

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDDERS

Sealed Bids for Wastewater Grinder Station and Low Pressure Sewer, for the Hardin Northern Local School District (herein called the "OWNER") will be received by the Owner at the high school administration office located at 11589 State Route 81, Dola, Ohio 45835 until November 30th, 2026 at 3:05 PM (local time). Any Bids received later than the above time will be returned unopened. All Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at that time.

A Pre-Bid Conference will be held November 10th at 10:00 AM (local time) to observe and walk through the site. Owner, Engineer, and prospective Contractors will meet in front of the existing wastewater treatment facility. Following the walkthrough, time will be reserved for questions and answers pertaining to the project.

The work shall include:

The project consists of the demolition of the existing wastewater treatment facility and the construction of a new grinder station, a section of gravity sewer, approximately 2,642 linear feet of 2-inch HDPE DR11 low-pressure sewer installed via horizontal directional drilling, and epoxy lining of two manholes and one lift station wet well. The low-pressure sewer route will also include air release valves, in-line flushing connections, and 6-inch casing pipe at the State Route 81 crossing.

Work shall be constructed under a Unit Price Contract.

The Owner reserves the right to waive any informalities or minor defects in bids or bidding procedure, or reject any and all bids, or to accept the bid from the lowest most responsible and responsive bidder as exclusively determined by the Owner. Any bid may be withdrawn prior to the above scheduled time for the opening of bids or authorized postponement thereof. No Bidder may withdraw a bid within 60 days after the actual date of the opening thereof. Should there be reasons why the contract cannot be awarded within the specified period, the time may be extended by mutual agreement between the Owner and the Bidder determined by the Owner to be the lowest most responsible and responsive.

Submission of a signed Bid by the Bidder constitutes acknowledgment of and acceptance of all the documents and terms and conditions of the Contractual-Legal Requirements and Technical Sections of the specifications in the Project Manual.

The Contractor to whom the Work is awarded will be required to purchase and maintain insurance coverage as described in the Contract Documents on an "occurrence basis".

Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code 4115.04, this project is exempt from prevailing wage laws. The Bidder to whom the Contract is awarded will not be required to pay the prevailing wage rate promulgated by the State.

The second public notice pursuant to Ohio Revised Code 3313.46 will be published on Hardin Northern's Board of Education internet website at <https://www.hn.k12.oh.us/>.

Copies of the Drawings and Specifications for the Work are on file (for viewing purposes only) at high school administration office located at 11589 State Route 81, Dola, Ohio 45835; and the

Engineer's office, Wessler Engineering, 80 State Route 103, Ste. C, Bluffton, OH 45817, Telephone (419) 358-0521. All copies are distributed to Contractors and other interested parties by Wessler Engineering, Inc. (www.wesslerengineering.com/planroom/) for a non-refundable fee.

Neither the Owner or Engineer will be responsible for full or partial sets of bidding documents, including Addenda if any, obtained from sources other than Engineer.

An up-to-date Planholders List may be viewed at <http://www.wesslerengineering.com/planroom/>.

Hardin Northern Local School District

_____, School Superintendent

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