

**Florida Department of Transportation, District 2  
DESIGN BUILD/ADJUSTED SCORE  
LETTERS OF INTEREST**

Contract # E2Q65                      Financial Project #: 208207-4-52-01

Budget Estimate:                      \$2,067,089.00

Executive Committee Meeting:    January 17, 2012    8:30 a.m.

Letters of Interest received:    January 10, 2012    2:00 p.m.

Opened by:    Patsy Elkins                      Reviewed by:    Shirley Williams

Project: The improvements under this contract consist of landscaping, perimeter wall, drainage improvements, and other incidental construction on SR 15 (US 17) from Holly Point Road to East Elbow Road in Clay County

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

"Failure to file a protest within the time prescribed in Chapter 120.57(3), Florida Statutes (F. S.), or failure to post the bond or other security required by law within the time allowed for filing a bond shall constitute a waiver of proceedings under Chapter 120, F. S."

Posting Begins: 1-17-12    4:15 p.m.                      Posting Ends: 1-20-12    5:00 p.m.

**PROPOSERS SUBMITTING LETTERS OF INTEREST IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER:**

- Callaway Contracting, Inc. (did not meet construction work class of landscape)
- State Contracting & Engineering Corp/Arazoza Bros a Joint Venture (met all qualifications)
- Sun State Nursery & Landscaping, Inc. (did not meet construction work class of grading)

According to the Qualification Requirements of the Advertisement and FAC 14-22: The Contractor or Joint Venture must be qualified in the advertised Construction Contractor Work Classes. (See below)

The Design Build Guidelines state:

**3.7 PROPOSALS SUBMITTED BY SHORT-LISTED DESIGN-BUILD FIRMS**

The Department shall request proposals from no fewer than three of the Design-Build Firms submitting letters of interest.

The recommendation is to reject all ELOI's and rebid the project as Low Bid Technically Acceptable Contract

**QUALIFICATIONS:**

Design-Build firms must be qualified in accordance with Rule Chapter 14-91, Florida Administrative Code. Design-Build firms shall satisfy the technical qualification requirements of Rule 14-75, and all qualification requirements of Rule Chapter 14-22, Florida Administrative Code. The Contractor or Joint Venture must be qualified in the advertised Construction Contractor Work Classes. The Contractor or Joint Venture cannot utilize sub-contractors to meet the qualification requirements for the Construction Work Classes. The Design Consultant may utilize sub-consultants to meet the advertised Professional Services Work Type requirements. All qualification requirements must be met prior to the Response Deadline, Two or more qualified parties submitting as a Joint Venture must meet the Joint Venture requirements of Rule Chapter 14-22, specifically Rule 14-22.007, Florida Administrative Code. Parties to a joint venture must submit a Declaration of Joint Venture, Form No. 375-020-18, and receive approval from the Department prior to the Response Deadline for letters of interest.