ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS YALE ROAD (CH 55) CULVERT #9680 & LIMERIDGE ROAD (CH 222) CULVERT REPLACEMENT PROJECT PORTAGE COUNTY LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Portage County Director of Internal Services, 7th Floor, Portage County Administration Building, 449 South Meridian Street, Ravenna, Ohio 44266 until 2:00 P.M. Local Time on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7, 2018, for furnishing all labor, materials and equipment necessary to complete the project known as the YALE ROAD (CH 55) CULVERT #9680 & LIMERIDGE ROAD (CH 222) CULVERT REPLACEMENT PROJECT, Portage County, and at said time and place, publicly opened and read aloud.

Specifications and Bidding Forms are on file at the office of the Board of Portage County Commissioners at 449 South Meridian Street, Ravenna, OH 44266 and Portage County Engineer's Office at 5000 Newton Falls Road, Ravenna, Ohio 44266. They may be purchased from SE Blueprint, 540 South Main Street, Suite 211, Akron, Ohio 44311-4400, (330) 376-1689, www.seblueprint.com, at a non-refundable cost of \$30.00 per set. Checks should be made payable to SE Blueprint. Shipping charges are separate and are the responsibility of each bidder. No responsibility is assumed by the Portage County Engineer for documents received too late for filing a bid.

Each bidder is required to furnish with its proposal, a Bid Guaranty and Contract Bond in accordance with Section 153.54 of the Ohio Revised Code. Bid security furnished in bond form, shall be issued by a surety company or corporation licensed in the State of Ohio to provide said surety.

Each proposal must contain the full name of the party or parties submitting the proposal and all persons interested therein. Each bidder must submit evidence of its experiences on projects of similar size and complexity. The owner intends and requires that this project be completed no later than <u>JULY 31, 2018</u>.

Contractor compliance with the equal employment opportunity requirements of Ohio Administrative Code Chapter 123, the Governor's Executive Order of 1972, and Governor's Executive Order 84-9 shall be required.

All contractors and subcontractors involved with the project will, to the extent practicable, use Ohio products, materials, services and labor in the implementation of this project.

Bidders must comply with the prevailing wage rates on public improvements in Portage County and the Portage County Engineer as determined by the Ohio Bureau of Employment Services, Wage and Hour Division, (614) 644-2239.

Preliminary estimate of cost is \$194,074.50.

The Portage County Commissioners reserve the right to waive irregularities and to reject any or all bids.

By Order of Resolution of the Portage County Commissioners Amy Hutchinson, Clerk

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