INVITATION TO BID

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals, addressed to

OSAGE COUNTY, MISSOURI

acting through the Osage County Commission

Osage County Clerk's Office Osage County Courthouse 205 E. Main Street Linn, Missouri 65051

and endorsed "Proposal" for constructing Bridge Project **BRO-NBIL-076(12)**, Osage County, will be received by the Osage County Clerk until 10:00 a.m., (Prevailing Local Time) on the May 1, 2014, at the office of the County Clerk at Linn, and at that time will publicly opened and read.

The proposed work includes:

The removal of an existing culvert and the construction of a single-span, 36.6 ft. long by 25 ft. 6 in. wide pre-fabricated superstructure bridge and associated work.

Special Needs: If you have special needs addressed by the Americans with Disabilities Act, please notify the County Clerck at 573-897-2139 at least 5 working days prior to the bid opening you plan to attend.

The wage rates applicable to this project have been predetermined as required by law and are set forth in the bid proposal. When Federal wage rates are applicable and included, this contract is subject to the "Work Hours Act of 1962," (P.L. 87-581; 76 Stat. 357) and implementing regulations.

Attention of bidders is particularly called to the requirements as to conditions of employment to be observed and minimum wage rate to be paid under contract, Section 3, Segregated Facility, Section 109, and E.O. 11246.

Osage County 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.

Contractors and subcontractors who sign a contract to work on public work projects 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.

Plans and specifications may be inspected at the office of the County Clerk and complete instructions to bidders and proposal blanks may be obtained from Central Missouri Engineering LLC, 6909 Route M, Jefferson City, Missouri 65101, upon deposit of \$50.00 dollars. This deposit is non-refundable. The plans and specifications will be mailed upon payment of \$25.00 dollar shipping and handling fee, for a total fee of \$75.00 dollars for each set. The shipping and handling charges will be waived if the

prospective bidder contacts the Engineer with a valid account number for shipping services with Federal Express (FedX). Plans can be ordered by calling 573-338-3909. All bidders must be plan holders and all proposals must be on the forms provided in the bid documents.

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.

The project will be awarded to the lowest, responsive, responsible bidder. The County reserves the right to reject any or all bids. A certified or cashier's check or a bid bond in the amount of 5% shall be submitted with each proposal. The DBE goal for this project is 4%. No second-tier subcontracting will be allowed on this project.

THE OSAGE COUNTY COMMISSION