

INVITATION FOR BIDS

Sealed bids, in duplicate, for **Olive Blvd Street Lighting Project, Cross Creek to Mason Road**, will be received by the City of Creve Coeur located in the Creve Coeur Government Center, 300 N. New Ballas Road, Creve Coeur, MO 63141, until **2:00 PM CST, MONDAY, AUGUST 27, 2012**, at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. Late Bids will not be accepted and will be returned to the sender, unopened.

Project Manuals will be available beginning Thursday, August 2, 2012, for pickup from the Creve Coeur Government Center, at the location and address stated above. A \$25 fee will be charged to obtain each set of Bid Documents (plans and specifications). Questions regarding this project should be directed to Matt Wohlberg, P.E., City Engineer, at (314) 442-2084 or Jim Heines, Director of Public Works, at (314) 872-2533.

A pre-bid meeting will be held on **WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 15, 2012** at the Creve Coeur Government Center, beginning promptly at **10:00 AM CST**. All bidders are encouraged to attend this meeting.

The scope of work includes the installation of light standards, luminaires, electric meter and lighting controller, rigid conduit and associated cable in the median of Olive Blvd., from Cross Creek to Mason Road. Work shall be in accordance with these Specifications and Job Special Provisions. Where not specifically covered by these Specifications or Job Special Provisions, the contractor shall adhere to the the most current edition of the 2011 Edition of the "Missouri Standard Specifications for Highway Construction" by the Missouri Department of Transportation.

The scope of work for this project requires a **Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) goal of 5%** to perform this federal-aid work.

The successful Bidder 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, Sections 290.210 through 290.340 R.S. Mo. 1959, as amended. All labor used in the construction of this public improvement shall be paid a wage no less than the prevailing hourly rate of wages for 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.

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 with MoDOT at least seven (7) days prior to bid opening.

No second-tier subcontracting will be allowed on this project.

A bid security in the amount of five percent (5%) of the bid amount must accompany each Bid in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders.

A Bid may not be modified, withdrawn or cancelled by the Bidder within sixty (60) days following the time and date designated for the receipt of Bids, and each Bidder so agrees in submitting his Bid.

The City of Creve Coeur 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.

CITY OF CREVE COEUR

James H. Heines
Director of Public Works