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**NOTICE TO BIDDERS AND INVITATION FOR BIDS FOR
VAN BUREN STREET & CRESCENT AVENUE
RECONSTRUCTION PROJECT
PROJ. 21-43
AT THE ELMHURST CITY HALL
209 NORTH YORK STREET
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DUPAGE COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

RECEIPT OF BIDS

Sealed bids for the construction of the Van Buren Street & Crescent Avenue Reconstruction Project, Project 21-43, will be received by the City of Elmhurst, DuPage County, Illinois until **10:00 a.m.**, (Central Daylight Savings Time) **on Tuesday, April 19, 2022**. Thereafter or as soon as thereafter is practicable, all bids received will be publicly opened and the bid prices read aloud. Sealed envelopes or packages containing bids shall be addressed to the Office of the City Clerk, Elmhurst City Hall, 209 N. York Street, Elmhurst, Illinois 60126, and shall be marked **“Sealed Bid – Van Buren Street & Crescent Avenue Reconstruction Project, Project No. 21-43.”**

CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

The work shall include the reconstruction of approximately 2,450 ft on Crescent Avenue from Poplar Avenue East to Dead End, East of Edgewood Avenue and approximately 1,220 ft of Van Buren Street from Salt Creek (Dead End) East to Spring Road. The work shall also include removal and replacement of pavement and curbs; restoration of parkways; traffic control and other related work.

The bid documents are those prepared by Bravo Company Engineering, 1111 Burlington Ave., Suite 108G, Lisle, IL 60532, and designated as Van Buren Street & Crescent Avenue Reconstruction Project, Project 21-43. For a nonrefundable fee of **\$25.00** you may obtain bid documents via websites: www.bravocoeng.com or www.questcdn.com (Quest Project #8156630). You may access the document by clicking on the “Bidding” and “Browse Projects” icon located at the top of the page, to find the “City of Elmhurst Van Buren Street & Crescent Avenue Reconstruction Project, Project 21-43” bid documents. Please complete a free membership registration to Quest. If you have any questions regarding the registration or download process, please contact QuestCDN customer support at 952-233-1632. All submitted Bidding Documents shall be original copies obtained directly from Bravo Company Engineering. Paper copies of the Bid Documents will not be made available for purchase. There will be a paper copy for viewing purposes only available at the City Clerk’s Office, 2nd Floor, 209 N. York Street, Elmhurst, Illinois 60126.

All proposals must be submitted on the forms provided and in compliance with the Instructions to Bidders. Submission of a bid shall be conclusive assurance and warranty that the bidder has examined the plans, the site of the work and the local conditions affecting the contract and understands all the

requirements for performance of the work. The bidder will be responsible for all errors in its proposal resulting from failure or neglect to conduct an in-depth examination. The City of Elmhurst will in no case be responsible for any costs, expenses, losses or changes in anticipated profits resulting from such failure or neglect of the bidder. The bidders shall not take advantage of any errors or omission in the plans or proposal. All contractors performing asphalt and concrete work must be pre-qualified by the Illinois Department of Transportation.

BID SECURITY

Each bid shall be accompanied by a proposal guaranty in the form of a bid bond, executed by a corporate surety company, a bank cashier's check or a certified check payable to the City of Elmhurst for not less than five percent (5%) of the amount bid. The proposal guaranty checks of all, except the two (2) lowest responsible bidders, will be returned after the proposals have been checked and tabulated. The proposal guaranty checks of the two (2) lowest responsible bidders will be returned after the contract and the contract bond of the successful bidder have been properly executed and approved. Bid bonds will not be returned.

RIGHT TO REJECT BIDS

The City of Elmhurst reserves the right to waive technicalities and to reject any and all proposals for any reason deemed in the best interest of the City of Elmhurst.

AWARD OF CONTRACT

Unless all bids are rejected, the contract award will be made to the lowest responsive responsible bidder. In determining who the lowest responsive responsible bidder is, the City of Elmhurst will consider all factors which it, in its discretion, deems relevant in determining who the lowest responsive responsible bidder is. Bidders who are awarded a contract shall be required to provide a Labor and Material Payment Bond and a Performance Bond, each in the total amount of the contract sum upon execution of the contract.

PAYMENT OF PREVAILING WAGES

The general prevailing rate of wages in DuPage County for each craft or type of worker or mechanic needed to execute the contract or perform the work, also the general prevailing rate for legal holiday and overtime work, as ascertained by the Illinois Department of Labor, shall be paid for each craft or type of worker needed to execute the contract or to perform the work.

WORK RATING

To be authorized to bid and to be awarded the contract, the contractor shall, at both the time of submitted its bid and at the time of contract award, be prequalified with the Illinois Department of Transportation and have an approved Work Rating in Work Category 3 - Hot-Mix Asphalt (HMA) Plant Mix as listed and described in Appendix A – Available Work Categories of Part 650 - Prequalification of Contractors, Authorization to Bid, and Subcontractor Registration of Chapter IX: Department of Transportation of Subtitle B: Supplemental Procurement Rules of Title 44: Government Contracts, Procurement and Property Management of the Illinois Administrative Code, 44 Il. Adm. Code § 650.

Dated: Date April 5, 2022

CITY OF ELMHURST

Scott M. Levin, Mayor Jackie Haddad-Tamer, City Clerk