

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
(Chapter 103D, HRS)

The receiving of SEALED BIDS for APRON IMPROVEMENTS, ELLISON ONIZUKA KONA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT AT KEAHOE, KAILUA-KONA, HAWAII, Project No. AH2023-17, will begin as advertised on November 23, 2022 in HiePRO. Bidders are to register and submit bids through HiePRO only. See the following HiePRO link for important information on registering: <https://hiepro.hawaii.gov/welcome.html>.

Deadline to submit bids is 2:00 P.M. Hawaii Standard Time (HST), December 23, 2022. Bids received after said due date and time shall not be considered.

The scope of work consists of demolition of existing apron pavement and construction of new concrete and asphalt apron pavements. The estimated cost of construction is between \$1,000,000 and \$1,150,000.

To be eligible for award, bidders must possess a valid State of Hawaii General Engineering "A" license at the time of bidding.

A pre-bid conference is scheduled for 2:00 P.M. Hawaii Standard Time (HST), on November 30, 2022. Due to the impacts of COVID-19, the pre-bid will be held via Microsoft Teams teleconference. All bidders that wish to attend must send an email indicating their interest to Mr. Hany Sokar, State Project Manager, at hany.fa.sokar@hawaii.gov. They will be added to the Microsoft Teams attendance list and will be sent an invitation email with a Microsoft Teams web-link and teleconference call-in number. This will allow each person to attend the pre-bid via the internet or they may call in. The deadline to sign up for the pre-bid conference is one (1) working day prior to the date of the pre-bid conference. All prospective bidders or their representatives (employees) are encouraged to attend, but attendance is not mandatory.

ALL requests for information (RFI) shall be received in writing via HlePRO no less than 17 calendar days before bid opening. Questions received after the deadline will not be addressed. Verbal requests for information will not receive a response. Anything said at the conference is for clarification purposes and any changes to the bid documents will be made by addendum and posted in HlePRO.

Compliance with Act 192, SLH 2011 is a requirement for this project whereby a minimum of 80% of the bidder's work force on this project **must** consist of Hawaii residents.

Any protest of this solicitation shall be submitted in writing to the Director of Transportation, in accordance with §103D-701, HRS and §3-126, HAR.

Campaign contributions by State and County Contractors. Contractors are hereby notified of the applicability of Section 11-355, HRS, which states that campaign contributions are prohibited from specified State or county government contractors during the term of the contract if the contractors are paid with funds appropriated by a legislative body. For more information, contact the Campaign Spending Commission at (808) 586-0285.

The Equal Employment Opportunity Regulations of the Secretary of Labor implementing Executive Order 11246, as amended, shall be complied with on this project.

The U.S. Department of Transportation Regulation entitled "Nondiscrimination in Federally-Assisted Programs of the U.S. Department of Transportation," Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Part 21 is applicable to this project. Bidders are hereby notified that the Department of Transportation will affirmatively ensure that the contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder without discrimination on the grounds of race, color, national origin or sex (as directed by 23 CFR Part 200).

For additional information, contact Mr. Hany Sokar, State Project Manager, by phone at (808) 838-8848 or email at hany.fa.sokar@hawaii.gov.

The State reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive any defects in said proposals for the best interest of the public.



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