## **Road Work**

## **Notice to Contractors**

OWNER: The Board of Governors for the Missouri State University

Sealed bids for ACCELERATION LANE FOR DARR AGRICULTURAL CENTER, Project Number: DP-5927 (804), will be received at the Office of Planning, Design & Construction, Missouri State University, 901 S. National, Springfield, MO 65897 until 2:00 p.m. on July 1, 2014 and then publicly opened and read aloud. With each proposal, a certified check or bid bond properly executed by the bidder in the amount of five percent (5%) of the bid shall be submitted. All bids shall be submitted on the appropriate bid forms provided within the specifications with original signatures. Electronic copies of any bid forms will not be accepted.

The proposed work includes constructing an acceleration lane along Kansas Expressway (Highway 13) at the intersection of Broadmoor.

Plans and specifications can be obtained from the Office of Planning, Design & Construction upon receipt of a \$25.00 refundable deposit for documents returned within thirty days from date of bid. All sets of specifications required other than in person will be mailed at bidder's expense. Electronic sets of plans and specifications available at www.plans.missouristate.edu.

A pre-bid conference will be held at 11:00 a.m. on June 5, 2014 at Darr Agricultural Center, Missouri State University, 2401 S. Kansas Expressway, Springfield, MO 65807. **All bidders are encouraged to attend the pre-bid meeting.** 

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 Board of Governors for the Missouri State University 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 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.

The Board of Governors for the Missouri State University reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

The DBE Goal for this project is 5%.

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

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