Notice is given that on April 20, 2021 at 2:00 PM the Metropolitan Council will receive and publicly open separate sealed bids for 24th Avenue / American Boulevard / 76th Street Fiber Link, Project Number 62405, 62800, Contract Number 21P059, at their office at 390 North Robert Street, St. Paul, MN, 55101-1805. Sealed bids should be delivered to receptionist.

This project will install fiber in a combination of existing and new conduit from BRT stations to existing fiber infrastructure owned by the Council, Hennepin County and City of Bloomington to provide communications to the stations.

For the purposes of this contract, the COUNCIL has established a 8% goal for DBE participation. Disadvantaged businesses can be found on the Minnesota Unified Certification Program (MnUCP) Directory. This directory can be found at the following website: www.MNUCP.org

Click Here to view plan documents for no charge and to download them for a nonrefundable cost of $6.00. Input QuestCDN eBidDoc™ 7715770 on the website’s Project Search page. Contact QuestCDN.com at 952-233-1632 or info@questcdn.com for assistance in downloading and working with the digital documents.

Bidders are strongly encouraged to verify subcontractor’s State and Federal debarment and suspension status at: http://www.mmd.admin.state.mn.us/debarredreport.asp.

A Pre-Bid Meeting will be held via Webex, on April 6, 2021 at 10:00 AM. Attendees should visit Webex.com and use the following information to attend:

• Webex Meeting Number (access code): 187 998 0203, password NEewypA442

• To join by phone, call: 1-855-282-6330, password 63399972

Bidders are strongly encouraged to attend.

Direct inquiries to the COUNCIL’s Contract Administrator, Kimberley Ruedy at 651-602-1132 or Kimberley.Ruedy@metc.state.mn.us.

The geographical area for this notice and contract is Hennepin County.

Dated this 26th day of March, 2021