

LEGAL NOTICE

The Board of County Commissioners of Wayne County, Ohio, will accept sealed bids on or before **2:00 p.m. local time on Tuesday, June 11, 2024**, for the:

BARNES PRESERVE PROJECT: PHASE II – ACCESS IMPROVEMENTS

The project is for construction services for Phase II of the Barnes Preserve Project, Wetland Restoration, at the Barnes Preserve, located in Wayne County, at 3396 Sylvan Road, Wooster, Ohio 44691. The Project consists of installation of a gravel trail and boardwalks to provide public access to the wetland restoration area (Phase II).

The Invitation to Bid, including all bid specifications, may be obtained from the Wayne County Commissioners Office, 428 W. Liberty St. Wooster, OH 44691. Copies may also be obtained electronically by emailing **Amanda Stock** at AStock@wayneohio.org. All questions must be submitted in writing, via email, to the individual named above. Interested firms are responsible for ensuring that emails are successfully sent and received.

Interested bidders must submit a proposal in accordance with the requirements of the Invitation to Bid. Printed copies and/or USB digital will be accepted; no email submissions. Bidders are to provide two (2) copies of their Bid Proposal in a sealed envelope that is clearly marked: **“BID FOR BARNES PRESERVE PROJECT – PHASE II”** and all forms provided in the Invitation to Bid are to be completed in entirety. Physical copies of the bid submission (print and/or USB) are to be submitted in person or via mail to:

The Board of County Commissioners
c/o: County Administrator
428 West Liberty Street
Lower Level
Wooster, Ohio 44691

Any bid not received at or before 2:00 p.m. local time on **Tuesday, June 11, 2024**, will be disqualified. Immediately following the deadline for the submission, all bid proposals received on time will be publicly opened and read aloud in the Commissioners Meeting Room, located on the Upper Level of the Wayne County Administration Building, 428 West Liberty Street, Wooster, Ohio 44691. The bid opening will also be available via Zoom to individuals who register for the meeting.

All bids must include a Bid Guaranty, as described in the Instructions to Bidders. Prevailing wage rates apply to this project. This Legal Notice is posted on the Board’s website and may be accessed at the following internet address: <https://www.wayneohio.org/commissioners-legal-bid-notices/>

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids, to waive any and all irregularities and/or defects, and to accept the bid(s) deemed most beneficial to Wayne County. Until any contract(s) resulting from this Invitation to Bid is/are fully executed by all parties, including, but not limited to, the time between the adoption of any resolution(s) awarding and/or approving any contract(s) and full execution of said contract(s), this Reservation of Rights shall remain in effect.

Wayne County is an Equal Employment Opportunity Employer.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Wayne County, Ohio
Patrick C. Herron, County Administrator

Advertise: Friday, MAY 10, 2024