NOTICE TO VENDORS

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the competitive contracting provisions of the New Jersey Local Public Contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-4.1 et seq., sealed proposals will be received by the Municipality of Princeton ("Municipality") in the County of Mercer, State of New Jersey, at the Municipal Building, 400 Witherspoon Street, Princeton, New Jersey 08540 on AUGUST 8, 2017 at 11:00 A.M. prevailing time and place publicly opened and read for the following:

9-1-1 EMERGENCY DISPATCH SERVICES

As authorized by Resolution No. 17-202 adopted on June 26, 2017, the Municipality is soliciting competitive proposals from experienced providers to render services necessary to staff the Municipality's Communications Center located at the Princeton Police Department, 1 Valley Road, Princeton, New Jersey 08540, for an initial term of two years, with the option to renew for a three-year term, as more fully set forth in the Request for Proposals documents.

Request for Proposals documents may be obtained at the office of the Municipal Clerk, located at the Princeton Municipal Building, 400 Witherspoon Street, First Floor, Princeton, New Jersey between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

All proposals shall be on approved forms which shall be submitted in sealed envelopes, addressed to the Municipal Clerk, Municipal Building, 400 Witherspoon Street, First Floor, Princeton, New Jersey 08540, bearing the name and address of the vendor and the purpose for which the proposal is submitted. Required documents to be submitted are set forth in Paragraph 1C of the section of the Contract Documents entitled "Instructions to Vendors".

Proposals may be submitted in person or by mail and they will be received at the Municipal Clerk's Office and publicly opened, examined and announced. No proposals will be received after the above-designated time. The Municipality assumes no responsibility for the loss or the non-delivery of any proposal sent to it prior to the proposal opening.

Each proposal shall be accompanied by a certified check, bank cashier's check or proposal bond of an amount equal to 10% of the proposal amount for the first year of the contract (but not to exceed \$20,000), payable to the Municipality of Princeton.

Vendors are required to comply with the requirements of <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 10:5-31 <u>et seq.</u>, and <u>N.J.A.C.</u> 17:27 - 1.1 <u>et seq.</u>, (Affirmative Action Rules), and P.L. 1977, c.33, Ownership Disclosure Statement, and all other requirements as set forth in the Instructions to Vendors.

Kathleen Brzezynski Municipal Clerk