## NOTICE OF SALE

# VILLAGE OF SUFFERN (the "Village") ROCKLAND COUNTY, NEW YORK

#### \$456,450 BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES FOR VARIOUS PURPOSES - 2018

(the "Notes")

# BANK QUALIFIED

SALE DATE: November 1, 2018 TELEPHONE: (845) 227-8678

TIME: 11:00 A.M. FACSIMILE: (845) 227-6154

(Prevailing Time)

PLACE OF SALE: Capital Markets Advisors, LLC

822 Rt. 82 – Suite 310

Hopewell Junction, New York 12533

DATE OF NOTES: November 15, 2018

MATURITY DATE: November 15, 2019

# Submission of Bids

Sealed proposals, telephone proposals or fax proposals will be received at the place and time on the Sale Date as hereinabove indicated, for the purchase at not less than par and accrued interest of the Notes as hereinabove described. No other form of electronic bidding services will be accepted. The number for telephone proposals is (845) 227-8678. The number for FAX proposals is (845) 227-6154. Bidders submitting proposals via facsimile must use the "Proposal for Notes" form attached hereto.

Proposals may be submitted in accordance with this Notice of Sale until the time specified herein. No proposal will be accepted after the time for receiving proposals specified above. Any proposal received by the time for receiving proposals specified herein, which has not been modified or withdrawn by the bidder, shall constitute an irrevocable offer to purchase the Notes pursuant to the terms herein and therein provided. Bidders shall not submit a bid that modifies the terms contained in this Notice of Sale or adds additional conditions not set forth in the Notice of Sale.

The Village reserves the right to reject any and all bids (regardless of the interest rate bid), to reject any bid not complying with this Notice of Sale and, so far as permitted by law, to waive any irregularity or informality with respect to any bid or the bidding process.

The timely delivery of all proposals submitted by facsimile transmission (FAX) must be in legible and complete form, signed by an authorized representative of the bidder, and shall be the sole responsibility of the bidder. The Village shall not be responsible for any errors and/or delays in transmission and/or receipt of such bids, mechanical or technical failures or disruptions, or any omissions or irregularities in any bids submitted in such manner.

Bids must be for all of the Notes and must state in a multiple of one-hundredth or one-eighth of 1% a rate or rates of interest per annum which such Notes shall bear. <u>Interest will be calculated on the basis of a 30-day month and 360-day year.</u> The Notes will not be subject to prior redemption.

# Payment and Security for the Notes

Said Notes are general obligations of the Village and the faith and credit of such Village are pledged for payment of the principal of and interest on such Notes. All the taxable real property in said Village will be subject to the levy of ad valorem taxes, subject to certain statutory limitations imposed by Chapter 97 of the New York Laws of 2011, as amended, sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the Notes. The State Constitution requires the Village to pledge its faith and credit for the payment of the principal of the Notes and the interest thereon and to make annual appropriations for the amounts required for the payment of such interest and the redemption of the Notes.

#### Award of Notes

The Notes will be awarded and sold to the bidder complying with the terms of sale and offering to purchase the Notes at the lowest net interest cost, and if two or more such bidders offer the same lowest net interest cost, then to the one of said bidders selected by the Sale Officer by lot from among all said bidders.

Award of the Notes is expected to be made promptly after opening of the bids, but the successful bidder may not withdraw the proposal until after 3:00 o'clock P.M. (Prevailing Time) on the day of such bid opening and then only if such award has not been made prior to the withdrawal. The Notes will be delivered and shall be paid for on or about the Date of Notes at such place and on such business day and at such hour, as the Sale Officer and successful bidder shall mutually agree.

## Authority For and Purpose of the Notes

The Notes are issued pursuant to the State Constitution and statutes of the State, including among others, the Village Law and the Local Finance Law, constituting Chapter 33-a of the Consolidated Laws of the State, and various bond resolutions adopted by the Board of Trustees of the Village. The proceeds of the Notes together with \$346,333 of funds on hand will be used to redeem \$802,783 Bond Anticipation Notes For Various Purposes - 2017, maturing on November 16, 2018.

