

LEGAL NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that sealed electronic bids from Natural Gas Suppliers will be received by the Township of South Orange Village, State of New Jersey, on April 8, 2026 by 11:30 a.m. prevailing time, for: **PROVISION OF NATURAL GAS SUPPLY SERVICE** for six natural gas accounts that consume approximately 46,000 dekatherms annually. The Request for Bids (“RFB”) provides details including specifications, required legal forms and qualification documents, and electronic bidding instructions, and is available from the Township’s energy agent, Gabel Associates, located at 417 Denison St., Highland Park, NJ, by e-mailing to procurement@gabelassociates.com.

Questions will be accepted through 5 p.m. on March 16, 2026. Licensed gas suppliers must submit a non-binding Notice of Intent to Bid and other Qualification Documents by no later than 5 p.m. on March 16, 2026. Supplemental information and any addenda will be issued to those gas suppliers on the Bid Distribution List by close of business on March 23, 2026.

This bidding process is being conducted in accordance with “the “Electric Discount and Energy Competition Act,” P.L. 1999, c. 23, (“EDECA”); the “Local Unit Electronic Procurement Act” (P.L. 2018, c.156); the “Local Public Contracts Law,” N.J.S.A. 40A:11 et seq. (the "Local Public Contracts Law"), and all applicable regulations and standards promulgated thereunder (hereafter referred to collectively as “the Applicable Law”).