



MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
INFORMAL QUOTE GUIDELINES AND DOCUMENTATION FOR
PURCHASES FROM \$3,000 TO \$24,999.99
THIS IS NOT AN ORDER

REQUEST FOR QUOTATION

It is the vendor's responsibility to read and comply with all conditions, specifications, and instructions outlined in this document. This document and any subsequent attachments, shall supersede all confirmation forms, receipts, or any other paperwork needed to secure materials, equipment, or services.

TODAY'S DATE: SEPTEMBER 8, 2014	QUOTE DUE BY (DATE AND TIME): SEPTEMBER 17, 2014 BY 10:00 A.M.	F.O.B. REQUIREMENTS: DESTINATION
TO BE DELIVERED ON OR BEFORE AWARDED LOCATIONS TO BE COMPLETED BY OCTOBER 15, 2014	QUOTATION #: SL15-044-RW THIS QUOTATION # SHOULD BE REFERENCED ON ALL MAILING LABELS, ENVELOPES, AND OTHER CORRESPONDENCE.	BUYER NAME/TELEPHONE NUMBER: TERRI MOUNT 314-301-1431 TERESA.MOUNT@MODOT.MO.GOV
Procurement Mailing Address #: MISSOURI DEPT. OF TRANSPORTATION St. Louis PROCUREMENT OFFICE 2309 BARRETT STATION RD. BALLWIN, MO. 63021 Facsimile #: 314-301-1437 or 573-526-0016		Project Location: Various locations in St. Louis City and County

Description

The St. Louis District of the Missouri Department of Transportation wishes to obtain quotes for tree trimming/ or removal at various locations in the St. Louis City and County area. At these locations trees are obstructing Department cameras essential for video feeds provided to the District Traffic Management Center. Not every location may be awarded due to available funding restrictions. Please quote per location, with and without Traffic Control if required. MoDOT reserves the option to provide traffic control in lieu of Contractor. Contractors should view the areas on their own recognizance. Camera pictures may be viewed at the St. Louis District General Services bidding website under the above quotation number:

http://www.modot.org/business/contractor_resources/gs_bidding/D6/D6commodities.htm

Award will be based on "all or nothing" basis of total cost of MoDOT location selections.

NOTE: Please note the Terms and Conditions have been updated to include the PPE(Personal Protection Equipment) language for contractors and sub-contractors.
Personal Protective Equipment

All contractor and subcontractor employees utilized in the performance of work resulting from this request must adhere to OSHA standards and minimum shall utilize appropriate head, eye and foot protection in the performance of work.

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. **Notification of award will 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.**

Note to Respondent: A vendor must be in compliance with the laws regarding conducting business in the State of Missouri. The compliance to conduct business in the state shall include but may not be limited to: Registration of business name, vendors MUST submit a bid/proposal that correctly and accurately identifies the company name that is registered to do business in the State of Missouri. The Missouri Department of Transportation reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to accept or reject any items thereon and to waive technicalities. All bids must be signed with the firm name and by a responsible officer or employee. Obligations assumed by such signature must be fulfilled.

VENDOR NAME:

VENDOR INFORMATION

Vendor Name/Mailing Address:	Vendor Contact Information (including area codes): Phone #: Fax #: Cellular #: email:
Printed Name and Title of Responsible Officer or Employee:	Signature:
Is your company registered/certified with the State of Missouri as a (please circle):	
MINORITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (MBE)?	YES NO
WOMEN BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (WBE)?	YES NO
Would your company like information on becoming a registered/certified MBE/WBE vendor?	YES NO

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: <i>If additional space is required, please attach an additional sheet and identify it as <u>Addresses of Missouri Offices or Places of Business.</u></i>										
M/WBE INFORMATION: List all certified Minority or Women Business Enterprises (<u>M/WBE</u>) utilized in the fulfillment of this bid. Include <u>percentages</u> for subcontractors and identify the M/WBE certifying agency: <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: left; width: 33%;"><u>M/WBE Name</u></th> <th style="text-align: left; width: 33%;"><u>Percentage of Contract</u></th> <th style="text-align: left; width: 33%;"><u>M/WBE Certifying Agency</u></th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> </tr> <tr> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		<u>M/WBE Name</u>	<u>Percentage of Contract</u>	<u>M/WBE Certifying Agency</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
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Preference Certification

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

Scope of Work and Pricing per Location
SL15-044-RW

I. General Specifications:

1. No stump grinding required on removals unless otherwise indicated.
2. All cut material is to be removed from the property.
3. All trimming of trees is to be done in such a manner to allow for several years of sight distance from the camera view.
4. All tree removals shall include the entire trunk structure to the soil level.
5. All trimming and tree operations shall adhere to the appropriate industry standards, where possible, set forth in the latest editions of ANSI Z133.1 and A300 as well as the Best Management Practices guidelines published by the International Society of Arboriculture.
6. Submit quotes below per location as a lump sum cost and separate traffic control.

