

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the Deuel County Clerk until May 1, 2018 at 9:00 a.m. (Mountain Time) and will be opened shortly thereafter and presented to the Board of Commissioners for their consideration for the construction of three asphaltic concrete overlay projects. The projects are located as follows: C-25(41) - on Road 167 between Road 2 and Road 8, C-25(42) - on Road 167 between Road 8 and Road 12, and C-25(54) - on Old Highway 27 between Road 2 and Interstate 80, all in Deuel County, Nebraska.

The projects are referred to as "Deuel County 2018 Overlays: C-25(41), C-25(42) and C-25(54)" and shall include all labor, materials, transportation and equipment required for the construction of: Alternate 1) Cold Milling and a 2" Asphaltic Concrete Overlay, Type "SPR"; Alternate 2) Cold Milling and Double Armor Coat; or Alternate 3) Hot In-Place Recycling and Armor Coat for: C-25(41) - approximately 2.2 miles; C-25(42) - approximately 3.3 miles; and C-25(54) - approximately 3.5 miles.

Copies of the Bid Documents and Specifications are open to public inspection at the Deuel County Highway Superintendent's Office, 718 3rd Street, Chappell, Nebraska 69129. A set of documents may be obtained from Mainelli Wagner & Associates, Inc. 6920 Van Dorn Street, Suite "A", Lincoln, NE 68506 (Phone: 402-421-1717) for a non-refundable fee of \$40.00. All Bid Proposals must be submitted on the forms furnished with the Bid Documents.

The sealed bids may be mailed or delivered to the Deuel County Clerk, at the Deuel County Courthouse, 718 3rd Street, P.O. Box 327, Chappell, Nebraska 69129 and should be plainly marked as, "Construction Bid Proposal – Deuel County 2018 Overlays: C-25(41), C-25(42) and C-25(54)".

Along with its Bid Proposal, each bidder shall submit an unconditional Bid Bond or Certified Check payable to the County Treasurer of Deuel County, Nebraska, in an amount equal to five (5) percent of the Bid Proposal. Also, each bidder is to provide a Start of Construction date and End of Construction date with its Bid Proposal. No work shall be performed and the roads shall remain open without restrictions from July 1, 2018 to July 31, 2018. The desired completion date for all projects is October 31, 2018. The Contractor will be allowed twenty (20) calendar days for Chappell South, C-25(41); thirty (30) calendar days for Chappell South, C-25(42); and thirty (30) calendar days for Chappell Southeast, C-25(54), after beginning work at each site. The Completion Date will be the earlier of the date indicated in the bid proposal or the actual start date plus the allotted calendar days for that site.

Within ten (10) days following the award of the Contract, the successful bidder shall furnish a surety bond or bonds in an amount equal to or greater than the full amount of the contract. The surety and form of the bonds are subject to acceptance by the Deuel County Board of Commissioners.

Deuel County, in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 78 Stat. 252, 42 U.S.C. 2000d to 2000d-4 and Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Dept of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of Secretary, Part 21, Nondiscrimination in Federally assisted programs of the Dept of Transportation issued pursuant to such Act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin, sex, age and disability/handicap in consideration for award.

The Deuel County Board of Commissioners reserves the right to reject any and all bids or to waive any irregularities in bids received. Award of the Contract will be in accordance with the County Purchasing Act's competitive bidding considerations as set forth in Neb.Rev.Stat. §§ 23-3110 to 23-3114. Deuel County is an Equal Opportunity Employer.



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Deuel County Clerk