| Original<br>Issue Date | Authorization Date | Purpose                  | Amount<br>Outstanding | Principal<br>Paydown | Amount of the Notes |
|------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| 11/17/16               | 10-21-16           | 2017 Sewer System Imp.   | \$149,600             | \$37,400             | \$112,200           |
| 11/19/15               | 07-13-15           | 2016 Computer System     | 65,250                | 21,750               | 43,500              |
| 11/19/15               | 07-13-15           | 2016 Fire Equipment      | 39,375                | 13,125               | 26,250              |
| 11/19/15               | 07-13-15           | 2016 LED Street Lighting | 19,125                | 6,375                | 12,750              |
| 11/19/15               | 07-13-15           | 2016 Road Improvements   | 45,750                | 15,250               | 30,500              |
| 11/19/15               | 07-13-15           | 2016 DPW Vehicles        | 81,000                | 27,000               | 54,000              |
| 11/19/15               | 07-13-15           | 2016 Village Hall Imp.   | 65,250                | 21,750               | 43,500              |
| 11/19/15               | 07-13-15           | 2016 Sewer System Imp.   | 69,000                | 23,000               | 46,000              |
| 11/19/15               | 07-13-15           | 2016 Water System Imp.   | 19,125                | 6,375                | 12,750              |
| 11/19/15               | 07-13-15           | 2016 Tax Certiorari      | 76,500                | 25,500               | 51,000              |
| 11-20-14               | 09-08-14           | 2015 Fire Equipment      | 40,500                | 20,250               | 20,250              |
| 11-20-14               | 09-08-14           | 2015 Refurbish Well      | 7,500                 | 3,750                | 3,750               |
| 12/20/13               | 07-08-13           | 2014 Fire Equipment      | 18,308                | 18,308               | 0                   |
| 12/20/13               | 07-08-13           | 2014 Hose Company Roof   | 15,000                | 15,000               | 0                   |
| 12/20/13               | 07-08-13           | 2014 Sewer INI Study     | 12,500                | 12,500               | 0                   |
| 12/20/13               | 07-08-13           | 2014 Police Vehicle      | 9,250                 | 9,250                | 0                   |
| 12/20/13               | 07-08-13           | 2014 Road Improvements   | 69,750                | 69,750               | 0                   |
|                        |                    |                          | \$802,783             | \$346,333            | \$456,450           |

# Form of the Notes

At the option of the purchaser, the Notes will be issued in (i) registered form registered in the name of the successful bidder or (ii) registered book-entry form registered to Cede & Co., as the partnership nominee for The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York ("DTC").

If the Notes are registered in the name of the successful bidder, a single note certificate will be issued for those Notes bearing the same rate of interest in the aggregate principal amount awarded to the respective successful bidder at such interest rate. Principal of and interest on such Notes will be payable in Federal Funds by the Village, at such bank or trust company located and authorized to do business in the State of New York as selected by the successful bidder.

If the Notes are issued in book-entry form, such notes will be delivered to DTC, which will act as securities depository for the Notes. Beneficial owners will not receive certificates representing their respective interests in the Notes. Individual purchases may be made in denominations of \$5,000 or integral multiples thereof, except for one necessary odd denomination. A single note certificate will be issued for those Notes bearing the same rate of interest and CUSIP number in the aggregate principal amount awarded to such purchaser at such interest rate. Principal of and interest on said Notes will be paid in Federal Funds by the Village to Cede & Co., as nominee for DTC, which will in turn remit such principal and interest to its participants for subsequent distribution to the beneficial owners of the Notes as described herein.

Transfer of principal and interest payments to beneficial owners by participants of DTC will be the responsibility of such participants and other nominees of beneficial owners. The Village will not be responsible or liable for payments by DTC to its participants or by DTC participants to beneficial owners or for maintaining, supervising or reviewing the records maintained by DTC, its participants or persons acting through such participants.

CUSIP identification numbers will be printed on the book-entry Notes if Bond Counsel is provided with such numbers by the close of business on the Sale Date of the Notes, but neither the failure to print such number on any Note nor any error with respect thereto shall constitute cause for a failure or refusal by the purchaser thereof to accept delivery and pay for the Notes in accordance with the terms hereof. All expenses in relation to the printing of CUSIP numbers on the Notes shall be paid for by the Village; provided, however, that the CUSIP Service Bureau charge for the assignment of said numbers shall be the responsibility of and shall be paid for by the purchaser. DTC is an automated depository for securities and a clearinghouse for securities transactions, and will be responsible for establishing and maintaining a book-entry-only system for recording the ownership interests of its participants, which include certain banks, trust companies and securities dealers, and the transfer of the interests among its participants. The DTC participants will be responsible for establishing and maintaining records with respect to the Notes. Individual purchases of beneficial ownership interests in the Notes may be made only through book entries made on the books and records of DTC (or a successor depository) and its participants.

#### Delivery of the Notes

Said Notes will be delivered on or about the Date of the Notes, referred to herein, in New York, New York or otherwise as may be agreed with the purchaser; however, if the Notes are issued in book-entry only form, said Notes will be delivered to DTC, Jersey City, New Jersey. The purchase price of said Notes shall be paid in FEDERAL FUNDS or other funds available for immediate credit on said delivery date.

# Legal Opinion

The approving legal opinion of Bond Counsel will be furnished to the purchaser upon delivery of the Notes.

