

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDDERS

CITY OF NEW BERN NEUSE BOULEVARD SIDEWALK IMPROVEMENTS-PHASE I

Sealed bids will be received by the Office of the City Engineer at 303 First Street, New Bern, North Carolina, until **10:00 a.m. on July 16, 2014** and immediately thereafter publicly opened and read, for constructing the following facilities:

This project involves the installation of approximately 500 square yards of concrete sidewalks, 225 square yards of concrete driveways, 16 curb ramps, and one modular block retaining wall. This project is funded through the North Carolina Department of Transportation and requires compliance with contract, payment and construction guidelines.

Bids must be enclosed in a sealed envelope, addressed to the City of New Bern, PO Box 1129, New Bern, NC 28563. The outside of the envelope must be marked "**Bid for NEUSE BOULEVARD SIDEWALK IMPROVEMENTS-PHASE I**". All bids must be made on blank forms provided and included in the bound document. The name, address, and license number of the Bidder must be plainly marked thereon.

Each Bid must be accompanied by cash or a certified check, drawn on a bank or trust company authorized to do business in North Carolina, payable to the City of New Bern in an amount at least equal to five percent (5%) of the total amount of the bid, as a guarantee that a contract will be entered into. In lieu of cash or certified check, the Bidder may submit a bid bond in the form prescribed in G.S. 143-129 as amended by Chapter 1104 of the Public Laws of 1951.

Contractors are notified that legislative acts relating to licensing of contractors will be observed in receiving and awarding contracts.

Bidders are required to be prequalified with NCDOT for their specific discipline. Contractors wishing to become prequalified may obtain information through the NCDOT website at: <http://www.ncdot.gov/business/ocs>

Bidders are required to attend the mandatory Pre-Bid Conference, which shall be held in the Office of the City Engineer located at on the 303 First Street, New Bern, North Carolina on July 9, 2014 at 10:00 a.m.

Plans and specifications for the proposed project are on file and may be viewed at the Office of the City Engineer; at the Associated General Contractors Plan Room in Greenville, North Carolina; and at the Minority Plan Rooms in the East Coast Digital Plan Room, 210-A East 14th Street, Greenville, NC 252-758-1616

Plans and specifications may be obtained upon request to the City Engineer (252) 639-7526, accompanied with a non-refundable check in the amount of \$50.00.