



STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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November 4, 2024

NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS

Subject: Invitation to Bid on Purchase Order Contract D13POC.D2.15184.

County: Buncombe, Madison, and Yancey

Project Description: Emergency Slope Stabilization Upon Request

The North Carolina Department of Transportation is requesting bids for emergency slope stabilization upon request in Buncombe, Madison, and Yancey Counties to be let at 2:00 PM on Thursday, November 7, 2024.

The availability date for this project is **November 14, 2024**.

The completion date for this project is **November 13, 2025**.

EMERGENCY BID REQUIREMENTS

This is an Emergency Response contract and as such, the Department has determined that it is not feasible nor in the public's interest to comply with statutory bidding requirements in obtaining equipment and/or contractors for assistance in our cleanup efforts. This is being done pursuant to the authority granted by G.S. 136-28.1 (e). As a result, the following changes apply to this contract:

Any firm that wishes to bid as a prime contractor shall be prequalified with NCDOT as a Bidder or PO Prime Contractor or have the ability to become prequalified for the work being performed within 14 days of receipt of the contract. . Information regarding prequalification can be found at: <https://connect.ncdot.gov/business/Prequal/Pages/default.aspx>.

Prior to performing the work, the prime contractor and/or subcontractor(s) shall be prequalified in the work code(s) which are identified as work items in the prime contractor's construction progress schedule that they will complete themselves. Any contractor identified as working outside their expertise may be considered in default of contract.

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A minimum of 3 contractors will be solicited to bid for work on this contract.

Bids shall be emailed to Chad Loftis at the following email address celoftis@ncdot.gov and must be time stamped in the inbox no later than 2:00 P.M. on Thursday, November 7, 2024.

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>

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.

Statements of Disadvantaged Business Enterprises participation must be presented with the bids.

Sincerely,

Chad Loftis
Division Contracts Engineer

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Chad Loftis
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- cc: Tim Anderson, P.E., Division Engineer
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