NOTICE TO BIDDERS

(Chapter 103D, HRS)

SEALED BIDS for:

Nimitz Highway and Ala Moana Boulevard Resurfacing And Highway Lighting Replacement Fort Street to Kalakaua Avenue Federal-Aid No. NH-092-1(27) District of Honolulu 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), March 11, 2010, 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 cold planning, resurfacing, reconstructing weakened pavement areas, replacing damaged curb and gutter, installing concrete bus pads, reconstruction of sidewalks, adjusting utility manholes and pullboxes, installing loop detectors, striping and pavement markings, transverse duct crossings, traffic signal interconnect cable, highway lighting conduit, new lighting foundations and poles; upgrading bridge rails and end posts and undergrounding utility lines. Estimated construction cost is over \$15,000,000.

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

Contractor is advised that Hawaiian Electric Company, Inc. is a signatory party to this contract. Monthly progress payments will be processed by both the State and Hawaiian Electric. Hawaiian Electric and the Association of Pomaikai condominium are also named as additional insured.

A pre-bid conference is set for 10:00 A.M., February 9, 2009, at the Department of Transportation, Highways Division, 601 Kamokila Boulevard, Room 609, 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, Li Nah Okita, Project Manager, by phone at (808) 692-7581 or by facsimile at (808) 692-7590.

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 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

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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).

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 project. Bidders are hereby notified that the Department of Transportation will 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 General Information Regarding Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBEs) and Regulatory 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 Li Nah Okita at (808) 692-7581 or Kwok Ming Ng at (808)692-7583, 601 Kamokila Boulevard, Room 609, Kapolei, Hawaii, 96707.

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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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