## INVITATION TO BID

## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids for Adie Road (Dorsett Road to Lindbergh Boulevard) Project **Bid No. 2023-017** (Federal Project No. STP-5418(619) will be received by the City of Maryland Heights, 11911 Dorsett Road, Maryland Heights, MO 63043, until, **October 26, 2023, 10:00 AM CST** at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. All bids must be submitted electronically via Bid Express at bidexpress.com. All bidders must register with Bid Express to obtain a digital ID. Bid Express has indicated it could take up to 5 business days to process the digital ID. The City will electrically open bids on the date and time indicated above. All documents necessary to submit a bid will be available on the bidexpress.com website beginning on **October 5, 2023**. No paper bids will be accepted.

Plans, specifications, and bid packages will be available beginning **October 5, 2023**, from Drexel Technologies, 60 Progress Parkway, Maryland Heights, Missouri 63043, 314-872-0900. Questions should be directed to Cliff Baber, P.E., Director of Public Works at the Maryland Heights Government Center 314-291-6550. All requests for clarifications on these bidding documents must be received in writing at least one week prior to the bid opening.

The scope of work includes: the contractor shall perform the work as represented on the attached drawings and specifications. The work to be done under this contract consists of the reconstruction of existing pavement, addition of sidewalk on one side, construction of a box culvert, storm drainage facilities, and water quality features. The work consists of furnishing all material, labor, tools, equipment, and supervision necessary for the construction of the items noted above in accordance with all the requirements of these specifications, and the drawings made a part thereof. Existing amenities damaged during construction shall be replaced at no cost to the owner.

This project involves roadway work. The prime contractor must have a fully responsive Contractor Questionnaire on file with the Missouri Department of Transportation at least seven (7) days prior to bid opening date to concur with award of this project.

Not less than the prevailing hourly rate of wages shall be paid to all workmen performing under this contract in this area according to the rates determined by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations of the State of Missouri.

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.

The successful bidder shall comply with the requirements of RSMo § 292.675. The requirements include on-site employees to complete the ten (10) hour Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) Construction Safety Program, which includes a course in construction safety and health approved by OSHA or a similar program approved by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations.

For any contract greater than \$5,000, the successful bidder shall comply with RSMo § 285.530, as amended and by sworn affidavit affirming that it does not knowingly employee any person who is an unauthorized alien and participation in a federal work authorization program with respect to the employees working in connection with this contract. The required documentation must be from the federal work authorization program provider. A letter from contractors reciting compliance is not sufficient.

Contractor is notified that a DBE goal of 13% has been set for this project.

The City must first receive MoDOT approval before rejecting bids and awarding the contract. Bidders shall furnish information regarding their qualifications upon the reasonable request of the City. The City of Maryland Heights, with MoDOT concurrence, reserves the right to accept or reject any bod and to waive

any irregularities in the best interest of the City. 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 the bid.

The City of Maryland Heights will award the project to the lowest, responsive, responsible bidder.

The City of Maryland Heights 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.

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