

**ADVERTISEMENT - ROAD WORK
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS**

Sealed proposals, addressed to "SHELBY COUNTY COMMISSION" and endorsed "PROPOSAL FOR CONSTRUCTING BRIDGE NO. 21700051 on County Road 244, will be received by the Commission until 10:00 a.m. on October 25, 2012 at the office of the County Commission and at that time will be publicly opened and read.

The proposed work includes: The removal of the existing bridge and the construction of a new 59 feet long x 24.5 feet wide single span steel girder bridge with a concrete deck, steel foundation piles, drilled shafts, concrete abutments, low height guardrail and all appurtenances. This project is being advertised concurrently with another bridge project in the county. The two projects may be awarded to one contractor or to separate contractors.

Special Needs: If you have special needs addressed by the Americans with Disabilities Act, please notify the County Clerk at 573-633-2181 at least 5 working days prior to the bid opening you plan to attend.

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; Stat. 357) and implementing regulations.

"The County of SHELBY hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure 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".

Attention of bidders is particularly called to the requirements as to conditions of employment to be observed and minimum wage rates to be paid under the contract, Section 3, Segregated Facility, Section 109, and E.O. 11246

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. No bidder may withdraw his bid within 90 days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

Contractors and subcontractors who sign a contract to work on public works projects 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.

Plans and specifications are on file at the office of the Consulting Engineer, BENTON & ASSOCIATES, INC., 2414 S. Franklin Street, Kirksville, MO. Complete instructions to bidders and proposal blanks may be obtained at the Engineers Office for a **nonrefundable** fee of \$40.00. Plans can be ordered by calling 660-665-3575.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids. A certified or cashier's check or a bid bond in the amount of 5% shall be submitted with each proposal. No 2nd tier contracting will be allowed on this project. All bidders must be plan holders and all proposals must be on the forms provided.