INVITATION TO BID

SEALED BIDS for the furnishing of the necessary materials and construction of the

WASHINGTON DRIVE IMPROVEMENTS WATERLINE REPLACEMENT VILLAGE OF GRAFTON, OHIO

will be received by the Village of Grafton, Ohio at the Office of the Clerk-Treasurer, 960 Main Street, Grafton, Ohio 44044 until

11:00 A.M. (Local Time) THURSDAY, JULY 13, 2023

and at that time and place will be publicly opened and read aloud.

The scope of work consists of providing labor and materials necessary for the installation of approximately 898 lineal feet of 8" PVC waterline, together with necessary connections to existing waterlines, connection of existing water service laterals, main line valves, fire hydrants, and other appurtenances. Also included in this scope of work is 220 lineal feet of storm drainage and 1710 square yards of pavement reconstruction, together with curbs, drives, sidewalk, pavement markings and other roadway items.

The contract documents, including plans and specifications, are on file at the office of the Village of Grafton, Ohio and the Architect/Engineer -- Kleinfelder, Inc. The documents may be viewed and ordered online or obtained from Becker Impressions, 4646 Angola Road, Toledo, Ohio 43615, Telephone 419-385-5303, www.kleinfelderplanroom.com for the cost of printing to be paid to the printing company at the time the documents are picked up or ordered. Shipping and tax charges are the bidder's responsibility and payable directly to Becker Impressions.

The Engineer for the Project is Kleinfelder, Inc., 1168 North Main Street, Bowling Green, Ohio 43402.

All bids must be signed and submitted on the blanks which are bound in this booklet. Bids must state the unit prices in the blanks provided and be enclosed in a sealed envelope marked --- WASHINGTON DRIVE IMPROVEMENTS WATERLINE REPLACEMENT --- and be addressed to the Village of Grafton, 960 Main Street, Grafton, Ohio 44044.

The bid guaranty may be of two forms:

1. A Bid Guaranty and Contract Bond using the form in the Contract Documents. (The amount of the bid does <u>NOT</u> have to appear on this form.)

2. A certified check, cashier's check or letter of credit in favor of the Village of Grafton, Ohio, in the amount of 10% of the bid. If the contract is awarded, a Contract Bond will be required, which is a 100% payment and performance bond.

This procurement is subject to the EPA policy of encouraging the participation of small business in rural areas (SBRAs).

After the award of the contract let by competitive bid and prior to the time the contract is entered into, bidders shall submit the affidavit required under the Ohio Revised Code, Section 5719.042 that the bidder was not charged with any delinquent personal property taxes in Lorain County, Ohio.

The successful bidder will be required to pay not less than the highest applicable minimum wage rates as established by the federal Davis-Bacon Wage Determinations issued by the U.S. Department of Labor.

The Village of Grafton, Ohio reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any irregularity in any bid and to determine the lowest and best bidder.

DOMESTIC STEEL AND MADE IN USA PRODUCTS WILL BE REQUIRED TO BE PROVIDED/USED FOR ALL MATERIAL ASPECTS/COMPONENTS OF THIS PROJECT.

No bidder may withdraw his bid for a period of 90 days after the scheduled closing time for the receipt of bids.

This project is being partially funded by the Ohio Public Works Commission and the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency's Water Supply Revolving Loan Account (WSRLA) with Build America Buy America Act and American Iron and Steel Act requirements.

The opinion of the probable cost of construction is \$553,600.

By Order of Amy Barnhart, Clerk/Treasurer Village of GRAFTON, Ohio

To Newspaper:

Advertise: June 26, 2023 July 3, 2023

Furnish Affidavit