

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

SEALED PROPOSALS for **MAMALAHOA HIGHWAY, EMERGENCY REPLACEMENT OF KEAIWA STREAM BRIDGE, FEDERAL-AID PROJECT NO. ER-12(1)R, DISTRICT OF KAU, ISLAND OF HAWAII**, will be received at the Contracts Office, Department of Transportation, 869 Punchbowl Street, Honolulu, Hawaii 96813, or at the Office of the District Engineer - Hawaii, 50 Makaala Street, Hilo, Hawaii, 96720 until **2:00 P.M., February 13, 2001** at which time and places they will be publicly opened and read.

The project includes the following work for Keaiwa Stream Bridge: removal of the existing asphalt concrete pavement, guardrails, and detour road; construction of a concrete bridge, abutments, approach slabs, wingwalls and asphalt concrete roadway and shoulders; stabilization of stream banks with GRP; and installation of parapet to guardrail transition, guardrail, guardrail end treatments, signing and pavement markings.

Plans and specifications may be examined and borrowed from the above offices. Borrowed plans and specifications shall be returned in good condition within ten calendar days after the bid opening date.

Bidder's notice of intention to bid must be received at said Contracts Office no later than **4:30 p.m., 5 calendar days** prior to the bid opening date. If the fifth day is on a Saturday, Sunday or State holiday, the notice of intention is due on the last working day prior to the due date. Faxed notice is acceptable provided the Contracts Office receives the faxed notice within the time stated above. The fax number is (808) 587-2132. It is the bidder's responsibility to ensure that the Contracts Office receives the notice of intent on time and in a legible condition.

The Department of Transportation, in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 Stat. 252) and the Regulations of the U.S.

Department of Transportation (Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations Part 21) issued pursuant to such Act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure 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, religion, sex, national origin, age, or disability.

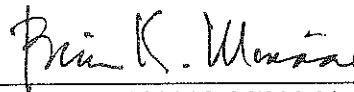
The Equal Employment Opportunity Regulations of the Secretary of Labor implementing Executive Order 11246, as amended shall be complied with on this project.

The U.S. Department of Transportation Regulations entitled "Participation by Disadvantaged Business Enterprise in Department of Transportation Programs," Title 49, Part 26, Code of Federal Regulations, is applicable to this project. The contract Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) goal for this project is indicated in the Proposal. The bidder is directed to the Supplemental Notice - Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Program contained herein and made an integral part of this bid.

Each proposal shall be on a form furnished by said Department.

Estimated construction cost is between \$5,000,000 to \$10,000,000.

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.



BRIAN K. MINAAI
Director of Transportation

Advertised: Honolulu Star-Bulletin & Hawaii Tribune Herald
February 5, 2001

Date: _____

Contracts Office
Department of Transportation
869 Punchbowl Street
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

To Whom It May Concern:

According to Section 103D-310 Hawaii Revised Statutes, you are notified that the intent of the undersigned is to bid on **MAMALAHOA HIGHWAY, EMERGENCY REPLACEMENT OF KEAIWA STREAM BRIDGE, FEDERAL-AID PROJECT NO. ER-12(1)R, DISTRICT OF KAU, ISLAND OF HAWAII**, for which bids will be opened on February 13, 2001 at 2:00 P.M.

Our license number is _____.

Very truly yours,

(Signature)

(Title of Signer)

(Name of Firm)

(Street Address or P.O. Box)

(City, State, Zip Code)

(Telephone Number)