

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

(Chapter 103D, HRS)

SEALED BIDS for:

**Hana Highway Shoulder Lane,
Alawai Road to Paia
Project No. 36B-02-02
District of Wailuku
Island of Maui**

will be received at the:

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

 x Office of the District Engineer - Maui, 650 Palapala Drive,
Kahului, Maui 96732

until 2:00 P.M., December 18, 2003, at which time and places they will be publicly opened and read.

The project includes demolishing existing 4-foot shoulders, eradicating pavement markings, widening travel way, constructing new shoulders and installing new signs, pavement marking and striping.

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.

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

Bidder's notice of intention to bid must be received at said Contracts Office no later than 4:30 P.M., 10 calendar days prior to the bid opening date. If the tenth 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. Fax 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.

A pre-bid conference is set for November 25, 2003, at 9:30 a. m., at the Department of Transportation, Highways Division, 601 Kamokila Boulevard, Room 481, Kapolei, Hawaii 96707 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 Mr. Sean Hiraoka, Project Manager, by phone at (808) 692-7572 or by facsimile at (808) 692-7590.

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.

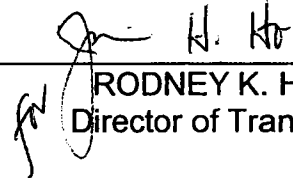
Each proposal shall be on a form furnished by said Department.

Estimated construction cost is between \$300,000.00 to \$500,000.00.

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.

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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