

INVITATION FOR BIDS

CITY OF MUSKEGON, MICHIGAN

Project Title Smith Ryerson Park Improvements

The City of Muskegon, Michigan will receive sealed bids until 2:00 p.m. local time on September 22, 2009, at the City Clerk's Office, City Hall 933 Terrace Street, Muskegon, Michigan, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud for the following Project: Smith Ryerson Park Improvements.

Items of work include: new restroom facility and concession stand, new picnic shelter, rework existing restroom facility to a storage room for maintenance, two new basketball courts, combination football-soccer-baseball fields, bleachers, picnic tables, irrigation systems, rework existing walkways and combine with new walkways leading to overlook, new barbeque grills, removal of existing parking and construction of new lot.

Copies of Plans and Specifications may be obtained on or after September 8, 2009 at Sidock Group, Inc., 379 W. Western Avenue, Muskegon, upon the submission of a non-refundable \$65.00 fee for each set plus \$15.00 mailing fee. An amount equal to five percent (5%) of the Bid must be submitted with each Bid Proposal in one of three forms acceptable to the City of Muskegon. Contract documents may be examined at the following locations:

**Builders & Traders Exchange, Grand Rapids
Sidock Group, Inc., 379 W. Western Avenue, Muskegon
City Clerk's Office, Muskegon City Hall**

Attention is called to the fact that the City requires: that the Contractor consider hiring local work force insofar as possible; that not less than the salaries and wages set forth in the Specifications must be paid; that 14% minority and 6.9% female are the goals established for participation in each trade; that the Contractor must ensure employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against based upon their race, creed, color, religion, sex, national origin, handicapped condition nor veteran background; and that all pertinent regulations must be complied with. No bid may be withdrawn within sixty (60) days after bid opening.

The City of Muskegon reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities or irregularities in the bidding.

A Pre-Bid Conference will be held in the City Commission Chambers, Muskegon City Hall, at 10:00 a.m. on September 15, 2009, at which time and place any questions regarding this Project should be presented. Minutes from said Pre-Bid Conference will become an Addendum to the Contract.

**CITY OF MUSKEGON, MICHIGAN
By: Ann Marie Becker, City Clerk**

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ADA POLICY

The City will provide necessary appropriate auxilliary aids services, for example, signers for the hearing impaired, audio tapes for the visually impaired, etc., for disabled persons who want to attend the meeting, upon twenty-four hours notice to the City. Contact:

**Ann Marie Becker, City Clerk
933 Terrace Street, Muskegon, MI 49440
(231) 724-6705 or TDD (231) 724-6773**