#### Tax Exemption

The successful bidder may at its option refuse to accept the Notes if prior to their delivery the opinion of Hawkins Delafield & Wood LLP ("Bond Counsel") is not delivered or if any income tax law of the United States of America is hereafter enacted which shall provide that the interest thereon is taxable, or shall be taxable at a future date, for federal income tax purposes, and in such case said successful bidder will be relieved of their contractual obligations arising from the acceptance of their proposal.

The Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), establishes certain ongoing requirements that must be met subsequent to the issuance and delivery of the Notes in order that interest on the Notes be and remain excludable from gross income under Section 103 of the Code. Concurrently with the delivery of the Notes, the Village will execute and deliver a Tax Certificate, which will contain provisions and procedures relating to compliance with the requirements of the Code and a certification to the effect that the Village will comply with the provisions and procedures set forth therein and that it will do and perform all acts and things necessary or desirable to assure that interest paid on the Notes is excludable from gross income under Section 103 of the Code.

Upon delivery of the Notes, Bond Counsel will deliver an opinion that states that, under existing statutes and court decisions and assuming continuing compliance with the provisions and procedures set forth in the Tax Certificate, (i) interest on the Notes is excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes pursuant to Section 103 of the Code; and (ii) interest on the Notes is not treated as a preference item in calculating the alternative minimum tax under the Code; such interest, however, is included in the adjusted current earnings of certain corporations for purposes of calculating the alternative minimum tax imposed on for taxable years beginning prior to January 1,2018.

In addition, the opinion of Bond Counsel will state that, under existing statutes, interest on the Notes is exempt from personal income taxes of New York State and its political subdivisions, including The City of New York.

# Bank Qualification

The Village WILL designate the Notes as "qualified tax-exempt obligations" pursuant to the provisions of Section 265(b)(3) of the Code.

## Obligation of Winning Bidder to Deliver an Issue Price Certificate at Closing

By submitting a bid, each bidder is certifying that its bid is a firm offer to purchase the Notes, is a good faith offer which the bidder believes reflects current market conditions, and is not a "courtesy bid" being submitted for the purpose of assisting in meeting the competitive sale requirements relating to the establishment of the "issue price" of the Notes pursuant to Section 148 of the Code, including the requirement that bids be received from at least three (3) underwriters of municipal bonds who have established industry reputations for underwriting new issuances of municipal bonds (the "Competitive Sale Requirements"). The Municipal Advisor will advise the winning bidder if the Competitive Sale Requirements were met at the same time it notifies the winning bidder of the award of the Notes. **Bids will not be subject to cancellation in the event that the Competitive Sale Requirements are not satisfied.** 

The winning bidder shall, within one (1) hour after being notified of the award of the Notes, advise the Municipal Advisor by electronic or facsimile transmission of the reasonably expected initial public offering price or yield of each maturity of the Notes (the "Initial Reoffering Prices") as of the date of the award.

By submitting a bid, the winning bidder agrees (unless the winning bidder is purchasing the Notes for its own account and not with a view to distribution or resale to the public) that if the Competitive Sale Requirements are not met, it will elect and satisfy either option (1) or option (2) described below. Such election must be made on the bid form submitted by each bidder or otherwise communicated to the Municipal Advisor at the time of the submission of the bid.

# (1) **Hold the Price**. The winning bidder:

- (a) will make a bona fide offering to the public of all of the Notes at the Initial Reoffering Prices and provide Bond Counsel with reasonable supporting documentation, such as a copy of the pricing wire or equivalent communication, the form of which is acceptable to Bond Counsel,
- (b) will neither offer nor sell to any person any Notes within a maturity at a price that is higher, or a yield that is lower, than the Initial Reoffering Price of such maturity until the earlier of (i) the date on which the winning bidder has sold to the public at least 10 percent of the Notes of such maturity at a price that is no higher, or a yield that is no lower, than the Initial Reoffering Price of such maturity or (ii) the close of business on the 5th business day after the date of the award of the Notes, and
- (c) has or will include within any agreement among underwriters, any selling group agreement and each retail distribution agreement (to which the winning bidder is a party) relating to the initial sale of the Notes to the public, together with the related pricing wires, language obligating each underwriter to comply with the limitations on the sale of the Notes as set forth above.

#### (2) **Follow the Price**. The winning bidder:

- (a) will make a bona fide offering to the public of all of the Notes at the Initial Reoffering Prices and provide the Issuer with reasonable supporting documentation, such as a copy of the pricing wire or equivalent communication, the form of which is acceptable to Bond Counsel,
- (b) will report to the Issuer information regarding first price that at least 10 percent of the Notes within each maturity of the Notes have been sold to the public,
- (c) will provide the Issuer with reasonable supporting documentation or certifications of such sale prices the form of which is acceptable to Bond Counsel. This reporting requirement, which may extend beyond the closing date of the Notes, will continue until such date that the requirement set forth in paragraph (b) above for each maturity of the Notes is satisfied, and
- (d) has or will include within any agreement among underwriters, any selling group agreement and each retail distribution agreement (to which the winning bidder is a party) relating to the initial sale of the Notes to the public, together with the related pricing wires, language obligating each underwriter to comply with the reporting requirement described above.

