

**TOWN OF STARKSBORO
STARKSBORO, VERMONT
BROWN HILL EAST ROAD CULVERT REPLACEMENT
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

Sealed Bids for the construction of the Town of Starksboro – Brown Hill East Road Culvert Replacement project will be received by U.S. Mail OR hand delivery on the day of the bid opening at the Town of Starksboro Town Clerk's Office, 2849 VT Route 116, Starksboro, VT 05487, until 3:00 p.m. local time on Thursday, May 18, 2023, at which time the Bids received will be publicly opened and read. Bidders submitting a bid by U.S. Mail shall allow for adequate delivery time. The Project consists of removal of existing embankment material, corrugated metal pipe and associated wall and rip rap, and replacing with cast-in-place abutments with precast concrete superstructure with 18 ft clear span and precast concrete block wing walls.

Bids will be received for a single prime Contract. Bids shall be on a lump sum and unit price basis, as indicated in the Bid Schedule.

The Issuing Office for the Bidding Documents is: Otter Creek Engineering, Inc., P.O. Box 712, 404 East Main St., Middlebury, VT, (802) 382-8522. Prospective Bidders may examine the Bidding Documents at the Issuing Office on Mondays through Fridays between the hours of 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Bidders may obtain copies of the Bidding Documents from the Issuing Office as described below.

Bidding Documents also may be examined at Otter Creek Engineering, Inc., 110 Merchants Row, 4th Floor, Suite 15, by appointment only, contact the Issuing Office to schedule a viewing.

Printed copies of the Bidding Documents may be obtained from the Issuing Office, during the hours indicated above, upon payment of \$125 for each set. Checks for Bidding Documents shall be payable to "Otter Creek Engineering, Inc." mailing address: P.O. Box 712, East Middlebury, VT 05740. Upon request and receipt of the document payment indicated above, the Issuing Office will transmit the Bidding Documents. The date that the Bidding Documents are transmitted by the Issuing Office will be considered the Bidder's date of receipt of the Bidding Documents. Partial sets of Bidding Documents will not be available from the Issuing Office. Neither Owner nor Engineer will be responsible for full or partial sets of Bidding Documents, including Addenda if any, obtained from sources other than the Issuing Office.

Electronic copies of Bidding Drawings and Documents are available upon request to all parties recorded as having officially received the Bidding Documents from the Issuing Office, as portable document format (PDF) files, via e-mail.

A pre-bid conference will be held at 9:00 a.m. local time on Tuesday, May 2, 2023 at the Town of Starksboro, Town Clerk's Office, 2849 VT Route 116, Starksboro, VT 05487. Attendance at the pre-bid conference is highly encouraged but is not mandatory.

Bid security shall be furnished in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders.

Owner: Town of Starksboro

By: Mr. Tony Porter

Title: Road Foreman

Date: April 17, 2023