

### Legal Notice

The Mississippi Department of Transportation intends to employ a consulting engineering firm to provide engineering services utilizing a Cost plus Fixed Fee, Labor Hour/Unit Price or Lump Sum/Firm Fixed Price contract for the development of Phase A and B roadway and bridge design to construct a new interchange on US 78 at the proposed Coley Road Extension, Project No. STP-0006-02(027)/105420-101000, Lee County. The consultant is to provide roadway design plans including hydraulic design, plan/profile sheets, typical sections, earthwork quantities, erosion control plans, intersection details, form grade sheets, traffic control plans, permanent signing plans, evaluation of signal warrants and any resulting required signal design, structural design of bridges and appurtenances, a geotechnical investigation report (including bridge and retaining wall sites), centerline soil profile, incidental field sureying items that may arise during the design phase and other specified details necessary for the construction of this project. Field survey will be provided by MDOT. Bridge design shall be in accordance with the latest AASHTO LRFD Bridge Design Specifications.

Consulting engineering firms interested in providing these services may so indicate by furnishing the Department **eight (8) copies** of the following:

1. A cover letter specifying the name and complete description of project, the name of the project manager, and the location and address of the office to be assigned the majority of the work;
2. A resume for each principal member, the project manager, and employee(s) of the firm anticipated to be assigned to the project. Also, provide a team organizational chart and list each person's experience and qualifications, including proof that the Project Manager is licensed as a Mississippi Professional Engineer and that the firm has met state licensure and certification requirements\*. The team organizational chart shall include each individual's name, job description (for the project), and company of employment.
3. For each engineer anticipated to be assigned to the project that will perform structural design of bridges and appurtenances, the firm (or sub consultant) should provide a listing of the past projects where the engineer specifically utilized the AASHTO LRFD Bridge Design Specifications for the design of structures along with a brief description of the engineer's involvement in the project and the project owner contact information.
4. A description of similar type work completed during the past five (5) years which qualifies the consultant for this work, the cost and scheduled completion (or actual completion) of this work performed by the firm;
5. A response containing the information upon which the consultant will be evaluated; and,
6. Part II of Standard Form (SF) 330, Architect-Engineer Qualifications. This Form can be obtained at [http://www.gomdot.com/Divisions/AdministrativeServices/Resources/Forms/pdf/MDOT\\_sf330\\_Part2.pdf](http://www.gomdot.com/Divisions/AdministrativeServices/Resources/Forms/pdf/MDOT_sf330_Part2.pdf). Interested firms without internet access may obtain this information by contacting Scot Ehrgott at (601)359-7874.

The Department will evaluate the Expressions of Interest based on the following factors listed in their relative order of importance: Experience, performance, and qualifications of the staff; Firm's past experience, performance, and qualifications on Roadway Design Projects with MDOT and/or other clients; Firm's past experience, performance, and qualifications on Bridge Design in accordance with the AASHTO LRFD Bridge Design Specifications with MDOT and/or other clients; Firm's past experience, performance, and qualifications with Traffic Engineering with MDOT and/or other clients; and Firm's past experience, performance, and qualifications with Geotechnical work on projects for MDOT and/or other clients.

The MDOT reserves the right to reject any and all Proposals and/or to discontinue contract execution with any party at any time prior to final contract execution.

All questions related to this Legal Ad shall be submitted in writing and directed to:

Scot Ehrgott, P.E.  
Mississippi Department of Transportation  
P.O. Box 1850  
Jackson, Mississippi 39215-1850  
Or e-mailed to [schrgott@mdot.state.ms.us](mailto:schrgott@mdot.state.ms.us)

Only written requests to the above addressee will be considered. No requests for additional information or clarification to any other MDOT office, consultant, or employee will be considered. All responses and addenda will be in writing and will be posted to the MDOT website ([www.gomdot.com](http://www.gomdot.com)). Consultants shall be solely responsible for checking the website for updates. The MDOT will not be responsible for any oral exchange or any exchange of information that occurs outside the official process specified herein.

MDOT reserves the right to select one (1) consultant or select a short list of consultants from whom more information will be required.

The DBE goal is 0%.

To be considered, all replies must be received by 5:00 p.m., Monday, April 12, 2010, in the Office of the Director of Consultant Services, Scot Ehrgott, Room 10083, Mississippi Department of Transportation Building, 401 North West Street, Jackson, Mississippi, 39201.

This Legal Notice will appear in the Clarion Ledger on March 10<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup>, 2010.

The Mississippi Transportation Commission and the Mississippi Department of Transportation are equal opportunity employers.

\*Miss. Code Ann Sections 73-13-1 through 73-13-45 (1972) (as amended) govern the practice of engineering in Mississippi. Firms are encouraged to contact the Mississippi Board of Licensure for Professional Engineers and Surveyors at (601) 359-6160 to insure that individuals and firms are qualified to offer and provide services in the State of Mississippi. The Board's web address is [www.pepls.state.ms.us](http://www.pepls.state.ms.us).