Sealed bids will be received at 400 N. Iron St., Salem, MO 65560, herein after called City Hall, until 1:30 p.m., on Thursday, January 9, 2020 and then publicly opened and read aloud for construction of:

**TAP-9900(510)**

This project involves the construction sidewalks, road crossing with push button signalization, associated curb and gutters, and drainage infrastructure along Highway J from Salem High School East to The Armory and through portions of the Municipal Center Park.

Contact Archer-Elgin at 573-364-6362 or email Dyann Careaga at dcareaga@cmarcher.com for information on how to obtain bidding documents.

All labor used in the construction of this public improvement shall be paid a wage no less than the prevailing hourly rate of wages of work of a similar character in this locality as established by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations (Federal Wage Rate), or state wage rate, whichever is higher.

The City of Salem 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."

All bidders must be on MoDOT’s Qualified Contractor List per Section 102.2 of the Missouri Standard Specifications for Highway Construction, 2019 Edition including all revisions. The contractor questionnaire must be on file 7 days prior to bid opening.

Contractors and sub-contractors who sign a contract to work on public works project provide a 10-Hour OSHA construction safety program, or similar program approved by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, to be completed by their on-site employees within sixty (60) days of beginning work on the construction project.

A certified or cashier’s check or a bid bond in the amount of 5% shall be submitted with each proposal.

The **City of Salem** reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

The DBE Goal for this project is **9%**.

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

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