

PROCUREMENT NOTICE

Amherst Wastewater Treatment Facility Tender

Sealed tenders for the Town of Amherst – Amherst Wastewater Treatment Facility, plainly marked as to content, will be received at Town Hall, 5 Ratchford Street, Amherst, NS, B4H 4A1, up to 12:01 pm, local time, Friday, March 26, 2010. Public opening of the tenders will follow immediately.

The work generally includes, but is not limited to:

Preloading of lagoon and settling pond areas, monitoring of preload area for settlement, construction of lagoon and settling pond berms and associated features, installation of underdrains and installation of a HDPE lagoon/pond liner system, installation of a lagoon aeration system, construction of an engineered treatment wetland, installation of piping, construction of a Control Building including headworks, blowers and UV system and reinstatement of all disturbed surfaces.

Contract documents may be obtained from the Town Hall in Amherst or the offices of Dillon Consulting Limited at 137 Chain Lake Drive, Halifax. Documents will be provided to prospective tenderers upon the receipt of non-refundable fee in the form of cash or certified cheque in the amount of \$100.00 payable to the Town of Amherst for purchase of the documents. Firms must have purchased documents for their tenders to be considered valid.

Drawings and Specifications of the proposed work may be examined at:

- Town of Amherst, Planning and Engineering Services;
- Construction Association of Nova Scotia, 260 Brownlow Avenue, Dartmouth, NS;
- Moncton Northeast Construction Association, 297 Collishaw Street, Moncton NB; or,
- Offices of Dillon Consulting Limited in Halifax.

The Standard Specification for Municipal Services is available from the Joint Committee on Contract Documents c/o Spectech Limited, 455 Colby Drive, Dartmouth, NS, B2V 2K4. Telephone: (902) 430-2534.

Each tender must be accompanied by a certified cheque or Bid Bond from an acceptable bonding company, payable to the Town of Amherst for ten percent (10%) of the tender sum and a Consent of Surety for the required fifty percent (50%) Performance Bond and fifty percent (50%) Labour and Material Bond.

A site visit for bidders will be held at the project site at 10:00 am on Thursday, March 11, 2010 (weather permitting).

The Town reserves the right to reject any or all tenders, not necessarily accept the lowest tender, or to accept any tender which it may consider to be in its best interest. Such things as past performance, workmanship, references and start/completion dates will be taken into consideration when awarding the tender. The Town also reserves the right to waive formality, informality or technicality in any tender.

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