

COUNTY OF MONTEREY  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

Sealed bids will be received at the OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF THE COUNTY OF MONTEREY, 168 W. ALISAL STREET 1<sup>ST</sup> FLOOR, SALINAS, CALIFORNIA 93901 (MAILING ADDRESS: P O BOX 1728, SALINAS CA 93902-1728), until 2:00 p.m., on July 17, 2012, for the

BLACKIE ROAD SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS  
PROJECT NO. 13-140665 & 13-142265  
State Project No: EA 05-930075L & EA 05-930155L  
Federal Aid Project No: HRRRL-5944(086) & HRRRL-5944(091)

as shown on the plans, at which time they will be publicly opened and read in the Board of Supervisors' Conference Room 1032.

The County of Monterey affirms that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprise will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation.

The UDBE Contract Goal is 5.4 percent.

The work to be done consists, in general, of roadway widening including but not limited to existing pavement reconstruction with hot mix asphalt, shoulder construction, pavement delineation, clearing and grubbing, ditch and storm drain construction, and traffic control. The Engineers Estimate for the construction cost is \$1,272,350.

The Additive Alternate for the project consists of, but not limited to, roadway widening including but not limited to existing pavement reconstruction with hot mix asphalt, shoulder construction, pavement delineation, clearing and grubbing, ditch construction, and traffic control. The Engineer's Estimate for the Additive Alternate is \$158,859.

The Bidder shall possess either a valid Class A license or a combination of Class C-8, C-12, C-31, C-32 and C-45, licenses at the time this contract is awarded.

A bidder's bond, issued by an admitted corporate surety company in an amount equal to at least ten percent of the amount bid, must accompany the bid.

The successful bidder shall furnish a payment bond and a performance bond each in the amount of 100 percent of the Contract.

The Contract Documents are available ELECTRONICALLY and can be downloaded for free at the following Monterey County website: <http://www.co.monterey.ca.us/publicworks/bids.htm>. Plan holders must register before they can view or download the documents. A copy of the electronic files on compact-disc (CD) is also available at MONTEREY COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, 168 W. ALISAL STREET, 2<sup>ND</sup> FLOOR, SALINAS, CALIFORNIA 93901 for a nonrefundable fee of \$5.00. The electronic files can be used to print the project plans (full or half size), project specifications, and other such documents at various printing companies.

Pursuant to Section 1773 of the Labor Code, the general prevailing wage rates in the county, or counties, in which the work is to be done have been determined by the Director of the California

Department of Industrial Relations and are available at the Department of Public Works, 168 W. Alisal Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Salinas, CA 93901, and available from the California Department of Industrial Relations' Internet web site at <http://www.dir.ca.gov/DLSR/PWD>.

Pursuant to Public Contract Code section 22300, the Contractor may substitute securities for any moneys withheld by the County to ensure performance under the contract.

Anyone with knowledge of possible bid rigging, bidder collusion, or other fraudulent activities should call the U.S. Department of Transportation (1-800-424-9071) "hotline," between 8:00am and 5:00pm, and report these activities.

The County reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any irregularities or informalities in any bids or in the bidding.

Date: June 19, 2012

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COUNTY OF MONTEREY