



STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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August 14, 2024

**NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS -**  
**Subject: Invitation to Bid**  
Division Seven

CONTRACT ID: DG00635  
WBS ELEMENT NO.: 34900.3.6 & 34900.3.7  
TIP NO.: U-3109A(L) & U3109B(L)  
COUNTY: ALAMANCE  
LOCATION: I-40/85 AT NC 119 AND US 70  
TYPE OF WORK: LANDSCAPE PLANTINGS  
BID OPENING: SEPTEMBER 5, 2024, AT 2:00 PM

**The date of availability for this project is October 2, 2024.**  
**The completion date for this project is May 29, 2028.**

The North Carolina Department of Transportation is requesting bids for **landscape plantings on I-40/85 at NC 119 and NC 119 at US 70 in Alamance County**. All quantities are estimates. The Contractor shall furnish labor, equipment and materials.

**Statements of Disadvantaged Business Enterprises participation must be presented with this bid. The combined DBE goal is 10% for this contract.**

**Contractors bidding on NCDOT contracts must sign up for the Interested Parties List for each project they intend to submit a bid. As part of this requirement, Contractors must sign up for the Interested Parties List no later than one business day prior to the Letting Date.**

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 ensure 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.

**BID OPENING**

Electronic bids must be received in Bid Express, by 2:00 p.m. on September 5, 2024. Bids will be opened and publicly read at NCDOT Division 7 Office, 1584 Yanceyville Street, Greensboro, NC at the above date, shortly after the time that the bids submissions are due. The As-Read Bids Summaries will be posted within 48 hours of the bid opening. Results **will not** be provided by any other means than posting to the website.

**The public letting will be held via conference call.** You may join the conference call just prior to 2:00 pm on 9/5/2024. Please dial (919) 250-7881, announce name and company name when prompted.

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*Location:*  
1584 YANCEYVILLE STREET  
GREENSBORO, NC 27405

*Website:* [www.ncdot.gov](http://www.ncdot.gov)

## ELECTRONIC BIDDING

Electronic bidding is required through Bid Express®. Their website is [bidx.com](http://bidx.com)

For electronic bidding, the following files will be located on [bidx.com](http://bidx.com), exclusively. These files will **not** be included on the Bidding & Letting site on [Connect.NCDOT.gov](http://Connect.NCDOT.gov):

- EBSX files
- DBE\_NC.BIN files
- EBSX addenda files

Do **NOT** submit bids for the project let by Division 7 to the NCDOT **Statewide** Project Letting Office.

Bidx related questions should be directed to **Jaci Kincaid** at **(919) 707-6920**.

Note: It takes a few minutes for Division staff to download the electronic bids before those can be read. The download does not start until 2:00 PM on the day of the letting.

## BID DOCUMENTS

The contract proposal, plans and supplemental project information are 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 7 no longer provides hard copies of bid documents.

## PREQUALIFYING TO BID

All prospective bidders shall be prequalified with the Department of Transportation prior to submitting a bid. Contractors who are not prequalified may obtain information and forms for prequalifying from the Contractual Services Unit, Division of Highways, Department of Transportation, 1509 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC. All required prequalification statements and documents shall be filed with the Contractual Services Unit at least four weeks prior to the date of opening bids.

Applications and details on becoming a prequalified Bidder or PO Prime contractor can also be found at <https://connect.ncdot.gov/business/prequal/pages/default.aspx>.

## DIVISION CONTACT

**Questions shall be emailed to Jennifer Sour at [jsour@ncdot.gov](mailto:jsour@ncdot.gov) 7 calendar days prior to the bid opening. Contact with any other NCDOT personnel concerning this project is strictly prohibited and will result in bids being considered non-responsive.**

DocuSigned by:

*Jennifer A. Sour*

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Jennifer A. Sour

DIVISION PROPOSAL ENGINEER

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cc: file

cc: W. R. Archer, III, PE    M. P. Whitley, PE,    C. B. Smitherman, PE    S. D. Dixon  
      W. K. Albright        M. T. Barber            Prospective Bidders    Plan Rooms

