NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids for the North County Sidewalks will be received at the Office of the Director of Procurement for the County of St. Louis, County Government Center Administration Building, 41 South Central Avenue, 8th Floor, Clayton, Missouri 63105, until 2:00 p.m. on September 5, 2012, and at that time will be publicly opened and read.

St. Louis County Project No.SWK-1406, Federal Project No. STP-5401 (660) consists of clearing and grubbing, removal of improvements, excavation, bituminous pavement, concrete pavement, water service adjustments, drainage structures and adjustments, paved approach, concrete sidewalk, concrete curb, revetment, reinforced concrete pipe culvert, sodding and other incidental work within St. Louis County.

The successful Bidder or Bidders shall be required to comply with the most current applicable Federal (Davis-Bacon Act) and State statutory provisions concerning the payment of prevailing wages on public works, Section 290.210 through 290.340 R.S. Mo. 1959, as amended. All contractors must be on the Missouri Department of Transportation's approved contractor listing.

The County of St. Louis hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in 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 will be available on **August 13, 2012** from the St. Louis County Web Site (www.stlouisco.com), or by contacting County Blue Reprographics, Inc., 1449 Strassner Drive, St. Louis, Missouri 63144, (314) 961-3800. There will be no refunds on any documents purchased.

Select the following link to view/purchase plans and specifications for this project:

http://countyblue.boxlake.com/viewJobs.asp?action=list&group_id=9999

Bids must be accompanied by a certified check or bidder's bond in the sum of \$21,000.00. All checks shall be made payable to "Treasurer, St. Louis County."

The right is reserved by St. Louis County to reject any or all bids.

The DBE Goal for this project is 11%.

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

DIRECTOR OF PROCUREMENT AND ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES ST. LOUIS COUNTY

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