

BID FORM MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
 GENERAL SERVICES
 P.O. BOX 270
 JEFFERSON CITY, MO 65102

REQUEST NO.	3-160419KH
DATE	April 4, 2016

SEALED BIDS, SUBJECT TO THE ATTACHED CONDITIONS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THIS OFFICE UNTIL

April 19, 2016 at 2:00 PM, Central Time

AND THEN PUBLICLY OPENED AND READ FOR FURNISHING THE FOLLOWING SUPPLIES OR SERVICES.

QUOTATIONS TO BE BASED F.O.B. MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
 Submit net bid as cash discount stipulations will not be considered

Statewide - Missouri

BUYER:	Kristi Hixson, Sr. GS Specialist	BUYER TELEPHONE:	573-526-1975
BUYER EMAIL:	Kristi.Hixson@modot.mo.gov		

SUPPLIES OR SERVICES

The Missouri Department of Transportation is seeking bids for rental of Aspen Aerial Units from qualified bidders.

*****NOTE:** It is the responsibility of the Bidder to access MoDOT's website in order to obtain any and all addenda(s) issued during the course of this RFB Process.

All questions regarding this RFB shall be submitted to the RFB Coordinator/Contact.

(SEE ATTACHED FOR CONDITIONS AND INSTRUCTIONS)

In compliance with the above Request For Bid, and subject to all conditions thereof, the undersigned bidder agrees to furnish and deliver any or all the products on which prices were bid within the timeframe specified herein, after receipt of formal purchase order.

Date:	_____	Firm Name:	_____
Telephone No.:	_____	Address:	_____
Fax No.:	_____		_____
Email Address:	_____	By (Signature):	_____
	_____	Type/Print Name	_____
		Title:	_____

Is your firm MBE certified? Yes No

Is your firm WBE certified? Yes No

1. INTRODUCTION AND GENERAL INFORMATION

1.1 Introduction:

- 1.1.1 This Request for Bid (RFB) seeks bids from qualified companies to provide **Rental of Aspen Aerial Units** to the Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission (MHTC) acting by and through Missouri Department of Transportation (MoDOT). Each bid must be in a sealed envelope, be mailed or delivered by courier to the RFB Coordinator at the below listed address, on or before the date and time listed herein for receipt of bids. All questions regarding the RFB shall be submitted to the RFB Coordinator. **Bids must be returned to the office of the RFB Coordinator no later than April 19, 2016, 2:00 p.m. Central Time.**

RFB COORDINATOR:

Kristi Hixson
Missouri Department of Transportation, General Services

830 MoDOT Drive (Physical Address)
Jefferson City, MO 65109

P.O. Box 270 (Mailing Address, zip 65102)
Jefferson City, MO 65102

PHONE: 573-526-1975

2. SCOPE OF WORK

2.1 General Requirements:

- 2.1.1 The bidder shall provide rental of Aspen Aerial Units for the MHTC and MoDOT, in accordance with the provisions and requirements stated herein. MoDOT periodically has the need to rent Under-bridge Inspection Units. Rental will be on as needed, if needed basis.

2.2 Specific Requirements:

- 2.2.1 The bidder shall provide rates on the pricing pages for all costs associated with the rental of the unit.
- 2.2.2 MoDOT Aspen Aerial-Certified staff will operate the unit.

2.3 Delivery:

The unit shall be delivered to the requested location. Unit may travel to other bridges within the state of Missouri. Mobilization amount must include delivery of unit and return trip cost. If unit is transported to multiple bridges, MoDOT shall be responsible for fuel between bridges only.

- 2.3.1 MoDOT shall provide at least 48-hour prior to delivery of unit with notice of cancellation.

