

# STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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# NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE

Contract ID: DN-11111244

WBS Number: 14.102011; 14.202011; 14.202021

County: Cherokee

Description: Long Arm Mowing Letting Date: March 27, 2012 Availability: April 23, 2012

The Department of Transportation does not exclude any person from participation 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.

#### SBE PROGRAM INFORMATION

This is a SBE contract and to qualify for the NCDOT SBE Program a firm must have an annual gross income of \$1,500,000 or less, exclusive of materials. Only contractors currently certified as a SBE Contractor by the Contractual Services Unit of NCDOT and is listed in the Directory of Transportation Firms at bid opening will be eligible to bid on this project. Prospective bidders who qualify for the SBE Program and are not currently certified should submit a completed application packet prior to bid submittal to allow for review time. The application packet and additional information on the program may be obtained online at:

http://www.ncdot.org/business/ocs/sbe/

Per G.S. 136-28.10, a NC General Contractor's license may be waived for SBE contracts.

Per G.S. 136-28.10, contract payment and performance bonds may be waived.

## **BID OPENING**

Sealed bids must be received in the Division 14 Office at 253 Webster Road, Sylva, NC 28779 by 2:00 PM on Tuesday, March 27, 2012.

## OTHER INFORMATION

A mandatory pre bid meeting will be held Tuesday March 20, 2012 at 10:00 AM at the District 3 Conference Room 191 Robbinsville Road Andrews, NC. Bid shall be submitted on the official bound copy provided by the Department. Contract proposal may be obtained at the pre bid meeting. Questions should be addressed to <a href="mailto:d14contracts@ncdot.gov">d14contracts@ncdot.gov</a>.

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