STATE OF TENNESSEE

SUPPLEMENTAL

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS OF

STATE HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION BIDS

TO BE RECEIVED DECEMBER 6, 2024

INTERNET BIDDING MANDATORY ON ALL CONTRACTS

CARTER COUNTY (Contract No.CNY314) Call No. 056
Project No. ER-STP-37(27), 10S037-M3-004 (PIN 135866.46)
The installation of soil nail reinforcement on U.S. 19E (S.R. 37) between L.M. 1.48 and L.M. 1.52 (Hurricane Helene).

Project Length - 0.000 miles
Completion Time - On or before 7/31/2025 (See Special Provision 108B)

COCKE COUNTY (Contract No.CNY315) Call No. 057
Project No. ER-NH-I-40-8(194), 15I040-M3-025 (PIN 135866.52)
The installation of soil nail reinforcement and rock anchors on I-40 near Mile Markers 450.7, 451.0, and 451.6 (Hurricane Helene).

Project Length - 0.000 miles
Completion Time - On or before 7/31/2025 (See Special Provision 108B)

To download Plans, Cross-Sections and Grading Quantity Sheets, or to request Bid Authorization and Standard Specifications, visit the Construction Division's website at https://www.tn.gov/content/tn/tdot/tdot-construction-division.html.

A Prime Contractor must prequalify with The Department of Transportation in accordance with Tennessee Code Annotated 54-5-117 and Tennessee Department of Transportation Rule 1680-5-3, Prequalification of Contractors, before bid authorization for highway contracts will be furnished.

Prime contractors, except mowing and litter removal contractors, are required to be licensed with the State of Tennessee, Department of Commerce and Insurance (TDCI), Board for Licensing Contractors (BLC). Prime contractors must be licensed in the general classification (e.g. Heavy Construction (HC), Highway, Railroad, Airport Construction (HRA), Specialty (S), Municipal and Utility Construction (MU), or Electrical Contracting (CE)) for the type of work in the project which they will perform. Bidders may submit a Proposal without having a license and will be considered for award for twenty-one (21) days after Proposals are opened. If the Bidder does not have a license with the TDCI, on or before twenty-one (21) days after Proposals are opened, the Bidder will be considered non-responsive and their Proposal will be rejected.

The Department will not execute any contracts or approve subcontracts with contractors that are domestic or foreign Corporations, Limited Liability Companies, Limited Partnerships, or Limited Liability Partnerships, who are not in good standing with the Secretary of State (i.e. have a valid Certificate of Existence/Authorization). If a Bidder is not in good standing with the Secretary of State (i.e. have a valid Certificate of Existence/Authorization) on or before twenty-one (21) days after Proposals are opened then the Bidder will be considered non-responsive and their Proposal will be rejected.

The Tennessee Department of Transportation hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the basis of age, race, color, religion, national origin, sex, or disability in consideration for an award.

The Department encourages the use of disadvantaged business enterprises on all contracts. A listing of Certified DBE's can be found at http://www.tdot.state.tn.us/dbedirectinternet/Vendor.aspx. A listing of those currently prequalified can be found at http://www.tdot.state.tn.us/construction/prequal/prequal.pdf.

BIDDING AUTHORIZATION WILL BE OBTAINABLE UNTIL 4:00PM (CENTRAL TIME) THE DAY BEFORE THE LETTING.

Sales tax will be added to the cost of bid authorization, standard specifications and standard drawings, if applicable.

Director of Construction

Total Number of Contracts - 57
Total Number of Projects - 84
Total Number of Counties - 95

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