



LEGAL NOTICE
CITY OF MEDFORD
INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)
IFB 23-0097
EMERGENCY ON-CALL WATER MAIN BREAK SERVICE

The City of Medford, led by its Department of Public Works Department, is accepting sealed bids for Emergency On-Call Water Main Break Services in Medford, Massachusetts. The term of the contract is for one (1) year, with two (2) one (1) year extensions at the discretion of the City. The City may award up to three (3) contracts under this procurement.

This project is being Electronically Bid (E-Bid). All bids shall be submitted online to www.BidNetDirect.com prior to August 2, 2023, at 1:00 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 on July 19, 2023, at 10:00 AM 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. Questions are due no later than July 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 treasurer's or cashier's check issued by a responsible bank or trust company in the amount of five (5) percent of the bid. If the total contract is greater than \$25,000 a 50% Payment Bond is required. 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