

INVITATION FOR BIDS

Submitted bids will be publicly announced starting at 11:00 a.m. prevailing time on Friday, July 21, 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: MILTON IM 089-3 (76): LOCATED IN THE COUNTY OF CHITTENDEN, IN THE TOWN OF MILTON, ON INTERSTATE 89 NB & SB. SOUTHERN U-TURN IS LOCATED APPROXIMATELY 3 MILES NORTH OF EXIT 17 AT MM 100.85. NORTHERN U-TURN IS LOCATED APPROXIMATELY 4 MILES SOUTH OF EXIT 18 AT MM 102.85.

TYPE OF CONSTRUCTION: WIDENDING AN EXISTING U-TURN AT MM 100.85 AND INSTALLATION OF A U-TURN AT MM 102.85, SHOULDER WIDENING TO INCLUDE ACCELERATION AND DECELERATION LANES AT EACH U-TURN, AND ASSOCIATED ROADWAY APPROACH WORK.

CONTRACT COMPLETION DATE: The Contract shall be completed on or before November 17, 2017.

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 C .

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	1,475.000	CY
203.30	0015	EARTH BORROW	600.000	CY
204.22	0020	TRENCH EXCAVATION OF EARTH, EXPLORATORY (N.A.B.I.)	1.000	CY
210.10	0025	COLD PLANING, BITUMINOUS PAVEMENT	2,630.000	SY
213.10	0030	MILLED RUMBLE STRIPS	8,700.000	LF
301.35	0035	SUBBASE OF DENSE GRADED CRUSHED STONE	1,870.000	CY
402.12	0040	AGGREGATE SHOULDERS	12.000	TON
404.65	0045	EMULSIFIED ASPHALT	10.000	CWT
406.50	0050	PRICE ADJUSTMENT, ASPHALT CEMENT (N.A.B.I.)	1.000	LU
604.40	0055	CHANGING ELEVATION OF DROP INLETS, CATCH BASINS, OR MANHOLES	1.000	EACH
621.50	0060	MANUFACTURED TERMINAL SECTION, FLARED	1.000	EACH
621.56	0065	ENERGY ABSORPTION ATTENUATOR	4.000	EACH
621.75	0070	REMOVE AND RESET GUARDRAIL	100.000	LF
621.80	0075	REMOVAL AND DISPOSAL OF GUARDRAIL	200.000	LF
621.90	0080	TEMPORARY TRAFFIC BARRIER	3,510.000	LF
630.10	0085	UNIFORMED TRAFFIC OFFICERS	240.000	HR
631.17	0090	TESTING EQUIPMENT, BITUMINOUS	1.000	LS
635.11	0095	MOBILIZATION/DEMOBILIZATION	1.000	LS
641.10	0100	TRAFFIC CONTROL	1.000	LS
641.15	0105	PORTABLE CHANGEABLE MESSAGE SIGN	2.000	EACH
641.16	0110	PORTABLE ARROW BOARD	2.000	EACH
646.430	0115	DURABLE 6 INCH YELLOW LINE	3,000.000	LF
646.6211	0120	TEMPORARY 6 INCH WHITE LINE, TEMPORARY PAVEMENT MARKING TAPE	17,500.000	LF
646.6311	0125	TEMPORARY 6 IN YELLOW LINE, TEMPORARY PAVEMENT MARKING TAPE	8,750.000	LF
646.86	0130	PAVEMENT MARKING MASK	8,400.000	SF
649.51	0135	GEOTEXTILE FOR SILT FENCE	225.000	SY
651.15	0140	SEED	100.000	LB
651.18	0145	FERTILIZER	800.000	LB
651.20	0150	AGRICULTURAL LIMESTONE	3.500	TON
651.25	0155	HAY MULCH	3.500	TON
651.35	0160	TOPSOIL	220.000	CY
652.10	0165	EPSC PLAN	1.000	LS
652.20	0170	MONITORING EPSC PLAN	40.000	HR
652.30	0175	MAINTENANCE OF EPSC PLAN (N.A.B.I.)	1.000	LU
653.20	0180	TEMPORARY EROSION MATTING	3,460.000	SY
653.40	0185	INLET PROTECTION DEVICE, TYPE I	2.000	EACH
653.55	0190	PROJECT DEMARCATION FENCE	625.000	LF
675.20	0195	TRAFFIC SIGNS, TYPE A	18.000	SF
675.341	0200	SQUARE TUBE SIGN POST AND ANCHOR	45.000	LF
675.50	0205	REMOVING SIGNS	1.000	EACH
675.60	0210	ERECTING SALVAGED SIGNS	1.000	EACH
676.10	0215	DELINEATOR WITH STEEL POST	14.000	EACH
690.50	0220	PRICE ADJUSTMENT, FUEL (N.A.B.I.)	1.000	LU
900.650	0225	SPECIAL PROVISION (MAT DENSITY PAY ADJUSTMENT, SMALL QUANTITY)(N.A.B.I.)	1.000	LU

ITEM NO.	LINE NO.	DESCRIPTION	QUANTITY	UNITS
900.650	0230	SPECIAL PROVISION (MIXTURE PAY ADJUSTMENT)(N.A.B.I.)	1.000	LU
900.680	0235	SPECIAL PROVISION (BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT, SMALL QUANTITY)	700.000	TON

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,

Maureen E. Parker
Administrative Services Manager II