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**TOWN OF PETERSHAM, MASSACHUSETTS
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

QUAKER DRIVE BRIDGE REPLACEMENT PROJECT

Sealed Bids for the construction of the “Quaker Drive Bridge Replacement” will be received by the Selectboard at the Town Office Building, P.O. Box 486, 3 South Main Street, Petersham, MA 01366 **until 12:00 p.m. local time on December 7, 2022. Bids received will be publicly opened and read at 3:00 p.m. local time on December 7, 2022.** Sealed Bids must have outer envelope marked as “Quaker Drive Bridge Replacement.”

The work consists of demolition and replacement of the existing steel beam bridge conveying Quaker Drive over Moccasin Brook with a prefabricated steel bridge supported on a prefabricated concrete abutment system; partial demolition of the existing concrete faced stone masonry abutments; localized repair of remaining existing abutments; and removal and replacement of the existing roadway surface and existing guardrails over the structure. Bids shall be on a lump sum and unit price basis as indicated in the Bid Form.

All Bids for this project are subject to the provisions of MGL Chapter 30, Section 39M as amended.

Bid Documents may be obtained electronically from the Tighe & Bond website at:

http://www.tighebond.com/Projects_Out_to_Bid.php

Prospective bidders must complete a one-time registration process on the web site in order to receive log-in credentials. Bidders must log in to the web site to download bidding documents for the project. Bidders will be added to the prospective bidders list upon downloading the bid documents for the project. Bid documents may also be examined at Tighe & Bond, Inc., 100 University Avenue, Suite 100, Westwood, MA, 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, legal holidays excluded.

A mandatory pre-Bid conference will be held at the site on November 15th, 2022 at 10:00 AM with a weather reschedule date of November 16th, 2022 at 10:00 AM.

Prequalification of Contractors is required under the provisions of Section 34 of Chapter 90 and in accordance with 720 CMR 5.00. MassDOT prequalification of contractors with the class of work as, Bridge Construction, for the project with an estimated value of \$641,620 will be required. Only bidders who are pre-qualified may receive the Official Bid Form. All proposals submitted by a bidder who is not pre-qualified by the MA Department of Transportation Prequalification Office will be rejected by the Owner.

– PETERSHAM SELECTBOARD, November 7, 2022
