconstruction project will be received at the office of the Preble County Engineer's, located at 1000 Preble Drive, Eaton, Ohio, 45320 until 11:00 a.m. local time, Monday, July 8, 2013, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud. The outside of the envelope shall be marked "PROJECT BID" – *Somers Township – Dillman Road (T-209) Reconstruction Project*.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION FOR DILLMAN ROAD (T-209) RECONSTRUCTION:

Remove and replace defective roadway culverts, add guardrail, regrade ditches to widen shoulders, widen existing pavement, pave existing widened road with new asphalt, and add 1' gravel shoulders. Project length approximately 1.54 miles, from Camden-College Corner Road to State Route 725 (CH24).

Somers Township reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids or waive any irregularities. Copies of the Specifications are on file and available at the office of Kramer & Associates, LLC, 101 North Barron Street, Eaton, Ohio 45320 and may be obtained upon payment of \$40.00, none of which will be refunded. An additional non-refundable handling charge of \$5.00 per set is required, if documents are to be shipped. Checks shall be made payable to Kramer & Associates, LLC. Proposals will only be accepted from bidders who have obtained Contract Documents (including plans and specifications) from Kramer & Associates LLC and have been registered as a plan holder. For information regarding this project, phone Kramer & Associates, Eaton, Ohio, (937) 456-1332.

Each bid must be accompanied by either a bid bond in an amount of 100% of the bid amount with a surety satisfactory to the aforesaid Somers Township, or by certified check, cashiers check, or letter of credit upon a solvent bank in the amount of not less than 10% of the bid amount in favor of the aforesaid Somers Township. Bid bonds shall be accompanied by Proof of Authority of the official or agent signing the bond. A payment bond and a performance bond in the amount of 100% of the contract is required upon the awarding of the Contract. The proposal must be made on the forms provided therefore in the contract documents, or a copy thereof, with a price quoted for the work.

This is an Ohio Public Works Commission project and funding for it comes from both the Ohio Public Works Commission and Somers Township. Therefore, payment to the contractor for contract work will be proportioned and sent directly from each funding source.

Each Proposal must contain the full name of the party or parties submitting the proposal and all persons interested therein. Each bidder must submit evidence of its experiences on projects of similar size and complexity.

All contractors and subcontractors involved with the project will, to the extent practicable, use Ohio products, materials, services, and labor in the implementation of their project. Additionally, contractor's compliance with the equal employment opportunity requirements of Ohio Administrative Code Chapter 123, the Governor's Executive Order of 1972, and Governor's Executive Order 84-9 shall be required.

Bidders must comply with the prevailing wage rates on Public Improvements in Preble County and Somers Township, Ohio as determined by the Ohio Department of Commerce Division of Labor and Worker Safety Wage and Hour Bureau, (614) 644-2239.

No Bidder may withdraw his bid within (30) days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

TO BE ADVERTISED: June 19, 2013 and June 26, 2013