



**NOTICE TO DESIGN-BUILDERS
REGARDING INTENT TO ADVERTISE
FOR DESIGN BUILD**

October 14, 2024

Anticipated RFP Release November 4, 2024

The Tennessee Department of Transportation (TDOT), an Equal Opportunity Affirmative Action Employer, intends to retain the services of a Design-Builder for work on **SR 353 Nolichucky Bridge Replacement** located in **Washington** County, Tennessee (**DB2401**).

The Project will require a Design-Builder with experience in the following, at a minimum:

1. *Bridge, Roadway, Hydraulic, Geotechnical Design*
2. *Environmental compliance*
3. *Construction in and around major waterways*
4. *CPM Scheduling*

Design-Build law and rules can be found at:

<https://www.tn.gov/content/dam/tn/tdot/alternative-delivery/Alt-Del-Legislation.pdf>

https://www.tn.gov/content/dam/tn/tdot/alternative-delivery/design-build/DB_Rules.pdf

This contract will be awarded using a single-phase Request for Proposal (RFP). The anticipated date of release of the RFP is November 4, 2024.

Mandatory Pre-Proposal meeting will be held on Tuesday, October 29, 2024, 1:00 PM EST in the Region 1 Auditorium (7345 Region Lane Knoxville, TN 37914). Failure of a design-builder to attend this meeting will result in elimination of that design-builder from consideration. Any proposal submitted by that design-builder will be rejected.

Certified Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBEs), including Woman-Owned and Minority-Owned Businesses, are encouraged to respond to all advertisements by TDOT. For information on DBE certification, please contact Mr. David Neese at (615) 741-3681 or David.Neese@tn.gov. Details and instructions for DBE certification can be found at the following website: <https://www.tn.gov/tdot/civil-rights/small-business-development-program.html>.

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