A. I-270 @ Missouri Bottom NWQ NORTH

Two oak trees in this location will need some work. Remove the 20" (estimated) Pin Oak located in the south of this photo. This tree is easily identified by the many gall growths on the branches. Trim the 30" (estimated) Pin Oak located to the north of the previous tree to allow the camera view of the southbound lanes. This work can be accomplished with a work zone encompassing the shoulder and the right of way.

aa. Lump Sum Cost : _____ . Traffic Control Cost: _____

B. I-270 S/O MCKELVEY NORTH ZOOM

Two trees in this location will need some work. The 11" (estimated) Ash tree shall be removed. Trim the Sycamore to allow view of the northbound lanes. Work zone will include the right of way, the shoulder, and MAY extend into the right lane.

bb. Lump Sum Cost : _____ Traffic Control Cost: _____

C. I-270 S/O MCKELVEY SOUTH ZOOM

Trim back the Cottonwood tree. Work can be accomplished from the shoulder and right of way.

cc. Lump Sum Cost : _____ Traffic Control Cost: _____

D. I-170 AT DELMAR NORTH

This group of trees shall all be removed. Included in the group are six Ash trees ranging in size of about 7" to 14" (estimated) and two honey locust trees each at about 13" diameter. May be able to accomplish this work from above on the right of way with no lane or shoulder work zone required.

dd. Lump Sum Cost : _____ Traffic Control Cost: _____

E. I - 170 AT DELMAR SOUTH ZOOM

In this view, there are actually trees in both directions which will need work.

In the foreground, two trees, one elm and one oak shall be trimmed back to the property line working from the ramp and shoulder with traffic control required.

The tree work in the southbound lanes will require traffic control as the shoulder is too narrow to accommodate. Southbound lane tree work shall include all the trees beginning at the Kentucky Coffee tree near the guardrail, continuing past the curve and extending south to the Ladue Road ramp. Trim back to vertical with guardrail or past where appropriate to allow camera view. This may require several of the trees with trunks extending toward highway to be totally removed.

ee. Lump Sum Cost : _____ Traffic Control Cost: _____

F. I - 170 AT LADUE RD NORTH ZOOM

Two large trees need to be trimmed back to property line to allow view to the north. Trimming shall be vertical at the property line on both the Pin Oak and the Hackberry. Will require traffic control if work done from the pavement.

ff. Lump Sum Cost : _____ Traffic Control Cost: _____

G. I - 170 AT FOREST PARK PKWY SOUTH ZOOM

This site involves one 16" elm tree located on adjacent property. Trim vertical with fence line.

gg. Lump Sum Cost : _____ Traffic Control Cost: _____

H. I - 64 AT 20TH SWQ WEST

This group of trees are located between the ramp and the mainline on the south side of I - 64. Trim or remove as required to allow view of the ramp and the mainlines

hh. Lump Sum Cost : _____ Traffic Control Cost: _____

I. I - 44 EAST OF ELM WEST ZOOM

Trim the Locust, White Oak and the Ailanthus back 15 to 20 feet from vertical with the curb. Work zone will include the right of way and the shoulder.

ii. Lump Sum Cost : _____ Traffic Control Cost: _____

J. I - 70 AT 79 EAST ZOOM

Trim all from the blue 'Attractions' sign east to the overhead. Remove four Ash trees leaning toward the highway, one double-trunked and three smaller single-trunk. Work zone may require the shoulder and the right lane.

jj. Lump Sum Cost : _____ Traffic Control Cost: _____

K. I – 64 AT LINDBERGH EAST ZOOM

At and near the entrance to the ramp westbound, trim the trees to vertical with the fence. Will require traffic control on ramp .

