Legal Notice to Bidders

The Board of the Medina County Commissioners, acting in its capacity as the Board of the Medina County Solid Waste Management District (Board), hereby announces its Invitation to Bid for the purpose of obtaining services for the Transfer, Transportation and Disposal (TTD Services) of approximately 140,000 tons/annually of Solid Waste delivered to the Medina County Solid Waste District Facility located at 8700 Lake Road, Seville, OH 44273. Bids will be accepted for a minimum term of two (2) years, with a contract start date of January 12, 2017. Bids will be accepted for three (3) consecutive one (1) year renewal terms, executed at the sole discretion of the Board, for a maximum contractual opportunity of five (5) years. Alternatively, these Contract(s) may be renewed for a term of less than one (1) year, if mutually agreeable to both the Contractor and the Board. Bidders for Services shall submit bids for:

<u>Contract 1</u>: a price per ton for the <u>transfer and transportation</u> of Solid Waste delivered to the Medina County Solid Waste District Facility into transfer vehicles and, then transport to a Solid Waste Landfill; and/or

<u>Contract 2</u>: a price per ton for the <u>disposal</u> of Solid Waste transferred and transported to a Solid Waste Landfill per Contract #1; and/or

<u>Contract 3</u>: a price per ton for the <u>transfer, transportation AND disposal</u> of Solid Waste delivered to the Medina County Solid Waste District Facility into transfer vehicle and, then transported to, and disposed of at, a Solid Waste Landfill. Contract 3 is the combination of the Services separately identified above in Contracts 1 and 2.

In addition to the base Contracts 1- 3, Bidders on Contract 3 may also bid on the following Optional Contract(s):

Optional Contract 3A: a price per ton to transfer, transport and process approximately 85 tons/annually of Source Separate Cardboard delivered to the Medina County Solid Waste District Facility at a Legitimate Recycling Facility; and/or

Optional Contract 3B: a price per ton to transfer, transport and process an undetermined annual tonnage of Source Separated Single Stream Recyclables delivered to the Medina County Solid Waste District Facility at a Legitimate Recycling Facility.

The Medina County Commissioners reserve the right to award Contract 1 and Contract 2 individually, or as the combined Contract 3. The Medina County Commissioners further reserve the right to award Optional Contracts 3A and/or 3B, in conjunction with Contract 3. The award shall be based upon an analysis of the lowest and best bid for the right to provide the Transfer, Transportation and Disposal Services, with an emphasis on increasing recyclables volumes recovered within the Medina County Solid Waste District. If selected, the Successful Bidder must secure a Performance Bond as required by the Bid Documents.

There will be an informational, non-mandatory pre-bid meeting for interested Bidders on November 8, 2016, at the Medina County Solid Waste District Offices, 8700 Lake Road, Seville, Ohio 44273, at 10:00 a.m. The Board will receive sealed bids for the **Transfer, Transportation and Disposal of Solid Waste delivered to the Medina County Solid Waste District Facility** at the Medina County Sanitary Engineer's Office, 791 W. Smith Road, Medina, Ohio, 44256, until 3:30 pm on November 22, 2016, which will then be publicly opened and read aloud. All bids shall: (a) be submitted on the Bid Forms contained in the Bid Documents; (b) contain all information/documentation required by the Bid Documents; (c) be returned in sealed envelopes, marked "Transfer, Transportation and Disposal of Solid Waste Delivered to Medina County Solid Waste District Facility" and (d) include a separate Bid Bond in the amount of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) as security that if the Bid is accepted, an agreement will be entered into within ten (10) days of the Notice of Award, in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Agreement contained in the Bid Documents.

Bids will be considered valid until 90 days after the bid opening date, although not accepted or rejected. More detailed instructions to Bidders are contained in the Bid Documents. The Board reserves the right to abandon the bid process and to reject all bids at any time. Copies of the Bid Documents are on file and may be obtained from Amy Lyon-Galvin, P.E., Medina County Sanitary Engineer, 791 W. Smith Road, Medina, Ohio, 44256, or by calling (330) 723-9585; downloaded from the County's website at http://www.co.medina.oh.us/legal.htm; or from the Sanitary Engineer's website at http://www.sanitaryengineer.so.medina.oh.us/legal.htm; or from the sanitary Engineer's website at http://www.sanitaryengineer.so.medina.oh.us/legal.htm; or from the sanitary Engineer's website at http://www.sanitaryengineer.so.medina.oh.us/legal.htm; or from the sanitary Engineer's must register their interest in accordance with the instructions in the Bid Documents.

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