

INVITATION TO BID

MEXICO, MISSOURI SOUTH MORRIS STREET SIDEWALK IMPROVEMENTS STP-4400 (307)

Sealed bids will be received for the South Morris Street, Sidewalk Improvements Project STP-4400(307) at the office of the Public Works Department, for the City of Mexico, Missouri until 2:00 P.M. local time on the 03 day of February, 2016, at City Hall, 300 North Coal Street, Mexico, Missouri 65265, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. All bids shall be submitted in the form of a hard copy.

The proposed work includes the construction of approximately 1400 lineal feet of sidewalk, includes sidewalk that is constructed on railroad right-of-way of three different railroads; 780 lineal feet of curb and gutter; 4 storm sewer structures; and crosswalk marking. The alternate bid includes approximately 200 SY of asphalt pavement and base rock.

All equipment, materials and workmanship must be in accordance with the drawings and specifications on file with the City Clerk, Mexico, Missouri and in the office of the Consulting Engineers, Shafer, Kline & Warren, Inc., 107 Butler Street, Macon, Missouri 63552.

Plans and specifications can be viewed or purchased on-line at www.drexeltech.com in their eDistribution plan room, additional assistance is available at distribution@drexeltech.com. Information regarding this project can be found under the "Public Jobs" link on the website. Prospective bidders desiring the Contract Documents for use in preparing bids shall obtain a set of such documents from Drexel Technologies, 10840 West 86th Street, Lenexa, KS 66214, telephone number is 913-371-4430,) at a non-refundable charge of \$60.00 per printed set or \$30.00 for electronic files. Checks shall be sent to Drexel's office, but made payable to Shafer, Kline & Warren, Inc. Any questions regarding the project, plans, specifications, or bid documents should be directed to David Ausmus of Shafer, Kline & Warren, Inc., at 660-385-6441.

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 Mexico 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.

Contractors and sub-contractors who sign a contract to work on public works project must 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.

All forms with footer marked as "BID FORM SUBMITTAL" shall be included with the sealed bid.

No Bidder may withdraw his bid for a period of 60 days after the date of opening of bids.

A Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) goal of 6% has been established for this project.

The contract, if awarded, will be awarded to the lowest, responsive, responsible bidder complying with the Conditions of the Contract Documents within the Owner's budget. The Bidder to whom the awards are made will be notified at the earliest possible date. The Owner, however, reserves the right to reject any and all Bids and to waive any informality in Bids received whenever such rejection or waiver is in his interest.