

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

ROY COOPER GOVERNOR J. ERIC BOYETTE Secretary

July 7, 2021

NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS

Subject: Invitation to Bid

D9-ITS-2021 CONTRACT: WBS ELEMENT: TBD TIP NO: N/A FEDERAL AID NO: N/A **COUNTY:** Alamance, Davidson, Forsyth, Guilford, Orange, Randolph, Rowan **ROUTE:** Various **DESCRIPTION:** Annual Needs for Underground and Aerial Fiber Optic Cable Installation. Splicing and Repair **BID OPENING:** July 28, 2021 @ 2:00 PM

The North Carolina Department of Transportation is requesting bids for the above subject Contract Proposal. The Contractor is to furnish labor, material, and equipment.

The date of availability for this contract is Date of Purchase Order.

The completion date for this contract is June 30, 2022, with the option to extend for two (2) additional periods of one (1) year each for a maximum period of three (3) years total.

Sealed bids must be received in the Division Office at 375 SILAS CREEK PARKWAY, WINSTON-SALEM, NC 27127 by **2:00 PM on Wednesday, July 28, 2021**. Bids must be submitted on the official bid sheets included in the proposal and display the following statement on the front of the envelope:

Name and Address of Company and "CONTRACT # D9-ITS-2021 – ANNUAL NEEDS FOR UNDERGROUND AND AERIAL FIBER OPTIC CABLE INSTALLATION, SPLICING AND REPAIR TO BE OPENED AT 2:00 PM ON JULY 28, 2021"

Mailing Address: NC DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION DIVISION 9 – PROJECT DEVELOPMENT 375 SILAS CREEK PARKWAY WINSTON-SALEM, NC 27127 *Telephone:* (336) 747-7800 *Fax:* (336) 761-2004 *Location:* 375 SILAS CREEK PARKWAY WINSTON-SALEM, NC 27127

Website: www.ncdot.gov

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PAPER BIDS (UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED IN THE PROJECT SPECIAL PROVISIONS) FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE FOLLOWING PROJECT WILL BE PUBLICLY READ AT DIVISION 9 LOCATED AT 375 SILAS CREEK PARKWAY, WINSTON-SALEM, NC AT 2:00 PM ON JULY 28, 2021. NO PAPER BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED AFTER 2:00 PM.

The public letting for July 28, 2021 will be held via conference call. If a bidder wishes, they may join the conference call just prior to 2:00 p.m. by calling the number below:

Conference Call Phone Number: 336-334-3150

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 ensure that the contract entered into pursuant to this notice will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder(s) without discrimination on the grounds of sex, race, color, or national origin.

Contractors must be pre-qualified by NCDOT prior to bidding on this project. If you have questions about the proposal, or need additional information concerning this project, contact Jeff Turner at (336) 747-7800

Sincerely,

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William J. Turner Division Proposals Engineer

cc: S.P. Ivey, P.E., Division Engineer
Division Project Development Engineer
J. P. Rhyne, P.E., Division Maintenance Engineer
J. M. Crook, P.E., Division Staff Maintenance Engineer
L. L. Puckett, P.E., Division Construction Engineer
Regional ITS Engineer