ADVERTISEMENT – ROAD & BRIDGE WORK NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids for GRUNDY COUNTY BRIDGE NO. 2450013 over No Creek as Project No. BRO-B040(25) will be received at: **700 Main Street, Trenton, MO 64683** until **11:00 AM** on **September 11, 2012** at the office of the **Grundy County Commission**, and at that time will be publicly opened and read. All bids must be submitted on the forms provided in the specifications.

The proposed work includes: <u>The removal of the existing bridge and the construction of a new 86 feet long x 24.5 feet wide, single span steel girder bridge with steel foundation piles, concrete abutments, steel guardrail and all appurtenances.</u>

Plans and specifications may be obtained from the office of <u>BENTON & ASSOCIATES, INC. at 2414 S. Franklin Street, Kirksville, MO 63501</u> for a **nonrefundable** fee of \$50.00. Plans can also be ordered by calling 660-665-3575.

All labor used in the construction of this public improvement shall be paid a wage no less than the prevailing hourly rate of wages of work of a similar character in this locality as established by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations (Federal Wage Rate), or state wage rate, whichever is higher.

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.

The County of Grundy 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."

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.

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.

A certified or cashier's check or a bid bond in the amount of 5% shall be submitted with each proposal.

The Grundy County Commission reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

The DBE Goal for this project is 5%.

No 2nd tier subcontracting will be allowed on this project.