

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received until 2:00 p.m. on Friday October 18th, 2019 by the Lorain County Board of Commissioners; Purchasing Department; 226 Middle Avenue, Elyria, Ohio 44035, for the furnishing of all labor, material, and equipment for the Grafton Rd Drain, using various materials in accordance with specifications reviewed by Lorain County Engineer. All interested parties are welcome to attend the bid opening to be held immediately following the deadline in the Commissioners' Meeting Room D located on the fourth floor of the Lorain County Administration Building. All contractors involved with this project will to the extent practicable, use Ohio products, materials, services and labor in the implementation of this project. Bidders shall submit a list of equipment available and all labor shall be paid not less than the State prevailing wage rate as determined by the Ohio Department of Commerce-Division of Industrial Compliance, Bureau of Wage and Hour Administration. Specifications can be obtained at the office of the Lorain County Board of Commissioners; Purchasing Department; Lorain County Administration Building; Fourth Floor; 226 Middle Avenue, Elyria, Ohio, 44035 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. A \$15.00 non-refundable deposit is required for each set of bidding documents. Lorain County will not accept and/or consider any bid as an official bid unless said bidder has picked up and paid for a complete bid package from the Lorain County Purchasing Department. In order to bid this project you must be a plan holder of record with the Purchasing Department. Bids must be accompanied by a bid bond, certified check, cashier's check, or Letter of Credit equal to ten (10%) of the amount bid or a contract bond for the full amount of the bid, as a guarantee that if the bid is accepted, a contract will be entered into and a contract bond properly secured. Should any bid be rejected, such instrument will be forthwith returned upon proper execution of a contract. Each bid shall contain the full name or names of persons and company submitting the bid and shall be enclosed in an envelope marked "**GRAFTON RD DRAIN**". **ALL WORK MUST BE COMPLETED WITHIN 45 DAYS FROM THE NOTICE TO PROCEED.** The Board of Commissioners reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any informalities or irregularities if it is deemed in the best interest of Lorain County to do so. The Board may take up to 90 days to make an award or reject bids from the Bid opening date. Any interpretation, correction, or modification to the specifications desired shall be submitted in writing to James R. Cordes, Lorain County Administrator, 226 Middle Avenue, Elyria, Ohio 44035, and must be received at least seven (7) days prior to the date of the bid opening. By the Order of: Lorain County Board of Commissioners Advertise dates: October 1, 2019 October 8th, 2019