

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

(Chapter 103D, HRS)

SEALED BIDS for:

**Pedestrian Countdown Timers Phase 1
Project No. HWY-O-05-09
Districts of Honolulu, Ewa and Waianae
Island of Oahu**

will be received at the:

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

until 2:00 P.M., Hawaii Standard Time (HST) December 3, 2009, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read.

A compact disc containing the plans, specifications, proposal and contract forms may be obtained from the above office. 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 retrofitting and replacing pedestrian countdown timers. Estimated construction cost is between \$300,000 and \$500,000.

To be eligible for award, bidders must possess a valid State of Hawaii General Engineering Contractor's "A" license or Specialty Contractor's "C-13" license, at the time of bidding.

The Hawaii Products Preference pursuant to ACT 175, SLH 2009 is applicable to this project. Persons wishing to certify and qualify a product as a Hawaii Product shall submit a Certification for Hawaii Product Preference (SPO Form 38) to the Contracts Office no later than 4:30 p.m., fourteen (14) calendar

days prior to the bid opening date. Late submittals for this project will not be reviewed by the Department of Transportation.

A separate SPO-38 form shall be completed and submitted for each product. The form is available at <http://www4.hawaii.gov/StateForms/ShowForm.cfm>

A pre-bid conference is set for 9:00 a.m., November 16, 2009, at the Department of Transportation, Highways Division, 601 Kamokila Boulevard, Room 611, Kapolei, Hawaii. 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, Reid Tokuhara at (808)692-7691, by phone at or by facsimile at (808)692-7690.

Campaign contributions by State and County Contractors. Contractors are hereby notified of the applicability of Section 11-205.5, 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 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 and sex (as directed by 23 CFR Part 200).

For additional information on this project, contact Reid Tokuhara at (808) 692-7691.

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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Director of Transportation

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