2.4 Invoicing and Payment Requirements:

- 2.4.1 The bidder shall submit an invoice in accordance with products listed on the purchase order. The statewide financial management system has been designed to capture certain receipt and payment information. Therefore, each invoice submitted must reference the purchase order number and must be itemized in accordance with products listed on the purchase order. Failure to comply with this requirement may delay processing of invoices for payment.
- 2.4.2 The bidder shall understand and agree MoDOT reserves the right to make contract payments to the bidder through electronic funds transfer (EFT). Therefore, prior to any payments becoming due under the contract, the bidder must return a completed state Vendor Input ACH/EFT Application, which is downloadable from the Vendor Services Portal at: <https://www.vendorservices.mo.gov/vendorservices/Portal/Default.aspx>. Each bidder invoice must be on the bidder's original descriptive business invoice form and must contain a unique invoice number. The invoice number will be listed on the state's [Vendor Payment Website](#) to enable the bidder to properly apply state payments to invoices. The bidder must comply with all other invoicing requirements stated in the RFB.
- 2.4.3 The bidder shall be paid in accordance with the firm, fixed prices stated on the pricing page of this document after completion of deliverables specified herein and acceptance by MoDOT.
- 2.4.4 Unless otherwise provided for in the solicitation documents, payment for all equipment, supplies, and/or services required herein shall be made in arrears. MoDOT shall not make any advance deposits.
- 2.4.5 MoDOT reserves the right to purchase goods and services using the state-purchasing card.

2.5 Other Contractual Requirements:

- 2.5.1 Contract Period - The contract shall commence from the date of Notice of Award until April 30, 2017 with up to three (3) one-year renewal option periods, or any portion therein. If the option for renewal is exercised by MoDOT, the bidder shall agree to all terms and conditions of the RFB and all subsequent amendments. Renewal options are at the sole discretion of MoDOT.
- 2.5.2 Renewal Periods - If the option for renewal is exercised by MoDOT, the bidder shall agree that the percentages for the renewal period shall not exceed the maximum percentage for the applicable renewal period stated herein.
- a. If renewal percentages are not provided, the prices during renewal periods shall be the same as during the original contract period.
 - b. MoDOT does not automatically exercise its option for renewal based upon the maximum percentage of increase without documented justification supporting an increase, and reserves the right to offer or to request renewal of the contract at a percentage less than the maximum percentage stated.
 - c. In the event MoDOT exercises its option(s) to renew the contract, the requirements for future years shall be the same as in the original contract period.
- 2.5.3 Escalation Clause - In the event the bidder requests a price increase during the contract period, either the original contract period or any contract renewal period, the bidder must provide a written request and documentation justifying the need for a price increase, and the amount of such price increase. MoDOT will review the bidder's written request and documentation, and decide if a price increase is to be granted at that particular time. The bidder shall understand and agree that MoDOT's decision shall be final and without recourse.
- a. No price increase shall be granted during the first 3 months of the original contract period, or if applicable, first 3 months of a contract renewal period.
 - b. In the event a price increase is granted due to an approved escalation, the renewal percentage shall be based upon the current contract value.
- 2.5.4 Inspection and Acceptance:
- a. No equipment, supplies, and/or services received by MoDOT pursuant to a contract shall be deemed accepted until MoDOT has had reasonable opportunity to inspect said equipment, supplies, and/or services.
 - b. All equipment, supplies, and/or services which do not comply with the specifications and/or requirements or which are otherwise unacceptable or defective may be rejected. In addition, all equipment, supplies, and/or services which are discovered to be defective or which do not conform to any warranty of the bidder upon inspection (or at any later time if the defects contained were not reasonably ascertainable upon the initial inspection) may be rejected.
 - c. MoDOT reserves the right to return any such rejected shipment at the bidder's expense for full credit or replacement and to specify a reasonable date by which replacements must be received.
 - d. MoDOT's right to reject any unacceptable equipment, supplies, and/or services shall not exclude any other legal, equitable or contractual remedies that MoDOT may have.

