

CITY OF MILWAUKEE
SPECIFIC OFFICIAL NOTICE NO. 148

Sealed bids will be opened on October 28, 2013 at 10:30 AM for SIDEWALK SNOW/ICE REMOVAL ON CITY-OWNED IMPROVED LOTS in the following locations:

South Area: Area bounded by North Avenue, Lake Michigan, south to the City limits, and west to the City limits.

Bid Security Required: Bond (either Electronic thru Bid Express or Paper), Certified Check, Cashier's Check or Cash to accompany bid: \$500. For those bids being submitted through BID EXPRESS and using a Paper Bond, the contractor may fax a signed/executed copy of the bid bond to the Department of Public Works Contract Office at 414-286-8110. **HOWEVER, THE FAXED COPY OF THE BOND MUST BE RECEIVED BY NO LATER THAN 10:30 A.M. ON THE SAME DATE THAT THE BIDS ARE DUE FOR THAT SPECIFIC OFFICIAL NOTICE, or the bid will be considered non-responsive.** *The original bid bond document will then need to be submitted by the contractor to the Department of Public Works Contract Office, Rm. 506, Municipal Building, immediately upon being notified that they are the apparent low bidder*

Time for Completion: Work on this project shall consist of snow/ice removal on sidewalks adjacent to city-owned improved lots. Snow/ice removal operations shall ensure that all sidewalks are kept clear of snow and ice down to the pavement throughout the year. Snow/ice removal shall begin November 1, 2013 and continue to April 30, 2014.

The SBE requirement for this project is 25% of the contract base bid.
Residency requirement for this project is: 40% of labor hours paid.
The apprenticeship requirements for this project are: N/A

The contractor shall specifically note the SBE, Residency, and Apprenticeship forms for this project. If the forms are not filled out properly, it will be cause for rejection of the bid.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: The Invitation to Bid, all bid documents and the Plans and Specifications for the listed project(s) are all available electronically on the DPW website **AS WELL AS on the Bid Express Website**. At this time, Bids can be submitted using either Bid Express OR by purchasing and submitting paper bids in the usual manner. However, Bidders are strongly encouraged to utilize the electronic and/or Bid Express methods of obtaining bid documents and Bid Express for submitting bids, as in the near future the Department of Public Works intends to have bid documents available only electronically and through Bid Express, *and to accept bid submittals only via Bid Express.*

Electronic documents can be obtained via <http://www.mpw.net/bids/docs/148-2013> The Bid Express website is located at bidexpress.com. Any required addenda or response related to listed projects will be posted on both the DPW and Bid Express websites. At this time there are still a limited number of hard copies of the bid documents available at the address listed below. IF YOU ONLY PRINT THE DOCUMENTS FROM THE DPW WEBSITE PLEASE CALL 414-286-3314 TO HAVE YOUR COMPANY'S NAME AND CONTACT INFORMATION PLACED ON THE PLAN HOLDER'S LIST.

Plans and project manual will be furnished to the prospective bidders upon payment of a \$10.00 non-refundable fee in room 506, Frank P. Zeidler Municipal Building, 841 North Broadway, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202.

A \$10.00 per set additional non-refundable fee is required to obtain bid documents my mail. Plans are sent via U.S. mail unless other arrangements are made by the contractor.

Contractor must comply with all provisions of the CITY OF MILWAUKEE GENERAL OFFICIAL NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS published herein and at <http://www.mpw.net/pages/bids.html>

ALL BIDDERS MUST ATTEND A MANDATORY PREBID WORKSHOP TO REVIEW BID PREPARATION AND SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR BID ACCEPTANCE.

Prebid workshops will be held in the Central District Forestry Office conference room located at:
5230 W State St
Milwaukee WI 53208

October 17, 2013: 12:00 PM – 1:00 PM
October 18, 2013: 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM

Signed: GHASSAN A. KORBAN,
Commissioner of Public Works

PUBLISH SIX (6) TIMES INSERTION WITHOUT FAIL, Monday, October 14, 2013.