



STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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September 19, 2014

NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS

Subject: Installation of (Crown) Zoysia sod

Route: US 19 & 19 E

County: Madison and Yancey

Project Description: To install (Crown) Zoysia sod for thirty-five (35) median inlands. The work consists of applying herbicides, rotovating and installation of (Crown) Zoysia sod and watering.

The North Carolina Department of Transportation is requesting bids for (Crown) Zoysia Sod along US 19 at California Creek to the Yancey and Madison County Line and along US 19 & 19E in Yancey County to Phipps Creek Road (SR 1136) and Old US 19E. The Contractor is to furnish labor, material, equipment, and traffic control for installation of approximately 28,000 LFT of Zoysia Sod.

The availability date for this project is March 1, 2015

The completion date is April 20, 2015

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, October 15, 2014. 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 NO.: 11425939; INSTALLATION OF (Crown) ZOYSIA SOD IN MADISON & YANCEY COUNTIES TO BE OPENED AT 2:00 P.M. ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2014.

ATTN: MIKE CALLOWAY, DIVISION PROJECT MANAGER

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 by the Contractual Services Unit, a search of the Directory of Transportation Firms can be performed at the following website: <https://apps.dot.state.nc.us/vendor/directory/>

It shall be the responsibility of the bidder to check our website for any addenda prior to submitting their bids. **Bids submitted without project addenda included will not be considered for award.**

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.

Proposals may be obtained online at: https://connect.ncdot.gov/letting/Pages/Letting-List.aspx?let_type=13 or from the Division Engineer's office at 55 Orange Street, Asheville, NC 28801. To be considered for award, proposals obtained from the Departments website shall be printed in their entirety and submitted per the Instruction to Bidders directions. For all other request for proposals, please contact Ms. Renee Chambard, Division Staff Engineer at (828) 251-6171.

Cordially,

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M. K. Calloway

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Division Project Manager

cc: Mr. J.J. Swain, Jr., P.E., Division Engineer
Mr. D. R. McNeal P.E., Division Operations Engineer
Mr. F.K. Blazer Acting Division Roadside Environmental Engineer