

Town of Wallingford  
75 School Street  
Wallingford, Vermont 05773  
May 6, 2019

REQUEST FOR BIDS  
WALLINGFORD, VT – VAN WYCK BRIDGE SUBSTRUCTURE REPAIRS  
BRIDGE 342

## Introduction

Van Wyck Bridge is a wooden bridge with concrete and stone abutments that sustained damage due to severe flooding in July of 2017. The Town of Wallingford (Town) is seeking sealed bids for substructure repairs to bring the facility back to its pre-disaster design, function and capacity.

## Project

The Town was awarded FEMA funds to repair flood damages to Van Wyck Bridge along with Hazard Mitigation Funds for slope erosion measures. All work must be completed in accordance with Town Road and Bridge Standards, FEMA and State of Vermont specifications along with state Agency of Natural Resources and Dept of Environmental Conservation standards. The Town will provide an in-kind match of labor and trucking towards the project. The project must be completed by October 31, 2019.

The owner of the project is the Town and the sole authority for this project rests with the Town of Wallingford Selectboard.

The local contact for the project is Sandi Switzer, Town Administrator, Town of Wallingford, 75 School Street, Wallingford, VT 0577 – phone (802) 446-2872 or [townadmin@wallingfordvt.com](mailto:townadmin@wallingfordvt.com)

## Project Description

The purpose of the Project is to repair the following on Van Wyck Bridge:

- 1) Concrete Abutment. One (1) cubic yard of concrete for abutment wall measuring 13.5 feet long X 0.166 feet wide X 1.083 feet deep.
- 2) Concrete Wing Wall. One (1) cubic yard of concrete for a section of damaged wing wall measuring 3 feet long X 3 feet wide X 2 feet deep.
- 3) Add 85.33 cubic yards of rip rap to mitigate slope erosion.
- 4) Apply for all local, state and federal permits, including but not limited to, state Stream Alteration Permits as necessary.

~Seed and mulch all exposed areas upon completion of the work.

~If work is completed after September 15<sup>th</sup>, exposed areas must be stabilized with either hydroseeding or erosion control matting.

- ~Dispose of excess soil properly, not in wetlands or streamside slopes.
- ~Use of Town of Wallingford road crew for in-kind match – trucking and labor.

### **Contractor Meeting**

A site visit has been scheduled for Tuesday, May 28, 2019 at 8:00 a.m. at Wallingford Town Hall, 75 School Street, Wallingford, VT. Contractors will meet with Road Foreman Steve Lanfear and then travel to the project location on Van Wyck Road.

### **Submission Requirements**

Please provide the Town of Wallingford with one (1) sealed bid of Contractor's estimate utilizing the attached Better Roads Cost Estimate Worksheet, a statement regarding your qualifications for the project, a timeframe for the work and your knowledge of documents, manuals and state standards outlined in this Request for Bids.

### **Submission Schedule**

Sealed bids are to be submitted to:

Sandi Switzer, Town Administrator  
Town of Wallingford  
75 School Street  
Wallingford, VT 05773

Sealed bids must be received at the Town Offices no later than Noon on Wednesday, June 12, 2019. Sealed bids received after the deadline will not be accepted.

### **Selection**

The Select Board will open bids on Monday, June 17, 2019 at 6:40 p.m. at Wallingford Town Hall, 75 School Street, Wallingford, VT.

The successful Contractor will be selected based upon their demonstrated ability to provide high quality work, cost, and ability to meet or exceed all state and federal standards as well as FEMA requirements and deadlines.

Contractor must be in good standing with no suspensions or banishment from the Federal government, including but not limited to FEMA and the Federal Highway Administration. Contractor shall be forthcoming regarding any matters relative to federal authorities that could impact FEMA's municipal payments to the Town.

The Selectboard reserves the right to reject any or all bids.