

Sealed proposals, addressed to the City of Strafford, 126 South Washington, Strafford, MO 65757, and endorsed "Strafford Sidewalk Project STP-9900(890)" will be received until two o'clock p.m., Prevailing Local Time, on September 20, 2012 at the City offices in Strafford, Missouri and at that time will be publicly opened and read. The proposed work includes all of the following:

Construction shall consist of concrete sidewalks, including tree removal, grading, restoration and any incidental work in accordance with the plans and specifications. The project has three segments: Chestnut Ave (north side) from the Library to McCabe Street, Washington Ave. (west side) from McCabe St. to Hwy 125, and E. Bumgardner Blvd. (south side) from Choctaw to Wrenwood. The total length of the improvements is approximately 4,300 L.F.

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 "Wage Hours Act of 1962" (P.L. 87-581; 76 Stat. 357) and implementing regulations. By virtue of statutory authority, preference shall be given on other than Federal Aid Projects to materials, products, supplies, provisions, and other articles produced, manufactured, made, or grown within the State of Missouri where same are of a suitable character and can be obtained at reasonable market prices in the State, are of a quality suited to the purpose intended and can be secured without additional cost over foreign products or products of other states.

The City of Strafford hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively ensure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority 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, religion, creed, sex, age, ancestry or national origin in consideration for an award. The bidder will insure that Disadvantaged Business Enterprises will have the opportunity to participate in the performance of this contract and or any subcontracts. Goals for the amount of work to be awarded to DBE's will be 5%.

Bidders are informed that all contractors are subject to full compliance with all applicable laws, ordinances, rules and regulations, and the requirements of the Equal Opportunity Act as it is not the intent of the owner to arbitrarily dismiss any authorities.

Bidders are informed that the Project is subject to the requirements of Section 292.675, RSMo, which requires all contractors or subcontractors doing work on the Project to provide, and require its on-site employees to complete, a ten (10) hour course in construction safety and health approved by the Occupational Safety and Health Administration ("OSHA") or a similar program approved by the Missouri Department of Labor and Industrial Relations which is at least as stringent as an approved OSHA program. The training must be completed within sixty (60) days of the date work on the Project commences. On-site employees found on the worksite without documentation of the required training shall have twenty (20) days to produce such documentation.

Plans and specifications in PDF or paper format may be obtained at the office of the Engineer at Great River Associates 2826 S Ingram Mill Road, Springfield, Missouri, 65804 upon payment of \$50.00, which is not refundable. Questions about the project may be directed to King Coltrin, P.E. at 417-886-7171.

The character and amount of security to be furnished by bidders is stated in the contract documents mentioned above. Proposals must be on forms provided and all unit price bids, extensions and total provided thereon shall be completed fully. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

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