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Missouri Department of Transportation *Patrick K. McKenna, Director*

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January 24, 2024

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 three pages. This letter should include a statement to indicate your firm's understanding of the project. It should also include any other information which might help us in the selection process, including key personnel you would assign to the project and the backgrounds of those individuals, and any subconsultants you would propose to use, and an indication of your firm's approach to promoting and developing a diverse workforce. MoDOT is committed to reflecting the diversity of the communities we serve and we expect our partners to do the same. We will utilize the consultant information already on file so we will not need a lengthy submittal of other general company information. In addition, please attach one page with detailed information on similar projects that your key personnel have worked on. Indicate the role your key personnel played in the projects and include reference contact 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 also encourage both DBE firms and non-DBE firms to consider joining MoDOT's Mentor/Protégé program whenever possible as part of a MoDOT project.

MoDOT will evaluate firms based on: Project Understanding & Innovation, Past Performance, Qualifications of Personnel Assigned, General Experience of Firm, Familiarity/Capability, Accessibility of Firm & Staff. Firm's not providing a response on approach to workforce diversity will be considered non-responsive to this solicitation. Firm's that are not current on all of the required prequalification categories found in MoDOT's Approved Consultant Prequalification List at the date of the solicitation expiration will be considered non-responsive.

We request all letters be received by 3:00 pm, February 9, 2024, at the appropriate office.

Sincerely,

Docusigned by:

Leannell Voss

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Kenneth Voss, P.E.

State Design Engineer

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Attachment

DISTRICT OFFICES

Central District
Machelle Watkins, P.E. – District Engineer
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Contact:

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District Central

Pulaski, Interstate 44		
Job No:	JCD0111	
Location:	I-44 eastbound and westbound lanes, approximately 1 mile east of Route H to Route 66 Trail	
Proposed Improvement:	Addition of climbing lanes in eastbound and westbound directions	
Length:	2.222 combined miles of eastbound and westbound I-44	
Approximate Construction Cost:	\$6,364,000	
DBE Goal (if applicable)	5%	
Consultant Services Required:	All PS&E documents required for the project Letting in accordance with MoDOT's Engineering Policy Guide (EPG), Category 237.9. (i.e. preliminary plans, right-of-way plans, final roadway design plans, estimate, job special provisions, etc.) Consultant will provide surveying, evaluation of existing guardrail, and PS&E documents. Traffic Safety & Operations report meeting FHWA requirements will be required. Consultant will provide all geotechnical worked needed to complete the project. Consultant will provide Section 106 services, see EPG 127.2. Consultant may need to provide	
	NEPA services by supplemental agreement should a CE2 be required.	
Other Comments:	MoDOT will provide pavement selection, pavement repair locations, right-of-way acquisition (if needed), public involvement, and utility coordination.	
	Interviews or presentation will not be required for the consultant selection.	
	Tentative Date of Consultant Selection – February 20, 2024.	
	Tentative Consultant Notice to Proceed anticipated March 20, 2024.	
	Right-of-Way plans shall be submitted no later than May 20, 2024. Anticipate only one parcel affected.	
	Final plans shall be submitted for review no later than July 12, 2024.	
	Final plans for PS&E shall be submitted no later than August 5, 2024.	

Rating Criteria w/Weighted Values

Project Understanding & Innovation	25 Points Max
Past Performance	25 Points Max
Qualifications of Personnel Assigned	20 Points Max
General Experience of Firm	10 Points Max
Familiarity/Capability	10 Points Max
Accessibility of Firm & Staff	10 Points Max
	100 Points Max Total