

**SECTION 2-A
INVITATION TO BID**

Bids shall be submitted in a sealed envelope or package with the type of bid clearly indicated on the outside:

“Bid For: Five Kezars Road Stream Crossing Replacement — Waterford, Maine”

TO: Todd Sawyer, Select Board Member/Interim Public Works Director
Town of Waterford
366 Valley Road
Waterford, Maine 04088

The bids will be opened and read aloud at the **Town Office** on **March 27, 2024** at **3:00 p.m.**

The project involves the installation of a precast concrete box culvert and retaining walls (supplied by Town), culvert installation, gravel base and subbase, hot mix asphalt paving, steel beam guardrails and other related incidental items on Five Kezars Road in Waterford.

Bid Documents (full sets only) may be obtained from:

Pine Tree Engineering, Inc.
53 Front Street
Bath, Maine 04530
Tel: (207) 443-1508
Fax: (207) 442-7029
pte@pte-maine.com

Electronically for **\$60.00** (nonrefundable) and an additional **\$80.00** (nonrefundable) for hard copies to be mailed. The Documents may be examined at the Waterford Town Office and the following locations:

1. Associated General Contractors of Maine
188 Whitten Road
Augusta, Maine 04330
2. Construction Summary of Maine
734 Chestnut Street
Manchester, NH 03104
3. Pine Tree Engineering, Inc.
53 Front Street
Bath, Maine 04530

All bidders must furnish the following:

1. A completed Bid Form.
2. Experience Record (see Section 2-D)
3. A list of all subcontractors to be utilized on the project.
4. A bid security in the amount of 5% of the total bid in the form of a Bid Bond or certified check, made out to the Town of Waterford.

The successful bidder must furnish the following:

1. Certificate of Insurance (in accordance with Section 3, Article 26)
2. 100% Construction Performance Bond
3. 100% Construction Payment Bond

The Town of Waterford will have thirty (30) calendar days within which to accept or reject any bid. The work can begin on or after **July 15, 2024**. In-water work for the installation of the concrete box culvert must be completed by **September 30, 2024**. The work shall be completed by **October 25, 2024**. Liquidated damages in the amount of **\$250** per day are contained in the Contract.

The Town of Waterford reserves the right to adjust the quantities contained in the Bid Form as needed in order to stay within the project budget. The Town of Waterford reserves the right to reject any and all bids, to waive any technical or legal deficiencies, and to accept any bid which is deemed to be in the best interest of the Town of Waterford, not necessarily the lowest bid.

By: Todd Sawyer, Select Board Member/Interim Public Works Director

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