3. BID SUBMISSION

3.1 Bid Submission Information:

- 3.1.1 All bids must be received in a sealed envelope/packaging clearly marked “**Rental of Aspen Aerial Units**”.
- 3.1.2 All bids must be received at the office of the RFB Coordinator as outlined in Section 1. “INTRODUCTION AND GENERAL INFORMATION”.
- 3.1.3 The bidder may withdraw, modify or correct his/her bid after it has been deposited with MoDOT provided such request is submitted in writing and received at the location designated for the bid opening prior to the date and time specified for opening bids. Such a request received as specified will be attached to the bid and the bid will be considered to have been modified accordingly. No bid may be modified after the date and time specified for the opening of bids.
- 3.1.4 Open Competition / Request For Bid Document:
 - a. It shall be the bidder's responsibility to ask questions, request changes or clarification, or otherwise advise MoDOT if any language, specifications or requirements of an RFB appear to be ambiguous, contradictory, and/or arbitrary, or appear to inadvertently restrict or limit the requirements stated in the RFB to a single source. Any and all communication from bidders regarding specifications, requirements, competitive bid process, etc., must be directed to the buyer from MoDOT, unless the RFB specifically refers the bidder to another contact. Such communication should be received at least three (3) working days prior to the official bid opening date.
 - b. Every attempt shall be made to ensure that the bidder receives an adequate and prompt response. However, in order to maintain a fair and equitable bid process, all bidders will be advised, via the issuance of an amendment to the RFB, of any relevant or pertinent information related to the procurement. Therefore, bidders are advised that unless specified elsewhere in the RFB, any questions received less than three (3) working days prior to the RFB opening date may not be answered.
- 3.2 **Multiple Contract Award:** Rates for all units do not need to be submitted to be considered. Contracts will be awarded to all responsive bidders. Determination of vendor to use when unit is needed will be based on price, availability and previous experience with the vendor.
- 3.2.1 Bidder Notification: Notification of award shall be at the time the tabulation is posted to the Internet. It is the sole responsibility for all bidders to check the website for bid results.

4. PRICING PAGE (Page 1 of 5)

4.1 The bidder shall provide a firm, fixed price in the table below for the original contract period for providing the deliverables in accordance with the provisions and requirements of this RFB. All costs associated with providing the required deliverables shall be included in the prices stated below.

ASPEN AERIAL UB-30				
	Daily (M-F)	Weekly (M-F)	Monthly (M-F)	Added rate for weekend (per day)
Rental of Unit with Driver	\$ _____ /per day Overtime: \$ _____ / per hour			
Rental of Unit without Driver	\$ _____ /per day			
Mobilization (per trip)				
TOTAL:				

ASPEN AERIAL B-32				
	Daily (M-F)	Weekly (M-F)	Monthly (M-F)	Added rate for weekend (per day)
Rental of Unit	\$ _____ /per day Overtime: \$ _____ / per hour			
Rental of Unit without Driver	\$ _____ /per day			
Mobilization (per trip)				
TOTAL:				

Company

Date

Signature

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ASPEN AERIAL A-40				
	Daily (M-F)	Weekly (M-F)	Monthly (M-F)	Added rate for weekend (per day)
Rental of Unit	\$ _____ /per day Overtime: \$ _____ / per hour			
Rental of Unit without Driver	\$ _____ /per day			
Mobilization (per trip)				
TOTAL:				

ASPEN AERIAL UB-50				
	Daily (M-F)	Weekly (M-F)	Monthly (M-F)	Added rate for weekend (per day)
Rental of Unit	\$ _____ /per day Overtime: \$ _____ / per hour			
Rental of Unit without Driver	\$ _____ /per day			
Mobilization (per trip)				
TOTAL:				

Company

Date

Signature

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ASPEN AERIAL UB-50ER				
	Daily (M-F)	Weekly (M-F)	Monthly (M-F)	Added rate for weekend (per day)
Rental of Unit	\$ _____ /per day Overtime: \$ _____ / per hour			
Rental of Unit without Driver	\$ _____ /per day			
Mobilization (per trip)				
TOTAL:				

ASPEN AERIAL UB-60				
	Daily (M-F)	Weekly (M-F)	Monthly (M-F)	Added rate for weekend (per day)
Rental of Unit	\$ _____ /per day Overtime: \$ _____ / per hour			
Rental of Unit without Driver	\$ _____ /per day			
Mobilization (per trip)				
TOTAL:				

Company

Date

Signature

4. PRICING PAGE (Page 4 of 5)

ASPEN AERIAL A-62				
	Daily (M-F)	Weekly (M-F)	Monthly (M-F)	Added rate for weekend (per day)
Rental of Unit	\$ _____ /per day Overtime: \$ _____ / per hour			
Rental of Unit without Driver	\$ _____ /per day			
Mobilization (per trip)				
TOTAL:				

