

September 06, 2017

### INVITATION FOR BIDS

Submitted bids will be publicly announced starting at 11:00 a.m. prevailing time on Friday, September 29, 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:** GUILFORD-BRATTLEBORO IM SURF (60) BEGINNING AT THE VERMONT/MASSACHUSETTS STATE LINE, IN THE TOWN OF GUILFORD AT MM 0.000 AND EXTENDING NORTHERLY ALONG INTERSTATE ROUTE 91 IN THE **NORTHBOUND** LANES FOR A DISTANCE OF APPROXIMATELY 63,360.00 FEET (12.000 MILES) TO 12.000 IN THE TOWN OF BRATTLEBORO.

**LOCATION:** GUILFORD-BRATTLEBORO IM SURF (61) BEGINNING AT THE VERMONT/MASSACHUSETTS STATE LINE, IN THE TOWN OF GUILFORD AT MM 0.000 AND EXTENDING NORTHERLY ALONG INTERSTATE ROUTE 91 IN THE **SOUTHBOUND** LANES FOR A DISTANCE OF APPROXIMATELY 63,360.00 FEET (12.000 MILES) TO 12.000 IN THE TOWN OF BRATTLEBORO.

**TYPE OF CONSTRUCTION:** WORK TO BE PERFORMED UNDER THE PROJECT INCLUDES MICRO-MILLING, SURFACE PREPARATION INVOLVING PATCHING, POT HOLE REPAIR, CRACK SEALING, OVERLAYING WITH A THIN BITUMINOUS SURFACE TREATMENT, TRAFFIC MARKINGS AND OTHER HIGHWAY 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 E .

**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](mailto: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
203.40	0005	SHOULDER BERM REMOVAL	24,000.000	LF
204.22	0010	TRENCH EXCAVATION OF EARTH, EXPLORATORY (N.A.B.I.)	2.000	CY
210.10	0015	COLD PLANING, BITUMINOUS PAVEMENT	2,850.000	SY
404.65	0020	EMULSIFIED ASPHALT	24.000	CWT
406.50	0025	PRICE ADJUSTMENT, ASPHALT CEMENT (N.A.B.I.)	2.000	LU
417.20	0030	BITUMINOUS CRACK SEALING, "BLOW AND GO" METHOD (AASHTO M 324 (ASTM D 6690) TYPE II)	24,000.000	LB
490.30	0035	SUPERPAVE BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT (PG 70-28)	250.000	TON
516.10	0040	BRIDGE EXPANSION JOINT, ASPHALTIC PLUG	1,220.000	LF
516.10	0045	BRIDGE EXPANSION JOINT, ASPHALTIC PLUG (@ FINGER PLATE/VERMONT JOINT)	720.000	LF
580.20	0050	RAPID SETTING CONCRETE REPAIR MATERIAL WITH COARSE AGGREGATE	200.000	CF
604.412	0055	REHAB. DROP INLETS, CATCH BASINS, OR MANHOLES, CLASS I	27.000	EACH
608.30	0060	POWER BROOM RENTAL, TYPE I	200.000	HR
608.31	0065	POWER BROOM RENTAL, TYPE II	200.000	HR
608.37	0070	TRUCK RENTAL	200.000	HR
608.45	0075	TRUCK-MOUNTED ATTENUATOR	200.000	HR
608.50	0080	TRUCK-MOUNTED ATTENUATOR, AWV/PV	200.000	HR
630.10	0085	UNIFORMED TRAFFIC OFFICERS	2,000.000	HR
630.15	0090	FLAGGERS	1,000.000	HR
631.10	0095	FIELD OFFICE, ENGINEERS	1.000	LS
631.17	0100	TESTING EQUIPMENT, BITUMINOUS	1.000	LS
631.26	0105	FIELD OFFICE TELEPHONE (N.A.B.I.)	3,000.000	DL
635.11	0110	MOBILIZATION/DEMOBILIZATION	1.000	LS
641.10	0115	TRAFFIC CONTROL (IM SURF(60))	1.000	LS
641.10	0120	TRAFFIC CONTROL (IM SURF(61))	1.000	LS
641.15	0125	PORTABLE CHANGEABLE MESSAGE SIGN	10.000	EACH
646.622	0130	TEMPORARY 6 INCH WHITE LINE, PAINT	168,700.000	LF
646.632	0135	TEMPORARY 6 INCH YELLOW LINE, PAINT	118,700.000	LF
646.662	0140	TEMPORARY 12 INCH WHITE LINE, PAINT	4,300.000	LF
646.682	0145	TEMPORARY 24 INCH STOP BAR, PAINT	180.000	LF
646.692	0150	TEMPORARY LETTER OR SYMBOL, PAINT	79.000	EACH
646.76	0155	LINE STRIPING TARGETS	9,600.000	EACH
690.50	0160	PRICE ADJUSTMENT, FUEL (N.A.B.I.)	2.000	LU
900.635	0165	SPECIAL PROVISION (COVER COAT MATERIAL, SAND)	74,300.000	LB
900.645	0170	SPECIAL PROVISION (PAVEMENT FRICTION TESTING)	1.000	LS
900.675	0175	SPECIAL PROVISION (MICRO-MILLING BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT)	454,250.000	SY
900.675	0180	SPECIAL PROVISION (PAVER PLACED SURFACE TREATMENT, TYPE C)(PG 70-28)(SBS POLYMER)	454,250.000	SY
900.680	0185	SPECIAL PROVISION (BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT SURFACE PREPARATION, TYPE I)	200.000	TON
900.683	0190	SPECIAL PROVISION (EMULSIFIED ASPHALT SEAL COAT)	1,470.000	CWT
402.12 AA1	0195	AGGREGATE SHOULDERS	385.000	TON

ITEM NO.	LINE NO.	DESCRIPTION	QUANTITY	UNITS
402.13 AA2	0200	AGGREGATE SHOULDERS, RAP	385.000	TON
900.620 BB1	0205	SPECIAL PROVISION (DURABLE LETTER OR SYMBOL, EPOXY)(28 MIL)	79.000	EACH
900.620 BB2	0210	SPECIAL PROVISION (DURABLE LETTER OR SYMBOL, POLYUREA)(28 MIL)	79.000	EACH
900.640 CC1	0215	SPECIAL PROVISION (DURABLE 12 INCH WHITE LINE, EPOXY)(28 MIL)	4,300.000	LF
900.640 CC2	0220	SPECIAL PROVISION (DURABLE 12 INCH WHITE LINE, POLYUREA)(28 MIL)	4,300.000	LF
900.640 DD1	0225	SPECIAL PROVISION (DURABLE 24 INCH STOP BAR, EPOXY)(28 MIL)	180.000	LF
900.640 DD2	0230	SPECIAL PROVISION (DURABLE 24 INCH STOP BAR, POLYUREA)(28 MIL)	180.000	LF
900.640 EE1	0235	SPECIAL PROVISION (DURABLE 6 INCH WHITE LINE, EPOXY)(28 MIL)	178,200.000	LF
900.640 EE2	0240	SPECIAL PROVISION (DURABLE 6 INCH WHITE LINE, POLYUREA)(28 MIL)	178,200.000	LF
900.640 FF1	0245	SPECIAL PROVISION (DURABLE 6 INCH YELLOW LINE, EPOXY)(28 MIL)	127,000.000	LF
900.640 FF2	0250	SPECIAL PROVISION (DURABLE 6 INCH YELLOW LINE, POLYUREA)(28 MIL)	127,000.000	LF

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