

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

FULLER HOLLOW CREEK STREAM STABILIZATION PROJECT

Separate sealed BIDS for the **Fuller Hollow Creek Stream Stabilization** project will be received by DuBois & King, Inc. on behalf of Tioga County Soil Water Conservation District at, 265 Union Street, Suite 201, Hamburg, NY 14075 until **July 16, 2021 at 3:00 pm** when they will be publicly open and read.

Each bid must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders and must be accompanied by Bid Security in the form of a certified check, bank check, or bid bond in the amount of five percent (5%) of the total amount of the bid.

No later than forty-five (45) days after the bid opening, the District shall accept bids or reject all bids. After the bid opening, a bid may not be withdrawn prior to the date that is forty-five (45) days after such bid opening. The District reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and advertise for new bids, if in its opinion the best interest of the District will hereby be promoted.

This project involves the stabilization and establishment of grade control on Fuller Hollow Creek in the vicinity of Lehigh Avenue and Murray Hill Road in Vestal, NY. Fuller Hollow Creek is highly entrenched and active bank failures are present along both banks. The site is susceptible to significant erosion and incision due to physical and geologic conditions. Impacts from Tropical Storm Irene and Lee included loss and damage of homes and businesses, loss and damage of utility infrastructure, road closures and washouts, and stream bank erosion. This project will establish grade control and stabilize banks which will be achieved through construction of a roughened channel and regrading banks to more stable angles, which will protect private property.

The specific objectives of the project include:

- Reduce erosion and sediment contribution to downstream reaches
- Establish grade control and slowing rates of incision;
- Stabilize stream banks; and
- Protect private property within the project reach

ISSUING OFFICE:

The Issuing Office for the Bidding Documents is: DuBois & King, Inc., 265 Union Street, Suite 201, Hamburg, NY 14075 Contact: Andrew Hoak at 716-926-9195 x-5101, ahoak@dubois-king.com. Bidding Documents may be obtained via one of the following methods:

1. Via Download Electronic Copy: Download Bid Documents as a pdf at <http://www.dubois-king.com/projects-bidding-active/>.

Note: When downloading bid documents, the downloader will receive an e-mail notification with a link to the downloadable plans and specifications. Depending on individual computer settings, the e-mail may go to the spam folder. Please check the spam folder and allow e-mails from dubois-king.com

2. If Hard Copies are wanted: Please contact the Issuing Office Contact identified above to discuss the details of this method and to confirm cost (cost of documents and shipping).

The date that the Bidding Documents are transmitted by the Issuing Office will be considered the prospective Bidder's date of receipt of the Bidding Documents. Partial sets of Bidding Documents will not be available from the Issuing Office. Only Bid Documents obtained from DuBois & King, Inc. (Website or Issuing Office) shall be used for submitting a Bid. 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.

IMPORTANT

Any change to the Bidding Documents during the bid period will be made via addenda and posted at www.dubois-king.com/projects-bidding-active. The prospective Bidder is responsible for checking the web site as required to obtain any/all addenda that may be issued. The Issuing Office is NOT responsible for notifying prospective Bidders when addenda are posted. This responsibility lies with the prospective Bidder.

CDBG-DR FUNDED PROJECT

This project is being financed with U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development ("HUD") Community Development Block Grant-Disaster Recovery ("CDBG-DR") funds administered by the NYS Governor's Office of Storm Recovery ("GOSR"). Attention of bidders is particularly called to Section 3 requirements, M/WBE goals, Federal labor standards and wage rates, online reporting requirements using Elation System, Inc. and GOSR Supplementary Contract Conditions.

A Non-Mandatory pre-bid meeting is scheduled at the project location on **July 2, 2021 at 1:00 pm.** All prospective bidders are encouraged to attend this meeting.

All questions and comments must be sent to DuBois & King, Inc. at ahoak@dubois-king.com by **4:00 pm on July 9, 2021.** If necessary, an Addendum to answer questions will be posted to our web-site by COB on **July 13, 2021.**