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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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Notice to Prospective Bidders
Small Business Enterprise
Contracting Opportunity
Division 2, District 2

The North Carolina Department of Transportation is requesting bids for **Project Number 2B.1016142**, Gallants Channel Bascule Lift Bridge, Beaufort, NC, in Carteret County, **Labor Necessary for Operation of One Highway Drawbridge in Division Two (2)**. The contractor must furnish labor/personnel.

The Department of Transportation does not exclude any person from participation in, deny any person the benefits of, or otherwise discriminate against anyone in connection with the award and performance of any contract covered by this program on the basis of race, color, sex, political affiliation/ influence, or national origin.

SBE PROGRAM INFORMATION

This is a SBE contract and to qualify for the NCDOT SBE Program a firm must have an annual gross income of \$1,500,000 or less, exclusive of materials. **Only contractors currently certified as a SBE Contractor by the Contractual Services Unit of NCDOT and is listed in the Directory of Transportation Firms at bid opening will be eligible to bid on this project.**

Prospective bidders who qualify for the SBE Program and are not currently certified should submit a completed application packet prior to bid submittal to allow for review time. The application packet and additional information on the program may be obtained online at:

<http://www.ncdot.org/business/ocs/sbe/>

Per G.S. 136-28.10, a NC General Contractor's license may be waived for SBE contracts. For this project, the NC General Contractor's license will be waived.

Per G.S. 136-28.10, contract payment and performance bonds may be waived. For this project, the contract payment and performance bonds will be waived.

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PRE-BID CONFERENCE

To ensure all prospective bidders are given an opportunity to obtain information relevant to the project, a mandatory pre-bid conference will be held on July 14, 2009 at 10:00 AM . The conference will be held at the New Bern Bridge Maintenance Facility, 255 S Glenburnie Road, New Bern, NC 28560, phone number 252-514-4724.

BID OPENING

Sealed bids must be received at NCDOT, Division Two (2), Attn: Gerard Mombaerts, Staff Engineer, 105 Pictolus Highway (NC33), Greenville, NC 27835, on August 12, 2009 by 10:00 AM, Wednesday, August 12, 2009. Bids must be submitted on the official bid form included in the contract proposal and shall display the following statement on the front of the bid envelope:

QUOTATION FOR WORK ORDER #1016142 TO BE OPENED AT 10:00 AM, Wednesday, August 12, 2009.

CONTRACT AVAILABILITY INFORMATION

The availability date for this project is 8:01 AM, October 1, 2009 . This is a one (1) year contract that has an estimated completion date of 8:00 AM, October 1, 2010.

OTHER INFORMATION

Contract proposal may be obtained at the pre-bid conference or viewed on the Division website at WWW.NCDOT.ORG/DOH/OPERATIONS/DIV0.

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