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March 10, 2016

NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS

Subject: Invitation to Bid

Division Three
Sampson County

WBS ELEMENT: 17BP.3.R.40

CONTRACT: DC00122

The North Carolina Department of Transportation is requesting bids for the **State Funded Replacement of Sampson County Bridge #167**. The contractor must furnish all labor, materials, personnel and equipment.

The Department of Transportation does not exclude any person from participations 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 national origin.

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, March 31, 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.40: STATE FUNDED
REPLACEMENT OF SAMPSON COUNTY BRIDGE #167 TO BE OPENED
AT 2:00 PM ON THURSDAY, MARCH 31, 2016.

The availability date for this project is May 16, 2016. The construction completion date is September 14, 2016. This project is subject to the 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 February 17, 2017

ATTENTION!! THERE WILL NOT BE A PRE-BID CONFERENCE FOR THIS PROJECT. THE BIDDER ACKNOWLEDGES THAT THEY HAVE VISITED AND ARE FAMILIAR WITH THE PROJECT SITES.



Effective July 1, 2014, Division Let contracts should only be awarded to firms listed in the Directory of Firms as either a Bidder or PO Prime Contractor. After this date, firms that are prequalified as subcontractors 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.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 nation origin.

Statements of Minority and Women Owned Business Enterprise participation must be presented with the bids. MBE goals are 2.0% and WBE goals are 1.0% for this contract.

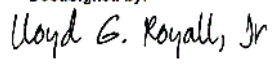
Proposal packages **must** be obtained by visiting:

https://connect.ncdot.gov/letting/Pages/Letting-List.aspx?let_type=3
and clicking on the appropriate let date.

Please refer to the CONTRACT ID referenced in the proposal when making inquiries regarding this project. If you have questions, or need additional information concerning this project, contact Anthony W. Law at 910-341-2000 or email alaw@ncdot.gov.

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

Sincerely,

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Lloyd G. Royall, Jr., PLS
Division Proposals Engineer

cc: Mr. Anthony W. Law, NCDOT
Mr. Robert A. Vause, PE, NCDOT