



## **INVITATION FOR BIDS**

### **Project Name: Cosgray to Eiterman Road Fiber Installation**

The CITY OF DUBLIN, Ohio will receive electronic bids for the materials and labor necessary for the construction of the COSGRAY TO EITERMAN ROAD FIBER INSTALLATION. Bids shall be received by CITY OF DUBLIN via Bid Express until 10:00 A.M. local time on September 6, 2023. Bid Documents will not be available until 8:00 A.M. on Tuesday, August 15, 2023.

The CITY OF DUBLIN may choose to not award the bid—and bidders shall hold bids open—until sixty days after the bid opening. The work for which bids are invited consists of: This project intends to build a path along the designed route and connect one side of Dublink conduit to the other, generally running along the right of way near State Rt. 161, just west of Rt. 33 (see design plans). It is also intended to pull 144 count fiber and splice to complete the Dublink fiber pathway. The cost estimate for the Project is \$173,000.00.

Documents are available online at [www.bidexpress.com](http://www.bidexpress.com) at no charge. By downloading these free attachments, you will immediately become a plan holder. This ensures you receive addendums that may be issued.

As a bidder, you must register, set up to bid, and review each solicitation you intend to bid electronically on before bidding. Note: Navigation of the Bid Express service is FREE unless you select a solicitation for bidding and complete your purchase.

Each bidder is required to furnish with its proposal a Bid Guaranty in accordance with Section 153.54 of the Ohio Revised Code. Bid security furnished in Bond form shall be issued by a surety company or corporation licensed in the State of Ohio to provide said surety.

Each proposal must contain the full name of the party or parties submitting the proposal and all persons interested therein. Each bidder must submit evidence of its experience on projects of similar size and complexity. The owner intends and requires that this project be completed by December 31, 2023.

All contractors and subcontractors involved with the project will to the extent practicable use Ohio products, materials, services and labor in the implementation of their project. Payment of Prevailing Wages IS required for this Project.

The CITY OF DUBLIN reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, to waive any informalities or irregularities in the bidding process and to enter into a contract with the bidder whom, in its opinion, offers the lowest and best bid.

Each bidder must ensure that all employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against based on race, color, religion, sex, or national origin.