



INVITATION TO BID

INDEPENDENCE STREET SIDEWALKS CONSTRUCTION TAP - 1500 (023)

CITY OF CAPE GIRARDEAU, MO

Sealed proposals will be received for the Independence Sidewalk Construction, Project TAP – 1500 (023) at the Development Services Office, City Hall, 401 Independence Street, Cape Girardeau, Missouri 63703, until **9:00 AM, prevailing local time, on October 4, 2018.**

The proposed work includes:

The project consists of furnishing all labor, tools, equipment and materials for construction of a new sidewalk including removal of improvements, excavation and embankment construction, new driveways, retaining walls, striping and signage, restoration of adjacent grades, seeding and mulching and any other associated items to complete the project in accordance with the plans and specifications and Public Right of Way Accessibility Guidelines (PROWAG) in order to provide ADA compliant sidewalks.

Plans, specifications, proposal form, and contract for said improvement may be seen and/or obtained in the Development Services Office, City Hall, 401 Independence Street, Cape Girardeau, Missouri 63703. A **non-refundable** fee of **\$100.00** per set is required.

All bidders are required to purchase plans and specifications to submit a bid for this project. Proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud on **October 4, 2018 at 9:00 A.M, prevailing local time,** in the Development Services Conference Room at City Hall, 401 Independence Street, Cape Girardeau, Missouri 63703.

A certified or cashier's check, or bid bond executed by the bidder and an approved Surety Company, in the amount of five (5%) percent of the bid shall be submitted with each proposal.

A mandatory pre-bid conference will be held on **September 26, 2018 at 10:00 AM, prevailing local time,** at the Osage Centre, 1625 N. Kingshighway, Cape Girardeau, Missouri. Representatives of the Owner will be present to discuss the project. **All bidders are required to attend and participate in the pre-bid conference.** The Owner will transmit to all prospective Bidders of record such Addenda as Owner considers necessary in response to questions arising at the conference. Oral statements may not be relied upon and will not be binding or legally effective.

All questions concerning the project shall be submitted in writing to the City of Cape Girardeau City Engineer by **12:00 Noon, prevailing local time, September 28, 2018.**

The City of Cape Girardeau reserves the right to reject any or all Bids, including without limitation the rights to reject any or all non-conforming, non-responsive, unbalanced or conditional Bids and to reject the Bid of any Bidder if Owner believes that it would not be in the best interest of the Project to make an award to that Bidder, whether because

the Bid is not responsive or the Bidder is unqualified or of doubtful financial ability or fails to meet any other pertinent standard or criteria established by Owner. Owner also reserves the right to waive all informalities not involving price, time or changes in Work and to negotiate contract terms with the Successful Bidder.

All wages paid for work under this Contract shall comply with requirements of the prevailing wage law of the State of Missouri, Sec. 290.210 through 290.340, R.S. Mo 1978, as amended. Pursuant to 285.530 R.S. Mo, the bidder must affirm its enrollment and participation in a federal work authorization program with respect to the employees proposed to work in connection with the services requested herein. Additionally, pursuant to 292.675, R.S. Mo, the bidder is informed that all contractors or subcontractors doing work on this project to provide, and require its on-site employees to complete, a ten (10) hour course in construction safety and health approved by the Occupational Safety and Health Administration ("OSHA") or similar program.

The City of Cape Girardeau 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.

The DBE Goal for this project is 7.0 %.

No 2nd tier subcontracting will be allowed on this project.

The project will be awarded to the lowest, responsive, responsible bidder.

Casey Brunke, P.E.
City Engineer
City of Cape Girardeau