

INVITATION FOR CONSULTANT SERVICES

Project Specific Construction Management, Inspection & Materials Testing Services
I 225 PARKER ROAD TO MISSISSIPPI
I 225 FASTRACKS PARKER RD TO ILIFF
PROJECT # IM 2254-084 (17083)

Public Notice for Professional Consultants

The Colorado Department of Transportation (CDOT) intends to hire one (1) Professional Consultant for this Project. The selected Consultant will contract to provide Project Specific Construction Management, Construction Inspection and Materials Testing services to include those specific services set forth below.

DESCRIPTION: CDOT has need of a consultant to provide construction administration support, Project Engineering, Construction Management, Construction Inspection, and Materials Testing services for the reconstruction of I-225 from Parker Rd to Mississippi, and the joint CDOT / RTD FasTracks construction from I-225 Parker Road to Iliff IM 2254-084 (17083) on I-225 from MP 4.062 to MP 7.038 *(Project Length Inclusive of Both Projects)*

The I-225 Parker Road to Iliff project is a joint effort of CDOT and RTD. The successful firm will need to be knowledgeable of specifications, processes and methods of construction for both CDOT highway elements and RTD civil engineering elements for Light Rail Construction.

CDOT will need: (1) Colorado Licensed Professional Project Engineer (PE), (1) Colorado Licensed Professional Structural Engineer for safety critical work, (1) Assistant Project Engineer, (2) Inspectors, (1) Project Schedule/Claims Analyst, (1) Materials Testing Technicians and (1) Erosion Control Inspector for the duration of the project.

WORK DURATION

The time period for the work described in this advertisement covers the period from approximately November 1, 2011 to April 1, 2014. Work may be required at night and/or day, on weekends and holidays.

This Project-Specific contract work will be done on an “as needed basis.” The term, “as needed,” means that neither CDOT nor the Consultant has an obligation under the contract unless and until a task order is issued. A contract resulting from the Invitation for Consultant Services is considered a “pricing agreement.” CDOT anticipates that the compensation format on this contract will be “specific rate of pay,” subject to further review by CDOT.

SPECIAL PROJECT REQUIREMENT: All work is to be performed under the direction and supervision, appropriate to the task, of a Colorado-Licensed Professional Engineer, a Colorado-Licensed Professional Land Surveyor for Surveying services, a Certified Industrial Hygienist, or, as appropriate, any combination of the foregoing.

Interested Consultants:

The prime firm of each team must be on CDOT's list of prequalified consultants by September 22, 2011. Prequalification must be done annually. Consultants who are not prequalified or who have questions regarding their prequalification should immediately contact Bernie Rasmussen CDOT Agreements Office at telephone (303) 757-9400.

- **For the Capacity factor included in the Statement of Interest portion of the consultant's submittal, and described in the SOI/WP Preparation Instructions For Consultants, the prime firm must show, for the prime firm or any member of its team, capacity in the following disciplines: MC –Management Construction; CE – Civil Engineering SE- Structural Engineering; SO – Soils Engineering, and MT Materials Testing**
- **Submit six (6) copies of the Statement of Interest/Work Plan no later than 12:00 noon local time, Thursday September 29, 2011, to:**

David Wells
 Contracting Officer, Engineering Contracts Branch
 Colorado Department of Transportation
 4201 E. Arkansas Ave., 4th Floor - West
 Denver, CO 80222

The scope of work along with the latest "Consultant Instructions for the Statement of Interest/Work Plan" and the anticipated consultant selection schedule must be obtained from the address shown above or from the CDOT website: <http://www.dot.state.co.us/Consultants/>
 Previous editions of the instructions should not be used.

STATEMENTS OF INTEREST/WORK PLANS RECEIVED AFTER THE TIME AND DATE SPECIFIED WILL BE REJECTED. THE STATEMENT OF INTEREST/WORK PLAN MUST COMPLY WITH CDOT'S STANDARDIZED FORMAT REQUIREMENTS. PLEASE REFER TO THE INSTRUCTIONS. FAILURE TO FOLLOW THE REQUIRED FORMAT AS PROVIDED IN THE STATEMENT OF INTEREST/WORK PLAN INSTRUCTIONS MAY RESULT IN YOUR SUBMITTAL BEING REJECTED.

Questions of a technical nature regarding this project may be directed to:

Name: Rick Erjavec
Organization: CDOT Project Manager, Region 6
Telephone: (303) 757-9350

CDOT will not be holding interviews for this consultant selection. From those firms submitting a Statement of Interest/Work Plan (SOI/WP), CDOT will short-list no less than three firms and will make the final selection from the highest scoring firm, using the following criteria for final selection: Workload Factor; Project Team; Firm Capability; Past Performance on Similar Projects/Similar Teams; Work Location; Capacity; UDBE Participation; ESB Participation; Project Goals, Project Control, Project Concept, and Project Critical Issues.

NOTE: Firms submitting a Statement of Interest/Work Plan (SOI/WP) must, in their submitted SOI/WP, expressly commit, and identify by name, key employees of their own staff, as well as of the staffs of the sub-consultants on their teams, to be available to do the Work.

UDBE GOAL: 10% (Ten Percent)

The Department has determined the contract goal for UDBE participation in this contract will be met with certified DBEs who have been determined to be underutilized on professional services contracts. At this time, **all DBEs** (ESBs) will be considered to be UDBEs. The UDBE goal for this project is: **10 %**.

The type of compensation on this contract is anticipated to be a Specific Rate of Pay format. (SROP)

CDOT assumes no obligation of any kind for expenses incurred by any respondent to this solicitation. The right is also reserved by CDOT to reject any and all submittals.