**Section 901**

**ADVERTISEMENT**

Jackson County, MISSISSIPPI

Federal Aid Project No. STP-9064-00(011)LPA 106889/701000

The Board of Supervisors of Jackson County, Mississippi, will receive bids for the Improvements to Old Spanish Trail, for a total project length of 2 miles, Federal Aid Project No. STP-9064-00(011)LPA 106889/701000 **no later than 12:00 p.m. , Local Time, August 7, 2017**, at the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Jackson County, 2915 Canty Street, Suite R, Pascagoula, MS 39567. All bids so received will be publicly opened and read aloud at **1:00 p.m. Local Time, August 7, 2017** at the Board of Supervisors of Jackson County Board Room, 2915 Canty Street, Pascagoula, MS 39567.

The work shall consist essentially of the following items:

The construction of new shoulders, overlay and striping. All other related items of work required to complete the project as shown and specified in the Contract Documents.

The above general outline of features of the work does not in any way limit the responsibility of the contractor to perform all work and furnish all plant, labor, equipment and materials required by the specifications and the drawings referred to therein.

The attention of bidders is directed to the Contract 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 Contract Provisions.

The Board of Supervisors of Jackson County 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.**

The contract Documents are on file and may be examined during normal business hours at the following locations:

1. Board of Supervisors Office, 2915 Canty Street, Pascagoula, Mississippi 39567-4239.

2. Burk-Kleinpeter, Inc., 2113 Government Street Building B, Suite B-1, Ocean Springs, Mississippi 39564

All documents for bidding purposes may be obtained in person at **ARC** **Document Solutions, 2337 Pass Rd., Suite A, Biloxi, MS 39531, (228) 388-8668** for a nonrefundable fee. Please contact Adam Jackson with Burk-Kleinpeter at (228) 875-1919 with any questions.

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 Jackson County Board of Supervisors as bid security. Bidders shall also submit a current financial statement, if requested by the County. 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.

The proposal and contract documents in its entirety shall be submitted in a sealed envelope and addressed to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Jackson County, 2915 Canty Street, Suite R, Pascagoula, MS 39567, prior to the hour and date above designated. In addition to the above, the sealed envelope shall list the Company Name and Address.

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.

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

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND OFFICIAL SEAL OF OFFICE, THIS THE 20 DAY OF JUNE, 2017.

BY\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Joshua Eldridge, Chancery Clerk

Board of Supervisors, JACKSON COUNTY

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