NOTICE TO BIDDERS

SEALED PROPOSALS for materials to construct Bridge #34000081, a 34.5' steel girder bridge located in Scotland County, Missouri will be received until:

10:00 A.M. on Wednesday, March 23, 2016

at the office of County Clerk, Scotland County Courthouse, Memphis, MO 63555 and at that time will be publicly opened and read.

Any and all bids received after the time specified above will be returned unopened.

The County of Scotland 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.

Copies of the plans, specifications, proposal forms and other contract documents are available to bidders and may be obtained from the office of POEPPING, STONE, BACH & ASSOCIATES, INC., 100 South 54th Street, Quincy, IL 62306 (217-223-4605). A non-refundable fee of dollars (\$25.00) per set *MUST ACCOMPANY THE REQUEST*. All checks are to be made payable to POEPPING, STONE, BACH & ASSOCIATES. E-mailed copies in pdf format may be provided at no cost.

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

Proposals must be on forms provided and all unit price bids, extensions and totals provided thereon shall be completed fully.

The project will be awarded to the lowest, responsible, responsive bidder.

Special Needs: If you have special needs addressed by the Americans with Disabilities Act, please notify <u>Matthew Walker</u>, at <u>(573)406-0541</u>, at least five (5) working days prior to the bid opening you plan to attend.