

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

ROY COOPER GOVERNOR J. ERIC BOYETTE Secretary

January 4, 2022

NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS

SUBJECT: INVITATION TO BID FOR DIVISION 12 PROJECT.

CONTRACT 'NO.	D12-12017260
WBS ELEMENT(s):	12.103611, 12.103631, 12.203611
COUNTY(s):	GASTON
LOCATION:	COUNTYWIDE
DESCRIPTION:	TREE & BRUSH CUTTING & REMOVAL, UPON REQUEST.

The North Carolina Department of Transportation is requesting bids for tree and brush cutting and removal type work in Gaston County. The Contractor is to furnish labor, material, equipment and traffic control:

CONTRACT TIME:

The availability date for this contract will be March 1, 2022

The completion date of this contract will be February 28, 2023.

PROPOSAL COPIES:

Bid Proposals may be downloaded at <u>https://connect.ncdot.gov/letting/Pages/Division.aspx</u> under Division 12 or obtained from the Division 12 Office, located at 1710 E. Marion Street in Shelby, N.C. 28152, by contacting Greg Brittain at **980-552-4222**. Please refer to the WBS element(s) or project description when making requests.

BID OPENING:

Sealed bids must be received in the Division Engineer's Office, located at 1710 E. Marion Street, Shelby, N.C. 28152, by **2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, January 25, 2022**. Bids must be submitted on the official bid sheet as detailed in the *Instructions to Bidders* along with the complete proposal and display the following statement on the front of the envelope:

QUOTATION FOR WBS No. 12.103611, 12.103631, 12.203611

DESCRIPTION:

TO BE OPENED:

Tree and Brush Cutting & Disposal, Upon Request in Gaston County. At 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, January 25, 2022 at the Division 12 Office located at 1710 E. Marion St. in Shelby, N.C. 28152

Website: www.ncdot.gov

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Potential Bidders must be prequalified as a **Bidder or P.O. Prime Contractor** at the time of bid opening in order to be considered responsible. Information about prequalification can be found at <u>https://connect.ncdot.gov/business/prequal/pages/default.aspx</u>.

Paper Bids will be accepted as detailed in the <u>Instructions to Bidders</u> contained in the Proposal. Electronic Bidding will not be accepted. Bid Bonds are not required.

Any addenda to this contract will be posted on the Division 12 Bid Page located at <u>https://connect.ncdot.gov/letting/Pages/Division.aspx.</u>

The North Carolina Department of Transportation, in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights of 1964 (78 Stat.252) and the Regulations of the Department of Transportation (49 C.F.R., Part 21), issued pursuant to such act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that the contract entered into pursuant to this notice will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder without discrimination on the grounds of sex, race, color, or national origin.

For questions regarding contract bid items or contract provisions please contact Greg Brittain at the Division 12 Office in Shelby at 980-552-4222.

Sincerely,

Mark & Stofford

Mr. Mark E. Stafford, PE Division12 Engineer

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Cc: Cole Gurley, PE, Division Maintenance Engineer Jason Willis, Division Staff Maintenance Engineer Michael Poe, PE, Division Project Development Engineer Jackie McSwain, Division Project Team Lead Blake Guffey, District Engineer