

**LITTLE CALUMET RIVER BASIN DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION
CHASE STREET PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE PROJECT**

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed Bids for the construction of the **Chase Street Pedestrian Bridge Project** will be received by **Little Calumet River Basin Development Commission, 900 Ridge Road, Suite H, Munster, Indiana 46321**, until 12:00 PM local time on August 8, 2018. Any bids received later than the above time will be returned unopened. The Bids received will be **publicly** opened and read at the Commission Board meeting at 6:00 PM on that date.

DESCRIPTION OF WORK:

The project shall consist of the installation of a pre-fabricated pedestrian bridge. This will include grading and filling, piling, bridge foundation construction, concrete deck pour, and restoration.

BID DOCUMENTS:

Project Documents may be obtained ONLY at the office of the Little Calumet River Basin Development Commission located at 900 Ridge Road, Suite H, Munster, Indiana. The Project Documents may be EXAMINED at the office of the Little Calumet River Basin. A non-refundable fee of \$50.00 is required for each set of Electronic Project Documents in PDF format, which includes Plans and Specifications. The fee shall be in the form of a check made payable to the Little Calumet River Basin Development Commission.

Bids shall be properly and completely executed on bid forms contained in the Contract Documents obtainable as stated above.

A MANDATORY pre-bid conference will be held on site at the South side of the River, on Chase Street, on Wednesday, August 1, 2018 at 10:30 am. Representatives of OWNER and ENGINEER will be present to discuss the Project. Bidders are required to attend and participate in the conference. Written responses to relevant questions arising at the conference will be transmitted to all prospective Bidders of record in the form of an addendum. Oral statements may not be relied upon and will not be binding or legally effective.

No bidder may withdraw his proposal within a period of 90 days following the date set for receiving bids. The Little Calumet River Basin Development Commission reserves the right to retain any and all bids for a period of not more than 90 days, and said bids shall remain in full force and effective during said time. The Commission reserves the right to waive informalities, and to award the contract to any Bidder, all to the advantage of the Little Calumet River Basin Development Commission, or to reject all bids.

CONSTRUCTION START AND COMPLETION: The work shall begin immediately upon Notice to Proceed during the Summer of 2018 and shall be substantially completed within 75 calendar days of the Notice to Proceed and ready for final payment within 105 calendar days.

BID SECURITY: Each bid shall accompanied by an acceptable certified check or cashier's check made payable to the Little Calumet River Basin Development Commission or an acceptable bid bond in an amount equal to 5 percent of the total bid price executed by an incorporated surety company in good standing and qualified to do business in the State of Indiana.

BONDS: A performance bond and payment bond each in the amount of 100% of the contract price will be required upon award of the contract.

INDIANA REQUIREMENTS: Standard Form 96 which includes non-collusion affidavit.

Each bidder must ensure that all employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of their race, creed, color, sex, or national origin and each bidder must conform with the anti-discrimination provisions of IC 5-16-6.

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Dan Repay, Executive Director