

# NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

## CONTRACTOR BULLETIN

### Notice to Contractors

#### Week of November 27, 2003

Contractors desiring to bid on this work, if not already qualified under the State Law, shall file with the Department of Transportation at Carson City, Nevada, not later than five (5) days prior to the date of opening of bids, a complete application for qualification on forms furnished by the Department.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids, or to accept the bid deemed best for the interest of the State of Nevada.

Occasionally the Department experiences a week in which there are NO CONTRACTS BEING ADVERTISED. When this occurs, no Contractor Bulletin will be published.

#### CONTRACTS ADVERTISED FOR BIDS

##### District II

Sealed proposals will be received by the Director of the Nevada Department of Transportation, Carson City Headquarters located at 1263 South Stewart Street, Carson City, Nevada 89712, until and opened at **1:30 p.m.**, local time on **December 18, 2003**, to Install New Pedestrian Facility and Construct New Curb, Gutter and Sidewalk on SR 663 at the Intersection of Silverada Blvd. and Oddie Blvd. in Washoe County, Nevada.

The engineer's estimate for this project is **\$52,970.34**. The following is a brief list of items and quantities included.

302 0500	80 TON	TYPE 1 CLASS B AGGREGATE BASE
613 0764	228 LINFT	CLASS AA CONCRETE CURB AND GUTTER (TYPE 4)
613 0876	130 SQYD	CLASS AA CONCRETE SIDEWALK (4 INCH)
616 0712	120 LINFT	72-INCH CHAIN LINK FENCE
623 1028	666 LINFT	3-INCH CONDUIT
623 1140	340 LINFT	NO. 8 CONDUCTOR
623 1144	250 LINFT	NO. 10 CONDUCTOR
623 1196	580 LINFT	25 CONDUCTOR NO. 14 CABLE
632 0900	321 LINFT	WATERBOURNE PAVEMENT STRIPING (TYPE II) (24 FOOT SOLID WHITE)

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##### Fallon Widening Project Completed

US-50 across Nevada is a major utility corridor, which means electric lines, natural gas pipes, television cables and fiber optic lines all had to be relocated in the \$9 million project to widen the roadway from two to five lanes from Leeteville Junction to the Sheckler Cutoff near Fallon. Utility work was completed, the grading and paving moved along quickly, and the new lanes were opened in late October.

That section of highway, along with others between Fernley and Fallon, has been the scene of several accidents over the past few years, and widening the roadway to two lanes in each direction, plus a center turning lane, is expected to dramatically reduce head-on accidents that occurred when motorists were passing.

To improve the entire Fernley to Fallon route, NDOT will widen US-50A from Fernley to Leeteville Junction from two to four lanes. The environmental impacts are being evaluated at this time. With more than 200 parcels of land to be acquired, right-of-way will be a major task, and NDOT will hire consultants to assist in this work.

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**Beginning January 1, 2004, personnel sampling bituminous material are required to be qualified in the WAQTC Asphalt Module or NAQTC Specialized Test AASHTO T40 (Sampling Bituminous Material).**

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Contract Plans, specifications, and appertaining documents on the listed contracts may be examined or purchased at the office of the Director at 1263 South Stewart Street, Carson City, Nevada, 89712. **Contractors wishing to bid on NDOT projects as a Prime prequalified contractor must purchase the bidding documents from the Administrative Services Office at the above address. Only these bidding documents will be accepted at the time of bid. Those receiving documents from other sources for bid submittal will not be accepted.** For additional information or to receive quantity information by FAX, phone (775) 888-7070.

Following is a list of documents available for purchase. Documents are not returnable and no refund will be made:

<u>Document</u>	<u>Price</u>
Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction, Current Edition	\$20.00 per copy
Plans, Special Provisions and Proposal Form	\$25.00 per copy
Standard Plans for Road and Bridge Construction, Current Edition	\$15.00 per copy
8 ½" x 11" small set	\$20.00 per copy
11" x 17" large set	\$15.00 per set
CD Version	
Standard Highway Signs, Nevada Supplement, Current Edition	\$6.00 per copy
State of Nevada Department of Transportation Construction Stakeout Manuals	\$7.00 per copy

Checks shall be made payable to the Nevada Department of Transportation.

**ON STATE FUNDED PROJECTS:**

On State funded projects Contractors and subcontractors are required to hold a valid contractor's license of a class corresponding to the work to be done, in accordance with the provisions of NRS Chapter 624, prior to submitting a bid.

The bidder's attention is directed to the provisions of NRS 338.147 which is summarized as follows: A responsible bidder who at the time of submitting his bid provides a copy of a certificate of eligibility to receive a preference in bidding on public works, issued to him by the State Contractor's Board, shall be deemed to have submitted a better bid than a competing bidder who has not provided a copy of such a valid certificate of eligibility if the amount of his bid is not more than 5% higher than the amount bid by the competing bidder.

**ON FEDERAL AID PROJECTS:**

On Federal-aid projects Contractors, prequalified by the Nevada Department of Transportation, and subcontractors are not required to be licensed in advance of submitting a bid or having such bid considered. Both Contractors and subcontractors shall obtain a valid contractor's license, in accordance with the provisions of NRS Chapter 624, within 20 days after the contract has been awarded. Execution of the contract by the Contractor shall be deemed a certification that the licensing requirements have been met. Contractors and subcontractors are encouraged to submit applications for licensure to the Nevada State Contractor's Board in advance of contract advertisement.

The Contractor agrees to ensure that disadvantaged business enterprises as defined in 49 CRF, Part 26 Amended have the maximum opportunity to participate in the performance of the contracts and subcontracts financed in whole or in part with Federal funds. The requirements for compliance are contained in subsection 102.03 and 103.02 of the Special Provisions and in the contract provisions appended to the Special Provisions.