

OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION Project Management Division

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DATE: September 5, 2012

TO: Consulting Engineering Companies

FROM: Ray Sanders, Project Management Division

SUBJECT: Solicitation of Interest

At this time, the Department is soliciting the services of consulting engineering companies to provide Vehicle Classification Data Collection and Preliminary Engineering, Preparation of Construction Plans for projects identified by the ODOT within limits of the State of Oklahoma. These services require qualifications, expertise, experience and/or equipment that are of a highly specialized nature.

Contact Person: Daryl Johnson (405) 522-6376

ENGINEERING CONTRACT NO. 1432				
Services Description: Vehicle Classification Data Collection				
Anticipated Contracts	1	The successful Consulting Firm will be responsible for providing vehicle classification data at Oklahoma's highway locations, statewide. The Contractor will provide all labor, material, equipment, traffic control plus advance signs, and technical expertise required to collect, record, and report the required traffic data. The Contractor shall provide vehicle classification data in the current FHWA scheme "F" categories on disk and by paper report. The disk format shall be compatible with PEEK 261 software with all headers files completed. Report format is Column = type and Row = lane. The paper report printout shall show the hourly volume by lane by direction of each vehicle classification category plus unclassified vehicles with hourly and daily totals (starting at midnight: Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday). The Department has the option of specifying 15 minute or 60 minute interval length. Data gathering cycles will be continuous 48 hours for all lanes simultaneously. The Department has the option of requesting that 168 hours (one week) of continuous data be monitored and reported. This one week of continuous data will cost double the amount of 48 hour continuous data reporting.		
ODOT Division	Multiple			
County	Statewide			
DBE Goal	0%			

Contact Person: Kirk Goins (405) 521-2695

ENGINEERING CONTRACT NO. 1433				
Services Description: Preliminary Engineering, Preparation of Construction Plans				
Interchange and Bridge Widening or Replacement				
Anticipated Contracts	1	US-69 at C-Tree road at the entrance to the McAlester Army Ammunition Depot. The anticipated services will include the Survey, Geotechnical Information, Preliminary Engineering Studies, Environmental Studies, Preliminary and Final Design and will culminate in the submittal of Plans, Specifications and Estimates, (PS&E).		
ODOT Division	2			
County	Pittsburg			
DBE Goal	6%			
Construction Job Piece No.	28995(04)			

The Department solicitation of interest response mechanism is intended to reduce the reproduction requirements on work of a similar scope and/or specific to ODOT Field Divisions that will be reviewed by a common selection committee. Therefore, your response for **each** Professional Services Contract that you are interested in being considered for will include the following:

- A Letter of Interest referencing the Engineering Contract Number that you are interested in being considered for
- A Table of Organization depicting the proposed project team
- Any additional information you believe appropriate for the Department's use in determining your capabilities and qualifications to perform the type of work encompassed by that particular contract.
- A statement of your qualifications (CAP 255 Form preferred)
- A statement that identifies your firm's strategy in meeting the proposed DBE goal.
- Latest available FAR audit or audit status correspondence

Please remember that this is a SOLICITATION OF INTEREST and not a Request for Proposal. As such, you are only requested to provide information related to your qualifications to perform the work described. Any additional information you choose to provide related to proposed solutions for the solicited projects or any other prepared Contract/Project specific media is NOT required and is unnecessary for the Department's processes. Proposals will be requested upon entering the interview phase of the Consultant Selection Process.

The following factors will be considered primary for determining the firms that will be extended an invitation to interview and/or provide a proposal for Response Packet(s):

- 1. Experience and/or familiarity of the proposed Consultant Team with Department procedures.
- 2. Ability of the Consultant Team to perform the type of work contemplated.
- 3. Specialized qualifications of the Consultant Team applicable to the type of work contemplated.
- 4. Capacity of the Consultant Team to accomplish the work in accordance with the anticipated schedule considering current workloads.
- 5. Past performance of the Consultant Team (references may be requested if not provided).

The deadline for the submittal of your response will be 4:30 p.m. on September 19, 2012.

The Department anticipates the selection process to be complete and the contracts negotiated as soon as possible and as quick as October for response. As all these contracts are anticipated to be financed with Federal Fiscal Year 2013 funding, the Notice to Proceed is expected as soon as possible and as quick as February 2013.

<u>PLEASE NOTE:</u> Response packets may <u>now</u> be submitted <u>electronically in a .pdf format</u> to Cecilia Payne at: cpayne@odot.org.

LETTER OF INTEREST PACKET SUBMITTAL:

If <u>not</u> sending electronically, please submit all packets to the following address:

Project Management Division
Attn: Cecilia Payne
Room 1C-4A
Oklahoma Department of Transportation
200 NE 21st Street
Oklahoma City, OK 73105-3204

As always, your assistance, cooperation and patience are greatly appreciated. Please do not hesitate to make us aware of any questions, comments or concerns that you may have or to offer suggestions for process improvement.