

INVITATION TO BID

Sealed proposals, addressed to: SALINE COUNTY COMMISSION
Saline County Courthouse
19 East Arrow Street, Room 101
Marshall, Missouri 65340

and endorsed "Proposal" for constructing Project BRO-B097 (45) for Saline County, Missouri, will be received by the Saline County Commission until **11:00 o'clock A.M., Daylight Savings Time**, on the 9th day of July, **2012** at the office of the Saline County Commission, Saline County Courthouse, 19 East Arrow Street, Room 101, Marshall, Missouri 65340, and at that time will be publicly opened and read.

The proposed work includes:

Constructing a replacement bridge for Saline County Bridge #04000181, on Golden Avenue over Salt Fork, east of Malta Bend, Missouri, together with any incidental work necessary to complete the above in a workmanlike manner.

Bids must be submitted on proposal blanks attached to the Specifications or copies of same and be accompanied by Bidder's Certified Check or Bid Bond in the amount of 5 percent of the bid.

The prime contractor must have a fully responsive contractor questionnaire on file with the Missouri Highway and Transportation Commission at least seven (7) days prior to the bid opening date.

Payment for this work under this Contract will be made in cash and contract will be awarded to the lowest responsive, responsible bidder.

The wage rates applicable to this project have been predetermined as required by law and are set forth in the bid proposal. When Federal wage rates are applicable and included, this contract is subject to the "Work Hours Act of 1962," (P.L. 87-581; 76 Stat. 357) and implementing regulations.

OSHA Ten Hour Training Requirements: Missouri Law, 293.675 RSMO, requires any awarded contractor and its subcontractor(s) to provide a ten-hour Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) Construction Safety Program (or a similar program approved by the Missouri Department of Labor and Industrial Relations as a qualified substitute) for their on-site employees.

The Saline County Commission hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, business 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 (Per Title VI Civil Rights Assurance, EPG Manual, 136.10.8).

Plans and Specifications are on file for examination at the Saline County Commission's office at the Saline County Courthouse, 19 East Arrow Street, Room 101, Marshall, MO 65340, and at the office of the Engineers, Rhodes Engineering Company, Inc., 401 West Helm, Brookfield, Missouri, from whom the said Plans and Specifications may be obtained upon deposit of the sum of \$75.00 of which \$25.00 will be refunded upon the return of Plans and Specifications in good condition within 15 days after the date specified for receiving bids. Plans may also be viewed at the Missouri AGC Construction News, Inc., ePlan Online Plan Room at eplanbidding.com.

SALINE COUNTY COMMISSION
Marshall, Missouri

By: Tom Stallings, Presiding Commissioner
Saline County, Missouri