

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

BEVERLY EAVES PERDUE GOVERNOR DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS

EUGENE A. CONTI, JR. Secretary

295 Wilmington Highway Suite A Jacksonville, North Carolina 28540 July 11, 2012

NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS

Subject: Invitation to Bid

- **Project Description:** Widen and Resurface in Onslow County
- WBS Element : 43251

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The North Carolina Department of Transportation is requesting bids to Widen and Resurface in Onslow County. The project will include approximately 2,520 Tons of ACBC Type B 25.0 B Asphalt, and 5450 Tons of ACSC Type S 9.5 B, 132,650 LF of Striping, 240 Raised Pavement Markers, 7.18 Shoulder Miles of Shoulder Reconstruction, 3.48 Acres of Seeding & Mulching and other Erosion Control Methods. All quantities are estimates only. The Contractor is to furnish labor, material, equipment, and traffic control.

The availability date for this project is August 27, 2012. The completion date is November 9, 2012.

Sealed bids must be received in the Division 3 Engineer's Office at 5501 Barbados Blvd., Castle Hayne, North Carolina 28429 by 2:00 PM on Thursday August 2, 2012. 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 WBS ELEMENT # 43251: WIDEN AND RESURFACE TO BE OPENED AT 2:00 PM ON THURSDAY, AUGUST 2, 2012.

Beginning **July 1, 2009**, any firm that wishes 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 of work they wish to perform. Firms that wish to bid on these projects as the prime contractor must be prequalified <u>prior to submitting a bid</u>. Firms that wish to perform as a subcontractor to the prime contractor must be prequalified <u>prior to beginning work on the</u> <u>project</u>.

For the purposes of prequalification, any firm that is currently prequalified as a prime or a subcontractor on central let projects for the appropriate work codes is considered eligible to work and/or bid on Purchase Order Contracts as long as other items such as bonding and license requirements for the contract are met.

Information regarding the requirements to become prequalified as a Purchase Order Contract contractor, including the application to become prequalified if you are not already prequalified, can be found at the following website: http://www.ncdot.org/business/howtogetstarted/

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 DBE participation must be presented with the bids. DBE goals are 3.0% for this contract.

Proposals may be obtained from:

http://www.ncdot.org/doh/operations/division3/

Click the link for "Bid Opportunities". Follow the Planholder Instructions.

Please refer to the WBS Element referenced when making inquiries regarding this project. If you have questions, or need additional information concerning this project, contact Wayne Whorton at 910-346-2040.

Visit <u>http://www.ncdot.org/doh/</u> select a division number from the state map for other projects in Division 3 and other divisions in the state.

Sincerely,

Wayne Whorton Assistant District Engineer

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cc: Associated General Contractors of America, Inc. The HOTSHEET, Mr. Fred Arendt, QA Lab Judith Corley-Lay, PhD, PE Mr. Tim Brewington Mr. Stonewall Mathis, PE Mr. L.G. Royall, PLS Mr. Warren Wethington