INVITATION TO BID CITY OF REPUBLIC ROUTE 174 TRAIL AND SIDEWALK Sealed bids for the City of Republic Route 174 Trail and Sidewalk will be received at: City of Republic, 213 N. Main, Republic, MO 65738, until 10:00 o'clock A.M. (Prevailing Local Time) on the 16th day of March 2017, at the office of the City Clerk, 213 N. Main, Republic, MO 65738, and at that time will be publicly opened and read. All bids shall be submitted as a Hard Copy.

The proposed work includes: The construction of new 8' wide asphalt trail on the north side of Highway 174 from Main Street to Lindsey Avenue approximately 3,909 lineal feet, with 5' wide concrete sidewalk connections approximately 825 lineal feet, three pedestrian bridge box culvert crossings, and including, but not limited to, six space asphalt trailhead parking lot, driveway replacements, Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacon (RRFB) Pedestrian crossing at Boston Street, ADA curb ramps, asphalt patching, culvert extensions, and any work considered incidental in accordance with the plans and specifications.

A digital copy of the plans and specifications may be purchased through the office of the Great River Engineering (GRE), upon payment of \$75.00, which is not refundable. All bidders must purchase plans through Great River Engineering, Inc. and be on the planholder list in order to bid the project.

A pre-bid conference will be held at 10:00 A.M. on the 9th day of March at the City of Republic Public Works Department, 221 N. Main, Republic, MO 65738. All bidders are encouraged to attend the pre-bid meeting.

All labor used in the construction of this public improvement shall be paid a wage no less than the prevailing hourly rate of wages of work of a similar character in this locality as established by the United States Department of Labor (Federal Wage Rate), or by the Missouri Department of Labor and Industrial Relations (State Wage Rate), whichever is higher.

The City of Republic hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively ensure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, businesses owned and controlled by socially and economically disadvantaged individuals will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, religion, creed, sex, age, ancestry, or national origin in consideration for an award.

All bidders must be on MoDOT's Qualified Contractor List per Section 102.2 of the Missouri Standard Specifications for Highway Construction, 2016 Edition including all revisions. The contractor questionnaire must be on file 7 days prior to bid opening.

Contractors and sub-contractors who sign a contract to work on public works projects shall provide a 10-Hour OSHA construction safety program, or similar program approved by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, to be completed by their on-site employees within sixty (60) days of beginning work on the construction project.

A certified cashier's check or a bid bond in the amount of 5% shall be submitted with each proposal. The City of Republic reserves the right to reject any or all bids. The project will be awarded to the lowest, responsive, responsible bidder. The DBE Goal for this project is 8%. No 2nd tier subcontracting will be allowed on this project.

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