



<i>Project Information</i>	
<b>Name</b>	State Route 703 Waterline Replacement
<b>Location</b>	Mercer County Commissioners and City of Celina, Ohio
<b>Description</b>	The project includes the replacement of an existing waterline along State Route 703 and other related items. The project is located within the jurisdictions of both the City of Celina and Mercer County. One bidder will be awarded the entire project, with separate contracts being signed by each public entity for their respective portions of the project.
<b>Engineer's Estimate</b>	Total Combined Price (Base Bid A & Base Bid B): \$1,600,000 Alternate #1 Price: \$175,000
<b>Project Manager</b>	Brian May, PE
<b>Project Funding</b>	Local
<b>Final Completion Date</b>	October 15, 2026
<b>Purchasing Bid Documents</b>	Email: <a href="mailto:bidcivil@creategm.com">bidcivil@creategm.com</a> Access Engineering Solutions 1200 Imscher Blvd., Suite B Celina, OH 45822
<b>Cost</b>	\$25.00-electronic copy \$100.00-paper copy
<b>Bid Opening</b>	February 26, 2026 @ 11:00 A.M.
<b>Refundable</b>	No
<b>Bid Due Date</b>	February 26, 2026
<b>Advertising Date 1</b>	February 12, 2026
<b>Advertising Date 2</b>	
<b>Pre-bid Meeting</b>	No
<b>Addendum</b>	1
<b>Awarded</b>	

## Plan Holders

Fenson Contracting 17670 St. Rt. 190 Fort Jennings, OH 45844	Tom's Construction Inc. 821 Cooper Ave. St. Henry, OH 45883
Shinn Bros. Inc. 540 Summit St. Celina, OH 45822	Hohenbrink Excavating 684 N. Perry St. Ottawa, OH 45875
Beaverdam Contracting Inc. 8300 Dixie Hwy. Bluffton, OH 45817	VTF Excavation LLC 8398 Celina Mendon Rd. Celina, OH 45822
ConstructConnect, Inc. 3825 Edwards Rd., STE 700 Cincinnati, OH 45209	The Builders Exchange, Inc. 9555 Rockside Rd. Suite 300 Cleveland, OH 44125
S&S Directional Boring LTD. 525 Winzeler Drive, Unit 1 Bryan, OH 43506	Quantum Network Integrators P.O. Box 8 New Bremen, OH 45869
Degen Excavating Company, Inc 1920 Bible Road Lima, OH 45801	Underground Solutions Inc. 9444 Balboa Ave. Suite # 270 San Diego, CA 92123



## Advertisement

The Mercer County Commissioners and the City of Celina will receive sealed bids for the construction of the State Route 703 Waterline Replacement Project.

Bids will be received at the Mercer County Commissioners office located at Room A201, 220 W. Livingston Street, Celina, Ohio 45822, until 11:00 a.m. (local time), February 26, 2026, at which time and place bids will be opened publicly and read aloud. Bids received after 11:00 a.m. (local time) will be returned unopened.

Bids will be received on a unit price basis as outlined in the bid documents:

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Bids must be signed and submitted on the separate bidding forms included in the Bidding Documents, sealed in the provided envelope, and shall be accompanied by either a Bid Guaranty Bond in the amount of 100% of the Bid amount or by a certified check, cashier's check, or letter of credit on a solvent bank in the amount of not less than 10% of the amount of the Bid, subject to conditions provided in the Instructions to Bidders. 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. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a satisfactory Performance Bond in the amount of 100% of the Bid.

Attention of bidders is called to all of the requirements contained in this bid packet, particularly to the State of Ohio prevailing wage rates, various insurance requirements and various equal employment opportunity provisions.

The Bidding Documents, which include Drawings, Specifications and blank bid forms, may be examined and obtained at the office of Access Engineering Solutions, 1200 Irmischer Boulevard, Suite B., Celina, Ohio, 45822. Bidders may obtain copies of the documents, with the cost of \$25.00 for an electronic copy and \$100.00 for a paper copy. The paper documents may be shipped at the Bidder's expense for an additional \$15.00 shipping fee. Non-refundable checks are to be payable to Access Engineering Solutions. **BIDS WILL ONLY BE ACCEPTED FROM BIDDERS LISTED ON THE ENGINEER'S OFFICIAL LIST OF PLAN HOLDERS.**

The Owner reserves the right to reject each and every bid and to waive informalities, irregularities and errors in the bidding to the extent permitted by law.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within 60 days after the actual date of the opening thereof except as provided in section 9.31 of the Ohio Revised Code.

This notice is posted on the statewide public notices at [www.publicnoticesohio.com](http://www.publicnoticesohio.com) and the Commissioners' web site via [www.mercercountyohio.org](http://www.mercercountyohio.org).

By Order of:  
Board of Mercer County Commissioners  
Kim Everman, Administrator/Clerk of the Board

Advertise: February 12, 2026