

BID NO. 7306

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

NORWICH PUBLIC UTILITIES

IS SOLICITING BIDS FOR

LINCOLN PARK ROAD GAS MAIN EXTENSION

Sealed bids for LINCOLN PARK GAS MAIN EXTENSION will be received at the Office of the Purchasing Agent at City Hall, 100 Broadway, Norwich, Connecticut 06360 until 2:00 pm on November 10, 2011, prevailing time, at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

The Contract consists of the installation of approximately 5,400 linear feet of 8-inch diameter steel gas main and appurtenances along Lincoln Park Road, Route 2, Route 2A and Route 117 in the Town of Preston, Connecticut.

On or after October 20, 2011, CONTRACT DOCUMENTS may be examined at the following locations:

1. CLA Engineers, Inc., 317 Main Street, Norwich, CT 06360
2. Norwich City Hall, Office of the Purchasing Agent, 100 Broadway, Room 104, Norwich, CT 06360

On or after the date noted in the paragraph immediately above, *copies of the* CONTRACT DOCUMENTS *may be obtained* at the Norwich City Hall, Office of the Purchasing Agent, 100 Broadway, Room 104, Norwich, Connecticut upon receipt of a non-refundable deposit of Forty dollars (\$40.00). Deposit must be made in the form of cash, certified check, money order or company check. Mail orders will be accepted with the actual cost of the mailing paid by the Contractor.

Bid surety in the form of cash, a certified check or bid bond in the amount of five percent 5% of this bid is required. The successful bidder shall also furnish a 100% Performance Bond and a 100% Payment Bond.

Norwich Public Utilities reserves the right to reject any or all bids, in whole or in part, to award any item, group of items, or total bid, and to waive any informality in the bids received if it deems it to be in the best interest of the Norwich Public Utilities to do so.

No Bidder may withdraw their bid within 90 days after the actual date of bid opening thereof. Should there be reason why the contract cannot be awarded within the specific period, this time may be extended by mutual agreement between the City and the designated, qualified low Bidder.

All final awards of the bid subject to comply with Ordinance No. 1235 adopted December 3, 1991.

All bids must be submitted in a sealed envelope bearing the bidder's name and bid number.

Responding bidders must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of their race, color, religion, age, handicap, familial status, sex, or national origin.

PURCHASING AGENT

NOTE: BIDDERS ARE HEREBY ADVISED THAT ONLY BID SURETIES FOR THE THREE LOWEST BIDDERS WILL BE HELD. ALL OTHERS WILL BE RELEASED WITHIN SEVEN DAYS.