

TOWNSHIP OF BLOOM

ORDINANCE NO. 01-02

**AN ORDINANCE EXPANDING ON THE DEFINITION OF
WHAT CONSTITUTES A RESPONSIBLE BIDDER FOR
CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS IN THE TOWNSHIP OF
BLOOM**

WHEREAS, Illinois Compiled Statutes regulate purchases and contracts entered by the Township of Bloom; and

WHEREAS, such statutes allow the Township of Bloom to determine what constitutes a responsible bidder and that definition needs to be expanded in the case of bidders for construction projects (construction of new facilities, renovation of current facilities or road construction projects.)

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Board of Trustees of Bloom Township that following requirements be applied by Bloom Township in defining who is a "responsible bidder" in addition to any other requirements as determined by Bloom Township for the specific type of work to be preformed.

Responsive bidder for construction contracts means a bidder who meets all of the following applicable criteria, and submits evidence of such compliance:

- (1) All applicable laws prerequisite to doing business in Illinois.
- (2) Evidence of compliance with:
 - (a) Federal Employer Tax Identification Number or Social Security Number (for individual)
 - (b) Provisions of Section 2000 (e) of Chapter 21, Title 42 of the United State Code and Federal Executive Order No. 11246 as amended by Executive Order No. 11375 (known as the Equal Opportunity Employer provisions).
- (3) Certificate of insurance indicating the following Coverage; general liability, worker's compensation, completed operations, automobile, hazardous occupation, product liability, and professional liability.

(4) Compliance with all provisions of the Illinois Prevailing Wage Act; including wages, medical and hospitalization insurance and retirement for those trades as covered in the Act.

(5) Participation in apprenticeship and training programs approved and registered with the United States Department of Labor's Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that nothing hereby adopted shall be constructed to affect any suit or proceeding now pending in any court or any rights accrued or liability incurred or cause or causes of action accrued or existing under any prior Resolution or Ordinance. Nor shall any right or remedy of any character be lost, impaired, or affected by this Ordinance.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its adoption.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that the Clerk of the Township of Bloom is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and deliver a certified copy of this Ordinance to the Board of Trustees and Supervisor of Bloom Township.