



INVITATION FOR BIDS

Project Name: COFFMAN PARK LIGHTING AND WI-FI INFRASTRUCTURE FOR IRISH FESTIVAL

Project No. 22-004-PRD

The City of Dublin, Ohio will receive electronic bids for the materials and labor necessary to install a permanent IT and fiber network expansion in Coffman Park for use during the annual Dublin Irish Festival along with other festivals and events throughout the year. The current IT and fiber network runs from the northern shared use path (sup) to an existing light pole / IT cabinet north of the stream and adjacent to the walkway bridge to the east. The network continues along the sup on 6 temporary wood utility poles and ends just west of emerald parkway / post road intersection. An underground conduit bank connects the wood utility poles and permanent IT / fiber pull boxes feeding aerial installations of IT equipment and wireless hot spots / antennae. Temporary pole mounted nema 3r enclosures house the IT routers and gfci outlets with fiber splice enclosures and fiber slack wraps housed in the adjacent pull boxes. This project will remove the existing 6 wood utility poles and attachments along the path and replace them with 14 permanent light poles with led luminaires. Some light poles house a gfci outlet and all light poles accommodate IT equipment mounted at the top of the poles. Additional conduit and pull boxes will be installed to service all 14 light poles. New 3r enclosures are to be located in underground pull boxes and will permanently house the IT routers and gfci outlets.

Note: All IT equipment will be provided and installed by the City of Dublin's IT Department's contractors (not in this contract). The selected contractor only installs the infrastructure to support the equipment and coordinate with the City of Dublin's IT Contractors to install their fiber and IT Equipment. See PROJECT NARRATIVE on plans cover sheet.

Bids shall be received by the City of Dublin via the Bid Express ® service at www.bidexpress.com until 10:00 A.M. local time on Thursday, October 20, 2022. Bid documents will not be available until 8:00 A.M. on Thursday, September 8, 2022, 2022.

Documents are available online at 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.

To submit Bid Bonds electronically, please ensure your company and your bonding agent's company register with one of the following Bid Bond agencies affiliated with the Bid Express service:



City of Dublin

Bonding Partners

Contact information for bid bonding partners.

Surety 2000

Tel: (800) 660-3263

Email: help@surety2000.com

SuretyWave

Tel: (800) 989-6417

Email: support@suretywave.com

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.

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.

By order of the Council of the CITY OF DUBLIN, OHIO
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