INVITATION TO BID

Owner: St. Francois County Commission

1 West Liberty St.; Annex Bldg. Suite 301

Farmington, MO 63640

Separate sealed bids for the BRO-B094(013) St. Francois County Valley Forge Road Bridge Replacement, BRO-B094(015) St. Francois County Colony Church Road Bridge Replacement, and BRO-B094(016) St. Francois County Pendleton Road Bridge Replacement combination project, to serve the St. Francois County Commission will be received by the St. Francois County Clerk at the St. Francois County Courthouse, until 10:00 A.M., on 9-1-15 and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud.

The Valley Forge Road portion of the project shall consist of: Replace an aging and inadequate bridge with a new single span box-beam bridge

The Colony Church Road portion of the project shall consist of:

Replacement of an aging multi-span concrete deck bridge with a single span pre-stressed concrete box beam-bridge

The Pendleton Road portion of the project shall consist of:

Replacement of existing three span crossing with a single span box-beam bridge

The Information for Bidders, Bid Form, Bid Bond Form, Agreement (Construction Contract) Form, Performance Bond Form, Payment Bond Form, and other contract documents may be examined at:

- 1. S.H. Smith & Co., Inc., 901 Vine Street, P.O. Box 72, Poplar Bluff, MO 63901
- 2. St. François Couinty Commission, 1 West Liberty St.; Annex Bldg. Suite 301, Farmington, MO 63640

Complete digital project bidding documents are available for a non-refundable fee of \$30.00 by going to our website www.shsmithco.com and clicking on "Bid Documents" in upper right hand corner of the screen. Please contact our partner QuestCDN at 952-233-1632 or info@questcdn.com for assistance in free membership registration, downloading, and working with this digital project information. Paper specifications and plans can be made available within 48 hours by contacting our office at 573-785-9621, for a non-refundable fee of \$150.00. Direct questions to Jeremy D. Manning, P.E. with S.H. Smith & Co., Inc. Bid Results will be posted online by 5 P.M. the following day. You may also call our office and request a faxed copy.

The DBE (Disadvantaged Business Enterprise) contract goals for the amount of work to be awarded for the Valley Forge project, the Colony Church project, and the Pendleton Road project, are each seven percent (7%) of the total project price. The bidder shall also complete the DBE Identification Submittal forms for both projects in accordance with the General Provisions. Missouri Law, 292.675 RSMO, requires any awarded contractor and its subcontractor(s) to provide a ten-hour Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) Construction Safety Program for their on-site employees.

The Owner must award the project to the lowest responsive, responsible bidder. The lowest bid shall be the lowest total for all three projects combined. All bidders are required to use the pre-qualification process outlined by MoDOT. See the Missouri Standard Specifications for Highway Construction, Section 102 for additional information. Each Bidder must deposit with his bid, security in the amount, form, and subject to the conditions provided in the Information for Bidders. No Bidder may withdraw his bid within 60 days after the actual date of the bid opening.

The St. Francois County Commission 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.

Date:	August 4, 2015	Harold Gallaher
	-	Presiding Commissioner