

**REPUBLIC TOWNSHIP  
REPUBLIC, MICHIGAN  
WASTEWATER IMPROVEMENTS**

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed Bids for the construction of the **Wastewater Improvements** will be received, by **Republic Township**, at the **Republic Township office, 279 Kloman Avenue, Republic, MI 49879**, until **2:00 PM** local time on **December 7, 2017**, at which time the Bids received will be **publicly** opened and read. The Project consists of constructing approximately: Upgrades to 6 liftstations and grinder stations, wastewater collection mains and manholes, proposed grinder station, and valve removal and replacement at the treatment lagoons.

Bids will be received for a single prime Contract. Bids shall be on a lump sum and unit price basis, with additive alternate bid items as indicated in the Bid Form.

The Issuing Office for the Bidding Documents is: **U.P. Engineers & Architects, Inc., 424 S. Pine Street, Ishpeming MI, 49849, Matthew Treado, (906) 485-1011, mtreado@upea.com**. Prospective Bidders may examine the Bidding Documents at the Issuing Office on Mondays through Fridays between the hours of **9:00 AM – 4:00 PM**, and may obtain copies of the Bidding Documents from the Issuing Office as described below.

Bidding Documents also may be examined at **the following Builder Exchanges: Delta County, Iron Mountain, Hurley, Marquette, Grand Rapids, Traverse City, McGraw-Hill Dodge, Construction Association of Michigan and Milwaukee**; and the office of the **Republic Township office, 279 Kloman Avenue, Republic, MI 49879**, on Mondays through Fridays between the hours of **9:00 AM – 4:00 PM**. **Builder's Exchanges are authorized to share the contract documents with other exchanges.**

Bidding Documents may be obtained from the Issuing Office during the hours indicated above. Printed Bidding Documents may be obtained from the Issuing Office upon payment of a **\$100.00** refundable deposit for each set (refundable for the first set only), plus a separate **\$100.00** non-refundable handling fee for each set of contract documents, payable to **"U.P. Engineers & Architects"**. Alternatively, bidding documents are available on a flash drive (as portable document format (PDF) files) for a non-refundable charge of **\$50.00**. 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.

A Pre-Bid Meeting will be held on November 9th, 2017, at 2:00 P.M. Eastern at the Republic Township Hall at 279 Kloman Ave, Republic, MI 49879.

Bid security shall be furnished in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders. The Bid Bond or certified check payable to Owner shall be in an amount no less than 5% of the maximum bid as a guarantee, that if the Bid is accepted, the Bidder will execute and file the Contract, Performance and Payment Bonds, and Insurance Certification, as required by the Contract Documents within ten (10) days after the Notice of Award.

The Owner reserves the right to waive any informality or to reject any or all bids.

GOVERNMENT FUNDING

Financing for this project is being provided by the United States of America acting through Rural Development of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. Rural Development will, therefore, require approval by its representatives of all Contracts, attachments, and similar documents, all partial and final payments, and all change orders. Davis Bacon wage rates are not required for this project.

Owner: **Republic Township**  
By: **John Ulrich**  
Title: **Township Supervisor**  
Date: **8/25/2017**