ASPEN AERIAL A-75				
	Daily (M-F)	Weekly (M-F)	Monthly (M-F)	Added rate for weekend (per day)
Rental of Unit	\$ _____ /per day Overtime: \$ _____ / per hour			
Rental of Unit without Driver	\$ _____ /per day			
Mobilization (per trip)				
TOTAL:				

Company

Date

Signature

4. PRICING PAGE (Page 5 of 5)

**Please provide pricing for any other Aspen Aerial Units you have available for rental.
(Attach additional pages if needed)**

ASPEN AERIAL Model: _____				
	Daily (M-F)	Weekly (M-F)	Monthly (M-F)	Added rate for weekend (per day)
Rental of Unit	\$ _____ /per day Overtime: \$ _____ / per hour			
Rental of Unit without Driver	\$ _____ /per day			
Mobilization (per trip)				
TOTAL:				

RENEWAL INFORMATION: The Bidder shall provide below the maximum percentage of increase for each renewal period. ***Please note: if the Bidder does not provide a percent of increase for each renewal period, MoDOT will assume the renewal percentage is zero percent (0%) for that renewal period.***

	Rental of Unit with Driver	Rental of Unit without Driver	Mobilization
1st Renewal Period	%	%	%
2nd Renewal Period	%	%	%
3rd Renewal Period	%	%	%

Company

Date

Signature

VENDOR INFORMATION & PREFERENCE CERTIFICATION FORM

Vendor Information

All bidders must furnish **ALL** applicable information requested below

Vendor Name/Mailing Address: Email Address:	Vendor Contact Information (including area codes): Phone #: Cellular #: Fax #:
Printed Name of Responsible Officer or Employee:	Signature:
For Corporations - State in which incorporated:	For Others - State of domicile:

If the address listed in the Vendor Name/Mailing Address block above is not located in the State of Missouri, list the address of Missouri offices or places of business:

*If additional space is required, please attach an additional sheet and identify it as **Addresses of Missouri Offices or Places of Business.***

M/WBE INFORMATION: List all certified Minority or Women Business Enterprises (**M/WBE**) utilized in the fulfillment of this bid. Include percentages for subcontractors and identify the M/WBE certifying agency:

<u>M/WBE Name</u>	<u>Percentage of Contract</u>	<u>M/WBE Certifying Agency</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

*If additional space is required, please attach an additional sheet and identify it as **M/WBE Information***

Preference Certification

All bidders must furnish **ALL** applicable information requested below

GOODS/PRODUCTS MANUFACTURED OR PRODUCED IN USA: If any or all of the goods or products offered in the attached bid which the bidder proposes to supply to the MHTC are **not** manufactured or produced in the "United States", or imported in accordance with a qualifying treaty, law, agreement, or regulation, list below, by item or item number, the country other than the United States where each good or product is manufactured or produced.

Item (or item number)	Location Where Item is Manufactured or Produced

*If additional space is required, please attach an additional sheet and identify it as **Location Products are Manufactured or Produced.***

MISSOURI SERVICE-DISABLED VETERAN BUSINESS: Please complete the following if applicable. Additional information may be requested if preference is applicable. See below definitions for qualification criteria:

Service-Disabled Veteran is defined as any individual who is disabled as certified by the appropriate federal agency responsible for the administration of veterans' affairs.

Service-Disabled Veteran Business is defined as a business concern:

- a. Not less than fifty-one (51) percent of which is owned by one or more service-disabled veterans or, in the case of any publicly owned business, not less than fifty-one (51) percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more service-disabled veterans; and
- b. The management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more service-disabled veterans.

