1. **Time and Place of Opening Bids.** Sealed proposals for the construction of the **WATER SYSTEM INTERCONNECT** for the Village of Hoffman Estates, Cook County, Illinois, will be received at the Office of the Village Clerk, 1900 Hassell Road, Hoffman Estates, Illinois 60169, (Municipal Building) until 10:00 A.M., **December 18, 2015**, and at that time will be publicly opened and unit price total read aloud. It is the responsibility of the Bidder to meet the specified opening time; and any bid not so received will be returned unopened. Bids must be identified as such on the outside of the sealed envelope. This can be done by label as may be provided by the agency or by marking the envelope “SEALED BID” and with the following information: Company’s name, address, item bid, date, and time of opening.

2. **Description of Work.** The proposed construction consists of: **Site 1:** Provide and install a connection between existing 12-inch and 16-inch water mains, including cutting existing 16-inch and 12-inch mains, removing 90 degree bend, adding a 16-inch tee, reducing to a 12-inch main, install two 45 bends to make up the elevation change, provide a 12-inch gate valve in 60-inch vault, and provide 12-inch tee connection. **Site 2:** Provide and install two (2) new gate valves (12-inch and 16-inch) in new 60-inch valve vaults on existing, live water mains, traffic control, complete surface restoration, and other miscellaneous items of work to provide a complete project.

3. **Information for Bidders.** All pertinent documents may be examined at the Office of the Village Clerk at 1900 Hassell Road, Hoffman Estates, Illinois 60169 or on the internet at www.bhfxplanroom.com. Copies of the Bidding Documents may be obtained from BHFX Digital Imaging, www.bhfxplanroom.com, upon a non-refundable payment of $60 per set. **Documents can only be purchased through BHFX Digital Imaging.**

   Not less than the prevailing rate of wages as determined by the Department of Labor or determined by the court on review shall be paid to all laborers, workmen and mechanics performing work under this contract.

   The Village of Hoffman Estates is exempt from the Illinois State, municipal or county Retailers Occupation Tax, Service Occupation Tax, Use Tax, and Service Use Tax as described in Illinois Compiled Statute Chapter 35. Bid prices shall not include the cost of such taxes.

   All Bids must be accompanied by a Bidder’s bond, certified check, bank cashier’s check or bank draft payable to the Village of Hoffman Estates for ten percent (10%) of the total amount of the Bid as provided in the Bidder Instructions.

4. **Rejection of Bids.** The Village of Hoffman Estates reserves the right to waive any/all informality, or to reject any/all bids and/or parts thereof; and to accept that bid which it deems most favorable to Hoffman Estates after all bids have been examined and canvassed.

By the Order of the Mayor and Board of Trustees of Village of Hoffman Estates.

November 13, 2015 ___________ __________________________  Bev Romanoff, Village Clerk

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