

**INVITATION FOR BIDS
LEGAL NOTICE**

Sealed bid proposals will be received by the City Manager of the City of Bedford, Ohio at his office, 165 Center Road, Bedford, Ohio 44146 until 12:00 Noon on the 27th day of March, 2014 for:

2014 BEDFORD PUMP STATION IMPROVEMENTS – CONTRACT “F”

and will be publicly opened and read immediately thereafter. It is the responsibility of the bidder to confirm that the bid is delivered to the Manager of the City of Bedford prior to the time and date deadline listed above. Each bid must contain the full name or names of the party or parties making the same, with an affidavit as to interested parties, and in the case of a corporation not chartered in Ohio, with a proper certificate that such corporation is authorized to do business in Ohio, and be accompanied by a certified or cashier's check on a solvent bank made payable to the order of the City Manager, City of Bedford, Ohio, the amount shall be equal to ten percent (10%) of the amount bid, or furnish with its proposal, a Bid Guaranty or Bid Bond, the amount equal to 100% of the amount bid, in accordance with Section 153.54 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Each bidder must insure that all employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of their race, creed, color, sex or national origin.

The price of material and labor bid for shall be separately stated.

Copies of the Specifications, Instructions to Bidders, Forms of Proposals and other contract documents are on file at the office of the Clerk of the City of Bedford and at the office of GPD Group, 5595 Transportation Blvd. Suite 100, Cleveland, Ohio 44125 and may be obtained at either office upon depositing a check for Seventy-Five Dollars (\$75.00) made payable to GPD Group which is non-refundable. Bidders must use the printed forms of the proposal available as aforesaid, as no others will be accepted.

The bid check or bid bond, as the case may be, will be held as a guarantee that, if the bid proposal is accepted, a contract will be entered into between the bidder and the City of Bedford, and the performance of such contract secured by said check or bond, and in default thereof said check or bond, and the amount represented thereby, shall be forfeited to the City of Bedford as liquidated damages.

The City of Bedford reserves the right to reject any and all bids, to waive any informalities in the bids received, and to accept any bid which it deems most favorable to the City.

Michael S. Mallis, Acting City Manager
City of Bedford, Ohio

ADV: March 5, 2014 NN
March 12, 2014 NN