## INVITATION FOR BID IFB2020-022 WATER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS – PHASE 4

Sealed bids for **IFB2020-022 Water System Improvements - Phase 4**, shall be received by the **Hamilton Department of Public Works**, at their offices **577 Bay Road**, **P.O. Box 429**, **Hamilton**, **MA 01936**, until **2:00 PM Local Time**, **Wednesday**, **July 15**, **2020** and at that time and place shall be opened and read aloud publicly. Bids are to be mailed via the U.S. Postal Service, Fedex, UPS, or delivered to the attention of Tim Olson at P.O. Box 429, Hamilton, MA 01936 and labeled with the project title and "bid." Bids must be delivered prior to 2:00 PM Local Time on the date of the Bid opening.

In general, the project includes, but is not limited to, furnishing and installing approximately 8,000 linear feet of 6-inch to 12-inch ductile iron water main, valves, hydrants and appurtenances. In addition, approximately ten (10) hydrants at separate locations are to be abandoned along with a new hydrant installed nearby. New insertion valves, tapping sleeves, pipe and valves are to be installed at the existing water tank connection in Bridge Street. The total length indicated herein includes a bid alternate.

Water main installation is to occur on the following streets: Forest Street, Village Lane, Beech Street, Woodbury Street (Bid Alternate), Partridgeberry Lane (Bid Alternate)

Contract Documents may be examined by electronic means only and via email. An email request for the Contract documents shall be made with read receipt to: <u>tolson@hamiltonma.gov</u> and with a cc: to <u>Nicholas.bouthilette@stantec.com</u>. No deposit will be required for the electronic documents and <u>printed</u> hard copies of the documents will be the responsibility of the BIDDER.

## Each Bid shall be accompanied by a Bid Bond or a Treasurer's, Cashier's or Certified Check in the amount of 5% of the bid amount. Checks shall be made payable to the Town of Hamilton.

BIDDERS are required to submit proposals on the Bid form provided. The undersigned reserves the right to waive informalities in Bids, to reject any or all Bids submitted, and to accept the proposal deemed best for the Town.

Attention is called to the fact that minimum State Wage Rates are established for the Project as set forth in the Contract Documents.

No BID may be withdrawn within 30 days, Saturdays, Sundays, and legal holidays excluded, after the opening of Bids.

The successful BIDDER must furnish a 100% Performance Bond and a 100% Payment Bond with a surety company approved by the OWNER.

BIDDERS shall be aware of and acknowledge Massachusetts COVID-19 regulations regarding construction activities within the Bid form.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS HAMILTON, MASSACHUSETTS DATED: June 2020