DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, PARKS & STREETS ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR THE FOLLOWING:

Public Facilities Improvements for Delavan Moselle Community Center Playground Improvements 660 Moselle Street

Will be received by the Commissioner of Public Works, Parks & Streets, City of Buffalo, 502 City Hall. Buffalo, NY 14202. **UNTIL ELEVEN O'CLOCK A.M. on March 21, 2017**

Any questions on this project should be referred to: Francisco Guzmán at City Hall, 65 Niagara Street, Room 616 City Hall, Buffalo, NY, 14202, email: fguzman@city-buffalo.com.

Contract documents may be examined in the office of City Hall, 65 Niagara Street, Room 616 City Hall, Buffalo, NY, 14202 where copies may be obtained upon payment of FIFTY-EIGHT DOLLARS (\$58.00) non-refundable per set. Payment can be submitted only by company check or money order made payable to the City of Buffalo. NO CASH AND NO PERSONAL CHECKS.

PRE-BID MEETING on March 14, 2017 at 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. at Delavan Moselle Community Center, 660 Moselle Street. Section 3 requirements will be reviewed at the pre-bid meeting. All questions to be emailed by March 16, 2017 until 5:00 p.m. to fguzman@city-buffalo.com.

This project is being carried out with financial aid from the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) from the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

SECTION 3 NOTICE:

The work to be performed under this Contract is on a project assisted under a program providing direct Federal Financial Assistance from HUD and is subject to the requirements of Section 3 of the HUD Act of 1968, as amended, 12 U.S.C., 1701u.

Each bidder's attention is called to the General Municipal Law, which requires a bidder's Certification of Non-Collusion. Copies of such Certificates are part of the Proposal Form and, unless complied with, bid will not be accepted.

Bidders must submit <u>prior to awarding</u> of a contract a statement indicating that they will work toward a minority workforce goal of 25% and a women workforce goal of 5%. In addition, a statement must be submitted <u>prior to awarding</u> of a contract indicating that the bidder will work toward a business utilization goal for minority business enterprise of 25% and women business enterprise of 5%.

All bidders shall, with their bid, submit a statement committing to providing apprenticeship training opportunities to workers, as well as details of workforce diversification recruiting programs directed at attracting candidates to fill positions to meet such requirements. Any bid received without this statement may be deemed as non-responsive and rejected.

The City of Buffalo will not be responsible for full or partial set of Contract Documents, including any Addenda obtained from any other source. The City of Buffalo reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any informalities therein.