

## **INVITATION FOR BIDDERS**

### **Sidewalk Work**

#### **Notice to Contractors**

Sealed bids for City of Birch Tree Safe Routes to School, Project # SRTS-INF-H31H(101), will be received at: Birch Tree City Hall located at 3106 1<sup>st</sup> Street, Birch Tree, MO 65438 until 10:00 o'clock A.M. (Prevailing Local Time) on the 10th day of April, 2014 at the office of the City of Birch Tree (City Hall), and at that time will be publicly opened and read. All bids shall be submitted in the form of paper bids.

The proposed work includes: Construction of sidewalk, curb and gutter curb (portion of the job) and the installation of pipe culverts.

Plans and specifications will be available on March 13, 2014 and may be obtained from Horner and Shifrin Inc., 4061 Hwy PP: Suite 1, Poplar Bluff, MO 63901 or electronic download at [www.questcdn.com](http://www.questcdn.com). A non-refundable fee will be charged. Electronic plans may also be found at the Horner and Shifrin website: [www.hornershifrin.com](http://www.hornershifrin.com)

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 Birch Tree 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.

A certified or cashier's check or a bid bond in the amount of 5% shall be submitted with each proposal.

The City of Birch Tree reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

The DBE Goal for this project is 0%.

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

No pre-bid meetings are scheduled for the project.

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