



Florida Department of Transportation

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To: Prospective Bidders and Plan Holders

Addendum No: 1, E2L96, Financial Project # 20969815201, Federal ID 3151 050 P
Sidewalks for SR 21/Blanding Boulevard from Collins Road to Townsend
Road in Jacksonville, Duval County.

As of October 1, 2009 the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) has changed the Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) goal to 8.18%. The attached documents (Bid Blank and DBE Utilization) reflect this change. These documents must be utilized for the October 20, 2009 letting or your bid will be found non-responsive.

You must sign, date and fax a copy of this addendum back to me by close of business today to indicate receipt. **A copy of this addendum must be returned with your bid.**

Company Name

Date

Signature

Thanks,

Patsy Elkins, CPPB
Contracts Coordinator
Phone: 386.758.3703
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BID BLANK
DESIGN BUILD - MINOR

Let by: District 2 - Lake City

(Void if used by any bidder other than one this Form issued to)

FINANCIAL PROJECT NO(S). 20969815201 FEDERAL # 3151 050 P

DUNS# _____

CONTRACT CALENDAR _____

CONTRACT NO. E2L96

DATE BIDS DUE: October 20, 2009 @ 2:00 p.m.

TOTAL AMOUNT: \$ _____

DATE OF AWARD: _____

DATE OF CONTRACT

EXECUTION: _____

Appropriation FY: 2010

Appropriation Category: 088796

8.18 % DBE Availability



PROPOSAL

The Bidder's Proposal must meet the requirements and design and construction criteria as stated in the FDOT Request for Proposal

Sidewalks for SR 21/Blanding Boulevard from Collins Road to Townsend Road in Jacksonville

Actual commitment and final execution of this contract is contingent upon an approved legislative budget and availability of funds.

in Duval County(ies)

NOTE: Attach your Proposal Guaranty to this bid blank. All Extensions must be carried out. Any changes made in unit bid prices must be initialed by bidder.

DBE Utilization

The Department began its DBE race neutral program January 1, 2000. **Contract specific goals are not placed on Federal/State contracts**; however, the Department has an overall 8.18% DBE goal it must achieve. In order to assist contractors in determining their DBE commitment level, the Department has reviewed the estimates for this letting.

As you prepare your bid, please monitor potential or anticipated DBE utilization for contracts. When the low bidder executes the contract with the Department, information will be requested of the contractor's anticipated DBE participation for the project. While the utilization is not mandatory in order to be awarded the project, continuing utilization of DBE firms on contracts supports the success of Florida's Voluntary DBE Program, and supports contractors' Equal Employment Opportunity and DBE Affirmative Action Programs.

NOTE: Any project listed as 0% DBE availability does not mean that a DBE may not be used on that project. A 0% DBE availability may have been established due to any of the following reasons: limited identified subcontracting opportunities, minimal contract days, and/or small contract dollar amount. Contractors are encouraged to identify any opportunities to subcontract to DBEs.

If you have any questions regarding this information, please contact the Equal Opportunity Office at (850) 414-4747.

DBE Reporting

If you are the prime contractor on a project, complete the attached Anticipated DBE Participation Statement and submit the information at the pre-construction or pre-work conference for all federal and state funded projects. This **will not** become a mandatory part of the contract. It will assist the Department in tracking and reporting planned or estimated DBE utilization. During the contract, the prime contractor is required to report actual payments to **all** subcontractors through the web-based Equal Opportunity Reporting System (EORS), BizWeb.

All DBE payments must be reported whether or not you initially planned to utilize the company. In order for our race neutral DBE Program to be successful, your cooperation is imperative. If you have any questions concerning the completion or submission of this information, contact the FDOT EOO at (850) 414-4747.

Bid Opportunity List

The Federal DBE Program requires States to maintain a database of all firms that are participating or attempting to participate on FDOT-assisted contracts. The list must include all firms that bid on prime contracts or bid or quote subcontracts on FDOT-assisted projects, including **both DBEs and non-DBEs**.

A form is included to record bidders' information for **ALL** subcontractors or sub-consultants who quoted to you for specific projects for this letting.

If a contractor quoted to you for more than one project you only need list that contractor once. If you have submitted a bidder's list to the Department previously, you need only list new companies who have quoted to you or requested to be on specific projects. If you do not know the answers to numbers 2, 3, 4, or 5 you may leave them blank and the Department will complete them. This information should be returned with your bid package or proposal package or submitted to the Equal Opportunity Office within three days of your submission. It can be mailed or faxed.

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