

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS

Contract Number: DN00690 **TIP Number:** EB-5859

Federal Aid Number: TAP-1422 (016)

WBS Number: 47315.3.1; 17BP.14.R.128

County: Haywood

Location: SR-1173 (Plott Creek Rd.) and Hazelwood Ave. **Description:** Sidewalk, Curb and Gutter And Drainage

Project Length: 0.51 Miles

Letting Date: October 13, 2020

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 Disadvantage Business Enterprises participation must be presented with the bids.

BID OPENING

Electronic bids must be received in Bid Express by 2:00 PM on Tuesday, October 13, 2020.

OTHER INFORMATION

COVID-19 RESTRICTED BID OPENING ATTENDANCE

Due to the ongoing COVID-19 event, the bid opening for DN00726 will not be open to public attendance. If a bidder wishes, he or she may attend the bid opening via conference call using the following phone number and access code:

Conference Call Phone Number: 877-336-1828

Access Code: 8766977

"As-read" bids results should be posted to the Bidding & Letting website within two hours of opening.

Mailing Address: NC DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS - DIVISION 14 253 WEBSTER ROAD SYLVA, NC 28779 Telephone: (828) 586-2141 Fax: (828) 586-4043 Customer Service: 1-877-368-4968 Location: 253 WEBSTER ROAD SYLVA, NC 28779

Website: www.ncdot.gov

For those proposals requiring electronic bid submission through Bid Express, Validation requests to the Contract Office are no longer required and will not be issued. Bid Express tracks this information.

There is NO pre bid meeting associated with this proposal.

The contract proposal is available online at https://connect.ncdot.gov/letting/Pages/Division.aspx. The printing of all bid-related documents, including the proposal, plans, and any supplemental project information shall be the responsibility of the bidder. Division 14 will no longer provide hard copies of bid documents. Supplemental project information and addendums will be posted at https://connect.ncdot.gov/letting/Pages/Division.aspx.

Bidders must be prequalified as Bidder or PO Prime Contractor at the time of letting in order to be considered responsible. Information about prequalification can be found at https://connect.ncdot.gov/business/Prequal/Pages/Default.aspx.

Electronic bidding is required.

As of January 1, 2018 Division 14 can accept electronic bids through Bid Express®.

Any addenda, associated to this contract, will be posted as follows:

- All ebs addenda files will be posted to the Bid Express® website.
- All addenda documentation will be posted to the Division 14 Bidding & Letting website.

Do <u>NOT</u> submit bids for the project let by Division 14 to the NCDOT <u>Statewide</u> Project Letting Office.

Project specific questions should be directed to the Division 14 Contract Office at d14contracts@ncdot.gov.