## INVITATION TO BID

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids for the work required will be received by the Director of Facilities for the Allentown School District, 1301 Sumner Avenue, City of Allentown, PA 18102 until 9:30 AM, prevailing time, on Thursday, February 22, 2018, at which time they will be opened and referred to the Board of Directors for final award/approval. Bidders and other interested parties may attend the bid opening which will be held at the time aforementioned.

The work to be performed under this contract consists of the removing and replacing the exterior water service and existing basement domestic water supply lines, all associated cutting, patching and work shown or otherwise reasonably implied at the Jackson Elementary School.

Contract Documents/Drawings may be inspected and obtained at the Engineer's Office, Barry Isett and Associates, Inc. located at 85 South Route 100, Allentown, PA 18106, between the hours of 8:00 AM and 4:30 PM. Primary bidders may secure contract documents for a non-refundable charge of \$50.00 per set and an additional non-refundable charge of \$25.00 for FedEx **beginning at 12:00 PM on Thursday, January 25, 2018**. Electronic bidding documents may be obtained at no charge by contacting Barry Isett & Associates via phone: (610)-398-0904 or email: VAdams@barryisett.com. The charge for the bidding documents should be made payable to Barry Isett and Associates, Inc.

Proposals must be accompanied by certified check and/or bond in the amount of **ten percent** of the total base bid, with corporate surety authorized to do business in Pennsylvania.

All bids must be submitted in sealed envelopes, plainly marked on the outside "Jackson ES Domestic Water Replacement" and mailed or delivered to the undersigned at Allentown School District, Department of Facilities Services, 1301 Sumner Avenue, Allentown, PA 18102 before the hour and date specified above. Prevailing Wage Rates apply.

A Pre-Bid Meeting is scheduled to begin at the main entrance of the Jackson Elementary School, located at 517 N. 15<sup>th</sup> Street, Allentown, PA 18102 on Wednesday, February 7, 2018 at 11:00 AM. Prospective bidders are strongly encouraged to attend this Pre-Bid Meeting since it may be difficult to access the school on other days.

The Allentown School District, Owner, reserves the right to accept or reject any or all Bids or portions thereof.

OWNER'S CONTACT:

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ENGINEER CONTACT:

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By Order of the Board of Directors School District of the City of Allentown