## ROAD AND BRIDGE WORK

## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals, addressed to:

CASS COUNTY COMMISSION Cass County Courthouse Harrisonville, MO 64701

and endorsed "Proposal" for constructing <u>BRO-B019(31)</u> Route Cart Road 511, Cass County, will be received by the Commission until <u>3</u> o'clock <u>pm</u> (Prevailing Local Time) on the <u>7th</u> day of <u>November</u>, 2013, at the office of the Cass County Commission, Cass County Courthouse, Harrisonville, Missouri 64701, and at that time will be publicly opened and read.

The proposed work includes:

Grading, constructing a 45'-60'-45' Cont. R.C. haunched slab spans, and a 24'-0" roadway with a Type 1 Aggregate Surface, on the above road where it crosses over the South Fork South Grand River approximately 4.5 miles South and 1.2 miles East of Freeman, Missouri.

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. The contractor must pay the higher of State vs. Federal wage rates.

Cass County Commission hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively ensure that on any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, business 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.

Plans and specifications may be inspected in the offices of the Cass County Clerk, Harrisonville, Missouri. Copies of the Contract Documents and Plans desired for bidding purposes may be obtained from Cook, Flatt & Strobel, Engineers, P.A., 2930 SW Woodside Drive, Topeka, KS 66614, upon payment of a deposit in the amount of \$60.00. No refund will be made to the successful bidder. Twenty-five percent of the deposit will be refunded to all other plan holders upon receipt of returned plans and specifications IN GOOD CONDITION WITHIN FIFTEEN (15) DAYS AFTER OPENING OF BIDS. The successful bidder will be furnished three complete sets of plans and specifications. If additional sets are needed, they will be sold to him at cost.

Note:

All prime contractors must be on MoDOT's Approved Contractor Listing 7 days prior to bid opening. DBE Sub-Contractors must be on the MRCC DBE Directory prior to Bidding.

The Prime Contractor must have a fully responsive contractor questionnaire on file with the Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission (MHTC) at least seven (7) days prior to the bid opening date.

Missouri Law, 292.675 RSMO, requires the awarded contractor and its subcontractors (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 onsite 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 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 Cass County 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.

Proposals must be on forms provided.

In order for proposals to be considered to be responsive, they should include the following as a minimum

- Bid Form
- Completed DBE Forms
- Anti Collusion Statement
- E-verify Affidavit of Compliance & MOA
- Subcontractor Certification regarding Affirmative Action
- 5% Bid Bond

Contract will be awarded to the lowest responsible responsive bidder. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

No  $2^{nd}$  tier subcontracting will be allowed on the project.

DBE participation on this project is set at 15%.

THE CASS COUNTY COMMISSION

The Honorable Jeff Cox Presiding Commissioner

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