

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Separate sealed Bids for the construction of Zwischendorf Trail Water Main Extension will be received by Mancelona Area Water & Sewer Authority (MAWSA) at their office located at 9610 S. M-88 Hwy., Mancelona, MI 49659 until 1:00 PM Local Time, August 15<sup>th</sup>, 2013 and then at said location publicly opened and read aloud.

The Work includes the following major items:

- Extension of 8-inch water main for approximately 5,500 lineal feet to serve homes on Zwischendorf Trail, including valves, hydrants and appurtenances.
- Installation of water service leads from the main line pipe & hook up to residence.
- Installation of water meters (remote).
- Abandon 4 existing water wells in accordance with all applicable regulations, codes and/or permits.

The Contract Documents, consisting of Advertisement for Bids, Information for Bidders, Bid, Bidder's Experience Form, Bid Bond, Agreement, Standard General Conditions of the Construction Contract, Supplemental General Conditions, Payment Bond, Performance Bond, Notice of Intent to Award, Notice to Proceed, Change Order, Maintenance Bond, Drawings, Specifications and Addenda, may be examined at the following locations:

1. Gourdie-Fraser, Inc., 123 W Front Street, Traverse City, MI 49684
2. Mancelona Area Water & Sewer Authority, 9610 S. M-88 Hwy., Mancelona, MI 49659
3. McGraw-Hill Dodge Reports & Builder's Exchanges will have Contract Documents. Builder's Exchanges are authorized to share the contract documents with other exchanges.

Copies of the Contract Documents may be obtained from Gourdie-Fraser, Inc. located at 123 West Front Street, Traverse City, MI 49684; 231-946-5874 upon payment:

Plans and Specifications – Paper copy	\$ <u>50.00</u>	(Non-Refundable)
Plans and Specifications – C.D. version	\$ <u>25.00</u>	(Non-Refundable)

Payment must be received prior to release of Plans and Specifications. Faxed checks will not be accepted. We accept Visa, MasterCard, and Discover. If shipping plans to Contractors through overnight mail the additional overnight fee will be charged.

For a list of planholders, please visit the Gourdie-Fraser website at [www.gfa.tc](http://www.gfa.tc), go into the Project Center, then Planholders Lists.

Bidders are responsible to research Addendums and acknowledge Addendums on the Bid form. Addendums will be posted, at least three (3) days prior to Bid Opening, on the Gourdie-Fraser website at [www.gfa.tc](http://www.gfa.tc), go into the Project Center. Addendums will be with the Advertisement for Bids.

Bids not accompanied by a proper Bid bond or certified check in the amount stated in the documents, or received after the above date and time will not be considered. Fax transmittals of Bids or Bid bonds will not be accepted.

The Owner reserves the right to waive any informalities or to reject any or all Bids.

Each Bidder must deposit with their Bid security in the amount and form as specified by the conditions provided in the Information for Bidders.

No Bidder may withdraw their Bid within 90 days after the actual date of Bid opening.