For purposes of the "hold the price" or "follow the price" requirement, a "maturity" refers to Notes that have the same interest rate, credit and payment terms.

Regardless of whether or not the Competitive Sale Requirements were met, the winning bidder shall submit to the Issuer a certificate (the "Reoffering Price Certificate"), satisfactory to Bond Counsel, prior to the delivery of the Notes stating the applicable facts as described above. The form of Reoffering Price Certificate is available by contacting Bond Counsel or the Municipal Advisor.

If the winning bidder has purchased the Notes for its own account and not with a view to distribution or resale to the public, then, whether or not the Competitive Sale Requirements were met, the Reoffering Price Certificate will recite such facts and identify the price or prices at which the purchase of the Notes was made.

For purposes of this Notice, the "public" does not include the winning bidder or any person that agrees pursuant to a written contract with the winning bidder to participate in the initial sale of the Notes to the public (such as a retail distribution agreement between a national lead underwriter and a regional firm under which the regional firm participates in the initial sale of the Notes to the public). In making the representations described above, the winning bidder must reflect the effect on the offering prices of any "derivative products" (e.g., a tender option) used by the bidder in connection with the initial sale of any of the Notes.

### Documents Accompanying the Delivery of the Notes

The obligation hereunder to deliver or accept the Notes pursuant hereto shall be conditioned on the delivery to the successful bidder at the time of delivery of the Notes of: (i) the opinion of Bond Counsel; (ii) a certificate of the Village Attorney, dated the date of delivery of the Notes, to the effect that there is no controversy or litigation of any nature pending or threatened to restrain or enjoin the issuance, sale, execution or delivery of the Notes, or in any way contesting or affecting the validity of the Notes or any of the proceedings taken with respect to the issuance and sale thereof or the application of moneys to the payment of the Notes, (iii) a certificate signed by the Village Treasurer evidencing payment for the Notes; (iv) a signature certificate evidencing the due execution of the Notes, including statements that (a) no litigation of any nature is pending or, to the knowledge of the signers, threatened, restraining or enjoining the issuance and delivery of the Notes or the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal of and interest thereon, nor in any manner questioning the proceedings and authority under which the Notes were authorized or affecting the validity of the Notes thereunder, (b) neither the corporate existence or boundaries of the Village nor the title of the signers to their respective offices is being contested, and (c) no authority or proceedings for the issuance of the Notes have been repealed, revoked or rescinded, and (v) a Tax Certificate executed by the Village Treasurer.

# **Bond Rating**

The Village will not apply for a rating of the Notes. The Village's outstanding uninsured bond debt is rated "Baa1 positive outlook" by Moody's Investor's Service ("Moody's").

#### **Contact Information**

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The Village has not prepared an Official Statement in connection with the issuance of the Notes.

VILLAGE OF SUFFERN ROCKLAND COUNTY, NEW YORK

/s/ Michael A. Genito
Village Treasurer and Chief Fiscal Officer

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Dated: October 23, 2018

#### PROPOSAL FOR NOTES

November 1, 2018

Village Treasurer Village of Suffern c/o Capital Markets Advisors, LLC 822 Route 82 – Suite 310 Hopewell Junction, NY 12533

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# VILLAGE OF SUFFERN ROCKLAND COUNTY, NEW YORK

# \$456,450 BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES FOR VARIOUS PURPOSES – 2018 (the "Notes")

DATED: November 15, 2018 MATURITY: November 15, 2019

|       | Amount    | <b>Interest Rate</b> | Premium | Net Interest Cost |
|-------|-----------|----------------------|---------|-------------------|
| Bid 1 | \$456,450 | %                    | \$      | %                 |

Please select one of the following (if no option is selected, the book-entry-only option will be assumed to have

been selected by the bidder): Book-Entry-Only registered to Cede & Co. Registered in the name of the bidder Please check one of the following: We are purchasing the Notes for our own account and not with a view to distribution or resale to the public. In the event the Competitive Sale Requirements are not met, we hereby elect to Hold the Price Follow the Price The computation of the net interest cost is made as provided in the above-mentioned Notice of Sale, but does not constitute any part of the foregoing Proposal for the purchase of the Notes therein described. Signature: Name of Bidder: Company: Address of Bidder: Tel. (Area Code): Fax (Area Code):