

INVITATION TO BID
CITY OF BROCKTON, MASSACHUSETTS
DOWNTOWN WATER MAIN REPLACEMENT
CONTRACT NO. DPW-BID23-DWTNW

This project is being Electronically Bid (E-Bid). All bids shall be submitted online at www.Projectdog.com until **11:00 AM June 8, 2023**. Hard copy bids will not be accepted by the City of Brockton. Tutorials and Instructions are available online at https://www.projectdog.com/homePDF/E-BiddingTutorial_000.pdf. For assistance, contact Projectdog Inc. at 978.499.9014. Any bids received after 11:00 AM, June 8, 2023, shall be rejected. Bidders and the public may view bid results, as well as inspect bid documents via the Projectdog website.

The work of this contract includes, but is not limited to, new 12- and 8-inch water mains and appurtenances to replace existing water mains within Warren Avenue, Frederick Douglass Avenue, Green Street, L Street, and West Elm Street including furnishing and installing new water service connections, fittings, valves, hydrants, connections to the existing water system, all earthwork, dewatering and drainage, pavement replacement, wheelchair ramps, restoration, utility crossing, traffic management, miscellaneous work and cleanup, and all work required in the Contract Documents.

The Contract Time shall be 200 Calendar Days for the Base Bid Work and an additional 40 Calendar Days for the Bid Alternate No. 1 Work, commencing 20 days following the Effective Date of the Agreement. Winter shutdown shall be enforced between Thanksgiving (November 23, 2023) and March 31, 2024, unless approved by Owner.

Bid Forms and Contract Documents are available online at www.Projectdog.com after **1:00 PM on May 18, 2023**. Enter Project Code **855562** in the project locator box and select "Acquire Documents" to download documents. Alternatively, a free CD-ROM may be requested by contacting Projectdog – shipping & handling charges apply. All plan holders must have an active online account on www.Projectdog.com to acquire documents, receive project notifications, and to submit bids electronically. Documents may also be viewed, but not removed, from the offices of Projectdog Inc., 18 Graf Road - Unit 8, Newburyport, MA 01950, Monday – Friday, 8:30 AM to 5:00 PM.

Each Bid shall be submitted in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders and shall be accompanied by a Bid Security in the amount of five percent of the Bid.

Bidders may not withdraw their Bids for a period of thirty days, excluding Saturdays, Sundays, and legal holidays after the actual date of the opening of the Bids.

The Successful Bidder must furnish **a 100 percent Performance Bond** and a **100 percent Payment Bond** with a surety company acceptable to the Owner.

Complete instructions for filing Bids are included in the Instructions to Bidders. Questions may be addressed to Chad Kershaw at CDM Smith, Inc., 3 Davol Square, Building A, Suite A-425, Providence RI 02903, telephone 401-751-5360 or kershawcj@cdmsmith.com.

Wage rates for this Project are subject to the minimum wage rates as per M.G.L., Chapter 149, Section 26 to 27H inclusive.

The bidding and award of this Contract will be under the provisions of M.G.L. Chapter 30, Section 39M.

Award of this contract will be contingent on the City's needs, appropriation, and availability of funds.

The Owner reserves the right to waive any informality in or to reject any or all Bids if deemed to be in its best interest.

The City of Brockton is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

ROBERT F. SULLIVAN, MAYOR

PATRICK HILL, COMMISSIONER DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

MICHAEL C. MORRIS, CHIEF PROCUREMENT OFFICER
