

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

(Chapter 103D, HRS)

SEALED BIDS for:

**Interstate Route H-1
Extension and Repair of
School Street On-Ramp Retaining Wall
Project No. H1I-01-08
AND
Interstate Route H-1
Drainage Improvements
Vicinity of School Street Off-Ramp
Project No. H1I-01-09
District of Honolulu
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., April 23, 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 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 retaining wall project includes adding a new facing to portions of the existing wall; increasing the height to portions of the existing wall; providing rock anchors for wall stabilization to portions of the existing wall; extending the retaining wall to replace the existing metal guardrails; and relocating lighting poles.

The drainage improvements project includes demolishing, removing, and disposing of existing underdrain and existing curb and/or gutter, installing new underdrain system, grated drop inlets, and culverts connecting the new grated drop inlets to an existing box culvert.

Estimated construction cost is between \$4m and \$5m.

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

In accordance with Section 3-124-4, Hawaii Administrative Rules, the Hawaii Products Preference is applicable to this project. The Hawaii Product List may be examined at the State Procurement Office, Kalanimoku Building, 1151 Punchbowl Street, Honolulu, Hawaii 96813, or online at www.hawaii.gov/spo/SPO/Code/index.html.

A pre-bid conference is set for 9:00 a.m., April 6, 2009, Room 609, 601 Kamokila Boulevard, 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 Li Nah Okita at (808)692-7581 or Kwok Ng at (808) 692-7583 or by facsimile at (808)692-7590 .

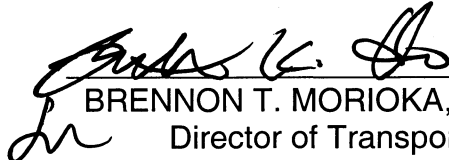
The Equal Employment Opportunity Regulations of the Secretary of Labor implementing Executive Order 11246, as amended, shall be complied with on this project.

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 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 Li Nah Okita at (808) 692-7581 or Kwok Ng at (808) 692-7583, 601 Kamokila Boulevard, Kapolei, HI 96707.

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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