

INVITATION FOR BIDS

Submitted bids will be publicly announced starting at 11:00 a.m. prevailing time on Friday, December 08, 2017; at VTrans, One National Life Drive, Montpelier, VT. The time of receiving and opening bids may be postponed due to emergencies or unforeseen conditions.

LOCATION: GEORGIA IM 089-3 (72): BEGINNING IN THE TOWN OF GEORGIA ON INTERSTATE 89 NORTHBOUND AT STATION 5676+00.00 (MM 107.500) AND EXTENDING NORTHERLY 2,378.00 FEET (0.450 MILES) TO STATION 5699+78.00 (MM 107.950)

TYPE OF CONSTRUCTION: WORK TO BE PERFORMED UNDER THIS PROJECT INCLUDES TRIM BLASTING, HAND SCALING, DRY MIX FIBER REINFORCED SHOTCRETE, ROCK DOWELING, SHEAR KEY, ROCK DRAIN INSTALLATION AND OTHER RELATED ITEMS.

CONTRACT COMPLETION DATE: The Contract shall be completed on or before October 12, 2018.

BID BOND: Electronic bid bond to be submitted in the amount of 5% of the Contractor's bid.

ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE: For this proposal the Engineer's Estimate is Category D .

PLANS AND PROPOSALS MAY BE OBTAINED AT NO COST BY: Clicking on the following link then selecting and submitting the "Request For Plans" form for the project you are requesting.
<http://vtrans.vermont.gov/contract-admin/construction/advertised-projects>

QUESTIONS: During the advertisement period for this proposal, all questions shall be addressed solely to the Office of Contract Administration via e-mail: AOT.ConstructionContractingInquiry@vermont.gov

PREQUALIFICATION OF CONTRACTORS: All bidders on this project must hold both current annual Prequalification with the Vermont Agency of Transportation through the "Contractor's Experience Questionnaire and Financial Statement" and unconditioned project-specific approval through the "Standard Form - Request for Proposal" CA-82 form. These documents are available at: <http://vtrans.vermont.gov/sites/aot/files/contractadmin/documents/PreQualCA82.pdf>

JOINT VENTURES: Two or more Prequalified entities may combine all or a portion of their assets, equipment, personnel, and experience for the purpose of bidding on a single Agency contract by providing a written request to obtain Contract Specific Prequalification as a Joint Venture for a specific contract. Please refer to section 5.07 of the Policies and Procedures on Prequalification, Bidding and Award of Contracts, available at:
<http://vtrans.vermont.gov/contract-admin/construction>

STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS: The work under this Contract shall be performed in accordance with the 2011 STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS FOR CONSTRUCTION, as modified. The Standard Specifications are available on the VTrans website. <http://vtrans.vermont.gov/contract-admin/construction/2011-standard-specifications>

MINIMUM LABOR AND TRUCK RATES: For the project are included in the advertised specification and bid proposal and such rates shall be a part of the Contract for this project.

NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT: All bidders will be required to execute a sworn statement, certifying that the bidder has not, either directly or indirectly, entered into any agreement, participated in any collusion, or otherwise taken any action in restraint of free competitive bidding in connection with such Contract.

NONDISCRIMINATION IN AGENCY CONTRACTS: VTrans hereby notifies all bidders that it will insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin in consideration for an award.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS-MANDATORY ELECTRONIC BIDDING: Bidders are hereby notified that only two-way electronic bids will be accepted by the Agency for this proposal. For information on electronic bidding with the Agency, please visit our website at <http://vtrans.vermont.gov/contract-admin/construction/electronic-bidding>

