PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT AND GENERAL INFORMATION

WILLIAMSON COUNTY PURCHASING DEPARTMENT

SOLICITATION

IH 35 Northbound Frontage Road Driveway

BIDS MUST BE RECEIVED ON OR BEFORE:
Nov 18, 2015 3:30:00 PM CST

BIDS WILL BE PUBLICLY OPENED:
Nov 18, 2015 3:30:00 PM CST

Notice is hereby given that sealed Bids for the above-mentioned goods and/or services will be accepted by the Williamson County Purchasing Department. Williamson County uses BidSync to distribute and receive bids. Specifications for this IFB may be obtained by registering at www.bidsync.com.

Williamson County prefers and requests electronic submittal of this bid.

All electronic bids must be submitted via: www.bidsync.com

All interested Bidders are invited to submit a Bid in accordance with the Instructions and General Requirements, Bid Format, Bid Specifications, and Definitions, Terms and Conditions stated in this IFB.

Bidders are strongly encouraged to carefully read this entire IFB.

Electronic bids are requested, however paper bids will currently still be received, until further notice and may be mailed or delivered to the address listed below.

Please note that a complete package must be submitted choosing one of the above two methods. Split packages submitted will be considered "unresponsive" and will not be accepted or evaluated.

✓ If mailed or delivered in person, Bids and Bid addenda are to be delivered in sealed envelope on or before the submittal deadline, as noted in the ‘Public Announcement and General Information’ listed above for this IFB, to:

Williamson County Purchasing Department
Attn: IFB NAME AND NUMBER
901 South Austin Avenue
Georgetown, Texas 78626
✓ Bidders should list the Bid Number, Bid Name, Name and Address of Bidder, and the Date of the Bid opening on the outside of the box or envelope and note “Sealed Bid Enclosed.”

✓ Bidder should submit one (1) original; AND one (1) CD OR (1) USB copy of the Bid.

✓ **Williamson County will not accept** any Bids **received after** the submittal **deadline, and** shall return such Bids **unopened** to the Bidder.

✓ Williamson County will not accept any responsibility for Bids being delivered by third party carriers.

✓ Facsimile transmittals will NOT be accepted.

✓ Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud in the Williamson Purchasing Department at the time and date indicated above.

✓ All submitted questions with their answers will be posted and updated on www.bidsync.com.

✓ It is the Bidder’s responsibility to review all documents in BidSync including any addenda that may have been added after the document packet was originally released and posted.

✓ Any addenda and/or other information relevant to the IFB will be posted on www.bidsync.com.

✓ The Williamson County Purchasing Department takes no responsibility to ensure any interested Respondent has obtained any outstanding addenda or additional information.

✓ Williamson County will NOT be responsible for unmarked or improperly marked envelopes.
Bid 1510-019
IH 35 Northbound Frontage Road Driveway

Bid Number 1510-019
Bid Title IH 35 Northbound Frontage Road Driveway
Expected Expenditure $300,000.00 (This price is expected - not guaranteed)

Bid Start Date In Held
Bid End Date Nov 18, 2015 3:30:00 PM CST
Question & Answer End Date Nov 11, 2015 5:00:00 PM CST

Bid Contact
Connie Singleton
512-943-1553
csingleton@wilco.org

Contract Duration 60 days
Contract Renewal Not Applicable
Prices Good for Not Applicable
Pre-Bid Conference Nov 10, 2015 3:30:00 PM CST
Attendance is optional
Location: Williamson County Purchasing
901 South Austin Ave
Georgetown, TX 78626 512-943-1553

Bid Comments
Williamson County is seeking qualified contractors to construct a driveway consisting of grading, base, asphalt pavement, concrete pavement, signing, concrete culvert, and pavement markings. Estimated time of completion is 60 calendar days to substantial completion, and 15 calendar days to final completion, with an estimated cost of $300,000.

BID REQUIREMENTS

IH-35 NORTHBOUND FRONTAGE ROAD DRIVEWAY 1510-019

BID CHECK LIST

If bidding electronically in Bidsync (PREFERRED), the following documents MUST be completed and attached to the FIRST LINE ITEM
by November 18th, 2015 at 3:30 PM.

Bid Form (pricing) (attached spreadsheet)
Bid Affidavit
Conflict of Interest Form (attached document - if using Bidsync - your password is signature)
Disclosure for Lobbying Activities (attached document - if using Bidsync - your password is signature)

References
Bid Bond

If delivering a paper bid instead of electronic: the above listed documents must be completed and added with the price sheet and delivered to:
Williamson County Purchasing, 901 South Austin Ave, Georgetown, TX 78626.
Please note that a complete package must be submitted choosing one of the above two methods. Split packages submitted will be considered "unresponsive" and will not be accepted or evaluated.

BID BOND IS REQUIRED
Bidbers are not required to use Surety 2000 for your Bid Bond supplier, however; when bidding electronically in Bidsync and using Surety 2000, you may import your bid bond directly from the Surety

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To use a different bond provider you MUST:

- Scan the completed bond
- Download the completed bond to the first line item of this bid with your other required documents.

On all bids requiring a bid bond – you MUST supply the bond according to the instructions below or your bid will be disqualified.

All Bids shall be accompanied by either:

- a certified cashier’s check: payable without recourse to Williamson County and drawn upon a National or State bank in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the total maximum bid price; OR
- a bid bond not less than five percent (5%) of the total maximum bid price, from a surety company authorized to do business in the state of Texas.

For unit price contracts, the total maximum bid price shall be estimated and calculated by multiplying the estimated quantities to the unit bid price.

Bid bonds must be attached to the line item of the electronic bid OR submitted in the same sealed envelope with a paper bid.

Bids requiring a bid bond and submitted without a cashier’s check or a bid bond will not be considered.

LIQUIDATED DAMAGES for failure to substantially complete the work within the allotted time will be applied. The road-user cost Liquidated Damages will be in accordance with Special Provision 000-2332, and are estimated to be $590 per calendar day.

BONDS

Bid Bond is due at receipt of bid.

Payment and Performance Bond documents are provided in the Bid documents for completion upon award.

Warranty Bond documents are provided in the Bid documents for completion upon final completion of the work.

ALL OTHER SPECIFICATIONS AND REQUIREMENTS FOR THE PROJECT ARE INCLUDED IN THE PROJECT MANUAL AND PLANS - SEE ATTACHMENTS

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**Item Response Form**

| Item | 1510-019-01-01 - Complete Bid Form and attach to this line item with all other required documents |
|------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------
| Quantity | 1 each |
| Prices are not requested for this item. |
| Delivery Location | Williamson County, Texas |
| No Location Specified |
| Qty | 1 |

**Description**

Attach all required documentation to complete your bid to this line item:

- Bid Form
- Bid Affidavit
- Conflict of Interest Form
- Disclosure of Lobbying Activities
- Bidder References
- Bid Bond - (if not using Surety 2000)
WILLIAMSON COUNTY
PROJECT CONSTRUCTION MANUAL
FOR
IH 35 NORTHBOUND FRONTAGE ROAD DRIVEWAY

SOLICITATION 1510-019

Williamson County, Texas
Purchasing Department
901 South Austin Avenue
Georgetown, TX 78626

October 2015

The enclosed Specifications, Special Specifications, Special Provisions, General Notes and Specification Data in this document have been selected by me, or under my responsible supervision as being applicable to this project. Alteration of a sealed document without proper notification to the responsible engineer is an offense under the Texas Engineering Practice Act.
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