Veteran Information

Business Information

Service-Disabled Veteran's Name (Please Print)

Service-Disabled Veteran Business Name

Service-Disabled Veteran's Signature

Missouri Address of Service Disabled Veteran Business

Exhibit B

ANNUAL WORKER ELIGIBILITY VERIFICATION AFFIDAVIT
(for joint ventures, a separate affidavit is required for each business entity)

STATE OF _____)
) ss
COUNTY OF _____)

On the ____ day of _____, 20____, before me appeared _____,
Affiant name
personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be a person whose name is subscribed
to this affidavit, who being by me duly sworn, stated as follows:

I, the Affiant, am of sound mind, capable of making this affidavit, and personally certify the facts
herein stated, as required by Section 285.530, RSMo, to enter into any contract agreement with the state to perform any
job, task, employment, labor, personal services, or any other activity for which compensation is provided, expected, or
due, including but not limited to all activities conducted by business entities.

I, the Affiant, am the _____ of _____, and I am duly
title business name
authorized, directed, and/or empowered to act officially and properly on behalf of this business entity.

I, the Affiant, hereby affirm and warrant that the aforementioned business entity is enrolled in a
federal work authorization program operated by the United States Department of Homeland Security, and the
aforementioned business entity shall participate in said program to verify the employment eligibility of newly hired
employees working in connection with any services contracted by the Missouri Highways and Transportation
Commission (MHTC). I have attached documentation to this affidavit to evidence enrollment/participation by the
aforementioned business entity in a federal work authorization program, as required by Section 285.530, RSMo.

I, the Affiant, also hereby affirm and warrant that the aforementioned business entity does not and
shall not knowingly employ, in connection with any services contracted by MHTC, any alien who does not have the
legal right or authorization under federal law to work in the United States, as defined in 8 U.S.C. § 1324a(h)(3).

I, the Affiant, am aware and recognize that, unless certain contract and affidavit conditions are
satisfied pursuant to Section 285.530, RSMo, the aforementioned business entity may be held liable under Sections
285.525 though 285.550, RSMo, for subcontractors that knowingly employ or continue to employ any unauthorized
alien to work within the state of Missouri.

I, the Affiant, acknowledge that I am signing this affidavit as a free act and deed of the
aforementioned business entity and not under duress.

Affiant Signature

Subscribed and sworn to before me in _____, _____, the day and year first above-written.
city (or county) state

Notary Public

My commission expires:

[documentation of enrollment/participation in a federal work authorization program attached]

Exhibit C

APPLICANT AFFIDAVIT FOR SOLE-PROPRIETORSHIP OR PARTNERSHIP

(a separate affidavit is required for each owner and general partner)

STATE OF _____)
) ss
COUNTY OF _____)

On this _____ day of _____, 20____, before me appeared _____, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instruments, who being by me duly sworn, deposed as follows:

My name is _____, and I am of sound mind, capable of making this affidavit, and personally certify the facts herein stated, as required by Section 208.009, RSMo, for failure to provide affirmative proof of lawful presence in the United States of America:

I am the _____ of _____, which is applying for a public benefit (grant, contract, and/or loan) administered/provided by the Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission (MHTC), acting by and through the Missouri Department of Transportation (MoDOT).

I am classified by the United States of America as: (check the applicable box)

- a United States citizen.
- an alien lawfully admitted for permanent residence.

I am aware that Missouri law provides that any person who obtains any public benefit by means of a willfully false statement or representation, or by willful concealment or failure to report any fact or event required to be reported, or by other fraudulent device, shall be guilty of the crime of stealing pursuant to Section 570.030, RSMo, which is a Class C felony for stolen public benefits valued between \$500 and \$25,000 (punishable by a term of imprisonment not to exceed 7 years and/or a fine not more than \$5,000 – Sections 558.011 and 560.011, RSMo), and is a Class B felony for stolen public benefits valued at \$25,000 or more (punishable by a term of imprisonment not less than 5 years and not to exceed 15 years – Section 558.011, RSMo).

I recognize that, upon proper submission of this sworn affidavit, I will only be eligible for temporary public benefits until such time as my lawful presence in the United States is determined, or as otherwise provided by Section 208.009, RSMo.

I understand that Missouri law requires MHTC/MoDOT to provide assistance in obtaining appropriate documentation to prove citizenship or lawful presence in the United States, and I agree to submit any requests for such assistance to MHTC/MoDOT in writing.

I acknowledge that I am signing this affidavit as a free act and deed and not under duress.

