The City of Festus, MO is seeking proposals from qualified contractors for the Horine Road Improvement Project. Bid documents can be obtained from the AECOM office at 1001 Highlands Plaza Dr. West, Suite 300, St. Louis, MO 63110-1337 for the sum of \$100.00 (nonrefundable, made payable to AECOM). Online correspondence to: mike.l.brown@aecom.com (subject line to include **ATTN: HORINE ROAD**). Sealed bid clearly marked "Horine Road Improvement" will be received until 2:00 pm on June 24, 2016 at the Festus City Administrator's Office (711 W. Main St., Festus, MO 63028). At that time they will be opened and read aloud in the Council Chambers.

The Scope of Work includes street improvements to Horine Road with concrete sidewalks, curbs and gutters, tree removal, storm sewers, fencing, and incidental items.

A site visit is required. Contact R. L. Stephens at Festus Public Works 636-937-6646. 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.

The City of Festus 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, 2011 Edition including all revisions. The contractor questionnaire must be on file 7 days prior to bid opening. (remove this if waiving or using LPA certification)

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.

A certified or cashier's check or a bid bond in the amount of 5% shall be submitted with each proposal.

The City of Festus reserves the right to reject any or all bids, in whole or in part, and to waive any irregularities with regard to the bidding process. If a contract is made, it will be made to the lowest, responsive, responsible Bidder based on the sole determination of the City.

The DBE Goal for this project is 14%.

No 2nd tier subcontracting will be allowed on this project.

The City intends to issue a notice to proceed in the summer of 2016.