

010000 - ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed bids for **TAXIWAY REHABILITATION**, to be constructed for PANOLA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, Batesville, Mississippi, will be received at PANOLA COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 151 PUBLIC SQUARE, BATESVILLE, MS 38606 until 1:00 PM, Friday, July 16, 2021, at which time the bids shall be publicly opened and read aloud. Sealed bids submitted prior to the bid opening should be sent to Panola County Board of Supervisors, 151 Public Square, Batesville, MS 38606. ATTN: Kate Victor-County Administrator.

For this project, bids will also be accepted through the QuestCDN online electronic bid interface. Electronic bids must be submitted through the QuestCDN online bidding interface. All electronic bids must be signed by an individual authorized to bind the Bidder. All electronic bids must be regular in every respect and no interlineations, exclusions, or special conditions shall be made or included in the Proposal by the Bidder.

An Optional Pre-Bid Conference will be held on Thursday, July 8, 2021 at 1:00PM at the Panola County Airport Terminal Building. Pre-Bid Conference attendance is optional but highly recommended for bidders on this project. Each bidder shall be limited to three personnel per organization. Bidders may also access the conference via phone by dialing (833) 450-2980 and the participant code: 488 998 822 #. A website link for the virtual presentation will be provided at a later date on the planroom and via email to all planholders.

The project includes, but is not limited to, an asphalt mill and overlay, including grading, and marking installation on the parallel taxiway and taxiway connectors, as shown on the plans and indicated in the specifications.

Digital copies of the bid documents are available at <http://planroom.garverusa.com> for a fee of \$40. These documents may be downloaded by selecting this project from the "Plan Room" link, and by entering Quest Project Number 7889652 on the "Browse Projects" page. For assistance and free membership registration, contact QuestCDN at 952.233.1632 or info@questcdn.com. Addendums to the bid package will be issued through the online Garver Plan Holders List; therefore, all prime bidders shall be responsible for downloading the bid documents from the Garver online plan room in order to be included in the Plan Holders List. Bidders must enter the addenda numbers in the Proposal to verify receipt.

Proposals shall be accompanied by a cashier's or certified check upon a national or state bank in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the total maximum bid price payable without recourse to the Owner, or a bid bond in the same amount from a reliable surety company, as a guarantee that the Bidder will enter into a contract and execute performance and payment bonds within ten (10) days after notice of award of Contract to him. Such bid guarantee shall be made payable to PANOLA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

The successful bidder must furnish a performance and payment bond upon the form provided in the amount of one hundred per cent (100%) of the contract price from an approved surety company holding a permit from the State of Mississippi to act as surety, or other surety or sureties acceptable to the Owner.

All Bidders shall make good faith efforts, as defined by Appendix A of 49 CFR Part 26, Regulations of the Office of the Secretary of Transportation, to subcontract a minimum of 9.4% of the dollar value of the prime contract to small business concerns owned and controlled by socially and economically disadvantaged individuals (DBE).

Subject to applicable Federal law, Bidders must be qualified under Mississippi law and show a current Certificate of Responsibility issued by the Mississippi Board of Public Contractors establishing classification as to the value and type of construction work on which he/she is authorized to bid.

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Taxiway Rehabilitation

Certain mandatory federal requirements apply to this solicitation and will be made a part of any contract awarded:

1. Buy American Preferences (Title 49 U.S.C. Chapter 501)
2. Foreign Trade Restrictions (49 CFR 30.17)
3. Davis Bacon Labor Provisions (29 CFR Parts 1, 3, and 5)
4. Requirement for Affirmative Action (41 CFR Part 60-4)
5. Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility, and Voluntary Exclusion
6. Requirements for Drug-free Workplace

Davis Bacon Act wage rules shall apply. All laborers and mechanics employed by contractors and subcontractors on projects funded directly by or assisted in whole or in part by and through the Federal Government shall be paid wages at rates not less than those prevailing on projects of a character similar in the locality as determined by the Secretary of Labor in accordance with subchapter IV of Chapter 31 of Title 40, United States Code. The Department of Labor provides all pertinent information related to compliance with labor standards, including prevailing wage rates and instructions for reporting. For more information please refer to www.wdol.gov.

All bidders and proposers shall make good faith efforts, as defined by Appendix A of 49 CFR Part 26, Regulations of the Office of the Secretary of Transportation, to subcontract a minimum of TYPED percent of the dollar value of the prime contract to small business concerns owned and controlled by socially and economically disadvantaged individuals (DBE).

Panola County Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive irregularities in the bids and bidding deemed to be in the best interests of Panola County Board of Supervisors, and to reject nonconforming, nonresponsive, or conditional bids.

Bids must remain in effect for 90 days after the bid opening date.

Panola County Board of Supervisors