## PUBLIC NOTICE Advertisement for Bids

Sealed bids will be received at the Champaign County Commissioners' office at 1512 South U.S. 68, Suite A-100 Urbana, OH 43078, until 8:30 a.m., Thursday, March 16, 2017, for furnishing of all labor, materials, and equipment necessary to complete the project known as the "CHP-CR10-VAR-FY17-ODOT PID #100544" and at said time and place, be publicly opened and read aloud. The project encompasses the installation of new asphaltic wearing surface, pavement marking for various roads shown on the plans. Completion date for this project (9/29/17).

Engineer's Estimate for PID #100544: \$2,227,000.00

The proposals must be submitted on the forms provided in the Contract Documents or a copy thereof and shall contain the full name and address of the bidder. All bids shall be sealed and plainly marked "CHP-CR10-VAR-FY17-ODOT PID # 100544".

Bids shall be submitted in duplicate, signed and submitted on the separate bidding forms included in the Bidding Documents, and shall be accompanied by either a Bid Guaranty Bond issued in favor of Champaign County, Ohio and the Ohio Department of Transportation in the amount of 100% of the Bid amount or by a certified check, cashier's check, or letter of credit on a solvent bank in the amount of not less than 10% of the amount of the Bid, subject to conditions provided in the Instructions to Bidders. The successful BIDDER will be required to furnish a satisfactory Performance Bond in favor of the Champaign County Commissioners and the Ohio Department of Transportation in the amount of 100% of the Bid in accordance with Section 153.54 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Bidders shall be Ohio Department of Transportation (ODOT) prequalified in order to submit a bid for this project. The "prime" contractor shall be (ODOT) prequalified in Work Types #10, #13, #39 and #45. Prequalification status shall be in force at the time of bidding, the time of sale, the time of award, and through the life of the construction contract. Subcontractors shall also be prequalified with ODOT for the work type being performed. The "prime" contractor shall not perform less than 30 percent of the total original contract price.

This project is being bid with a **5% Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE)** goal. All bidders are encouraged to review the list of DBE certified companies through the Ohio UnifiedCertification Program at

https://www.dot.state.oh.us/Divisions/ODI/SDBE/Pages/UCP.aspx. A company shall be perform the proposed subcontracted work, including the requirement to perform a commercially useful function on the project. At the time of bid opening, the bidder shall submit a DBE utilization plan through the appropriate ODOT website provided for such purposes. Within five calendar days after the bid opening, the apparent low bidder shall affirm DBE participation by submitting a DBE Affirmation Form at the appropriate ODOT website provided for such purposes.

The project is funded with Federal Highway Administration funds. Therefore, this project shall be a prevailing wage contract in accordance with Federal Labor Standards Provisions and Davis-Bacon Wage Laws. Attention of the bidder is called to the various

insurance requirements and various equal opportunity provisions.

Each Bid must contain the full name of the party or parties submitting the Bid and all persons interested therein. Each BIDDER must submit evidence of its experiences on projects of similar size and complexity. The owner intends that this project will be awarded no later than MAY 4, 2017 and requires that this project be fully completed and ready for final payment no later than October 27, 2017. Furthermore, the owner shall require the contractor to complete all work items specified within the plans by September 29, 2017.

Plans and specifications may be examined at the following locations:

Champaign County Engineer
Office of the Champaign County Engineer
428 Beech Street

Urbana, OH 43078

McGraw-Hill Construction Dodge 1175 Dublin Road Columbus, OH 43215

**Dayton Builders Exchange** 2077 Embury Park Road

Dayton, OH 45414

Copies of the bid documents and specifications are available online at no cost at http://engineer.co.champaign.oh.us or at the office of the Champaign County Engineer, 428 Beech Street, Urbana, Ohio 43078, where they may be obtained for a \$10.00 non-refundable deposit for each set of these documents.

No bids shall be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days after the opening thereof. The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids, waive irregularities in any Bid and to accept any Bid which is deemed by the Owner to be most favorable to the Owner.

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