

19. Installation of new Connected Autonomous Vehicle (CAV) infrastructure per the ITS Minimum Technical Requirements included as an Attachment. Completion of construction of new fully functioning tolling sites in general conformity with the Toll Siting Technical Memorandum (452544-1). Tolling sites, ingress/egress locations are to be determined.
20. Development of Landscape Opportunity Plans for future installation by others.
21. Aesthetics Treatments as indicated in this RFQ and in general conformity with the Hardscape/Aesthetics Criteria.
22. Construction of noise walls as shown in the Horizontal Alignment Package included in the Attachments.
23. Replacement, repair, or rehabilitation of all deficiencies within the Project Limits such that maintenance work required upon Final Acceptance is limited to Routine Maintenance activities.

III. Procurement

A. Schedule of Events

The following table shows the current schedule of the events that will take place in the procurement process. The Department reserves the right to make changes or alterations to the schedule. Proposers will be notified sufficiently in advance of any changes or alterations in the schedule. Unless otherwise notified in writing by the Department, the dates indicated below for submission of items or for other actions on the part of a Proposer shall constitute absolute deadlines for those activities and failure to fully comply by the date and time stated shall cause a Proposer to be held non-responsive.

Date	Event
12/01/25	Advertisement
12/08/25	Last day for Bid Questions and Answers (Q&A) requests, at 5:00pm.
12/15/25	Deadline for Letters of Response expressing statements of qualifications delivered electronically to the D1.designbuild@dot.state.fl.us mailbox by 5:00 pm local time.
12/15/25	Contracting Unit reviews Letters of Response to confirm the Proposer's prequalification, responsiveness to RFQ, Proposer's ability to self-perform in specific work classes, proof of ability to obtain the required payment and performance bond, and Proposer's ability to not exceed the Design-Build Firm's maximum capacity rating.
12/18/25	Contracting Unit provides responsive list to Agency Head Designee
12/18/25	Public Meeting to review and confirm responsive Proposer list, at 4:00 pm.
12/18/25	Posting Date of List of Qualified and Responsive Design-Build Firms
01/07/26	Interviews with Qualified and Responsive Design-Build Firms (Day 1)
01/08/26	Interviews with Qualified and Responsive Design-Build Firms (Day 2, if needed)
01/09/26	Technical Review Committee submit evaluation scores due to Contracting Unit.
01/09/26	Contracting Unit provides qualification-based evaluation scores to Agency Head Designee to review and confirm scores
01/12/26	Public Meeting Date to review and confirm evaluation scores and determine intended award (selection) of Design-Build Firm by 5:00 pm local time. Posting of Evaluation Scores and intended award will happen after the meeting.
01/12/26	Final Selection Posting Date
01/16/26	Notification of Award
01/16/26	Anticipated Execution Date for the Contract