Affiant Signature

Affiant's Social Security Number or
Applicable Federal Identification Number

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 20____.

Notary Public

My commission expires:

Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission
Standard Bid/Proposal Provisions, General Terms and Conditions and Special Terms and Conditions

STANDARD SOLICITATION PROVISIONS

- a. The solicitation for the procurement of the supplies referenced therein, to which these "Standard Bid Provisions, General Terms and Conditions and Special Terms and Conditions" are attached, is being issued under, and governed by, the provisions of Title 7 – Missouri Department of Transportation, Division 10 – Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission, Chapter 11 – Procurement of Supplies, of the Code of State Regulations. The Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission (**MHTC**), acting by and through its operating arm, the Missouri Department of Transportation (**MoDOT**), draws the Bidder's attention to said 7 CSR 10-11 for all the provisions governing solicitation and receipt of bids/quotes and the award of the contract pursuant to this solicitation.
- b. All bids/quotes must be signed with the firm name and by a responsible officer or employee. Obligations assumed by such signature must be fulfilled.

GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Definitions

Capitalized terms as well as other terms used but not defined herein shall have the meaning assigned to them in section 7 CSR 10-11.010 Definition of Terms.

Nondiscrimination

- a. The Contractor shall comply with all state and federal statutes applicable to the Contractor relating to nondiscrimination, including, but not limited to, Chapter 213, RSMo; Title VI and Title VII of Civil Rights Act of 1964 as amended (42 U.S.C. Sections 2000d and 2000e, *et seq.*); and with any provision of the "Americans with Disabilities Act" (42 U.S.C. Section 12101, *et seq.*)
- b. **Sanctions for Noncompliance:** In the event of the Contractor's noncompliance with the nondiscrimination provisions of this contract, MHTC shall impose such contract sanctions as it or the Federal Highway Administration may determine to be appropriate, including, but not limited to:
 - i. withholding of payments to the Contractor under the contract until the Contractor complies, and/or,
 - ii. cancellation, termination or suspension of the contract, in whole or in part.

Contract/Purchase Order

- a. By submitting a bid/quote, the Bidder agrees to furnish any and all equipment, supplies and/or services specified in the solicitation documents, at the prices quoted, pursuant to all requirements and specifications contained therein.
- b. A binding contract shall consist of: (1) the solicitation documents, amendments thereto, and/or Best and Final Offer (BAFO) request(s) with any changes/additions, (2) the Contractor's bid response, and (3) the MHTC's acceptance of the bid by post-award contract or purchase order.
- c. A notice of award does not constitute an authorization for shipment of equipment or supplies or a directive to proceed with services. Before providing equipment, supplies and/or services, the Contractor must receive a properly authorized notice to proceed and/or purchase order.

Applicable Laws and Regulations

- a. The contract shall be construed according to the laws of the State of Missouri. The Contractor shall comply with all local, state, and federal laws and regulations related to the performance of the contract. The exclusive venue for any legal proceeding relating to or arising, out of the contract shall be in the Circuit Court of Cole County, Missouri.
- b. The Contractor must be registered and maintain good standing with the Secretary of State of the State of Missouri, Missouri Department of Revenue, and other regulatory agencies, as may be required by law or regulations. Prior to the issuance of a purchase order and/or notice to proceed, the Contractor may be required to submit to MHTC a copy of their current Authority Certificate from the Secretary of State of the State of Missouri and/or a copy of their Certificate of No Tax Due from the Missouri Department of Revenue.
- c. Prior to the issuance of a purchase order and/or notice to proceed, all **out-of-state** Contractors **providing services** within the state of Missouri must submit to MHTC a copy of their current Transient Employer Certificate from the Missouri Department of Revenue, in addition to a copy of their current Authority Certificate from the Secretary of State of the State of Missouri.

Executive Order:

The Contractor shall comply with all the provisions of Executive Order 07-13, issued by the Honorable Matt Blunt, Governor of Missouri, on the sixth (6th) day of March, 2007. This Executive Order, which promulgates the State of Missouri's position to not tolerate persons who contract with the state engaging in or supporting illegal activities of employing individuals who are not eligible to work in the United States, is incorporated herein by reference and made a part of this Agreement.

