

## NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received by the City Council of Brookings, South Dakota, at the office of the City Clerk at the City & County Government Center, 520 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Suite 230, Brookings, South Dakota, 57006, until 1:30 p.m. (local time), July 2, 2024 for the Parallel Taxiway Construction, Brookings Regional Airport, Brookings, South Dakota. All bids will then be publicly opened and read.

Such bids are to provide for furnishing all equipment, labor, and materials as set forth in the specifications and performing all work, incidental thereto for the following approximate work quantities:

### **Base Bid**

Primary Work: Approximately 1090 SqYd of Asphalt Pavement Removal, 5800 CuYd of Unclassified Excavation, 17900 CuYd of Borrow Excavation, 5400 CuYd of Subbase Course, 7300 SqYd of Geotextile Separator Fabric, 1200 CuYd of Aggregate Base Course, 1400 Ton of Asphalt Base / Surface Course, 92 Ton of Asphalt Binder (PG 64-34), 8 Ton of Emulsified Prime Coat, 3 Ton of Emulsified Tack Coat, 2900 Ft of 4" Underdrain, 2200 CuYd of Topsoiling, 18 Acre of Seeding and Fertilizing, 87100 SqYd of Mulching, Contractor Quality Control Program, Pavement Marking, Temporary Electrical Phasing Work, 5600 Ft of 1/C No. 8 AWG, 5kV, L-824, Type C Cable, Installed in Conduit, 3900 Ft of 1/C No. 6 AWG, Solid, Bare Copper Counterpoise Wire, Including Trenching or Plowing, Including Ground Rods, Connections & Terminations, 400 Ft of Remove and Dispose of Existing Conduit, 500 Ft of Remove and Salvage Existing Cable, 5000 Ft of Trenching & Backfilling or Plowing for Conduit, 4700 Ft of Non-Encased, Electrical Conduit, 1-Way, 2-Inch, Type I, Sch. 40 PVC in Trench or SDR 13 HDPE Plowed, 70 Ft of Sand Encased, Electrical Conduit, 2-Way, 2-Inch Type III, Sch. 80 PVC in Trench, 260 Ft of Non-Encased, Electrical Conduit, 1-Way, 2-Inch, Type III, SDR 11 HDPE Bored, 5 Each of L-867B (12") Junction Box with Flat Steel Cover, 6 Each of Remove & Salvage for Reinstallation Existing L-861T LED Medium Intensity Taxiway Light, & Base Can, 2 Each of Remove & Salvage Existing L-858 Airport Sign, Remove & Dispose of Concrete & Junction Box, 9 Each of Remove & Salvage Existing L-853 Retroreflective Markers, 6 Each of Reinstall Existing L-861T LED Medium Intensity Taxiway Light & Base Can, 45 Each of L-861T, 30-Inch Elevated, Class 2, Mode 1, LED, Medium Intensity Taxiway Light, Blue, Including Base Can, Airport Signs, Spare Parts, and other items of related Construction.

1. Plans and Specifications: Copies of the Plans and Specifications are available for inspection at:

Office of the City of Brookings, South Dakota, or at the Office of Helms and Associates, 416 Production Street, Aberdeen, South Dakota 57401.

Plans and Specifications may be obtained, at the Office of the latter, upon payment to Helms and Associates for shipping and handling in the amount of \$100 for an 11" x 17" size set of plans and specifications.

Plans and Specifications may be retrieved by registering with the Issuing Office at <http://www.helmsengineering.com/biddocs.html>. Following registration, complete sets of Plans and Specifications may be downloaded as portable document format (PDF) files. **Users who have downloaded the Plans and Specifications will be mailed an invoice of \$20.00.** All payments are non-refundable.

**Additionally, upon request, in accordance with South Dakota Codified Law 5-18B-1, one copy of Plans and Specifications shall be furnished, without charge, to each Contractor resident in South Dakota who intends, in good faith, to bid upon the project.**

2. Bid Guarantee: Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check, cashier's check or draft in the amount of five percent (5%) of the total bid, and drawn on a solvent State or National Bank, or a ten percent (10%) Bid Bond issued by a surety authorized to do business in the State of South Dakota and payable to the City of Brookings, South Dakota.
3. Contract Bonds: Separate Payment and Performance Bonds guaranteeing faithful performance of the Contract and payment of all labor, materials, rentals, etc., will be required for an amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the amount of the Contract. All bonds must be issued or co-signed by a licensed resident agent of South Dakota.
4. Commencement and Completion: The Engineer will set the beginning date in a written "Notice to Proceed with Construction". The Contractor shall begin the work within ten (10) days of the date set forth in the written "Notice to Proceed" and shall complete the work within the number of calendar days, working days, or completion date or dates as shown in the Specifications.
5. Title VI: The City of Brookings, in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 Stat. 252, 42 USC §§ 2000d to 2000d-4) and the Regulations, hereby notifies all bidders or offerors that it will affirmatively ensure that any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full and fair 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.
6. Minimum Wage Rates: The successful bidder will be required to comply with all applicable Federal Labor Laws, including the minimum wage rates decision of the United States Department of Labor.
7. Affirmative Action: A Contractor who may be awarded a contract of \$10,000 or more and subcontractors who may be awarded a subcontract of \$10,000 or more will be required to maintain an affirmative action program, the standards for which are contained in the advertised specifications.

8. Award of Contract: The right is reserved, as the interest of the City of Brookings, South Dakota, may require, to reject any and all bids, to waive informality in bids received, and to accept or reject any items of any bid, unless such bid is qualified by specific limitation.
9. The contractor will certify that he and any of his subcontractors meet the requirements of 49 CFR, Part 29, regarding debarment, suspension, ineligibility and voluntary exclusion as further described in these specifications.
10. The contractor will certify that he and his subcontractors will comply with the 49 CFR, 30.17, regarding Foreign Trade Restrictions as further noted in project specifications.
11. The contractor will certify that he and his subcontractors will comply with "BUY AMERICAN CERTIFICATION (JAN. 1991)" as further noted in project specifications.
12. The contractor will comply with "BUY AMERICAN-STEEL AND MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS FOR CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS (JAN. 1991)" as further described in project specifications.
13. If an applicant (corporation) has either unpaid Federal tax liability or has been convicted of a criminal violation under any Federal law within the preceding 24 months, the applicant is ineligible to receive an award unless the sponsor has received notification from the agency suspension and debarment official (SDO) that the SDO has considered suspension or debarment and determined that further action is not required to protect the Government's interests.

**A Pre-Bid Conference will be held at 1:00 p.m. (local time), June 24, 2024 via GoToMeeting. The conference is intended to clarify any questions regarding bidding and/or construction requirements. All interested contractors, subcontractors, and suppliers are encouraged to attend. Below is the link and call-in information:**

**<https://meet.goto.com/349810661>**

**Phone Number: 1 (571) 317-3122**

**Access Code: 349-810-661**

All bids must be signed and submitted in a sealed envelope and shall state on the left hand side of the envelope "Bid for Parallel Taxiway Construction Project". Any bids received after the deadline will not be accepted.

No bids may be withdrawn after the time set for the opening of bids. Action on the bids will occur within 30 days of the bid opening. The City of Brookings reserves the right to waive irregularities and to reject any and all bids.

Bonnie Foster, City Clerk

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