

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS
CITY OF WESTON
WESTON COMMUNITY CONNECTIVITY INITIATIVE
5TH STREET SIDEWALK PROJECT - PHASE II**

Notice to Contractors

Sealed bids for the Weston Community Connectivity Initiative - 5th Street Sidewalk-Phase II, Project # STP-3301 (453) will be received at: Weston City Hall, 300 Main Street, Weston, Missouri 64098 until 2:00 o'clock P.M. (CST) on the 31st day of August, at the office of the City Clerk , and at that time will be publicly opened and read. All bids shall be submitted upon the form provided in the project specification manual.

The proposed work includes: Construction of a sidewalk from Blackhawk Street on the north side of Fifth Street to Doniphan Court as detailed in the plans and specifications. The project includes approximately 1,300 feet of sidewalk construction, sidewalk ramps, curb and gutter, driveway construction, integral sidewalk and retaining wall, storm sewer construction and incidental grading, sodding and clean up.

Plans and specifications may be purchased from the office of the City Clerk of the City of Weston at Weston City Hall, 300 Main Street, Weston, MO. Phone number 816-640-2752, upon payment of **Fifty and no/100** Dollars (\$50.00), which amount is not refundable.

A pre-bid conference will be held at 1:00 P.M. on the 24th day of August 2012 at Weston City Hall, 300 Main Street, Weston, MO. **All bidders are encouraged to attend the pre-bid meeting.**

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 Missouri Department of Labor and Industrial Relations (state wage rate).

The City of Weston 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."

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 City of Weston reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any technicalities or irregularities therein. Bids may be modified or withdrawn by written request of the bidder received by the City, prior to the time and date for bid opening: provided, however, that no bidder may withdraw its bid for a period of thirty (30) days from the date set for the opening thereof.

The DBE Goal for this project is 5%.

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