## CORPORATION OF SHEPHERDSTOWN JEFFERSON COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA NEW STREET UTILITY IMPROVEMENTS

## THRASHER PROJECT #202-020-1507

## **ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

Sealed Bids for the construction of the **New Street Utility Improvements** will be received by the Corporation of Shepherdstown, at the office of the **Corporation of Shepherdstown**, **104 North King Street**, **Shepherdstown**, **Jefferson County**, **West Virginia** until **11:00** am local time on **April 12**, **2018** at which time the Bids received will be publicly opened and read.

The approximate quantities of work to be bid upon are described as follows:

A. This Project includes removal and replacement of approximately 450 linear feet of exiting 6" VCP with 8" PVC SDR 35 and 8" Ductile Iron gravity sewer; two (2) 48" Diameter Manholes; approximately 200 linear feet of 6" PVC Service Lateral Pipe; approximately 16 service lateral reconnections; bypass pumping; approximately 450 linear feet of 8" PVC 909 waterline; abandonment of approximately 450 linear feet of existing 4" waterline; approximately 350 linear feet of 3/4" PE service tubing; approximately 16 water service connections; two (2) precast drop inlet structures; replacement of one (1) 48'-6" x 11'-7" box culvert; approximately 320 tons of 2" asphalt wearing course.

The Work will be substantially completed within <u>120</u> calendar days after the date when the Contract Times commence to run, and completed and ready for final payment within <u>150</u> days after the date when the Contract Times commence to run. Liquidated damages shall be \$1,000.00 per day.

The Issuing Office for the Bidding Documents is: The Thrasher Group, Inc., 300 Association Drive, Charleston, WV 25311. Prospective Bidders may examine the Bidding Documents at the Issuing Office on Mondays through Fridays between the hours of 8:00 am to 5:00 pm, and may obtain copies of the Bidding Documents from the Issuing Office as described below.

Complete sets of Bidding Documents may be obtained from the office of Thrasher, 300 Association Drive, Charleston, WV 25311, for the following costs:

- Bidding Documents issued as hard copy drawings and hard copy specifications are available for \$100.00 per set.
- Bidding Documents issued as digital drawings and digital specifications on a C.D. are available for \$10.00 per set.

Amounts paid are not subject to refund.

Partial sets of Bidding Documents will not be available from the Issuing Office. Neither Owner nor Engineer will be responsible for full or partial sets of Bidding Documents, including Addenda if any, obtained from sources other than the Issuing Office.

Bidding Documents also may be examined at

Corporation of Shepherdstown
104 North King Street
Shepherdstown, WV 25443
The Thrasher Group, Inc.
300 Association Drive
Charleston, WV 25311

Dodge Reports

Www.mcgraw-hill.com

Contractor's Association of WV
2114 Kanawha Boulevard East
Charleston, WV 25311

A two envelope system will be used.

Envelope No. 1 must have the following information presented on the front:

Name and address of Bidder Bid on Contract #1 – New Street Utility Improvements Received by the Corporation of Shepherdstown

Envelope No. 2 labeled "Bid Proposal" shall also be placed inside of Envelope #1.

Envelope No. 1 will be opened first and the Bid Opening Requirement items checked for compliance as outlined on the Bid Opening Checklist on page BOR - 1 of these contract documents. If such documents are found to be in order, Envelope No. 2 "Bid Proposal", will then be opened and will be publicly read aloud. If the documents required to be contained in Envelope No. 1 are not in order, Envelope No. 2 "Bid Proposal" will not be opened and the Bid will be considered non-responsive and will be returned to the Bidder.

A bidder may not withdraw his bid for a period of sixty (60) days after the date set for the opening of bids.

Bids shall be accompanied by a certified check or bid bond payable to the Corporation of Shepherdstown, in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the base bid.

Contractor is required to provide the Drug Free Workplace Certification in accordance with WV Code 21-1D-5.

All Bidders are required to have a West Virginia Contractor's License per Section §21-11-11 of the West Virginia Code.

Bids received after the scheduled closing time for the reception of bids will be returned unopened to the bidders.

The Corporation of Shepherdstown reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

The successful bidder shall have the ability to receive payment from the Corporation of Shepherdstown via WV Purchasing Card (VISA).

A pre-bid conference will be held at 10:00 AM local time on March 29, 2018, at the City Hall, 104 North King Street, Shepherdstown, Jefferson County, West Virginia. Attendance at the pre-bid conference is highly encouraged but is not mandatory.

Corporation of Shepherdstown Post Office Box 248 104 North King Street Shepherdstown, WV 25443

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