TELECOMMUNICATIONS RELAY SERVICE
TTY/TDD 1-800-253-0191

APPROXIMATE ESTIMATE OF QUANTITIES

ITEM NO.	LINE NO.	DESCRIPTION	QUANTITY	UNITS
201.10	0005	CLEARING AND GRUBBING, INCLUDING INDIVIDUAL TREES AND STUMPS	1.000	LS
201.11	0010	CLEARING AND GRUBBING, INCLUDING INDIVIDUAL TREES AND STUMPS	1.500	ACRE
203.15	0015	COMMON EXCAVATION	600.000	CY
204.22	0020	TRENCH EXCAVATION OF EARTH, EXPLORATORY (N.A.B.I.)	1.000	CY
608.31	0025	POWER BROOM RENTAL, TYPE II	40.000	HR
619.17	0030	YIELDING MARKER POSTS	7.000	EACH
630.10	0035	UNIFORMED TRAFFIC OFFICERS	320.000	HR
631.10	0040	FIELD OFFICE, ENGINEERS	1.000	LS
631.26	0045	FIELD OFFICE TELEPHONE (N.A.B.I.)	3,000.000	DL
635.11	0050	MOBILIZATION/DEMOBILIZATION	1.000	LS
641.15	0055	PORTABLE CHANGEABLE MESSAGE SIGN	7.000	EACH
646.420	0060	DURABLE 6 INCH WHITE LINE	2,430.000	LF
646.620	0065	TEMPORARY 6 INCH WHITE LINE	2,430.000	LF
646.86	0070	PAVEMENT MARKING MASK	50.000	SF
651.15	0075	SEED	160.000	LB
651.18	0080	FERTILIZER	1,290.000	LB
651.20	0085	AGRICULTURAL LIMESTONE	6.000	TON
651.25	0090	HAY MULCH	8.000	TON
651.35	0095	TOPSOIL	325.000	CY
652.10	0100	EPSC PLAN	1.000	LS
652.20	0105	MONITORING EPSC PLAN	10.000	HR
652.30	0110	MAINTENANCE OF EPSC PLAN (N.A.B.I.)	1.000	LU
653.20	0115	TEMPORARY EROSION MATTING	5,800.000	SY
653.25	0120	TEMPORARY STONE CHECK DAM, TYPE I	490.000	CY
653.40	0125	INLET PROTECTION DEVICE, TYPE I	7.000	EACH
653.55	0130	PROJECT DEMARCATION FENCE	2,525.000	LF
675.341	0135	SQUARE TUBE SIGN POST AND ANCHOR	45.000	LF
675.50	0140	REMOVING SIGNS	3.000	EACH
675.60	0145	ERECTING SALVAGED SIGNS	3.000	EACH
676.10	0150	DELINEATOR WITH STEEL POST	8.000	EACH
676.12	0155	REMOVAL OF EXISTING DELINEATOR	8.000	EACH
900.608	0160	SPECIAL PROVISION (REMOVAL OF LEDGE SALVAGE MATERIAL)	100.000	CY
900.608	0165	SPECIAL PROVISION (REMOVAL OF LEDGE WASTE MATERIAL)	4,900.000	CY
900.608	0170	SPECIAL PROVISION (SHOTCRETE)	20.000	CY
900.608	0175	SPECIAL PROVISION (TRIM BLASTING, TRUCK MEASUREMENT)	5,000.000	CY
900.620	0180	SPECIAL PROVISION (CPM SCHEDULE)	5.000	EACH
900.630	0185	SPECIAL PROVISION (HAND SCALING)	150.000	HR
900.640	0190	SPECIAL PROVISION (ROCK DOWELING)	700.000	LF
900.640	0195	SPECIAL PROVISION (ROCK DRAIN)	40.000	LF
900.640	0200	SPECIAL PROVISION (ROCK NAIL FOR SHOTCRETE)	100.000	LF
900.640	0205	SPECIAL PROVISION (SHEAR KEYS)	100.000	LF
900.645	0210	SPECIAL PROVISION (ROCK DOWEL TESTING)	1.000	LS
900.645	0215	SPECIAL PROVISION (TRAFFIC CONTROL, ALL-INCLUSIVE)	1.000	LS

The estimate quantities are not guaranteed but are given as a basis for the comparison of bids.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids, to waive any formality and any and all technicalities in bids and to accept such bids as may be deemed in the best interest of the awarding agency.

Sincerely,

Louise O'Connor
Contract Specialist