

# STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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## NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS

The North Carolina Department of Transportation is requesting bids for the following project in Division One:

### DA00595 – Hauling Borrow Material From Ocracoke Dredge Spoil Site

WBS Element: 51214.01S

The Date of Availability for this Contract is November 8, 2023

The Completion Date for this Contract is January 19, 2024

**Minority Business Enterprise Goal = 0%** 

Women Business Enterprise Goal = 0%

**Combined MBE/WBE Goal = 0%** 

Any firm that wishes to bid as a prime contractor shall be prequalified as a Bidder or PO Prime Contractor prior to submitting a bid. Information regarding prequalification can be found at: https://connect.ncdot.gov/business/Prequal/Pages/default.aspx

If you are unsure as to whether your firm is currently prequalified by the Department by the Contractual Services Unit, a search of the Directory of Transportation Firms can be performed at the website below: <u>https://www.ebs.nc.gov/VendorDirectory/default.html</u>

Bid Opening will be at 2:00 pm on Wednesday November 1, 2023

#### **MANDATORY PRE-BID CONFERENCE (Prequalifying To Bid):**

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SPD 01-300

In order for all prospective bidders to have an extensive knowledge of the project, all prospective bidders shall attend a mandatory pre-bid conference on Tuesday, October 24, 2023 at 10:00 A.M. We will be holding the conference via Microsoft Teams.

Virtual Meeting on Microsoft Teams Call In Number: 1-984-204-1487, Phone Conference ID: 490 948 724# MS Teams Link:

https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-

join/19%3ameeting\_MDVjY2FhNTItNzY4My00OWQ5LWEzYjgtODhiOTZlZmU4NzVi%40thre ad.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%227a7681dc-b9d0-449a-85c3ecc26cd7ed19%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22eb2c2358-d378-4753-8691-78de086f0e67%22%7d

For any questions pertaining to the pre-bid conference please contact **Chris Slachta** <u>cslachta@ncdot.gov</u> at **252-482-1872**.

The pre-bid conference will include a thorough discussion of the plans, contract pay items, special provisions, etc.

Only bidders who have attended and properly registered at the above scheduled pre-bid conference and who have met all other prequalification requirements will be considered prequalified to bid on this project. A bid received from a bidder who has not attended and properly registered at the above scheduled pre-bid conference will not be accepted and considered for award.

Attendance at the pre-bid conference will not meet the requirements of proper registration unless the individual attending has registered at the pre-bid conference in accordance with the following:

(A) The individual has signed his name on the official roster no later than thirty (30) minutes after the above noted time for the beginning of the conference.

(The Division staff will take the name, company, e-mail address and phone number of the individual's attending remotely. The names and their company name will be read aloud and the meeting recorded.)

- (B) The company representative shall make sure their name is added to the roster no more than ten (10) minutes after the above noted time from the beginning of the conference.
- (C) Only one (1) company will be shown as being represented by the individual attending.
- (D) The individual attending is an officer or permanent employee of the company they are representing.

Attendance at any prior pre-bid conference will not meet the requirement of this provision.

Prospective Bidders shall utilize the Division One Conference Call Phone Number (866) 590-5055 access code (2659015) to join the November 1, 2023 Virtual Bid Opening. Prospective Bidders are encouraged to join the Bid Opening Conference Call approximately five minutes prior to the Bid Opening, as the bids will be read promptly at 2:00 pm. If you are unable to attend the Bid Opening Conference Call, bid results will also be posted on the Division One Webpage following the 2:00 pm Bid Opening. Feel free to contact me if you have any questions or need any additional information. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Chris Slachta at (252) 482-1872 (Office) or (252) 209-6721 (Cell).

### **CONTACT INFORMATION**

Contract proposal packages are available at the Division 1 website:

https://connect.ncdot.gov/letting/Pages/Letting-List.aspx?let\_type=1&let\_status=Advertised

If you have any questions or need additional information concerning this project, please contact Chris Slachta at (252) 482-1872.

Sincerely,

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C. E. Slachta Division Contract Engineer

Cc: C. W. Bridgers, Jr., PE R. K. Sawyer, PE R. W. Midgett, PE M. B Gill, PE B. N. Braswell, PE D. B. Otts, PE C. A. Spear, PE J. D. Ryder