kk. Lump Sum Cost : _____ Traffic Control Cost: _____

L. I – 44 AT KINGSHIGHWAY EAST ZOOM

Remove the trees located between the ramp and the eastbound lanes. Along the ramp and the eastbound lanes extending to the green sign, trim the trees back to the guardrail or further, as appropriate, and reduce the height to allow view from the camera.

ll. Lump Sum Cost : _____ Traffic Control Cost: _____

M. I – 44 AT SHREWSBURY WEST ZOOM

Cut and remove all trees on the more level rock ledge nearest the highway. The shorter, shrub-like vegetation can be left in place to help hold the soil. The trees on the slope are not a concern here. Right of way and shoulder work.

mm. Lump Sum Cost : _____ Traffic Control Cost: _____

N. BERRY AT I – 44 EAST

Remove the Ailanthus trees, approximately 12 to 15 of them and 3 or 4 Boxelder trees. Trim overhanging bush honeysuckle. Will require traffic control on ramp.

nn. Lump Sum Cost : _____ Traffic Control Cost: _____

O. GOODFELLOW AT I – 70 EAST

Trim all vegetation vertical at the fence line from the camera mount east to the green overhead sign. Work zone on the shoulder and ramp area. Traffic control required. This one is located along the westbound lanes.

oo. Lump Sum Cost : _____ Traffic Control Cost: _____

P. 367 AT LINDBERGH SOUTH ZOOM

Trim Sycamores and Maples in the utility easement to allow for view of highway. Remove the few small trees just behind the exit sign.

pp. Lump Sum Cost : _____ Traffic Control Cost: _____

Q. 340 AT LINDBERGH NORTH

Trim all Ash trees vertical with property line. Work zone will include the shoulder.

qq. Lump Sum Cost : _____ Traffic Control Cost: _____

R. 100 AT HAMPTON EAST

This location consists primarily of Ailanthus trees. Remove all trees originating from MODOT right of way. Trim the remainder at the property line/fence. Work zone on the shoulder.

rr. Lump Sum Cost : _____ Traffic Control Cost: _____

S. 100 AT HAMPTON WEST ZOOM

All the trees in this location blocking the camera view will have to be removed. It includes a multi-stemmed Elm tree, four 6-8" Cedars east of the Elm and twenty-seven Cedars to the west measuring 6-9". Traffic control will be required in the eastbound lanes.

ss. Lump Sum Cost : _____ Traffic Control Cost: _____

T. 100 AT HANLEY EAST

Trim all trees vertical with the property line to allow as much view as possible. Will require traffic control in eastbound lanes.

tt. Lump Sum Cost : _____ Traffic Control Cost: _____

U. INDICATE BELOW TOTAL LUMP SUM OF ALL LOCATIONS

TOTAL LUMP SUM COST: _____

TOTAL TRAFFIC CONTROL COST: _____

COMPANY: _____

SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____

**WORKER ELIGIBILITY VERIFICATION AFFIDAVIT FOR ALL
MHTC/MODOT CONTRACT AGREEMENTS IN EXCESS OF \$5,000**

(for joint ventures, a separate affidavit is required for each business entity)

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 a person whose name is subscribed to this affidavit, 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 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 am the _____ of _____, and I am duly authorized, directed, and/or empowered to act officially and properly on behalf of this business entity. I 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 to verify information of newly hired employees, and the aforementioned business entity shall participate in said program with respect to all employees working in connection to work under the within state contract agreement with 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. In addition, I hereby affirm and warrant that the aforementioned business entity does not and shall not knowingly employ, in connection to work under the within state contract agreement with 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 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 through 285.550, RSMo, for subcontractors that knowingly employ or continue to employ any unauthorized alien to work within the state of Missouri.

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

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

Affiant Signature

Notary Public

My commission expires:

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

APPLICANT AFFIDAVIT FOR SOLE-PROPRIETORSHIP OR PARTNERSHIP
(a separate affidavit is required for each owner and general partner)(if applicable)

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 owner or partner _____, ***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:

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

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.

- a. 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.

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

Tax Exempt Status:

MHTC is exempt from paying Missouri Sales Tax, Missouri Use Tax and Federal Excise Tax. However, the Contractor may themselves be responsible for the payment of taxes on materials they purchase to fulfill the contract. A Project Tax Exemption Certificate will be furnished to the successful Bidder upon request if applicable.

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.

