

**City of Kearney, Missouri ("Owner")**  
**19th Street Culvert Installation BRM-3400(431)**  
**INVITATION TO BID**

Sealed Bids will be received by the City of Kearney at City Hall, 100 East Washington, Kearney, Missouri until **2:00 p.m. CST on Thursday March 6th, 2014**. At said place and time, all Bids that have been duly received will be publicly opened and read aloud.

The Work is generally described as follows: ***Remove existing bridge and construct triple cell 10' x 13' Reinforced Concrete Box with barrel length of 80 feet along with incidental asphalt pavement, asphalt trail, concrete curb and gutter, concrete sidewalk and storm sewer pipe and inlets.***

All Bids must be in accordance with the Bidding Documents, including, Drawings, Specifications, and Contract Documents on file at the Engineering Department, located in City Hall, 100 East Washington, Kearney, Missouri.

A pre-bid conference will be held at **2:00 p.m. local time, Wednesday February 26, 2014**, at the City of Kearney at City Hall, 100 East Washington, Kearney, Missouri. Representatives of the Owner and Engineer will be available at this time to discuss the scope of the contract, bidding procedures, and to answer questions posed by plan holders or other interested parties. Contractors are encouraged to attend this pre-bid conference.

Copies of the Bidding Documents may be obtained from the office of AGC Engineers, 405 South Leonard Street, Suite D, Liberty, Missouri, (816) 781-4200. Charges for all Bidding Documents obtained will be made on the following basis:

Complete Set of Bidding Documents	Charge <b>\$60.00</b>
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Bids will be received on a unit price basis. Each Bid shall be accompanied by a certified check, made payable to the City of Kearney, Missouri in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the total Bid or by a Bid Bond with a Surety licensed to do business in the State of Missouri in the amount of five percent (5%) of the total Bid. This Security may be retained by the Owner until the Contract for the Project has been fully executed.

The Contractor and all subcontractors will be required to comply with all applicable Federal and State labor regulations including Equal Employment Opportunity, Nonsegregated Facilities, Minimum Wage Rates and Affirmative Action requirements.

Wage Rates. Wage rates paid for Work for this Project shall be at least equal to the higher of the prevailing wage rates as determined by the Division of Labor Standards of the State of Missouri, or the Federal Wage Rates.

Buy America. All bids are subject to the Buy America policy Title 23, CFR 635 and any other applicable purchasing statutes of the State of Missouri.

DBE Goal. "The City of Kearney hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively ensure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises 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, or national origin in consideration for an award." The DBE goal for this project is a minimum of Nine percent (9) % of the total contract amount. All DBE subcontractors must be on the MRCC DBE Directory prior to bidding.

Contractor Questionnaire. Section 102.2 of the Missouri Standards Specifications for Highway Construction is required for this project. All prime contractors must have a fully responsive contractor questionnaire on file with MoDOT at least 7 days prior to bidding.

OSHA Training Required. Missouri law, 292.675 RSMo, requires the awarded Contractor and its subcontractor(s) to provide a ten-hour occupational safety and health administration (OSHA) construction safety program (or a similar program approved by the Missouri Department of Labor and Industrial Relations as a qualified substitute) for their on-site employees (Laborers, workmen, drivers, equipment operators, and craftsmen) who have not previously completed such a program and are directly engaged in actual construction of the improvement (or working at a nearby or adjacent facility used for the construction of the improvement). The awarded Contractor and its subcontractor(s) shall require all such employees to complete this ten-hour program, pursuant to 292.675 RSMo, unless they hold documentation on their prior completion of said program. Penalties for non-compliance include Contractor forfeiture to the Commission in the amount of \$2,500, plus \$100 per contractor and subcontractor employee for each calendar day such employee is employed beyond the elapsed time period for required program completion under 292.675 RSMO.

Unauthorized Aliens. Pursuant to RSMO 285.530, no business entity; or employer shall knowingly employ, hire for employment, or continue to employ an unauthorized alien to perform work within the state of Missouri. The contractor shall provide a signed affidavit affirming that it does not knowingly employ any person who is an unauthorized alien.

Title VI Civil Rights Assurances. The City of Kearney 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.

The project will be awarded to the lowest, responsive, responsible bidder. No bidder may withdraw its Bid within 90 days after the actual date of the opening of Bids. The City of Kearney, Missouri reserves the right to award the Contract by sections, to reject any or all Bids, and to waive any informalities or irregularities therein.