NOTICE TO BIDDERS
CITY OF DES MOINES PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

Time and Place for Filing Sealed Proposals. Sealed bids for the work comprising each improvement as stated below must be filed at or before 11:00 a.m. on January 25, 2022, in the office of the City Clerk, 1st Floor, City Hall, 400 Robert D. Ray Drive, Des Moines, Iowa, 50309.

Accessibility for individuals with disabilities. The City of Des Moines is pleased to provide accommodations to individuals with disabilities or groups and encourages participation in City government. To better serve you, please notify us at least three business days in advance when possible at 515-283-4209, should special accommodations be required.

Time and Place Sealed Proposals Will be Opened and Considered. Sealed proposals will be opened and bids tabulated at 11:00 a.m., on January 25, 2022, in the City Council Chambers, 2nd Floor, City Hall, 400 Robert D. Ray Drive, Des Moines, Iowa, for consideration by the City Council (Council) at its meeting on February 21, 2022. The City of Des Moines (Jurisdiction) reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Time for Commencement and Completion of Work. Work on each improvement shall be commenced upon approval of the contract by the Council, and completed as stated below.

Bid Security. Each bidder shall accompany its bid with bid security as defined in Section 26.8 of the Iowa Code and as specified by the Jurisdiction.

Contract Documents. Copies of the contract documents will be available after January 10, 2022, from the City Engineer's Office, 2nd Floor, City Hall, 400 Robert D. Ray Drive, Des Moines, Iowa 50309, at no cost, phone (515-283-4573).

Preference for Iowa Products and Labor. By virtue of statutory authority, preference will be given to products and provisions grown and coal produced within the State of Iowa, and to Iowa domestic labor, to the extent lawfully required under Iowa statutes.

Sales Tax. The bidder should not include sales tax in the bid. A sales tax exemption certificate will be available for all material purchased for incorporation in the project.

General Nature of Public Improvement.

Neal Smith Trail Rehabilitation - Euclid Avenue to Saylor Creek Bridge, 112019009

The improvement includes the reconstruction of a Hot Mix Asphalt (HMA) multi-use trail, Portland Cement Concrete (PCC) sidewalk and sidewalk ramps, drainage improvements, fencing, trail signage, traffic control, grading, site restoration, erosion control, and other associated work and incidental items; all in accordance with the contract documents, including Plan File No. 626-001/044, along the east side of the Des Moines River between Euclid Avenue and the Saylor Creek Bridge north of the city limits, and along the south side of Euclid Avenue between 16th Street and the Des Moines River.

This project shall be fully completed not later than September 30, 2022 and in accordance with completion provisions.

Engineer's Construction Estimate. $821,000.00

Preletting Conference.