## **ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

Sealed Bids for the furnishing of work, labor, and materials in connection with the **Town of Minden Otsquago Creek Bank Repairs and Town Hall Retaining Wall Construction** will be received by the Town Clerk, at the office of the Town of Minden, until **3:00 PM** local time on **October 17**<sup>th</sup>, **2017**, at which time the Bids received will be publicly opened and read. The Project consists of the furnishing of all materials, equipment and labor necessary for the installation of flood damage repairs and stabilization measures along the southern bank of the Otsquago Creek, at Spring Street, in the Town of Minden, NY. Work includes all associated stream protection and diversion, excavation, stacked and pinned stone protection, stone filling, backfill, grading, restoration, landscaping and erosion control, all as described further in the contract documents. The project also consists of the furnishing of all materials, equipment and labor necessary for the installation of a concrete retaining wall at Town of Minden Town Hall, along Route 80 in the Town of Minden. This work includes all excavation, formwork, steel reinforcement, poured concrete, subbase, backfill, restoration, landscaping and erosion control, as also described further in the contract documents

A pre-Bid conference will be held for this project on Tuesday, October 10, 2017, at 10:00 AM, at the Town of Minden Town Hall. All prospective Bidders are encouraged to attend.

Bids will be received for a single prime Contract. Bids shall be on a unit price basis.

Bidding Documents may be examined and obtained at the Town of Minden Town Hall, 134 Highway 80, Ft. Plain, NY 13339, Monday – Wednesday, between the hours of 9:00 AM and 4:00 PM, and Thursday between the hours of 9:00 AM and 6:00 PM. The Town of Minden Town Hall is closed on Fridays. Copies are available upon payment of a \$25.00 fee (non-refundable) for one complete set of electronic Bidding Documents on CD media. Bidding Documents are available by delivery service for the additional charge of \$25.00 (non-refundable) per set to cover shipping and handling. Mail orders must include a cover letter specifically indicating which Bidding Documents are being requested. Partial sets of Bidding Documents will not be available. Neither the Owner nor the Engineer will be responsible for full or partial sets of Bidding Documents, including Addenda if any, obtained from other sources. Checks for Bidding Documents shall be payable to Avanti Process Technologies, Inc. Provide two separate checks for the bidding documents and the delivery charge.

Bidders are required to comply with the prevailing wage rates as prescribed by the laws of the State of New York. Wage rates are included in the Project Manual as required by New York State law for the convenience of the Bidders. Bidders shall confirm the rates prior to the Bid and assemble Bid prices accordingly.

The Town of Minden is exempt from sales and compensating use taxes of the State of New York and of cities and counties on all materials to be incorporated into the Work. Taxes are not to be included in the bid.

Bidders shall furnish proof of qualifications to perform the Work as described in Article 5 of the Instructions to Bidders.

Bid security shall be provided with the bid in accordance with Article 10 of the Instructions to Bidders.

Bidders shall comply with all statutory requirements in accordance with Article 29 of the Instructions to Bidders.

Time of commencement of the Work and Contract Times for completion shall be in accordance with Article 4 of the Agreement.

Town of Minden By: Janet Trumbull Title: Town Clerk

Engineer:

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