STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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November 10, 2026

NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS

Subject: Invitation to Bid on Purchase Order Contract PRB.41630

County: McDowell

Project Description: Helene Relief – Construction of Standard Bridge Replacement at 110 Hummingbird Lane, Old Fort

The North Carolina Department of Public Safety Emergency Management Division and the Department of Transportation are requesting bids for the construction of a Standard Bridge Replacement on a private road located at 110 Hummingbird Lane in Old Fort over Newberry Creek in McDowell County to be let at 2:00 PM on Wednesday, December 2, 2026.

The date of availability for bridge construction at site is the date the Contractor begins work, but not before January 15, 2026 and no later than July 4, 2027.

The completion date for this contract is the date that is sixty (60) 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, November 18, 2026 at 10:00 am.

Microsoft Teams meeting
Join: https://teams.microsoft.com/meet/2594476544871661?p=bcVEyds1mltY0q23FT
+1 984-204-1487,,897129390# United States, Raleigh
Phone conference ID: 897 129 390#

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, December 2, 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:

Mailing Address:
NC DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
DIVISION THIRTEEN
55 ORANGE STREET
ASHEVILLE, NC 28801-2340

Telephone: (828) 250-3000
Fax: (828) 251-6394
Customer Service: 1-877-368-4968

Website: www.ncdot.gov

Location:
55 ORANGE STREET
ASHEVILLE, NC 28801-2340

QUOTATION FOR: CONTRACT – PRB.41630 STANDARD BRIDGE REPLACEMENT ON PRIVATE ROADS LOCATED AT 110 HUMMINGBIRD LANE IN MCDOWELL COUNTY, TO BE OPENED AT 2:00 PM ON, WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 2, 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 December 2, 2026.

Click here to join the meeting or **Dial in by phone +1 984-204-1487,, 249103633#**United States, Raleigh Phone conference ID: **249 103 633#**

Sincerely,

DocuSigned by:
Chad Loftis
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Chad Loftis
Division Contracts Engineer

cc: Tim Anderson, P.E., Division 13 Engineer
Kristin Moyle, NCDPS/NCEM
Chris Deyton, P.E., Deputy Division 13 Engineer
Gabriel Johnson, P.E., Division 13 Project Manager
Steve Cannon, P.E., Division 13 Project Development Engineer
Brendan Merithew, P.E., Division 13 Project Team Lead