



STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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June 25, 2015

NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS

Subject: Invitation to Bid
Project includes: Mandatory Pre-bid conference and Proposal Review

All prospective bidders shall attend a Mandatory Pre-Bid Conference as shown below:

Date: July 16, 2015

Time: 10:00 AM

Place: Division Three Division Office Conference Room
Location: 5501 Barbados Blvd., Castle Hayne, NC 28429
County: New Hanover
Contact for Directions: 910-341-2000

NOTE: The Mandatory Pre-Bid Conference will begin promptly at 10:00 AM. An official clock for the pre-bid conference will be designated. Contractors who are late will not be permitted to sign in or to participate in the conference.

- ***Project Description:*** Plant Bed Maintenance, mowing and mulching at various plant beds in Brunswick, New Hanover, and Onslow Counties
- ***WBS Element #:*** 3.101013, 3.201013, 3.106513, 3.206513, 3.106713, 3.206713

The North Carolina Department of Transportation is requesting bids for Plant Bed Maintenance, mowing and mulching at various plant beds in Brunswick, New Hanover, and Onslow Counties

Sealed bids must be received in the Division 3 Engineer's Office at 5501 Barbados Blvd., Castle Hayne, and North Carolina 28429 by 2:00 PM on Thursday August 6th, 2015. **Entire bid package must be submitted by the contractor at the Bid Letting or the bid will be deemed irregular and rejected.** 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

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

Proposals shall be obtained from:

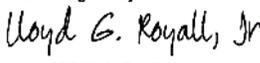
https://connect.ncdot.gov/letting/Pages/Letting-List.aspx?let_type=3

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 Keith Jackson at 910-259-4919 or email jkjackson@ncdot.gov

Visit <http://connect.ncdot.gov/letting/Pages/Division.aspx> select a division number from the state map for other projects in Division 3 and other divisions in the state.

Sincerely,

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