The City of Medford, led by its Department of Public Works, is accepting sealed bids for the Lead Service Line Replacement Project in Medford, Massachusetts.

This project is being Electronically Bid (E-Bid). All bids shall be submitted online to www.BidNetDirect.com prior to June 1, 2023, at 1 PM. Hard copy bids will not be accepted by BidNetDirect.com. You can register to become a bidder (for free) online at www.BidNetDirect.com. For assistance, contact BidNetDirect.com at 800-835-4603.

Bid Documents will be available online beginning at 10 AM on May 17, 2023, at https://www.bidnetdirect.com/massachusetts/cityofmedford. All plan holders must have an active online account on www.bidnetdirect.com to acquire documents, receive project notifications, and to submit bids, electronically. All questions and answers are due by May 25, 2023, by 1:00 PM.

Each Bid shall be submitted in accordance with the Instruction to Bidders and shall be accompanied by a Bid Security in form of a bid bond, or certified check, and/or a treasurers or cashier’s check issued by a responsible bank or trust company in the amount of five (5) percent of the bid. It is the responsibility of prospective proposers to check www.BidNetDirect.com for new information via any addenda to this solicitation. Any addenda issued will be emailed to all plan holders registered with BidNetDirect.

Minimum Wage Rates as determined by the Commissioner of the Department of Labor and Workforce Development under the provision of Massachusetts General Law (M.G.L.) c. 149, § 26 to 27D, as amended, apply to this project. It is the responsibility of the Bidder, before bid opening, to request, if necessary, any additional information on Minimum Wage Rates for those tradespeople who may be employed for the proposed work under this Contract.

The bidding and Award of this Contract will be under the provisions of M.G.L. c. 30, § 39M. The City of Medford reserves the right to accept any bid, in whole or in part, to reject any/or all bids and to waive minor irregularities and/or informalities as it deems to be in the best interest of the City.

The City is an Equal Opportunity Employer and encourages MBE/WBE/DBE participation in response to the bid process.

Fiona Maxwell
Chief Procurement Officer
The work of this contract includes, but is not limited to: The replacement of existing lead water service pipe with new copper water pipe. The project includes excavation at the water main, connecting to the existing water main corporation, installation of new copper pipe to the sidewalk, installation of new curb stop and box, and adapter to the existing private side water service. Additionally, new corporation taps may be required at the discretion of the owner. Final trench paving and concrete sidewalk restoration is included.

The duration of this contract is anticipated to be no more than 60 days from the date of the Notice To Proceed.