

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

ROY COOPER GOVERNOR J. ERIC BOYETTE Secretary

January 12, 2022

NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS

Subject: Invitation to Bid on Purchase Order Contract DM00306.

County: Mitchell

Project Description: Guardrail Installation and Replacement

The North Carolina Department of Transportation is requesting bids for guardrail installation and replacement on NC-197 from 280' west of SR-1314 (Green Mountain Rd) to SR-1312 (Brummit Creek Rd) in Mitchell County to be let at 2:00 PM on Wednesday, February 2, 2022.

The availability date for this project is March 7, 2022.

The completion date for this project is June 15, 2022.

Bids for this project must be submitted electronically. Refer to the Instructions to Bidders in the proposal for more information.

Firms that wish to perform work on Division Purchase Order Contracts as either the prime contractor or as a subcontractor on the project must be prequalified for the type work they wish to perform. Firms that wish to bid on these projects as the prime contractor must be prequalified **prior to submitting your bid**. Firms that wish to perform as a subcontractor to the prime contractor must be prequalified **prior to beginning work on the project**.

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's Contractual Services Unit, a search of the Directory of Firms can be performed at the following website:

https://www.ebs.nc.gov/VendorDirectory/search.html?s=pbs&a=new

It shall be the responsibility of the bidder to check our website for any addenda prior to submitting their bids.

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.

Sincerely,

McCray Coates Division Project Manager DocuSigned by: McCray, Coates 0C47CF5B950645D...

 cc: Mark Gibbs, P.E., Division Engineer Tim Anderson, P.E., Division Maintenance Engineer Scott Killough, Assistant Division Maintenance Engineer Nathan Moneyham, P.E., Division Construction Engineer Chris Deyton, P.E., Assistant Division Construction Engineer Colby Justice, Assistant Resident Engineer Chris Guffey, District 1 Engineer Dan Johnson, Division Contract/Proposal Engineer