

**TOWNSHIP OF MANALAPAN
NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

**REQUEST FOR BIDS
SALE OF MANALAPAN TOWNSHIP WATER SYSTEM**

The Township of Manalapan (NJ) (the “Township”) is soliciting bids for the sale of the Township’s Water System, as more fully described in the Request for Bids available from CME Associates, 3141 Bordentown Avenue, Parlin, NJ 08859, and which is available from said office weekdays between the hours of 9:00 am to 4:00 pm, telephone number (732) 727-8000 (contact Michael Dziubeck, PE). Upon request, a digital copy of the Request for Bids will be made available to bidders at no charge via File Transfer Protocol by submitting the following required information to bids@cmeusa1.com: (i) title of project for which bid documents are being requested; (ii) company name of prospective bidder; (iii) name of contact person; (iv) mailing address; (v) telephone number; (vi) fax number and (vii) e-mail address. Bids must be submitted in the form provided in the bid packet.

These bids are being solicited pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:62-3 et seq. Sealed bids must be received by the Township no later than June 6, 2024 and must be accompanied by a bid bond in the amount of \$20,000. Bids that are not received by 11:00 am at the Township Clerk’s office will be rejected.

In the event that the Township receives one or more acceptable bids and decides to move forward with the sale process, a question will be placed on the November 2024 General Election ballot regarding whether the Township should sell the Water System. If a majority of the legal voters voting in the election authorize the sale, the agreement of sale will be awarded by the Township to the highest responsible bidder, as set forth in the Request for Bids and in accordance with applicable laws. The Water System shall not be sold until the legal voters of the Township authorize same.

Kaitlyn Safchinsky, QPA
Purchasing Agent