- 1) "By signing this Agreement, the Contractor hereby certifies that any employee of the Contractor assigned to perform services under the contract is eligible and authorized to work in the United States in compliance with federal law."
- 2) In the event the Contractor fails to comply with the provisions of the Executive Order 07-13, or in the event the Commission has reasonable cause to believe that the contractor has knowingly employed individuals who are not eligible to work in the United States in violation of federal law, the Commission reserves the right to impose such contract sanctions as it may determine to be appropriate, including but not limited to contract cancellation, termination or suspension in whole or in part or both.
- 3) The Contractor shall include the provisions of this paragraph in every subcontract. The Contractor shall take such action with respect to any subcontract as the Commission may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions, including sanctions for noncompliance.

Preferences

- a. In the evaluation of bids/quotes, preferences shall be applied in accordance with 7 CSR 10-11.020(7). Contractors should apply the same preferences in selecting subcontractors. The attached document entitled "**VENDOR INFORMATION AND PREFERENCE CERTIFICATION FORM**" must be completed and returned with the solicitation documents.
- b. Bidders are encouraged to obtain minority business enterprise (MBE) and women business enterprise (WBE) participation in this work through the use of subcontractors, suppliers, joint ventures, or other arrangements that afford meaningful participation for M/WBES. Bidders are encouraged to obtain 10% MBE and 5% WBE participation.

Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission
Standard Bid/Proposal Provisions, General Terms and Conditions and Special Terms and Conditions

Cancellation of Contract

The MHTC may cancel the Contract at any time for a material breach of contractual obligations or for convenience by providing Contractor with written notice of cancellation. Should the MHTC exercise its right to cancel the contract for such reasons, cancellation will become effective upon the date specified in the notice of cancellation sent to the Contractor.

Bankruptcy or Insolvency

Upon filing for any bankruptcy or insolvency proceeding by or against the Contractor, whether voluntarily, or upon the appointment of a receiver, trustee, or assignee, for the benefit of creditors, the Commission reserves the right and sole discretion to either cancel the Agreement or affirm the Agreement and hold the Contractor responsible for damages.

Warranty

The Contractor expressly warrants that all equipment, supplies, and/or services provided shall: (1) conform to each and every specification, drawing, sample or other description which was furnished to or adopted by the MHTC, (2) be fit and sufficient for the purpose expressed in the solicitation documents, (3) be merchantable, (4) be of good materials and workmanship, and (5) be free from defect.

Status of Independent Contractor

The Contractor represents itself to be an independent Contractor offering such services to the general public and shall not represent itself or its employees to be an employee of the MHTC. Therefore, the Contractor shall assume all legal and financial responsibility for taxes, FICA, employee fringe benefits, workers' compensation, employee insurance, minimum wage requirements, overtime, etc., and agrees to indemnify, save and hold the MHTC, its officers, agents and employees harmless from and against any and all losses (including attorney fees) and damage of any kind related to such matters.

Non-Waiver

If one of the parties agrees to waive its right to enforce any term of this Contract, that party does not waive its right to enforce such term at any other time or to enforce any or all other terms of this Contract.

Indemnification

The Contractor shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless MHTC, including its members and department employees, from any claim or liability whether based on a claim for damages to real or personal property or to a person for any matter relating to or arising out of the Contractor's performance of its obligations under the contract awarded pursuant to this solicitation.

SPECIAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Insurance

The Contractor shall maintain or cause to be maintained at Contractor's own expense commercial general liability, automobile liability, worker's compensation insurance against negligent acts, errors or omissions of the Contractor, or its subcontractors and anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them. Any insurance policy required as specified in this Section shall be written by a company that is licensed and authorized to issue such insurance in the state of Missouri and shall provide insurance coverage for not less than the following limits of liability:

- 1) General Liability: Not less than \$500,000 for any one person in a single accident or occurrence, and not less than \$3,000,000 for all claims arising out of a single occurrence;
- 2) Automobile Liability: Not less than \$500,000 for any one person in a single accident or occurrence, and not less than \$3,000,000 for all claims arising out of a single occurrence;
- 3) Missouri State Workmen's Compensation policy or equivalent in accordance with state law.

