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Bid documents will be available on September 13, 2016, for the **BROWNING ROAD BRIDGE.** All sealed proposal bids must be submitted to the office of the Director of Public Works, Engineering Division, 303 W. Walnut, Independence, Missouri 64050, prior to 2:00 p.m. October 4, 2016. Sealed proposals will be opened on October 4, 2016 at 2:05 p.m. at that same address.

**Project location**: <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> mile west of the intersection of Smart Rd and Browning Rd in Greenwood, Jackson County

**Work Items included:** The demolition of the existing low water crossing and construction of a new two cell 25' x 7' reinforced concrete box culvert with approximately 700' of approach roadway work. These improvements are under the jurisdiction of the Corps of Engineers, and are subject to Federal and State regulations under The Clean Water Act of 1977.

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 Department of Labor and Industrial Relations (Federal Wage Rate), or state wage rate, whichever is higher.

Jackson County Public Works 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 project 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.

Jackson County reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

No 2<sup>nd</sup> tier subcontracting will be allowed on this project.

Any Bidder, who has special needs addressed by the Americans with Disabilities Act, should notify the Project Manager at the number listed below, or through the Missouri Relay System.

A 11% DBE Goal is a part of this contract, (See contract specification pages DBE 1-16).

The sealed Proposals and Bid must be made on the forms provided in the contract documents. Each Proposal must include: 1) the completed bidding documents; 2) a cashier's check drawn on an acceptable bank, or an acceptable bidder's bond, in an amount not less than five (5) percent of the total amount of the bid (all surety performance bonds and surety labor and material bonds must be with companies listed in the Department of the Treasury, Federal Register); and, 3) a completed Compliance Report Form (page AA-1) with current (issued within the last 12 months) Jackson County Certificate of Compliance attached. Failure to complete this report or attach a current certificate as outlined above may result in the rejection of the bid. For information contact the Compliance Review Officer at (816) 881-3302. Specifications, and other proposed Contract documents may be secured from the Engineering Division, 303 W. Walnut, Independence, Missouri 64050, during regular business hours 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. A fee of **\$30.00** will be required for each set of contract documents. Fees are not refundable. For an additional \$20.00 fee, plans can be mailed. Checks, if used for payments of deposits, shall be made in favor of the Manager, of Finance.

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Bidders may also view and print contract documents for **free** on line at www.jacksongov.org/322/Bids-RFPs-RFQs. Any bidder using on-line documents must check the website periodically **for Notice of Addendums or call the Project Manager** at the number listed below.

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Returned bids must include the Compliance Report Form (page AA-1) fully completed and signed. If Bidding enterprise has a current (issued within the last 12 months) Certificate of Compliance from Jackson County, Missouri, or the City of Kansas City, Missouri, a copy of the certificate should be attached to this report form. Failure to complete this report or attach a current certificate as outlined above may result in the rejection of the bid.
- 2. Jackson County is a tax-exempt entity under 144.062, Revised Statutes of Missouri and will issue the contractor and subcontractors an exemption certificate. For information contact Compliance Review Officer at (816) 881-3302.
- 3. Project inspection by Jackson Co. For information call Glen Dvorak at (816) 881-4499
- 4. Only MoDOT approved Contractors and sub-contractors will be allowed to bid.
- 5. The project will be awarded to the lowest, responsive, responsible bidder.
- 6. This contract has a new requirement related to paying wage rates for certain delivery truck drivers. Bidders are advised to read <u>Jackson County Ordinance #4465</u> in the appendix of the Contract Documents, <u>as well as Jackson County Code Section 1072</u>, <u>enacted by the Jackson County Legislature October 15, 2012</u>.