## **Invitation to Bid**

Sealed proposals will be received by the Township of Covington, Lackawanna County, Pennsylvania, at the Township Municipal Building, located at 20 Moffat Drive, Covington Township, PA, care of Melissa Kearney, Secretary, Covington Township until 3:00 p.m. on April 29, 2025 local prevailing time. Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at 7:00 p.m. on April 29, 2025, at the Covington Township Building, for the following: Covington Township 2025 Roadway Improvement Project – Havenstrite Lane, consisting of the following:

Base Bid #1 – Havenstrite Lane Station 0+00 to Station 15+50 - approximately 3,500 SY Bituminous Wearing Course 9.5 MM Mix, 3,500 SY Bituminous Base Course 25 MM Mix, 675 SY of Type 3 2A Aggregate Shoulder and related work,

Base Bid #2 – Havenstrite Lane Station 15+50 to Station 47+90 approximately 6,500 SY Bituminous Wearing Course 9.5 MM Mix, 6,500 SY Bituminous Base Course 25 MM Mix, 1,450 SY of Type 3 2A Aggregate Shoulder and related work,

A Pre-Bid Meeting will be held on April 16, 2025, at 11:00 A.M. at the Covington Township Municipal Building. The meeting is non-mandatory.

The bid must be accompanied by a certified check or Bid Bond in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the bid amount, made payable to Covington Township. The Township reserves the right to reject any or all bids or portions thereof or to waive any informalities in the bidding. If written notice of the acceptance of this Bid is mailed or delivered to the undersigned within sixty (60) days after the opening thereof, or at any time thereafter before the Bid is withdrawn, the undersigned agrees to execute and deliver the Agreement in the form prescribed by Covington Township.

The Contract Documents may be examined at the office of Engineering Surveying Consultants & Design, Inc. 707 Gardner Road, Belladaro Building, Elmhurst, PA 18444, by appointment, mailing address P.O. Box 308, Moscow, PA 18444. Telephone inquiries regarding the availability of documents of bidding may be made to the Engineer's office at (570) 237-5254. Only Bidders receiving a full set of Documents through the Engineer will be on record to receive Addenda.

Prospective Bidders may receive copies of the Bid Documents in electronic format from the offices of Engineering Surveying Consultants & Design, Inc., located at 707 Gardner Road, Elmhurst, PA, 18444, upon request to mlbutler@escdesigninc.com. When requesting documents, please provide street mailing address, telephone number, fax number and e-mail address.

Covington Township hereby reserves the right, which is understood and agreed to by all Bidders, to refuse any, any combination, or all Bids submitted; and also reserves the right to waive any informality in Bids received, but any contract awarded will be to the lowest responsive, responsible Bidder.

NONDISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT: The Bidders shall not, by reason of gender, race, creed, or color, discriminate against any citizen of this Commonwealth who is qualified and available to perform the work to which the employment relates. The requirements for Bidders and Contractors are explained in the specifications.

March 2025 Melissa Kearney, Chairman