Subcontracting

- a. It is specifically understood that no portion of the material or any interest in the contract, shall be subcontracted, transferred, assigned or otherwise disposed of, except with the written consent of MHTC. Request for permission to subcontract or otherwise dispose of any part of the work shall be in writing to MHTC and accompanied by documentation showing that the organization which will perform the work is particularly experienced and equipped for such work.
- b. Consent to subcontract or otherwise dispose of any portion of the work shall not be construed to relieve the Contractor of any responsibility for the production and delivery of the contracted work and the completion of the work within the specified time.
- c. All payments for work performed by a subcontractor shall be made to the Contractor to whom the contract was awarded and the purchase order issued.

Prohibition Of Employment Of Unauthorized Aliens:

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 .

- a. **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.

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.

Permits, Licenses and Safety Issues

The contract price shall include any necessary permits and licenses required by law incidental to the work. Local ordinances requiring building permits are not applicable to state agencies.

Delivery – Additional Requirements

a. The following days shall be construed as **official holidays** under the terms of the contract:

January 1	New Year's Day
Third Monday in January	Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday
February 12	Lincoln's Birthday
Third Monday in February	Washington's Birthday
May 8	Truman's Birthday
Last Monday in May	Memorial Day
July 4	Independence Day
First Monday in September	Labor Day
Second Monday in October	Columbus Day
November 11	Veteran's Day
Fourth Thursday in November	Thanksgiving Day
December 25	Christmas Day

- b. When any of the above **holidays falls** on a **Sunday**, the holiday will be observed on the following **Monday**; when any of the above **holidays falls** on a **Saturday**, the **holiday** will be observed on the immediately preceding **Friday**.
- c. Contractor will not be required to provide dozers, loaders, motor graders, or other equipment for shaping of stockpiles, constructing ramps or runways, or leveling of the top of a completed lift, unless otherwise noted herein.

Temporary Suspension of Work

- a. The **District Engineer** shall have authority to suspend work wholly or in part for such period or periods as may be deemed necessary when weather or other conditions are such that in the opinion of the engineer, the work may be done at a later time with advantage to MoDOT or for failure on the part of the Contractor to comply with any of the provisions of the Contract.
- b. If MoDOT suspends the work for its own advantages and not because of the Contractor's failure to comply with the Contract, the Contractor will be allowed an equal number of calendar days after the completion date for the completion of the work. MoDOT may at its discretion give the Contractor an extension of time for completing the work where the Contractor incurs delays for causes beyond his control.
- c. Normal rainfall is not considered a cause qualifying for an extension of time. Claim for extension of time for all causes must be submitted by the Contractor in writing within **30 Days** after the claimed cause for the delay has ceased to exist.

Liquidated Damages

In the event the successful Contractor fails to deliver the material within the time specified, the Department and the public will sustain damages because of such delay in delivery, the exact extent of which would be difficult to ascertain, and in order to liquidate such damage in advance it is agreed that the sum of per day, per item, for each assessable calendar day on which the delivery has not been completed, is reasonable and the best estimate which the parties can arrive at as liquidated damages, and it is therefore agreed that said amount will be withheld from payments due the Contractor or otherwise collected from the Contractor as liquidated damages.

- a. **Saturdays, Sundays, holidays and days whereas the Department has suspended work** shall not be assessable days.

Preferences

- a. By virtue of statutory authority, RSMo. 34.076 and 34.350 to 34.359, a preference will be given to materials, products, supplies, provisions and all other articles produced, manufactured, made or grown within the State of Missouri. Such preference shall be given when quality is equal or better and delivered price is the same or less.
- 1) If attached, the document entitled **"PREFERENCE IN PURCHASING PRODUCTS"** should be completed and returned with the solicitation documents.
 - 2) If attached, the document entitled **"MISSOURI DOMESTIC PRODUCTS PROCUREMENT ACT"** should be completed and returned with the solicitation documents. **Applies if bid is Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00) or more.**
- b. By virtue of statutory authority, RSMo 34.074, a preference will be given all contracts for the performance of any job or service to service-disabled veteran business either doing business as Missouri firms, corporations, or individuals; or which maintain Missouri offices or places of business, when the quality of performance promised is equal or better and the price quoted is the same or less or whenever competing bids, in their entirety, are comparable. 1) If attached, the document entitled **"MISSOURI SERVICE-DISABLED VETERAN PREFERENCE"** should be completed and returned with the solicitation documents.

Personal Protective Equipment

- b. 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.
- c. 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.