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INVITATION FOR BIDS

Electronic bids for furnishing the following item will be received online at www.biddocs.com, until the time specified below at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read.

Specifications and bid forms may be obtained though www.biddocs.com. All bids will be submitted electronically, through the website. Documents may be viewed online for free, and hardcopies may be requested through the website for printing at Nashoba Blue, 233 Main Street, Hudson, MA.

Bids will be opened online, and the results posted to the BidDocs website after review.

All bids for this project are subject to applicable public bidding laws of Massachusetts, including, but not limited to G.L. c.149, §§44A-44H, as amended.

Attention is directed to the minimum wage rates to be paid as determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Workforce Development and the weekly payroll record submittal requirements under the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 149, Section 26 through 27D inclusive.

Proof of OSHA training certification is required.

Selection of the contractor will be based upon bidder qualifications, including evidence of past performance in similar projects, and bid price. The contract will be awarded to the bidder deemed by the awarding authority to be the lowest responsible and eligible bidder. Payment bond will be required in the amount of at least 50% of the contract price within 10 days of the award date.

The bidder agrees that its bid shall be good and may not be withdrawn for a period of 30 days, Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays excluded, after the opening of the bids.

The Town reserves the right to waive any informalities, to accept or reject, in whole or in part any or all bids, or take whatever other action may be deemed to be in the best interest of the Town.

The Town of Phillipston

By: Bernard Malouin, Chair, Board of Selectmen