NOTICE FOR BIDS

Sealed bids for the repair and resurfacing of certain township streets with Asphalt Concrete along with road striping, will be received at the Lake Township Administrative Offices, 12360 Market Avenue, North, Hartville, Ohio, until 4:00 P.M. local time on Tuesday, May 28, 2024 and will be publicly opened and read on Tuesday, May 28, 2024, at 5:00 P.M. at the Lake Township Hall, 12360 Market Avenue North, Hartville, Ohio 44632. **Bid envelopes shall be marked "2024 PAVING PROJECT".**

On and after Monday, May 6, 2024 from 8:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M., Monday through Friday, copies of specifications and bid forms can be picked up from the Lake Township Administrative Office, 12360 Market Avenue, North, Hartville, Ohio 44632 when possible. However, where not possible, upon receipt of prepaid mailing costs, plans and bidding documents will be forwarded prepaid via least expensive carrier. The Township is not responsible if bidding documents so mailed are received too late for filing a timely bid.

Each bid shall be accompanied by a proper certificate by corporations not chartered in Ohio, testifying that such corporation is authorized to do business in Ohio.

Each bid shall be accompanied by a bid guaranty in the form of:

- 1) A certified check, or cashier's check, or letter of credit, equal to 10% of the bid; or
- 2) A bid guaranty bond for the full amount of the bid; both forms of guaranty as provided in Chapter 153 of the Ohio Revised Code and in the project specifications.

Each bid shall be in conformity with the Ohio Revised Code and all bids and certificates shall be upon the forms furnished with the specifications. All bids shall be delivered to the office of the Lake Township Trustees at or prior to the date and hour specified for receiving bids.

Work shall be subject to the prevailing wage rates established by the Ohio Department of Industrial Relations.

Each bidder must ensure that all employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of race, color, religion, sex or national origin.

Work shall not begin prior to authorization in writing by the Board of Lake Township Trustees, and be completed **NO LATER THAN October 5, 2024.**

The Lake Township Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all bids, to waive any informalities or irregularities in the bids received, and to accept any bid or combination of bids which is deemed most favorable to the Township at the time and under the conditions stipulated.

The Board of Lake Township Trustees further declare that they will award the contract for this project to the lowest and best bid, which may not necessarily be the lowest bid.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF LAKE TOWNSHIP TRUSTEES, STARK COUNTY, OHIO

Notice will also be published on the Lake Township internet web site at www.laketwpstarkco.com, click on the "News" tab to access this notice.

John Arnold, President Matthew Erb, Fiscal Officer