Project: STP-3397(405) Route: Hickory Street County: Lawrence

## INVITATION TO BID

SEALED BIDS for construction of <u>Hickory Street Improvements</u>, <u>Phase I, Mount Vernon, Missouri</u> will be received by the <u>City of Mount Vernon</u>, <u>319 East Dallas</u>, <u>Mount. Vernon, Missouri 65712</u> until <u>10:00 A.M.</u> prevailing local time, <u>January 9, 2014</u>, and then publicly opened and read aloud at <u>City Hall</u>, <u>319 East Dallas</u>, <u>Mount. Vernon, Missouri 65712</u>.

The proposed work includes: Construction of approximately 2,025 linear feet of varying width concrete sidewalk with ADA ramps, cross-walks, curb and gutter, concrete driveways, storm sewer improvements, asphalt pavement repair, seeding and mulch along with incidentals.

Complete digital project bidding documents are available at www.aemoinc.com. You may download the digital plan documents at www.questcdn.com for a non-refundable fee of \$25.00 by inputting Quest project number 3026311 on the website's Project Search page. Please contact QuestCDN.com at (952) 233-1632 or info@questcdn.com for assistance with free membership registration, downloading and working with this digital project information.

Paper copies of the plans, specifications, proposal forms and contract documents may be obtained from the office of Anderson Engineering, Inc., 218 5<sup>th</sup> Street, Monett, Missouri 65708, (417) 236-0112 upon payment of a non-refundable amount of \$100.00. The successful bidder will be furnished three complete sets of plans and specifications. Additional sets will be sold to the contractor at cost.

Bidders with questions concerning this invitation may contact Andrew Eckhart, P.E., Anderson Engineering, Inc., 218 5<sup>th</sup> Street, Monett, Missouri 65708 at (417)-236-0112, Fax (417)-236-0113.

The City of Mount Vernon 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. The Owner reserves the right to waive any informalities or minor defects or to reject any or all bids and to re-advertise and to rebid. All materials for the project shall be tax exempt. Sec 102.2 of the Missouri Standard Specifications for Highway Construction will be waived for this project. It will not be necessary for the prospective bidder to file a Contractor Questionnaire.

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.

Each Bidder must deposit with his/her bid, security in the amount of five percent (5%) of his/her base bid which is subject to conditions provided in the Instructions to Bidders.

The DBE Goal on this project is 8% with no trainees.

## PREVAILING HOURLY WAGE RATES

Attention of BIDDER is particularly called to the requirements as conditions of employment to be observed and that BIDDER must comply with the payment of hourly wage rates, including all fringe benefits, as established by the Wage Determination Sections 290.210-340, RSMo as amended in 1969 pertaining to the prevailing hourly wages and including fringe benefits, as established by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations of the State of Missouri. A copy of each determination will be provided with the contract documents prior to the bidding date.

No Bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty (30) consecutive calendar days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

December	12,	2013	
Date			