## NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed proposals will be received by the <u>NC Wildlife Resources Commission Depot</u> located at <u>951 Perrytown Rd.</u>, <u>New Bern, NC</u>, 28562, and should be addressed to the attention of <u>Jody Reavis</u>. Bids will be received up to 3:00 pm <u>January 15, 2025</u> and immediately thereafter publicly opened and read for the furnishing of labor, material and equipment entering into the construction of:

## SCO Project # 22-24799-01A -- Gull Rock Bridge Replacement

## **Description of Work**

Replacement of the existing timber bridge over Outfall Canal on the Gull Rock Game Land access road off of SR 1164 (Outfall Canal Rd.) in Hyde County. Existing bridge will be replaced with a three span cored slab bridge in the same location.

Bids will be received for <u>Single Prime</u>. All proposals shall be lump sum.

## **Pre-Bid Meeting**

An open, <u>virtual</u> pre-bid meeting will be held for all interested bidders on <u>December 18, 2024</u> at <u>10:00 am</u> at: <u>Link to Pre-Bid Meeting</u>. The meeting will address project specific questions, issues, bidding procedures and bid forms. Prospective bidders are encouraged and expected to vist the site prior to submitting a bid.

Complete plans, specifications and contract documents will be open for inspection in the offices of Johnson, Mirmiran & Thompson, Inc. at 3508-A Trent Rd., New Bern, NC 28652; at the NC Wildlife Resources Commission at 1720 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699; or in Minority Plan Rooms in

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or may be obtained by those qualified as prime bidders, upon deposit of <u>Fifty</u> dollars (\$50.00) in cash or certified check. The full plan deposit will be returned to those bidders provided all documents are returned in good, usable condition within ten (10) days after the bid date.

Complete plans, specifications and contract documents are also available upon request to Barry Hobbs with Johnson, Mirmiran, and Thompson at <a href="mailto:bhobbs@jmt.com">bhobbs@jmt.com</a>.

**NOTE**: The bidder shall include with the bid proposal the form Identification of Minority Business Participation identifying the minority business participation it will use on the project and shall include either Affidavit **A** or Affidavit **B** as applicable. Forms and instructions are included within the Proposal Form in the bid documents. Failure to complete these forms is grounds for rejection of the bid. (GS143-128.2c Effective 1/1/2002.)

All contractors are hereby notified that they must have proper license as required under the state laws governing their respective trades.

General contractors are notified that Chapter 87, Article 1, General Statutes of North Carolina, will be observed in receiving and awarding general contracts. General contractors submitting bids on this project must have license classification for <a href="Highway or Unclassified">Highway or Unclassified</a>

Each proposal shall be accompanied by a cash deposit or a certified check drawn on some bank or trust company, insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, of an amount

equal to not less than five percent (5%) of the proposal, or in lieu thereof a bidder may offer a bid bond of five percent (5%) of the bid executed by a surety company licensed under the laws of North Carolina to execute the contract in accordance with the bid bond. Said deposit shall be retained by the owner as liquidated damages in event of failure of the successful bidder to execute the contract within ten days after the award or to give satisfactory surety as required by law.

A performance bond and a payment bond will be required for one hundred percent (100%) of the contract price.

Payment will be made based on ninety-five percent (95%) of monthly estimates and final payment made upon completion and acceptance of work.

No bid may be withdrawn after the scheduled closing time for the receipt of bids for a period of 30 days.

The owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive informalities.

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