

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

ROY COOPER GOVERNOR JAMES H. TROGDON, III Secretary

October 22, 2018

NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS

Contract Number:	DN00659
TIP Number:	ER-5600NA
Federal Aid Number:	STBG-0040(083)
WBS Number:	15RE.11.3, 46305.3.53
County:	Haywood
Location:	I-40 Eastbound Rest Area at Mile Marker 10
Description:	Rest Area Building Renovation/ Landscape Enhancement
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Letting Date: November 13, 2018

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, November 13, 2018.

OTHER INFORMATION

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.

Bidders must attend the pre bid meeting and sign the sign in sheet to be considered a valid plan holder; bidders should bring a printed copy of the proposal, plans, and any relevant supplemental documentation to the pre-bid meeting, as hard copies of these documents will not be supplied by NCDOT.

The contract proposal is available online at <u>https://connect.ncdot.gov/letting/Pages/Division.aspx</u>. The printing of all bid-related documents, including the proposal, plans, and any supplemental

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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 <u>HTTPS://CONNECT.NCDOT.GOV/BUSINESS/PREQUAL/PAGES/DEFAULT.ASPX</u>.

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>State wide</u> Project Letting Office.

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