

City of Portsmouth  
Portsmouth, New Hampshire  
Department of Public Works

## South & Miller Intersection Signal Improvements

### **INVITATION TO BID**

**Sealed** bid proposals, **plainly marked, South & Miller Intersection Signal Improvements, Bid Proposal #50-06 on the outside of the mailing envelope as well as the sealed bid envelope**, addressed to the Finance/Purchasing Department, City Hall, 1 Junkins Avenue, Portsmouth, New Hampshire, 03801, will be accepted until June 15, 2006 at 2:00pm; at which time all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

This project consists of the replacement of the traffic signals at the intersection of South St., Miller Ave. & Sagamore Ave. in Portsmouth, NH. Specifically, the work includes replacing the signals with associated conduit and foundation work, repaving & restriping the intersection and some curbing and handicapped ramp work.

Questions may be directed to and specifications may be obtained from the Finance/Purchasing Department on the third floor at the above address, or by calling the Purchasing Clerk at 603-610-7227.

Work may begin at any time on or after July 15<sup>th</sup>, 2006 with work completed by the 31<sup>st</sup> of December. Liquidated damages shall be assessed at \$100.00 per day.

Bidders must determine the quantities of work required and the conditions under which the work will be performed.

The City reserves the right, after bid opening and prior to award of the contract, to modify the amount of the work in the event that bids exceed budgeted amounts. The City of Portsmouth further reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive technical or legal deficiencies, to re-bid, and to accept any bid that it may deem to be in the best interest of the City. Additionally, the contract will be awarded contingent upon FY 07 budget approval and funding appropriations by the City Council.

Each Bidder shall furnish a bid security in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the bid. The Bid Security may be in the form of a certified check drawn upon a bank within the State of New Hampshire or a bid bond executed by a surety company authorized to do business in the State of New Hampshire, made payable to the City of Portsmouth, N.H.

Bidders must be pre-qualified by the New Hampshire Department of Transportation for Road Construction. Any bid submitted by a Bidder not pre-qualified will be rejected as non-conforming.

Specifications and bid proposal forms may be obtained from the City of Portsmouth, Purchasing Department, 1 Junkins Avenue, Portsmouth, NH 03801 upon payment of a fee of \$20.00 per set, made payable to the City of Portsmouth, which will not be refunded.