



STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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May 27, 2026

**NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS**

Subject: Invitation to Bid on Purchase Order Contract PRB.36403

County: Buncombe

Project Description: Helene Relief – Design of Bid Build Bridge Replacements at:

- 1387 Dillingham Rd, Barnardsville
- 814 N Turkey Creek Rd, Leicester
- NC HWY 9, Black Mountain
- 2511 NC HWY 9, Black Mountain

The North Carolina Department of Public Safety Emergency Management Division and the Department of Transportation are requesting bids for design bid build of bridges on private roads at:

- Bridge over Dillingham Creek (Site 011-01-CBDEE)
- Bridge over North Fork Turkey Creek (Site 011-01-98254)
- Bridge over Broad River (SITE 011-01-EAB2F)
- Bridge over Broad River (SITE 011-01-9A58C)

in Buncombe County to be let at 2:00 PM on Wednesday, June 17, 2026.

The date of availability for bridge construction at site (Site 011-01-CBDEE) (1387 Dillingham RD) is the date the Contractor begins work, but not before **July 1, 2026 or later than May 12, 2027**. The completion date for this contract is the date that is **Eighty (80)** consecutive calendar days after and including the date of availability.

The date of availability for bridge construction at site (Site 011-01-98254) (814 N Turkey Creek RD) is the date the Contractor begins work, but not before **July 1, 2026 or later than May 21, 2027**. The completion date for this contract is the date that is **Seventy (70)** consecutive calendar days after and including the date of availability.

The date of availability for bridge construction at site (Site E 011-01-EAB2F) (NC HWY 9) is the date the Contractor begins work, but not before **July 1, 2026 or later than May 3, 2027**. The completion date for this contract is the date that is **Ninety (90)** consecutive calendar days after and including the date of availability.

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The date of availability for bridge construction at site (Site 011-01-9A58C) (2511 NC HWY 9) is the date the Contractor begins work, but not before **July 1, 2026 or later than April 22, 2027**. The completion date for this contract is the date that is **One Hundred (100)** consecutive calendar days after and including the date of availability.

Because of the unusual nature of the work involved and in order for all prospective bidders to have extensive knowledge of the project, an open, virtual Pre-Bid Conference will be held for all interested parties on **Wednesday, June 3, 2026 at 10:00 am.**

Microsoft Teams meeting

<https://teams.microsoft.com/meet/263355138001281?p=goOHwwCaRRfBrnVuWS>

tel:+19842041487,,503234997#United States, Raleigh

Phone conference ID: 503 234 997#

**This is not a mandatory pre-bid conference however all potential bidders are strongly encouraged to attend.**

Sealed bids must be received in the NC Department of Transportation Division Office at 55 Orange Street, Asheville, NC 28801 by 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, June 17, 2026. Bids must be submitted on the official bid sheet included in the proposal and display the following statement on the front of the envelope:

**QUOTATION FOR: CONTRACT – PRB.36403 – DESIGN BID BUILD BRIDGE REPLACEMENT ON PRIVATE ROADS LOCATED AT 1387 DILLINGHAM RD, 814 N TURKEY CREEK RD, NC HWY 9, AND 2511 NC HWY 9 IN BUNCOMBE COUNTY TO BE OPENED AT 2:00 PM ON, JUNE 17, 2026.**

**ATTN: CHAD LOFTIS**

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. Firms that wish to perform as a subcontractor to the prime contractor must be prequalified prior to beginning work on the project. 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.

The bid opening will be conducted live at 2:00 PM at the Division 13 Office located at 55 Orange Street, Asheville, NC 28801. Click the link below to join remotely at 1:50 PM on June 17, 2026.

[Click here to join the meeting](#) or by phone [+1 984-204-1487](tel:+19842041487).,207218611# United States, Raleigh  
Phone conference ID: 207 218 611#

Sincerely,

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Division Contracts Engineer

cc: Tim Anderson, P.E., Division 13 Engineer  
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