

**SECTION 901
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

City of Gulfport, Mississippi

Federal Aid Project No. STP-9372-00(009)LPA/106903-701000
Harrison County

Notice is hereby given that the City of Gulfport, Mississippi, will receive sealed bids at the Office of Procurement, 1410 24th Avenue, Gulfport, **until 10:00 A.M. local time on January 23, 2017** for the following:

**COURTHOUSE ROAD FROM US 90 TO PASS ROAD
FEDERAL AID PROJECT NO. STP-9372-00(009)LPA/106903-701000**

Work on which proposals are invited consists of the following items:

Reconstruction of Courthouse Road from U.S. Highway 90 to Pass Road. Work includes paving, raised medians, sidewalks, sub-surface drainage, roadway lighting, and the installation of traffic signals.

The attention of bidders is directed to the Special Provisions governing selection and employment of labor.

Minimum wage rates for Federal-Aid projects have been predetermined by the Secretary of Labor and are subject to Public Law 87-581 Work Hours Act of 1962, as set forth in the Special Provisions. Minimum wage rates for all other projects have been predetermined and set forth in advertised specifications.

Although not mandatory, bidders are strongly encouraged to attend a pre-bid meeting for this project at 2:00 p.m. local time on January 11, 2017 at the City of Gulfport Public Works, 4050 Hewes Ave, Gulfport.

The City of Gulfport, Mississippi hereby notifies all Bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged and women's business enterprises will be afforded the 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. The award of this contract will be contingent upon the Contractor satisfying the DBE/WBE requirements.

Work to be performed shall be in accordance with the "Mississippi State Highway Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction, 2004", together with all amendments and/or special provisions and/or addenda to the standards duly approved and adopted, unless otherwise noted in these specifications.

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Copies of the plans, specifications and proposal documents are on file with the City of Gulfport Engineering Division which is located at 4050 Hewes Ave, Gulfport, and may be examined without charge during regular business hours (7:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m., Monday – Friday). Bid documents are available via paper or digital copy. Interested bidders are required to log-in or register for an account at www.neel-schafferplans.com to view and order bid documents. A valid email address is required for registration. Bid documents are non-refundable and must be purchased through the website. Questions regarding website registration and online orders can be directed to Plan House Printing at 228-248-0181.

Each bid shall be accompanied by a Certified Check on a solvent bank or a Bidder's Bond issued by a Surety Company licensed to operate in the State of Mississippi, in the amount of five percent (5%) of the total bid price, payable to the City of Gulfport as bid security. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a Performance Bond and a Payment Bond each in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the contract amount.

BIDS SHALL BE DELIVERED TO THE OFFICE OF THE PROCUREMENT, AT 1410 24TH AVENUE, GULFPORT, MS 39501

The proposal and contract documents in its entirety shall be submitted in a sealed envelope marked plainly, **COURTHOUSE ROAD FROM US 90 TO PASS ROAD - STP-9372-00(009)LPA/106903-701000**, and addressed to the Purchasing Office, P.O. Box 1780, Gulfport, MS 39501. In addition to the above, the sealed envelope shall list the Company Name and Address.

The attention of Bidders is directed to the provisions of Subsection 102.07 pertaining to irregular proposals and rejection of bids.

SEND PROOF OF PUBLICATION: Office of Procurement
 1410 24th Avenue
 Gulfport, MS 39501

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