

INVITATION FOR BIDS

Submitted bids will be publicly announced starting at 11:00 a.m. prevailing time on Friday, December 22, 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: SANDGATE BO 1441(30) (RE-ADV): LOCATED IN THE COUNTY OF BENNINGTON, TOWN OF SANDGATE, ON TH 9, BRIDGE 27 OVER TERRY BROOK APPROXIMATELY 0.6 MILES FROM ITS JUNCTION WITH TH 2.

TYPE OF CONSTRUCTION: WORK TO BE PERFORMED UNDER THIS PROJECT INCLUDES THE REPLACEMENT OF EXISTING BRIDGE (BRIDGE NO. 27) INCLUDING MINOR APPROACH WORK.

CONTRACT COMPLETION DATE: The Contract shall be completed on or before August 10, 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 B .

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
203.15	0010	COMMON EXCAVATION	200.000	CY
203.27	0015	UNCLASSIFIED CHANNEL EXCAVATION	120.000	CY
203.32	0020	GRANULAR BORROW	20.000	CY
204.22	0025	TRENCH EXCAVATION OF EARTH, EXPLORATORY (N.A.B.I.)	1.000	CY
204.25	0030	STRUCTURE EXCAVATION	30.000	CY
204.30	0035	GRANULAR BACKFILL FOR STRUCTURES	17.000	CY
301.15	0040	SUBBASE OF GRAVEL	330.000	CY
401.10	0045	AGGREGATE SURFACE COURSE	100.000	CY
501.33	0050	CONCRETE, HIGH PERFORMANCE CLASS A (FPQ)	51.000	CY
504.10	0055	FURNISHING EQUIPMENT FOR DRIVING PILING	1.000	LS
505.165	0060	STEEL PILING, HP 12 X 84	213.000	LF
505.45	0065	DYNAMIC PILE LOADING TEST	2.000	EACH
507.11	0070	REINFORCING STEEL, LEVEL I (FPQ)	9,800.000	LB
514.10	0075	WATER REPELLENT, SILANE	10.000	GAL
525.44	0080	BRIDGE RAILING, GALVANIZED HDSB/FASCIA MOUNTED/STEEL TUBING	86.000	LF
613.12	0085	STONE FILL, TYPE III	100.000	CY
620.50	0090	REMOVING AND RESETTING FENCE	41.000	LF
621.21	0095	HD STEEL BEAM GUARDRAIL, GALVANIZED (FPQ)	67.000	LF
621.60	0100	ANCHOR FOR STEEL BEAM RAIL	4.000	EACH
621.737	0105	GUARDRAIL APPROACH SECTION, GALV HD STEEL BEAM	4.000	EACH
630.15	0110	FLAGGERS	100.000	HR
631.10	0115	FIELD OFFICE, ENGINEERS	1.000	LS
631.16	0120	TESTING EQUIPMENT, CONCRETE	1.000	LS
631.26	0125	FIELD OFFICE TELEPHONE (N.A.B.I.)	3,000.000	DL
635.11	0130	MOBILIZATION/DEMOBILIZATION	1.000	LS
649.31	0135	GEOTEXTILE UNDER STONE FILL	140.000	SY
649.51	0140	GEOTEXTILE FOR SILT FENCE	69.000	SY
649.61	0145	GEOTEXTILE FOR FILTER CURTAIN	56.000	SY
651.15	0150	SEED	10.000	LB
651.18	0155	FERTILIZER	100.000	LB
651.20	0160	AGRICULTURAL LIMESTONE	1.000	TON
651.25	0165	HAY MULCH	1.000	TON
651.35	0170	TOPSOIL	30.000	CY
651.40	0175	GRUBBING MATERIAL	50.000	SY
652.10	0180	EPSC PLAN	1.000	LS
652.20	0185	MONITORING EPSC PLAN	50.000	HR
652.30	0190	MAINTENANCE OF EPSC PLAN (N.A.B.I.)	1.000	LU
653.20	0195	TEMPORARY EROSION MATTING	70.000	SY
653.55	0200	PROJECT DEMARCATION FENCE	500.000	LF
675.20	0205	TRAFFIC SIGNS, TYPE A	16.840	SF
675.341	0210	SQUARE TUBE SIGN POST AND ANCHOR	42.000	LF
675.50	0215	REMOVING SIGNS	1.000	EACH
900.608	0220	SPECIAL PROVISION (HIGH PERFORMANCE CONCRETE, RAPID SET)(FPQ)	3.000	CY
900.620	0225	SPECIAL PROVISION (CPM SCHEDULE)	3.000	EACH
900.645	0230	SPECIAL PROVISION (TRAFFIC CONTROL, ALL-INCLUSIVE)	1.000	LS

ITEM NO.	LINE NO.	DESCRIPTION	QUANTITY	UNITS
540.10 AA1	0235	PRECAST CONCRETE STRUCTURE (ABUTMENT #1)(26.5' X 3' X 3')	1.000	LS
900.645 AA2	0240	SPECIAL PROVISION (CONTRACTOR FABRICATED PRECAST CONCRETE STRUCTURE)(ABUTMENT #1)(26.5' X 3' X 3')	1.000	LS
540.10 BB1	0245	PRECAST CONCRETE STRUCTURE (ABUTMENT #2)(26.5' X 3' X 3')	1.000	LS
900.645 BB2	0250	SPECIAL PROVISION (CONTRACTOR FABRICATED PRECAST CONCRETE STRUCTURE)(ABUTMENT #2)(26.5' X 3' X 3')	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