

December 30, 2015

## NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS

Subject: Invitation to Bid
Division Three Bridge Maintenance
New Hanover County

WBS ELEMENT: 17BP.3.R.28 CONTRACT: DC00078

The North Carolina Department of Transportation is requesting bids for the State Funded Replacement of New Hanover County Culvert # 28 Greenfield Lake Overflow. The contractor must furnish all labor, materials, personnel and equipment.

The department of Transportation does not exclude any person from participating in, deny any person the benefits of, or otherwise discriminate against anyone in connection with the award and performance of any contract covered by this program on the basis of race, color, sex, political affiliation/influence, or nation origin.

## MANDATORY PRE-BID CONFERENCE

Attendance is required at this pre-bid conference. Only those contractors that have properly registered at the meeting will be allowed to bid on this project. The meeting begins promptly at 2:00 pm on Tuesday January 26, 2016. The meeting will be held at 5504 Barbados Blvd, Castle Hayne NC 28429. The doors will close at 2:00 pm and no one will be admitted after that time.

## **BID OPENING**

Sealed bids must be received at the Division 3 Engineer's Office at 5501 Barbados Blvd., Castle Hayne, North Carolina 28429 on Thursday February 18, 2016 by 2:00 pm. Bids must be submitted on the official bid form included in the contract proposal and shall display the following statement on the front of the bid envelope:

QUOTATION FOR WBS ELEMENT 17BP.3.R.28: STATE FUNDED REPLACEMENT OF NEW HANOVER COUNTY CULVERT #28 GREENFIELD LAKE OVERFLOW TO BE OPENED AT 2:00 PM ON THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2016.



The availability date for this project is April 11, 2016. The construction completion date is November 18, 2016. This project is subject to Permanent Vegetation Establishment special provision, which holds the contractor responsible for 80% permanent vegetative coverage within 180 days following the structure completion, no later than May 17, 2017.

Effective July1, 2014, Division Let contract should be only awarded to firms listed in the Directory of Transportation Firms as either a Bidder or PO Prime Contractor. After this date, firms that are prequalified as subcontractor only cannot bid on Division let projects. Applications and details on becoming a prequalified bidder or PO Prime Contractor can be found at https://connect.ncdot.gov/business/Prequal/Pages/default/aspx.

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.FR., Part 21), issued pursuant to such act, herby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that the contract entered in to 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 Minority and Women Owned Business Enterprise participants must be presented with the bids. MBE goals are 3.0% and WBE goals are 2.0% for this contract.

> Proposal packages **must** be obtained by visiting: https://connect.ncdot.gov/letting/Pages/Letting-List.aspx?let\_type=3 and clicking on the appropriate let date.

If you have any questions, or need additional information concerning this project, contact Anthony Law at 910-341-2000 or alwa@ncdot.gov Please refer to the project number when making inquiries regarding this project.

For information on other projects in Division 3 and throughout the state, please visit https://connect.ncdot.gov/letting/Pages/default.aspx

Sincerely,

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