Line #	Item Number	Sec #	Description	Quantity	Unit Cost	Amount
<b>ROADWAY ITEMS</b>						
0001	4457000000-N	SP	TEMPORARY TRAFFIC CONTROL	Lump Sum	L.S.	
0002	6075000000-E	1651	SELECTIVE TREE REMOVAL, *** 6"	14 EA		
0003	6135000000-E	SP	GENERIC EROSION CONTROL ITEM SILT SEEDING & FERTILIZER PRINCESS 77 BERMUDA	6.8 ACR		
0004	6141000000-E	SP	GENERIC EROSION CONTROL ITEM SELECTIVE VEGATATION REMOVAL	233 SY		
0005	6375000000-N	1670	ILEX X 'NELLIE R STEVENS', NELLIE R STEVENS HOLLY, 5-6'; #25	16 EA		
0006	6410000000-N	1670	JUNIPERUS VIRGINIANA, EASTERN RED CEDAR, 5-6'; #15	18 EA		
0007	6640000000-N	1670	GENERIC PLANTING ITEM ACER REBRUM 'OCTOBER GLORY', OCTOBER GLORY RED MAPLE, 2" CAL.: 8-10'; #25	18 EA		
0008	6640000000-N	1670	GENERIC PLANTING ITEM AMELANCHIER X GRANDIFLORA 'AUTUMN BRILLANCE' SERVICEBERRY, 5-6'; #15	40 EA		
0009	6640000000-N	1670	GENERIC PLANTING ITEM CERCIS CANADENSIS 'FOREST PANSY EASTERN REDBUD', 6-7'; #15	27 EA		
0010	6640000000-N	1670	GENERIC PLANTING ITEM CERCIS CANADENSIS 'FOREST PANSY REDBUD', 6-7'; #15	41 EA		
0011	6640000000-N	1670	GENERIC PLANTING ITEM CRATAEGUS VIRIDIS 'WINTER KING HAWTHORN, 6-7'; #15	43 EA		
0012	6640000000-N	1670	GENERIC PLANTING ITEM CRYPTOMERIA JAPONICA 'YOSHINO JAPENESE CEDAR', 7-8'; #25	22 EA		
0013	6640000000-N	1670	GENERIC PLANTING ITEM HYPERICUM FONDOSUM 'SUNBURST ST. JOHN'S WORT, 15-18"; #3	94 EA		
0014	6640000000-N	1670	GENERIC PLANTING ITEM ILEX OPACA 'SAYTR HILL' AMERICAN HOLLY, 6-7';#25	12 EA		

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0015	6640000000-N	1670	GENERIC PLANTING ITEM JUNIPERUS VIRGINIANA 'BURKII', BURK EASTERN RED CEDAR, 5-6';#15	38 EA		
0016	6640000000-N	1670	GENERIC PLANTING ITEM JUNIPERUS VIRGINIANA, EASTERN RED CEDAR; 6-7';#25	9 EA		
0017	6640000000-N	1670	GENERIC PLANTING ITEM MAGNOLIA GRANDIFLORA 'BRACKEN'S BROWN BEAUTY MAGNOLIA', 6-7'; #25	27 EA		
0018	6640000000-N	1670	GENERIC PLANTING ITEM MAGNOLIA GRANDIFLORA 'LITTLE GEM' MAGNOLIA, 6-7';#25	31 EA		
0019	6640000000-N	1670	GENERIC PLANTING ITEM MONTHLY ESTABLISHMENT	48 EA		
0020	6640000000-N	1670	GENERIC PLANTING ITEM MUHLENBERGIA CAPILLARIS 'WHITE CLOUD', WHITE MUHLY GRASS, 18- 24", #3	86 EA		
0021	6640000000-N	1670	GENERIC PLANTING ITEM NYSSA SYLVATICA 'WILDFIRE BLACK GUM TREE', 5-6', #25	13 EA		
0022	6640000000-N	1670	GENERIC PLANTING ITEM PANICUM VIRGATUM 'CLOUD NINE' SWITCHGRASS, 6-12", #1	910 EA		
0023	6640000000-N	1670	GENERIC PLANTING ITEM PINUS TAEDA 'LOBLOLLY PINE', 6-7', #15	28 EA		
0024	6640000000-N	1670	GENERIC PLANTING ITEM QUERCUS PHELLOS 'QPSTA' HIGHTOWER WILLOW OAK, 2-2.5", #25	23 EA		
0025	6640000000-N	1670	GENERIC PLANTING ITEM QUERCUS SHUMARDII, 'SHUMARD OAK', 2-2.5";#25	34 EA		
0026	6640000000-N	1670	GENERIC PLANTING ITEM RUDBECKIA FULGIDA 'LITTLE GOLDSTAR' BLACK EYED SUSAN, 6- 12";#1	671 EA		
0027	6640000000-N	1670	GENERIC PLANTING ITEM RUDBECKIA FULGIDA VAR SULIVANTII 'GOLDSTURM' BLACK EYED SUSAN,6- 12";#1	277 EA		

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0028	6640000000-N	1670	GENERIC PLANTING ITEM THUJA ACCIDENTALIS 'CONGABE', FIRE CHIEF ARBORVITAE, 15-18";#3	111 EA		
0029	6650000000-E	1670	MULCH FOR PLANTING DEPTH 4"	1,518 CY		
0030	6650000000-E	1670	MULCH FOR PLANTING MULCH FOR PLANTING (1 YEAR); DEPTH OF 4"	299 CY		
0031	6650000000-E	1670	MULCH FOR PLANTING MULCH FOR PLANTING (2 YEAR); DEPTH OF 2"	151 CY		
0032	6650000000-E	1670	MULCH FOR PLANTING MULCH FOR PLANTING (3 YEAR); DEPTH OF 2"	151 CY		
0033	6655000000-E	1670	WATER FOR PLANTING	42 M/G		
0034	6655000000-E	1670	WATER FOR PLANTING WATER FOR PLANTING ( 1YEAR )	11 M/G		
0035	6655000000-E	1670	WATER FOR PLANTING WATER FOR PLANTING (2 YEAR)	6 M/G		
0036	6655000000-E	1670	WATER FOR PLANTING WATER FOR PLANTING (3 YEAR)	3 M/G		
0037	6665000000-E	1670	POSTEMERGENT HERBICIDAL TREATMENT FOR PLANT BEDS	16,518 SY		
0038	6670000000-E	1670	PREEMERGENT HERBICIDAL TREATMENT FOR PLANT BEDS	16,518 SY		

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Total Amount Of Bid For Entire Project :