



Department of General Services
Purchasing Division
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May 30, 2008

The Virginian-Pilot
150 W. Brambleton Avenue
Norfolk, Virginia 23510

ATTN: Legal Advertisement

Gentlemen:

Please publish the following advertisement in the BIDS/PROPOSALS section of the Virginian-Pilot on the following date:

SUNDAY, JUNE 1, 2008

Please forward the invoice to the following:

**City of Chesapeake
Economic Development
Attn: Angela Barber- 3828040
501 Independence Pkwy., Suite 200
Chesapeake, VA 23320**

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Victor Westbrook", written in a cursive style.

Victor Westbrook
Purchasing and Contracts Manager

cc: IFB No. 8128
Angela Barber, Economic Development

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

**CITY OF CHESAPEAKE
INVITATION FOR BIDS
GREENBRIER TIF YEARS 3 & 4 EDEN WAY STREETScape IMPROVEMENTS
CONTRACT NO. 074074 00
IFB NO. 8128**

Sealed Bids Will Be Received by the City of Chesapeake, Virginia, Purchasing Division, City Hall Building, 5th Floor, 306 Cedar Road, Chesapeake, Virginia 23322 Until 11:00 AM Local Time on June 20, 2008 for the Following:

The City of Chesapeake, Virginia will receive sealed bids for construction of the above project until 2:00 p.m. local time on June 20, 2008, at the office of the Purchasing Director, Purchasing Department, 5th Floor, City Hall Building, 306 Cedar Road, Chesapeake, Virginia.

Bidders who wish to be shown over the work by representatives of the Economic Development Department should attend a non-mandatory Pre-Bid Conference at 3:00 p.m. local time on June 6, 2008 at the Economic Development Office located at 501 Independence Pkwy., Suite 200, Chesapeake, Va 23320.

The improvements include the initial phase of streetscape improvements associated with implementation of the Greenbrier TIF District Master Plan. This will include demolition of roadway and sidewalk pavement, demolition of concrete curb, removal and/or relocation of existing traffic signals, removal and/or relocation of existing street lights, removal and/or relocation of existing landscape materials, construction of roadway turn lanes and associated traffic control devices, installation of pedestrian signals at existing signalized intersections, installation of mast-arm traffic signals, construction of roadway crosswalks, construction of concrete bicycle paths, sidewalks and handicap ramps, installation of pedestrian lighting poles and associated electrical service and fabrication and installation of exterior signage and associated electrical service.

The above descriptions are provided to generally indicate the extent of the project only, and are not intended for bidding quantities.

All bids must be in strict compliance with the provisions of the Instructions to Bidders section of the contract documents for "Greenbrier TIF Years 3 & 4 Eden Way Streetscape Improvements, and bidders are hereby put on notice that the bidding and award process is subject to the provisions of Chapter 54 of the Chesapeake City Code entitled "Public Procurement".

The Invitation to Bid and all other Contract Documents, including Drawings and Specifications, may be examined without charge at the office of the City Engineer, Department of Public Works, 306 Cedar Road, Chesapeake, Virginia; Builders and Contractors Exchange Inc., Norfolk, Virginia; Peninsula Builders Exchange, Newport News, Virginia; Builders Exchange Associates of Virginia, Richmond, Virginia; McGraw-Hill Construction, Richmond, Virginia; Valley

Construction News, Richmond, Virginia; and Reed Construction Data, Norcross, Georgia.

Copies of the Drawings and Specifications may be obtained from the City Engineer upon the non-refundable deposit of Thirty Dollars (\$30.00). Drawings and specifications will be mailed only when an additional Ten Dollars (\$ 10.00) is sent to cover postage fees.

The City Reserves the Right to Accept or Reject Any or All Bids and to Enter Into Any Contract Deemed to be in the Best Interest of the City.

Victor Westbrook
Purchasing and Contracts Manager