

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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SECRETARY

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NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS

Subject: Invitation to Bid

The North Carolina Department of Transportation is requesting bids for the Installation of Detour Signing & Traffic Control Devices for Scheduled Maintenance/Construction Activities & Permanent Signing on State Maintained Roads in Bladen, Columbus, Cumberland, Harnett and Robeson Counties. The Contractor is to furnish material, labor, equipment, and traffic control.

The availability date for this project is January 22, 2015. The completion date for this project is December 31, 2015. At the option of the Department, this contract may be extended for two (2) additional periods of one (1) year with a maximum contract period of three (3) years. The unit bid prices will be increased by five (5) percent for each one (1) year extension. No changes in the terms, conditions, etc. of this contract will be made when an extension to the contract is implemented.

Sealed bids must be received in the Contract Officer's Office at the Division 6 office at 558 Gillespie Street, Fayetteville, North Carolina by **10:00 a.m., January 7, 2015**. 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 ELEMENTS 6.100912, 6.102412, 6.102612, 6.104312, 6.107812, 6.200912, 6.102412, 6.202612, 6.204312, 6.204312 FOR THE INSTALLATION OF DETOUR SIGNING & TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES FOR SCHEDULED MAINTENANCE/CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES AND PERMANENT SIGNING ON STATE MAINTAINED ROADS

All Prospective bidders shall attend a Mandatory Pre-Bid Conference at the location shown below. This conference will be conducted by Department personnel for the purpose of providing additional information about the project and to give bidders an opportunity to ask any questions they may have. No questions concerning the project will be answered by any personnel at any time except at the project showing.

Bidders shall meet at the Division 6 Conference Room at 558 Gillespie Street, Fayetteville, North Carolina on December 30, 2014 at 10:00 AM for the Pre-Bid Conference.

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.

Any firm that wishes to bid as a prime contractor shall be prequalified as a Bidder or PO Prime Contractor prior to submitting a bid. Information regarding prequalification can be found at: https://connect.ncdot.gov/business/Prequal/Pages/default.aspx.

Statements of Disadvantaged Business Enterprises participation must be presented with the bids. (Goals are 0% for this project).

Proposals may be obtained from the Division Six web site: https://connect.ncdot.gov/letting/Pages/Letting-List.aspx?let_type=6

Should you have questions, need additional information concerning this project, or need additional information pertaining to the bid or bidding process, please contact Allen Waddell - Division Proposals Engineer at (910)-486-1493.

Sincerely,

R. Allen Waddell, P. E.

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Division Proposals Engineer

cc: G. W. Burns, P.E., Division Engineer Jerry Bradley, P.E., Division Operations Engineer Frank West, Division Traffic Engineer Kent Langdon, Asst. Division Traffic Engineer