

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Ocean Pines Pump Station "B" Upgrades Ocean Pines Service Area Worcester County, Maryland

The Worcester County Commissioners are currently accepting sealed bids for upgrades to Ocean Pines Pump Station "B" located on Beauchamp Road in the Ocean Pines (OP) Service Area, including: construction of a new wet well and valve vault, installation of new discharge pumps and piping, updating electrical service and controls, integrating the station into the alarm program (SCADA), and associated site improvements, for the Worcester County Department of Public Works – Water and Wastewater Division. Bid specification packages and bid forms are available from the Office of the County Commissioners, Room 1103 - Worcester County Government Center, One West Market Street, Snow Hill, Maryland 21863, at a non-refundable cost of \$100.00 per set, or by calling the Commissioners' Office at 410-632-1194 to make payment and delivery arrangements to request a package by mail. Interested bidders are encouraged to attend a **pre-bid meeting at 10:00 AM on Friday, July 10, 2015** at the Water and Wastewater Division Office located at the Ocean Pines Wastewater Treatment Plant, 1000 Shore Lane, Ocean Pines, MD 21811. **Sealed bids will be accepted until 1:00 PM, Monday, July 20, 2015** in the Office of the County Commissioners at Room 1103 - Worcester County Government Center, One West Market Street, Snow Hill, Maryland 21863, at which time they will be opened and publicly read aloud. Envelopes shall be marked "**Bid Enclosed - Ocean Pines Pump Station "B" Upgrades**" in the lower left-hand corner. After opening, bids will be forwarded to the Public Works Department for tabulation, review and recommendation to the County Commissioners for their consideration at a future meeting. In awarding the bid, the Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids, waive formalities, informalities and technicalities therein, and to take whatever bid they determine to be in the best interest of the County considering lowest or best bid, quality of goods and work, time of delivery or completion, responsibility of bidders being considered, previous experience of bidders with County contracts, or any other factors they deem appropriate. All inquiries shall be directed to John Ross, Deputy Director of Public Works, at 410-641-5251, Extension 112.