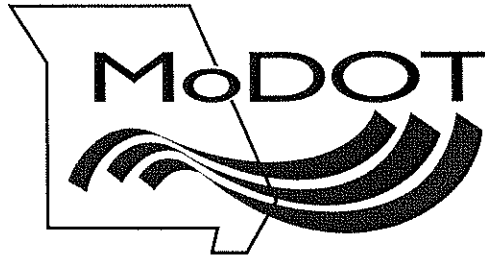


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June 2, 2009

Dear Consultant:


The Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission is requesting the services of a consulting engineering firm to perform the described professional services for the project included on the attached list.

If your firm would like to be considered for these consulting services, you may express your interest by responding to the appropriate office, which is indicated on the attachments. Limit your letter of interest to no more than five pages. This letter should include a statement to indicate why your firm is interested in the project. It should also include any other information which might help us in the selection process, such as the persons or team you would assign to each project, the backgrounds of those individuals, and other projects your company has recently completed or are now active. We will utilize the consultant information already on file so we will not need a lengthy submittal of other general company information.

DBE firms must be certified by the Missouri Department of Transportation in order to be counted as participation towards an established DBE Goal. We encourage DBE firms to submit letters of interest as prime consultants for any projects they feel can be managed by their firm.

We request all letters be received by 3:00 pm, June 17, 2009 at the appropriate office.

Sincerely,

  
Dave Nichols  
Director of Program Delivery

Attachment

cc: Beth Wright-d4  
Eileen Rackers-TR  
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## **DISTRICT OFFICES**

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## District 4

Job Number:	J4Q1769
Location:	Kansas City Scout Traffic Management Center
Proposed Work:	Provide operations support for the Scout Traffic Management Center located at the MoDOT District 4 Office in Lee's Summit.
Length:	N/A
Approximate Consultant Cost:	\$1,240,000
Consultant Services Required:	Provide support in the areas of traffic engineering, center operations, media involvement (website maintenance and public involvement both), incident management, regional interoperability (arterial management, coordination with municipal TMCs, CADD coordination, etc.), operator training, performance measure reporting, and database management.
DBE Goal:	10%
Other Comments:	<p>The consultant team will need to be flexible enough to provide daily support in certain Traffic Management Center (TMC) activities while maintaining the ability to bring in additional resources on a monthly or quarterly basis. The consultant team needs to enhance Scout's current operations by implementing and improving well developed TMC programs such as: operator training and certification, incident management, and performance measure reporting.</p> <p>Consultant support for the Scout Traffic Management Center should also include the following specific areas:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) TMC staffing – One traffic engineer position and up to four operator technicians.</li> <li>2) Traveler information dissemination support – Efforts could include website maintenance, public information support, and web/email alert assistance.</li> <li>3) Database management and maintenance – Critical TMC outputs such as monthly reports, speed/volume/occupancy data, performance measures, and email alerts will require extensive Microsoft SQL database support.</li> <li>4) Enhancing regional interoperability – The consultant should have national experience on how to build partnerships with other regional TMCs in order to enhance arterial management, CADD integration, and video sharing applications.</li> </ol>