

**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS**  
**OF CONSTRUCTION BIDS**

**BIDS TO BE RECEIVED Thursday, May 06, 2021**

Sealed bids will be received by the SHELBY COUNTY GOVERNMENT at their offices in **160 NORTH MAIN STREET, 5<sup>th</sup> FLOOR, MEMPHIS, TN 38103**, until 2:00 PM CST, Thursday, May 06, 2021 and opened publicly at **160 NORTH MAIN STREET, 5<sup>th</sup> FLOOR, MEMPHIS, TN 38103** at that hour. The reading of the bids will begin at 2:00 PM CST.

TDOT PIN: 123030.03

Federal Project No.: CM-9409(200)

State Project No.: 79LPLM-F3-465

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

THIS PROJECT INVOLVES INSTALLING TRAFFIC SIGNAL FIBER OPTIC INTERCONNECT CABLE ALONG SEVEN CORRIDORS IN SHELBY COUNTY. THE PROJECT ALSO INCLUDES DETECTION UPGRADES AT INTERSECTIONS ALONG THE CORRIDOR AND THE INSTALLATION OF A TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT CENTER IN THE CITY OF BARTLETT.

**PROPOSAL CONTRACTS WILL BE ISSUED UNTIL THE TIME SET FOR OPENING BIDS**

A Prime Contractor must prequalify with the Department of Transportation in accordance with Section 54-5-117 of the "Tennessee Code Annotated" and Tennessee Department of Transportation Rule 1680-5-3 prequalification of contractors before biddable proposals will be furnished.

The SHELBY COUNTY GOVERNMENT hereby notifies all bidders that a 6.5% Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) goal has been set for this project and must be met or exceeded.

The SHELBY COUNTY GOVERNMENT 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 grounds of age, race, color, religion, national origin, sex or disability in consideration for an award. However, the use of DBE or minority/women owned firms are encouraged.

The SHELBY COUNTY GOVERNMENT is an equal opportunity affirmative action employer, drug-free with policies of non-discrimination on the basis of race, sex, religion, color, national or ethnic origin, age, disability or military service. The SHELBY COUNTY GOVERNMENT's telephone number is 901-222-2250.

**THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY AND ALL BIDS IS RESERVED**

Bidding documents and information, and plans, may be obtained at the office of 160 NORTH MAIN STREET, 5<sup>th</sup> FLOOR, MEMPHIS, TN 38103; 901-222-2250 after 2:00 PM CST on Tuesday, April 13, 2021 for a non-refundable fee of \$10.00.

**NOTE TO PUBLISHER:** The above notice is to be published no later than **Tuesday, April 13, 2021**. It is permissible and desirable that ads be run as soon as possible after receipt.