Invitation to Bid

Owner: Reynolds County Commission 2319 Green St. Centerville, MO 63633

Separate sealed bids for the Reynolds County Road 906 Bridge Replacement project, BRO – R090(011), to serve the Reynolds County Clerk at the Reynolds County Courthouse, until 10:00 A.M., on October 21st, 2024 and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud. The address of the County is listed above, and located at 2319 Green St., Centerville, MO 63633.

The project shall consist of:

Replace an aging deficient bridge on Reynolds County Road 906 with new precast or cast-in-place five-cell box-culvert.

The Information for Bidders, Bid Form, Bid Bond Form, Agreement (Construction Contract) Form, Performance Bond Form, Payment Bond Form, and other contract documents may be examined at:

- 1. S.H. Smith & Co., Inc. , 901 Vine Street, P.O. Box 72, Poplar Bluff, MO 63901
- 2. Reynolds County Commission, 2319 Green St., Centerville, MO 63633

Complete digital project bidding documents are available for a non-refundable fee of \$40.00 by going to our website www.shsmithco.com and clicking on "Bid Documents" in upper right hand corner of the screen. Please contact our partner QuestCDN at 952-233-1632 or info@questcdn.com for assistance in free membership registration, downloading, and working with this digital project information. Paper specifications and plans can be made available within 48 hours by contacting our office at 573-785-9621, for a non-refundable fee of \$150.00. Direct questions to Jeremy Manning with S.H. Smith & Co., Inc.

Due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, any bidder not comfortable with attending the bid opening in person can teleconference by calling the County at (573) 648-2494. Bids must still be received by the bid date deadline.

The DBE (Disadvantaged Business Enterprise) contract goals for the amount of work to be awarded for the Reynolds County Road 906 Bridge Replacement is 4% of the total project price. The bidder shall also complete the DBE Identification Submittal forms in accordance with the General Provisions. Missouri Law, 292.675 RSMO, requires any awarded contractor and its subcontractor(s) to provide a ten-hour Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) Construction Safety Program for their on-site employees.

The Owner must award the project to the lowest responsive, responsible bidder, however the owner may reject all bids. All bidders are required to use the pre-qualification process outlined by MoDOT. See the Missouri Standard Specifications for Highway Construction, Section 102 for additional information. Each Bidder must deposit with his bid, security in the amount, form, and subject to the conditions provided in the Information for Bidders. No Bidder may withdraw his bid within 60 days after the actual date of the bid opening.

The Reynolds County Commission 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.

Date: September 12, 2024

Steve Chitwood

Presiding Commissioner