## **NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

(Chapter 103D, HRS)

SEALED BIDS for:

Interstate Route H-2 and Moanalua Freeway Guardrail and Shoulder Improvements Federal-Aid No. IM-STP-0300(106) Districts of Ewa and Wahiawa Island of Oahu

will be received at the:

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

until 2:00 p.m., Hawaii Standard Time (HST), <u>August 24, 2017</u>, at which time and place(s) they will be publicly opened and read.

A compact disc containing the plans, specifications, proposal, contract forms and applicable National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit documents, may be obtained from the above offices. Bids (hard copies) shall be submitted in a sealed envelope, and shall be on the Proposal Form provided on the compact disc furnished by said Department. Bids received after the established due date and time will not be considered.

The project includes replacing guardrails and terminal section; installing impact attenuators; upgrading guardrail connections to structures and median barriers; replacing storm water gutters and shoulders; striping and maintaining to temporary erosion control BMP's; and providing traffic control. Estimated construction cost is \$3,500,000 to \$4,500,000.

To be eligible for award, bidders must possess a valid State of Hawaii General Engineering Contractor's "A" license, prior to the award of the contract. A pre-bid conference is set for 9 a.m. on August 8, 2017, at the Department of Transportation, Highways Division, 601 Kamokila Blvd Kapolei, Room 609, Kapolei, Hawaii, 96707. All prospective bidders or their representatives (employees) are encouraged to attend, but attendance is not mandatory. Anything said at the conference is for clarification purposes and any changes to the bid documents will be made by addendum.

Persons needing special accommodations at the pre-bid conference due to a disability may contact, Christine Yamasaki, Project Manager, by phone at (808) 692-7572, by email at christine.yamasaki@hawaii.gov or by facsimile at (808) 692-7590.

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 the legislative body. For more information, contact the Campaign Spending Commission at (808) 586-0285.

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).

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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, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 26 is applicable to this

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strictly enforce full compliance with all of the requirements of the Disadvantaged

Business Enterprise (DBE) program with respect to this project.

Bidders are directed to read and be familiar with the Disadvantaged

Business Enterprise (DBE) Requirements for Federal-Aid Projects regarding

Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE), which establishes the program

requirements pursuant to Title 49 Code of Federal Regulations Part 26 and,

particularly, the requirements of certification, method of award, and evidence of

good faith.

For additional information on this project, contact Christine Yamasaki at

(808) 692-7572 or Justin Rush at (808) 692-8427 or by email at

christine.yamasaki@hawaii.gov or justin.se.rush@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.

Director of Transportation

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