PUBLIC NOTICE TO BIDDERS SECOND ISSUANCE OF REQUEST FOR BIDS - GARBAGE TRUCK BOROUGH OF NORTH PLAINFIELD

SOMERSET COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

Invitations are re-extended to bidders to bid for the following project:

Public Bid for Garbage Truck

PART ONE – New 2016 Garbage Truck Engine, Cab and Chassis

Tandem Rear Loader Chassis and Cab

Volvo VHD 64 B or Equivalent with Set Back Front Axle and 66,000 Pounds Minimum GVW

AND

PART TWO – New Body of Garbage Truck

Thirty-Two (32) Cubic Yard, High Compaction, Heavy Duty, Rear Loading Body EACH TO BE COMPATIBLE WITH THE OTHER

October 1, 2015: NOTE: THIS IS THE SECOND ISSUANCE OF THIS PUBLIC BID.

THE BOROUGH OF NORTH PLAINFIELD (the "Borough") will accept bids by mail, recognized overnight carrier or in person for the above labeled request for bids for the Borough of North Plainfield, until 10:00 A.M. on **October 21, 2015** at the Borough Clerk's Office, Borough of North Plainfield, 263 Somerset Street, North Plainfield, New Jersey, at which time all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. The Borough of North Plainfield shall not be responsible for any mailed bid which is lost in transit or delivered late by the postal service or recognized overnight carrier or by a respective bidder or representative. Bids should be submitted in a SEALED ENVELOPE, addressed to the Borough Clerk, Borough of North Plainfield, 263 Somerset Street, North Plainfield, New Jersey 07060 and clearly marked on the outside as "Garbage Truck".

Qualified Bidders are invited to bid on both Part One and Part Two as a whole, as more particularly explained in the Bid Documents.

Copies of the Bid Documents, including Technical Specifications for Part One and Part Two and any subsequently released Addenda, may be obtained at the office of the Borough Clerk of the Borough of North Plainfield, 263 Somerset Street, North Plainfield, New Jersey 07060 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. on Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays.

After receipt of bids, no bids may be withdrawn within sixty (60) calendar days after the date of the bid opening, except as provided for herein. The bid of any Bidder who consents to an extension may be held for consideration for a longer period as may be agreed upon between bidder and the Borough of North Plainfield.

Bidders must use and fully complete the Proposal and other forms within the Bid Documents, and comply with <u>ALL</u> requirements attached therein.

The Borough of North Plainfield reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids, to waive immaterial informalities, or to accept any bid which, in the sole opinion of the Borough of North Plainfield, will be in its best interest, all in accordance with the New Jersey Local Public Contracts Law, *N.J.S.A.* 40A:11-1, *et seq.* In the event of an equal or tie bid, the Borough of North Plainfield shall award the bid to the bidder which, in the Borough's sole discretion, best serves the Borough's interest.

The selected bidder or bidders will, within twenty (20) calendar days of the award of the bid, enter into a written Agreement with the Borough of North Plainfield for completion of the Project.

Bidders are required to comply with all relevant Federal, State and local laws, statutes, rules and regulations.

BY ORDER OF THE BOROUGH OF NORTH PLAINFIELD, COUNTY OF SOMERSET, STATE OF NEW JERSEY.

By: _____

Richard Phoenix, R.M.C. Borough Clerk

Dated: October 2, 2015