

INVITATION TO BID

HERBST ROAD BRIDGE REPLACEMENT, STP-5489(607)
FRANKLIN COUNTY, MISSOURI

Sealed proposals, addressed to:

FRANKLIN COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT
400 EAST LOCUST STREET, ROOM 003A
UNION, MISSOURI 63084

An endorsed "Proposal" for constructing Herbst Road Bridge over an unnamed tributary over the Bourbeuse River, Franklin County, Missouri, will be received by the County until 10:00 A.M. (prevailing local time) on Tuesday, November 13, 2012 at the office of the Franklin County Clerk, 400 East Locust Street, Room 201, Union, MO 63084, and at that time will be publicly opened and read.

The proposed work includes:

All work and materials including grading and constructing a single span, 50 foot by 28 foot pre-stressed concrete voided slab beam bridge with associated roadway work with other incidental work. The project is located in east side of central Franklin County approximately 5.0 miles east of Union, in Franklin County, Missouri.

Other bridge alternatives will NOT be considered by the County and should NOT be assumed by the bidder in preparing the base bid.

State wage rates applicable to this project have been predetermined as required by law and are set forth in the bid proposal.

The prime contractor must be on MODOT's approved contractor listing. This requirement includes that the contractor has submitted to MODOT a Contractor Questionnaire and/or Contractor Prequalification Questionnaire with attachments not later than seven (7) days prior to the date and hour of the bid opening (see Section 102.2 of the *Missouri Standard Specifications for Highway Construction* for more details). The prime contractor must perform, with its own organization, work amount to not less than 30% of the total original contract price.

Franklin 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 disadvantage 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, **A DBE goal of 13%** has been established for this project. Only the work performed by DBE subcontractors that appear on MODOT's approved listing at the time of bid opening will be applied towards calculating the DBE goal.

Contractors and sub-contractors who sign a contract to work on public works project 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.

Copies of the Contract Documents including drawings and specifications are on file at the office of Drexel Technologies at <http://planroom.drexeltch.com> and are open for public inspection. Copies of construction documents may be obtained from Drexel Technologies for the fee listed online.

The character and amount of security to be furnished by bidders is stated in the contract documents mentioned above.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids by the County with MODOT concurrence.
The contract will be awarded to the lowest, responsive responsible bidder.