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DATE:

July 11, 2011

TO:

All Prospective Bidders

SUBJECT:

Response to Bidders' Inquiries No. 1

Contract Overlay - North Shingle Road (4 miles) Project

(Contract No. PW 10-30567, CIP No. 72179)

ITEM NO.	LOCATION, PAGE OR DRAWING NO.	DESCRIPTION OF CHANGE
1.01	N/A	Question: When will the bid be awarded?
		Answer: At the pre-bid meeting it was stated that an award date of August 16, 2011 is anticipated. Upon further review it is anticipated that the bid will be awarded by the Board of Supervisors on August 2, 2011.
1.02	N/A	Question: Will Don Spear and his group be involved as in previous overlay projects?
		Answer: Don Spear's group (Department of Transportation's Maintenance Division)) did the prep work. The Department of Transportation's Construction Division will provide the inspection and contract administration.
1.03	N-2	Question: Is an El Dorado County Business license required?
		Answer: See the paragraph in the Notice to Bidders entitled " BUSINESS LICENSE ".
1.04	N-2. SP-4,SP-11,SP- 18, C-1, C-2, C-5,C- 6, P-9, and P-10	Question: Does the CIWMB grant require a lot of paperwork?
		Answer: Provisions associated with this grant can be found on the pages listed at the left. See also Addendum No. 1
1.05	N/A	Question: Is there a UDBE goal for this project?
		Answer: No, because this project is not federally funded.

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1.06	SP-41 and Appendix D	Question: Are there any plans for this project?
		Answer: No. There is a Cold Plane Exhibit and a Location Map Exhibit. See Addendum No. 1
1.07	SP-40 and SP-43	Question: Can the AC grindings be used as shoulder backing? Does the County want the AC grindings?
		Answer: See Section 10-1.11 "Cold Plane Asphalt Concrete Pavement' and Section 10-1.13 "Shoulder Backing" of the special provisions.
1.08	N-1	Question: Does the Project end at Green Valley Road?
		Answer: See paragraph in the Notice to Bidders entitled "LOCATION/DESCRIPTION OF THE WORK".
1.09	SP-46	Question: Is the project that is adjacent to the overlay project for the replacement of one or two bridges?
		Answer: One
1.10	Cover sheet and N-1	Question: When is the bid opening?
		Answer: See Notice to Bidders page N-1 and Cover sheet of specs.
1.11	N/A	Question: When will the Newtown Road overlay project go out to bid? How many miles of overlay will it be?
		Answer: The same week as the bid opening for the Contract Overlay - North Shingle Road Overlay Project. Five miles.
1.12	N/A	Question: Has a payment adjustment for rubberized hot mix asphalt been included in the specs?
		Answer: No. See Addendum No. 1
1.13	N-1, SP-2, SP-3, P-1	El Dorado County Department of Transportation staff reminded bidders that their Proposal must not be detached and must be submitted with the bound Contract Document booklet in its entirety.

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Holders who have already mailed their proposal can contact Janel Gifford at (email: Janel.Gifford@edcgov.us) to arrange return of their proposal.

Inform all suppliers and subcontractors as necessary.

The DOT is only sending this Response to Bidders' Inquiries by posting on the following website: http://www.edcgov.us/Government/DOT/Bids.aspx.

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Sincerely,

Janel Gifford, P.E. Senior Civil Engineer

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