

Tioga County Department of Public Works

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PROPOSAL

ADS ST (BELL) PIPE

SMOOTH INTERIOR CORRUGATED POLYETHYLENE CULVERT PIPE

The Tioga County Commissioner of Public Works will receive sealed proposals at the Tioga County Public Works Department, 477 Route 96, Owego, New York, until 10:30 A.M. Wednesday, January 25, 2017.

All bids shall be submitted in accordance with the attached instruction sheets.

All bids shall be made on the attached proposal sheets. Exceptions may be rejected. All bids shall be submitted in a sealed envelope marked:

“ADS ST (BELL) PIPE BID”

“DO NOT OPEN UNTIL 1-25-17 AT 10:30 AM”

All bidders shall submit signed copies of the required NON-COLLUSION CERTIFICATES with their bid proposals. Failure to do so may constitute grounds for rejection.

The County Commissioner of Public Works or his agents reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

Tioga County reserves the right to reject or accept all or any part of any bid solely as it deems in the best interest of Tioga County.

The successful bid contract may be extended for a period of one (1) year if it is mutually agreeable to both the Commissioner and the low bid contractor.

Any Town, Village, or School District in Tioga County may participate in the bid.

The award of this contract shall be based on the lowest responsible bid. Bidders must bid on all components of each section and all items bid must be from a single manufacturer to be eligible for award. An award will be based on all products meeting Tioga County's specifications as outlined in the bid document. A no bid on any item within a group may disqualify the bidder from the group award. Considerations will be made to availability of material, delivery, and past history as well as the current standing of the supplier within the industry.

There shall be no assignment of this contract to any other party by the successful bidder without County authorization.

CONTRACT TERM:

The term of this contract will extend through January 23, 2018. Deliveries are to be made within seven (7) days of receipt of order.

DETAILED SPECIFICATIONS:

The ADS ST (bell) pipe shall meet or exceed current AASHTO M-294, Type S or ASTM F2306 Specifications.

The pipe shall be manufactured in accordance with the most recent AASHTO M294 ,Type S or ASTM F2306 specification.

The pipe shall be free of foreign inclusions and visible defects. A manufacturer's certification that the product was manufactured, tested, and supplied in accordance with this specification shall be furnished upon request to the Commissioner.

Joint Performance

Pipe shall be joined with the ADS N-12 ST IB (bell and spigot) joint meeting AASHTO M252, AASHTO M294, or ASTM F2306. The joint shall be silt-tight and gaskets shall meet the requirements of ASTM F477. Gaskets shall be installed by the pipe manufacturer and covered with a removable wrap to ensure the gasket is free from debris. A joint lubricant available from the manufacturer shall be used on the gasket and bell during assembly.

Fittings

Fittings shall conform to AASHTO M294 or ASTM F2306. Fabricated fittings shall be welded at all accessible interior and exterior junctions.

Material Properties

Pipe and fittings shall be made of virgin polyethylene compounds that comply with the cell classification 435400C for 12- through 60-inch diameters, as defined and described in ASTM D3350, except that carbon black content should not exceed 4%. The 12-through 60-inch virgin pipe material shall comply with the notched constant ligament-stress (NCLS) test as specified in Section 6.1.1 and 5.1 of AASHTO M294 and ASTM F2306 respectfully.

Installation

Installation shall be in accordance with ASTM D2321 and ADS installation guidelines, with the exception that minimum cover in trafficked areas for 12-through 48-inch diameters shall be one (1) foot. And for 60-inch diameters, the minimum cover shall be two (2) feet. Contact your local ADS representative or visit website at www.ads-pipe.com for a copy of the installation guidelines.

CANCELLATION:

Tioga County reserves the right to cancel the contract for unsatisfactory workmanship or unsatisfactory service at any point in the contract year, upon issuance of ten (10) days written notice to that effect.

AWARD:

Award shall be made to the responsible bidder proposing the lowest price of ADS ST (Bell) Pipe whose proposal complies with all provisions to render it formal and legal and whose proposal is considered adequate to the best interests of Tioga County.

WARRANTY:

All materials supplied by the contractor shall carry the standard manufacturer's warranty.

ADS ST (BELL) PIPE BID PRICES:

Diameter	Price per L.F.	Price per End Section
12" Pipe		
18" Pipe		
24" Pipe		
30" Pipe		
36" Pipe		
42" Pipe		
48" Pipe		
60" Pipe		

The undersigned proposes and offers to furnish, to Tioga County, ADS ST (Bell) Pipe which complies with the Specifications for which are attached. This proposal and offer is fully guaranteed to fulfill, in all respects, the minimum specifications as prepared by Tioga County. It is hereby certified that, in accordance with Section 103-D of the General Municipal Law, THERE HAS BEEN NO COLLUSION IN THIS BIDDING.

Name of Company:

Address of Company:

Telephone Number:

Name of Officer:

Signature:

Date:

Municipalities should not use the county bid for any items involving labor.

THE REQUIRED NON-COLLUSION FORM MUST ACCOMPANY BID.

Gary Hammond, P.E.

Commissioner

Tioga County Public Works

TO ALL BIDDERS

In accordance with the New York State General Municipal Law the following Non-Collusion form must accompany each proposal.

NON-COLLUSIVE BIDDING CERTIFICATE

By submission of this bid or proposal, the bidder certifies that:

- (A) this bid or proposal has been independently arrived at without collusion with any other bidder or with any competitor or potential competitor;
- (B) or proposal has not been knowingly disclosed and will not be knowingly disclosed prior to the opening of bids or proposals for this project, to any other bidder, competitor or potential competitor;
- (C) no attempt has been or will be made to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid or proposal;
- (D) the person signing this bid or proposal certifies that he has fully informed himself regarding the accuracy of the statements contained in this certification, and under the penalty of perjury, affirms the truth thereof, such penalties being applicable to the bidder as well as to the person signing in its behalf;
- (E) that attached hereto (if a corporate bidder) is a certified copy of resolution authorizing the execution of this certificate by the signature of this bid or proposal in behalf of the corporate bidder.

(Authorized Representative)

(Signature)