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January 20, 2022

Board of Supervisors
Lowndes County
c/o Chancery Clerk
Columbus, MS 39703

Gentlemen:

RE: **LOCAL SYSTEM BRIDGE PROGRAM**
PROJECT NO. LSBP-44(16)
LOWNDES COUNTY

The Plans and specifications for the above numbered project have been reviewed and are herewith approved. You are, therefore, authorized to advertise this project for bids. The work to be done under this project consists of **Box Bridge & Approaches**.

The date for opening these bids has been set for **Monday, February 28, 2022 at 10:00 a.m.** in the **Boardroom at Columbus**.

In accordance with the Provisions of Section 31-7-13, Mississippi Code of 1972 as amended by House Bills numbered 901 and 1306 of the 1991 regular Legislative Session, the advertisement for receipt of bids on this project must be made once each week for two (2) consecutive weeks in a regular newspaper published in your county and, further, that the date as published for the bid opening shall not be less than fifteen (15) working days after the last published notice. The date, as set above, should be no sooner than the sixteenth working day after the last advertisement appears in the newspaper.

We are returning herewith an approved copy of the Plans and Proposal Documents to be filed by your Clerk when advertisement is begun.

Sincerely,

Harry Lee James, P. E.
State Aid Engineer

By: Evelyn Hollins
Administrative Assistant

pc: Robert L. Calvert, P.E., Co. Eng./Project Eng.
Supervisor District(s) I
Jared Keen, P.E.
F.H.W.A., **00-01 (if Federal)**
System Consultants Associates
McGraw Hill Construction Dodge
MS Procurement Technical Assistance Program
Associated General Contractors of Mississippi, Inc.
M.R.B.A.
Project File

OFFICE OF STATE AID ROAD CONSTRUCTION
MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
AND
LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

SECTION 900

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS:

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Lowndes County, Mississippi at the Lowndes County Courthouse, Columbus, Mississippi, until on the day of , and shortly thereafter publicly opened for the construction of 0.131 miles of BOX BRIDGE AND APPROACHES on the DUNCAN ROAD being known as Project No. LSBP-44(16) in Lowndes County, Mississippi.

PRINCIPAL ITEMS OF WORK ARE APPROXIMATELY AS FOLLOWS:

ITEM	QUANTITY	UNIT
<u>ROADWAY ITEMS:</u>		
MOBILIZATION	LUMP SUM	LS
CLEARING AND GRUBBING	LUMP SUM	LS
REMOVAL OF TRIPLE 103"X71" CMP @ (STA 13+50)	1.000	UN
REMOVAL OF (ALL TYPES) (ALL DEPTHS)	778.000	SY
UNCLASSIFIED EXCAVATION (FM)	1,124.000	CY
BORROW EXCAVATION (F.M.E.) (CONTRACTOR FURNISHED) (CLASS 9)	5,204.000	CY
CHANNEL EXCAVATION (FM)	358.000	CY
GEOTEXTILE FABRIC STABILIZATION (TYPE III) (AOS 0.15-0.43)	1,260.000	SY
GRANULAR MATERIAL (LVM), (CLASS 3, GROUP B)	798.000	CY
CLASS B STRUCTURAL CONCRETE, MINOR STRUCTURES	1.430	CY
REINFORCING STEEL	103.000	LB
24" REINFORCED CONCRETE PIPE, CLASS III	116.000	LF
24" REINFORCED CONCRETE PIPE, END SECTION	3.000	EA
RIGHT-OF-WAY MARKERS (TYPE II)	19.000	EA
MAINTENANCE OF TRAFFIC	LUMP SUM	LS
ADDITIONAL CONSTRUCTION SIGNS	0.000	SF
REFLECTORIZED TRAFFIC WARNING SIGN (ENCAPSULATED LENS)	4.000	EA
<u>EROSION CONTROL ITEMS:</u>		
AGRICULTURAL LIMESTONE	2.720	TON
COMMERCIAL FERTILIZER (13:13:13)	1.360	TON
SEEDING	1.360	AC
VEGETATIVE MATERIALS FOR MULCH	4.080	TON
SOLID SODDING	50.000	SY

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TEMPORARY SILT FENCE	2,000.000	LF
WATTLES, 20"	100.000	LF
TEMPORARY STREAM DIVERSION	1.000	EA
LOOSE RIPRAP, 100 LB.	185.000	TON
LOOSE RIPRAP, 200 LB.	490.000	TON

BOX BRIDGE ITEMS:

BOX BRIDGE CONCRETE, CLASS "BB"	265.640	CY
REINFORCEMENT	50,284.000	LB

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS:

CONTRACT TIME: 100 Working Days

BASIS OF AWARD

The award, if made, will be made to the lowest qualified bidder on the basis of published quantities.

The Board of Supervisors hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprise will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award.

PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS are on file in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Lowndes County, the LSBP Engineer's office and the Office of the State Aid Engineer, 412 E. Woodrow Wilson Avenue, Jackson, Mississippi. This project shall be constructed in accordance with the latest edition of the Mississippi Standard Specifications for State Aid Road and Bridge Construction.

PLANS AND PROPOSALS may be secured from Robert L. Calvert, LSBP Engineer for Lowndes County, Mississippi, P. O. Drawer 1078, West Point. The Cost is seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) for plans and seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) for the proposal, non-refundable

Certified check or bid bond for five percent (5%) of the total bid, made payable to Lowndes County and the State of Mississippi must accompany each proposal.

Bidders are hereby notified that any proposal accompanied by letters qualifying in any manner the condition under which the proposal is tendered will be considered an irregular bid and such proposal will not be considered in making the award.

Harry Sanders, President
Lowndes County Board of Supervisors