NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

For work to be constructed under the provisions of the Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction by the Illinois Department of Transportation, current edition.

Sealed proposals for the improvement described herein will be received at the Office of the Village Clerk of the Village of Hoffman Estates, Cook County, Illinois, until 10:00 a.m., Monday, August 15, 2011.

The proposed work is officially known as the **Intersection Improvements and Traffic Signal Installation Project**, and is located at the Higgins Road (Rt. 72) and Prairie Stone Parkway intersection in Hoffman Estates.

The proposed improvements include intersection improvements and traffic signal installation. The improvements shall include but not be limited to concrete pavement, aggregate base course, curb and gutter, open road ditches and storm sewers, traffic signals and interconnect, roadway lighting, traffic control, erosion control and restoration.

Plans and proposal forms may be obtained from the V3 Companies, 7325 Janes Avenue, Woodridge, Illinois, 60517, starting July 25, 2011 for a nonrefundable fee of \$25.00. Proposals shall be issued only to prospective bidders who are prequalified with the Illinois Department of Transportation. A copy of their currently dated "Certificate of Eligibility" must be furnished prior to receiving a proposal.

All proposals must be accompanied by a proposal guaranty as provided in BLRS Special Provision for Bidding Requirements and Conditions for Contract Proposals contained in the "Supplemental Specifications and Recurring Special Provisions".

The Village of Hoffman Estates strongly encourages minority firms and women's business enterprises to apply. If subcontracts are to be let, the primary contractor shall take these same affirmative steps to solicit bids from minority and women's firms.

The Village of Hoffman Estates reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and waive any informality in bidding and to accept the proposal deemed most advantageous to it, all in BLRS Special Provision for Contract Proposals contained in the "Supplemental Specifications and Recurring Special Provisions".

By order of the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Hoffman Estates.

Bev Romanoff Village Clerk

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