

## ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

### TIME AND PLACE OF OPENING BIDS:

Sealed proposals for the improvement described herein will be received at the **City Purchasing Division** located on the first floor of the Civic Center, #1 Gary K. Anderson Plaza, Decatur, Illinois, 62523, until **10:00 a.m., Thursday, July 8, 2010**, and thereafter publicly opened and read.

### DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT:

The proposed improvement is officially known as:

#### **1500 BLOCK WEST MACON STREET RECONSTRUCTION PROJECT**

#### **CITY PROJECT 2010-03**

The proposed project herein specified and described includes the following work:

*This work shall consist of removing and replacing approximately 350 square yards of damaged brick pavement with two pavement alternates consisting of brick or PCC pavement. The work includes lining approximately 650 feet of 12" ductile iron water main with a cured-in-place pipe liner. The work will also include curb and gutter, PCC driveway pavement, traffic control, and other items of restoration.*

### INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS:

1. Plans, specifications and proposal forms may be obtained from the Director of Public Works, on the Third Floor of the Decatur Civic Center, # 1 Gary K. Anderson Plaza, Decatur, Illinois.
2. Payment shall be made to the Department of Public Works, Engineering Division, Third Floor of the Decatur Civic Center in the amount of \$50.00, by BANK CASHIER'S CHECK, BANK DRAFT, CERTIFIED CHECK or COMPANY CHECK made payable to the order of Treasurer, Decatur, Illinois.
3. Plans and specifications are **available for viewing** at the following locations:

**Dodge Reports**  
1620 South 5<sup>th</sup> St.  
Springfield, Illinois 62703

**Reed Market Data**  
30 Technology Parkway South  
Suite 500  
Norcross, GA 30092-2912  
Attn.: Document Processing Center

**Greater Peoria Contractors  
& Suppliers Association, Inc.**  
1811 West Altorfer Drive  
Peoria, Illinois 61615

**McGraw Hill Dodge**  
114 West St. Clair  
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204

**Illowa Builders Exchange**  
520 24<sup>th</sup> Street  
Rock Island, Illinois 61201

**City of Decatur  
Engineering Division**  
#1 Gary K. Anderson Plaza  
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### **Bidtool.net**

Attn.: Peter Lucnik  
Plan Acquisition Manager  
One Oakbrook Terrace, Suite 510  
Oak Brook Terrace, Illinois 60181  
Peoria, Illinois 61615

4. No refund will be made for plans, specifications or proposal forms returned.
5. The City of Decatur's Department of Public Works, Engineering Division will not release the Engineer's Estimate of Cost in advance of the scheduled time and date of the bid opening. Bid tabulations will be available on the City's web site at [www.decaturl.gov](http://www.decaturl.gov) / Departments / Public Works / Contractor Project Bid Information after the award of a contract has been approved by the City of Decatur City Council.
6. All proposals must be accompanied by a BANK DRAFT, CASHIER'S CHECK, OR CERTIFIED CHECK made payable to Treasurer, Decatur, Illinois, in the amount of five percent (5%) of the bid, or BID BOND in the same amount.
7. Prior to award, the top three (3) bidders shall provide a copy of their Workers Compensation Experience Modifier or equivalent documentation for the current year and the previous two (2) years with explanation for any year's Experience Modifier that is not a credit.
8. The contractor shall at all times during the term of this Contract pay the applicable prevailing wage for Macon County for the month during which the work is performed, as determined by the Illinois Department of Labor.
9. Before the Contractor and any Subcontractor commences work, the Contractor and any Subcontractor shall have in place a written Substance Abuse Prevention Program for the prevention of substance abuse among its employees which meets or exceeds the requirements in P. A. 95-0635 or shall have a collective bargaining agreement in effect dealing with the subject matter of P. A. 95-0635.

### **REJECTION OF BIDS:**

The Council of the City of Decatur, Illinois, reserves the right to accept, renegotiate or reject any or all proposals and to waive any variance from the requirements of the instructions for bidders. At the discretion of the Council, required items may be submitted after the bid opening if there is sufficient compliance with instructions at the time of the bid opening to permit the City to determine the price bid.

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June 23, 2010  
Date Advertised

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Richard G. Marley, P.E.  
Director of Public Works