Upon request from the Commission, the Contractor shall provide the Commission with certificates of insurance evidencing the required coverage and that such insurance is in effect.

Prohibition Of Employment Of Unauthorized Aliens:

- a. **Non-employment of Unauthorized Aliens:** Pursuant to Section 285.530, RSMo., no business entity or employer shall knowingly employ, hire for employment, or continue to employ an unauthorized alien to perform work within the State of Missouri. As a condition for the award of any contract or grant in excess of five thousand dollars by the State or by any political subdivision of the State to a business entity, or for any business entity receiving a state-administered or subsidized tax credit, tax abatement, or loan from the state, the business entity shall:
 - 1) By sworn affidavit and provision of documentation, affirm its enrollment and participation in a federal work authorization program with respect to the employees working in connection with the contracted services. E-Verify is an example of a federal work authorization program. The business entity must affirm its enrollment and participation in the E-Verify federal work authorization program with respect to the employees proposed to work in connection with the services requested herein by providing acceptable enrollment and participation documentation consisting of **completed** copy of the E-Verify Memorandum of Understanding (MOU). For business entities that are not already enrolled and participating in a federal work authorization program, E-Verify is available at http://www.dhs.gov/files/programs/gc_1185221678150.shtm
 - 2) By sworn affidavit, affirm that it does not knowingly employ any person who is an unauthorized alien in connection with the contracted services. A copy of the affidavit referenced herein is provided within this document, attached as Exhibit B.
- b. **Proof of Lawful Presence For Sole Proprietorships and Partnerships:** If the business entity is a sole proprietorship or partnership, pursuant to Section 208.009, RSMo., each sole proprietor and each general partner shall provide affirmative proof of lawful presence in the United States. Such sole proprietorship or partnership is eligible for temporary public benefits upon submission by each sole proprietor and general partner of a sworn affidavit of his/her lawful presence on the United States until such lawful presence is affirmatively determined, or as otherwise provided by Section 208.009, RSMo. A copy of the affidavit reference herein is provided within this document, attached as Exhibit C.

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Construction Safety Program

Missouri law, 292.675 RSMo, requires the 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 (laborers, workmen, drivers, equipment operators, and craftsmen) who have not previously completed such a program and are directly engaged in actual construction of the improvement (or working at a nearby or adjacent facility used for construction of the improvement). The Contractor and its subcontractor(s) shall require all such employees to complete this ten-hour program, pursuant to 292.675 RSMo, unless they hold documentation on their prior completion of said program. Penalties for non-compliance include Contractor forfeiture to the Commission in the amount of \$2,500, plus \$100 per contractor and subcontractor employee for each calendar day such employee is employed beyond the elapsed time period for required program completion under 292.675 RSMo.

Personal Protective Equipment

- a. All contractor and subcontractor employees utilized in the performance of work resulting from this request must adhere to OSHA standards and at a minimum shall utilize appropriate head, eye and foot protection in the performance of work.
- b. All workers within highway right of way shall wear approved ANSI/ISEA 107 Performance Class 2 or 3 safety apparel and more specifically as follows:
 - 1) **Daytime Flagger.** During daytime activities, flaggers shall wear a high visibility hard hat, safety glasses, a Performance Class 3 top OR a Performance Class 2 top, and safety footwear. Hard hats other than high visibility orange or green shall be covered with a high visibility covering.
 - 2) **Daytime Worker.** During daytime activities, workers shall wear a hard hat, safety glasses, a Performance Class 3 top OR a Performance Class 2 top, and safety footwear.
 - 3) **Nighttime Flagger.** During nighttime activities, flaggers shall wear a high visibility/reflective hard hat, safety glasses, a Performance Class 3 top AND Class E bottoms, OR Performance Class 2 top AND Class E bottoms, and safety footwear. Hard hats shall be reflective or covered with a high visibility covering.
 - 4) **Nighttime Worker.** During nighttime activities, workers shall wear a hard hat, safety glasses, a Performance Class 3 top OR Performance Class 2 top AND Class E bottoms, and safety footwear.