

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BID
CITY OF WILMINGTON, NC
SIGNAL PREEMPTION FOR EMERGENCY VEHICLES
PROJECT NUMBER: 17TR15/NCDOT U-5534T

Pursuant to North Carolina General Statute 143-129, sealed proposals addressed to the Purchasing Manager, P. O. Box 1810, 305 Chestnut Street, 5th Floor, Wilmington, NC 28402, and marked "SIGNAL PREEMPTION FOR EMERGENCY VEHICLES No. 17TR15/NCDOT U5534T" will be received until 3:00 p.m., August 8, 2019 at which time they will be publicly opened and read at the Purchasing Division, 305 Chestnut Street, 5th Floor, Wilmington, NC. The City will receive SINGLE PRIME BIDS ONLY for this project.

Project Description : This work will provide signal preemption capabilities at 27 roadway intersections in Wilmington for use with fire and emergency vehicles by installing radio/gps onto traffic signal equipment. This project is federally grant funded thru TIP U-5534.

All firms submitting bids for the proposed work must be properly licensed under Chapter 87, N. C. General Statutes. The bidder's license number must appear on the outside of the envelope. Bidders are required to be prequalified with NCDOT for their specific discipline in order to be considered for this work. Please refer to **Section 102-2 of the NCDOT 2018 Standard Specifications**. Contractors wishing to become prequalified may obtain information through the NCDOT webs <http://www.ncdot.gov/business/>. Bids received from firms that are not pre-qualified will not be opened.

In accordance with the North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) Disadvantaged Business Enterprise, the bidder shall make good faith efforts, as defined by the Bid Specifications, to subcontract 0% DBE of the dollar value of the prime contract to businesses which are at least 51% owned and controlled by minority, socially, and/or economically disadvantaged individuals (DBE'S).

Potential Subcontract opportunities which may exist on this project include, but may not be limited to Signal Work, Suppliers and other items not specifically referenced herein.

If the bidder fails to achieve the contract goal stated herein, it is required to provide documentation demonstrating that it made a good faith effort in attempting to meet the established goals. A bid which fails to meet these requirements will be considered non-responsive and will be rejected.

Plans, Specifications and Bid Documents are available at the Office of the Purchasing Manager, Wilmington, NC at the above address. If you would like the bid documents mailed to you, a Fed-ex number must be provided.

Potential subcontractors may secure a list of potential prime contractors from the Purchasing Manager at the above address.

The City of Wilmington does not discriminate on the basis of race, sex, color, age, national origin, religion or disability in its employment opportunities, programs, services, or activities.

Bids for this project shall be guaranteed by all bidders for a period of 90 calendar days following the bid opening.

THE CITY OF WILMINGTON RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY AND ALL BIDS.

Daryle L. Parker
Purchasing Manager
Advertised via Internet: July 11, 2019