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NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS
SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE

Contract Number: DN11542028
TIP Number: N/A
Federal Aid Number: N/A
WBS Number: 14.203818.2
County: GRAHAM
Location: VARIOUS
Description: LONG ARM MOWING

Letting Date: DECEMBER 8, 2015

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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 Contract Office at 253 Webster Road, Sylva, NC 28779 by 2:00 PM on Tuesday, December 8, 2015. Bids must be submitted on the official bid sheet as described in the project special provisions.

OTHER INFORMATION
The contract proposal is available online at https://connect.ncdot.gov/letting/Pages/Division.aspx. The printing of all bid-related documents, including the proposal, plans, and any supplemental project information shall be the responsibility of the bidder. Division 14 will no longer provide hard copies of bid documents. Bidders must request a validation email from

d14contracts@ncdot.gov to be considered a valid plan holder. Supplemental project information and addendums will be posted at https://connect.ncdot.gov/letting/Pages/Division.aspx.

Project specific questions should be addressed to Mr. Jeffrey E. Alspaugh, Division Proposal Engineer at jealspaugh@ncdot.gov.

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