## NOTICE TO BIDDERS

(Chapter 103D, HRS)

## SEALED BIDS for:

KUHIO HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENTS EXTENSION OF TEMPORARY KAPAA BYPASS ROAD KUHIO HIGHWAY TO OLOHENA ROAD PROJECT NO. 56A-03-00 DISTRICT OF KAWAIHAU ISLAND OF KAUAI

will be received at the:

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

<u>X</u> Office of the District Engineer – Kauai, State Building, 3060 Eiwa Street, Room 205, Lihue, Hawaii 96766,

until 2:00 P.M., May 27, 2004, at which time and place(s) they will be publicly opened and read.

The project includes construction of an intersection "roundabout", realigning adjacent roadways; cold planning (as needed); asphalt concrete pavement overlay resurfacing; installing a new temporary steel frame bridge, street lighting, drainage improvements and curb ramps; removing existing and installing new guardrails and terminal sections, pavement markings, signs and chain link fences; and removal of existing concrete pavement.

Plans and specifications may be examined and borrowed at the appropriate offices. Borrowed plans and specifications shall be returned in good condition within 30 calendar days after the bid opening date.

A pre-bid conference is set for 1:00 p.m., May 12, 2004, at the Kauai District Office, 3060 Eiwa Street, Lihue, Kauai, Conference Rooms A & B (2<sup>nd</sup>

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Floor). All prospective bidders or their representatives (employees) are encouraged to attend, but attendance is not mandatory.

Persons needing special accommodations at the pre-bid conference due to a disability may contact Jim Turturici, Project Manager, by phone at (808) 274-3111 or by facsimile at (808) 274-3116.

To be eligible to bid, bidders must possess a valid State of Hawaii General Engineering Contractor's "A" license.

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.

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

Estimated construction cost is between \$ 2.5 Million and \$ 3 Million.

The above project is subject to preference for Hawaii products established by Section 103D-1002, Hawaii Revised Statutes. The Hawaii Product List may be examined at the State Procurement Office, Kalanimoku Building, 1151 Punchbowl Street, Honolulu, Hawaii, 96813.

For additional information on this project, contact Jim Turturici, Project Manager at (808) 274-3111 or by facsimile at (808) 274-3116, State of Hawaii,

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Department of Transportation, Highways Division, Kauai District, 3060 Eiwa Street, Room 205, Lihue, Kauai, Hawaii 96766.

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.

RODNEY K. HARAGA Director of Transportation

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