

# LEGAL NOTICE

## WAKEFIELD MUNICIPAL GAS & LIGHT DEPARTMENT WAKEFIELD, MASSACHUSETTS

### Gas Main Replacement

#### ADVERTISEMENT TO BID

Sealed Bids will be received by Wakefield Municipal Gas & Light Department (WMGLD), the Awarding Authority, (hereinafter referred to as "Owner") under the provisions of Chapter 164 inclusive of the Massachusetts General Laws, as last revised, for:

#### **Lowell St / Pleasant St / Lawrence St / Salem St / Juniper Ave**

Sealed Bids will be received at the Wakefield Municipal Gas & Light Department, 480 North Avenue, Wakefield, Massachusetts 01880, until **11:00 AM** (local time) on **Friday, March 3, 2017**. Bid Forms and Documents may be obtained at the WMGLD, 480 North Ave beginning on **Wednesday, February 15, 2017**. Bids must be received in duplicate in a sealed envelope marked **"Gas Main Replacement - March 2017"**. The said Bids will be opened publicly and read aloud at the Wakefield Municipal Gas & Light Department, 480 North Avenue, Wakefield, Massachusetts 01880, at **11:00 AM (local time) on Friday, March 3, 2017**. **"LATE BIDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED"**.

A mandatory pre-bid conference is scheduled for **Wednesday, February 22, 2017 at 9:00 a.m.** at Wakefield Municipal Gas and Light Department, 480 North Avenue, Wakefield, MA 01880.

Each Bid shall be accompanied by bid security in the form of a certified check, or a treasurer's or cashier's check, issued by a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the Wakefield Municipal Gas & Light Department, for a sum not less than five percent (5%) of the amount of the Bid, or accompanied by a Bid Bond in like amount of a corporate surety licensed to do business in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Each Bid shall be conditioned that the Bidder will pay Wakefield Municipal Gas & Light Department, as liquidated damages, the amount specified unless it enters into a Contract in accordance with its Bid and furnishes Performance and Payment Bonds with surety, satisfactory to Wakefield Municipal Gas & Light Department, in an amount equal to 100 percent of the Contract Amount and insurance Certificates or copies of Insurance Policies.

Complete instructions for filing Bids are included in the Instructions to Bidders. Every Bid shall be submitted in full accordance with those Instructions to Bidders. Bids shall be valid only when accompanied by all of the following: (1) a fully completed and properly executed "Bid Form", (2) Bid security and (3) any other data that may be identified in the Instructions to Bidders or Bid Form as required with the bid.

No Bidder may withdraw his Bid for a period of ninety (90) days (Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays excluded) alter the actual date of the opening of the General Bids.

If the successful Bidder fails to enter into the Contract and furnish the Performance and Payment Bond and the Insurance Certificate or copies of the Insurance Policies, its check or Bid Bond and the amount thereof, shall be forfeited to Wakefield Municipal Gas & Light Department.

Wakefield Municipal Gas & Light Department reserves the right to reject any or all Bids if deemed in the best interest of Wakefield Municipal Gas & Light Department and the Town of Wakefield, Massachusetts.