

## **NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

### **BOROUGH OF NORTH CALDWELL**

### **ESSEX COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

Sealed proposals will be received by the Borough of North Caldwell, New Jersey at the Municipal Building, Gould Avenue, North Caldwell, New Jersey 07006, on Thursday, March 7, 2019 at 9:30 a.m., prevailing time, and then publicly opened and read aloud for:

### **MOWING & TRIMMING MUNICIPAL FACILITIES**

The work to be done under this contract includes the mowing and trimming of grass at various municipal facilities and the one time application of an acaricide (pesticide) in the Borough of North Caldwell, including athletic fields.

Copies of the Specifications and other proposed contract documents are on file and open to public inspection at the North Caldwell Borough Hall, 141 Gould Avenue, North Caldwell, New Jersey, and may be examined and obtained by properly qualified contractors during regular business hours (8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.). Bidders will be furnished with a copy of the specifications by the Engineer upon request and payment of twenty dollars (\$20.00, non-refundable) for the cost of preparation.

Each Proposal will be made upon the prescribed forms furnished with the Specifications, and will be accompanied by a Consent of Surety and by a certified check, cashier's check or bid bond in the sum of ten percent (10%) of the amount of the bid or \$20,000.00, whichever is less. Checks will be made payable to the Borough of North Caldwell. Bid Security will be held as a guaranty that in the event the bid is accepted and a Contract awarded to the bidder, the Contract will be duly executed, and its performance properly secured, and in default thereof, said Bid Security and the amount represented thereby will be forfeited to the aforesaid Borough of North Caldwell as liquidated damages.

Proposals will be accompanied, in the case of corporations not chartered in New Jersey, by proper certificate that such corporations are authorized to do business in the State of New Jersey.

Bidders are required to comply with the requirements of N.J.S.A. 10:5-31 et seq., and N.J.A.C. 17:27.

Each Proposal will be enclosed in a sealed envelope bearing the name and address of the bidder, will be addressed to the Borough of North Caldwell, New Jersey and will be endorsed "Bids for Mowing & Trimming Municipal Facilities."

The bidder to whom a Contract is awarded will be required to furnish a performance bond acceptable to the Borough of North Caldwell in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the Contract, in conformity with the requirements of the contract documents.

The Borough of North Caldwell reserves the right to reject any and all bids, to waive any minor informalities or irregularities in the bids received, and to accept the bid which in its judgment best serves the interests of the Borough.

By Order of the Mayor and Council  
of the Borough of North Caldwell

Tami Michelotti, Borough Clerk