



PROPOSAL OF

(Bidder's Firm Name) (Prequalified Name, if Applicable)

(Proposing Firm's Physical Address -- City -- State -- Zip)

F.E.I.D. No. _____ Telephone No. (____) _____ FAX No. (____) _____

Email Address: _____

for constructing or otherwise improving a Bridge(s) and/or Section(s) of Road(s) No(s). or building(s) Marion
County ITS Operational Improvements Construction Manager/General Contractor

in Marion County(ies),

approximately _____ N/A

in length, and known as Federal Aid Project No(s): D521-028-B

Contract No.: E59A4 Financial Project No(s): 436361-1-52-01

TO THE STATE OF FLORIDA, DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION: Submitted _____

The Bidder, hereby declares that no person or persons, firm or corporation, other than the Bidder, is interested, in this proposal, as principals, and that this Proposal is made without collusion with any person, firm or corporation, and we have carefully and to our full satisfaction examined the Proposal forms, the Standard Specifications as amended by the Specifications Package and any Supplemental Specifications Packages, and the Plans, and that we have made a full examination of the location of the proposed work and the sources of supply of materials, and we hereby agree to furnish all necessary labor, equipment, and materials, fully understanding that the quantities shown herewith are approximate only, and that we will fully complete all necessary work in accordance with the Plans and Specifications, and the requirements under them of the Engineer, within the time limit specified in this Proposal for the following unit prices, to wit:

Was an addendum issued on this project?

Yes No

I (We) hereby acknowledge receipt of the following Addenda issued during the bidding period.			
Addendum No.	Dated	Addendum No.	Dated

The Bidder agrees to perform all necessary work, as provided for in the contract, and if awarded the contract, to execute the Contract within 3 calendar days, excluding Saturdays, Sundays, and state holidays, after the date on which the notice of award has been given, and to fully complete all necessary work under the same within not more than 90 calendar days. It is understood and agreed that the date on which calendar days will begin to be charged to the project shall be either (1) the _____ calendar day from the date of issuance of the initial notice to begin work or (2) the date on which the Bidder actually begins work, whichever date is the earlier. The Bidder further agrees to furnish a sufficient and satisfactory bond in the sum of not less than 100 percent of the Contract price of the work as indicated by the approximate quantities shown herein.

The Bidder further agree(s) to bear the full cost of maintaining all work until final acceptance, as provided in the Contract.

If the total amount of this bid exceeds \$150,000.00, a bid guaranty of five percent (5%) of the bid, payable to the Florida Department of Transportation, must accompany this proposal. The guaranty amount shall include all bid items except construction days for A+B Bidding and lane closure for Lane Rental Bidding. If this proposal is accepted and the Bidder fails to execute the Contract under the conditions of this proposal, the bid guaranty shall be forfeited to the Department; otherwise, said guaranty is to be returned to the Bidder upon delivery of a satisfactory bond. The Florida Department of Transportation officials and employees are prohibited by law from soliciting and accepting funds or gifts from any person who has, maintains, or seeks business relations with the Department pursuant to Section 334.195, Florida Statutes.

The Bidder, hereby certifies that it has carefully examined this proposal after the same was completed, and has verified each item placed thereon. The Bidder agrees to indemnify, defend, and save harmless, the Department against any cost, damage, or expense which it may incur or be caused by any error in the Bidder's preparation of same. By signing and submitting this proposal, the Bidder certifies that no principal (which includes officers, directors, or executives) is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

The Bidder hereby certifies that the submitted unit price sheets are generated from the diskette provided by the STATE OF FLORIDA, DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION or accurate reproductions generated from the Department's issued Expedite Bidding System (EBS) program. If any errors have been made by the Bidder in preparing the generated sheets, the Bidder hereby consents that such errors will be applied by the Department in the manner most beneficial to the Department.

The Bidder hereby certifies and obligates its firm as "Principal (bidder)" to the attached Bid or Proposal Bond, (Form 375-020-09) as if and to the same effect as if the Bidder had affixed its signature thereon.

Section 287.134(3)(a), Florida Statutes, requires: An entity or affiliate who has been placed on the discriminatory vendor list may not submit a bid on a contract to provide any goods or services to a public entity, may not submit a bid on a contract with a public entity for the construction or repair of a public building or public work, may not submit bids on leases of real property to a public entity, may not be awarded or perform work as as contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or consultant under a contract with any public entity, and may not transact business with any public entity.

By submitting a bid, the bidder agrees to comply with section 20.055(5), Florida Statutes, and to incorporate in all subcontracts the obligation to comply with section 20.055(5) Florida Statutes.

Section 553.62, Florida Statutes, incorporates the Occupational Safety and Health Administration's (OSHA) safety standards, 29 CFR s. 1926.650 Subpart P, as the state standard. The Department of Labor and Employment Security may adopt updated or revised versions by rule. Other state or political subdivisions may also have standards that are applicable. If trench excavation will be required on the project in excess of five feet in depth, the Bidder must identify the cost of compliance with the applicable trench safety standards below. If there will be no trench excavation on the project in excess of five feet in depth, write "not applicable" below.

	Trench Safety Measure (Description)	Units of Measure	Quantity	Unit Cost	Extended Cost
A.	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
B.	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
C.	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

(ATTACH SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY)

TOTAL: \$ _____

If applicable, this certifies that all trench excavation done within the control of the contractor will be in accordance with all applicable standards and with the specifications, and all requirements of Sections 553.63(1)(a), 553.63(1)(b), and 553.63(1)(c), Florida Statutes.

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The Bidder hereby declares that the undersigned is the person or persons responsible within the firm for the final decision as to the price(s) and amount of this bid and the Bidder further declares that:

1. The price(s) and amount of this bid have been arrived at independently, without consultation, communication, or agreement for the purpose of restricting competition with any other contractor, bidder or potential bidder.
2. Neither the price(s) nor the amount of this bid have been disclosed to any other firm or person who is a bidder or potential bidder on this project, and will not be so disclosed prior to the bid opening.
3. No attempt has been made or will be made to solicit, cause, or induce any firm or person to refrain from bidding on this project, or to submit a bid higher than the bid of this firm, or any intentionally high or non-competitive bid or other form of complementary bid.
4. The bid is made in good faith and not pursuant to any agreement or discussion with, or inducement from, any other firm or person to submit a complementary bid.
5. The Bidder has not offered or entered into a subcontract or agreement regarding the purchase of materials or services from any other firm or person, or offered, promised, or paid cash or anything of value to any other Bidder or person, whether in connection with this or any other project, in consideration for an agreement or promise by any other firm or person to refrain from bidding or to submit a complementary bid on this project.
6. The Bidder has not accepted or been promised any subcontract or agreement regarding the sale of materials or services to any other firm or person, and has not been promised or paid cash or anything of value by any other firm or person, whether in connection with this or any other project, in consideration for the firm's submitting a complementary bid, or agreeing to do so, on this project.
7. The Bidder has made a diligent inquiry of all members, officers, employees, and agents of the Bidder with responsibilities relating to the preparation, approval or submission of the firm's bid on this project and have been advised by each of them that he or she has not participated in any communication, consultation, discussion, agreement, collusion, act, or other conduct inconsistent with any of the statements and representations made in this Declaration.
8. As required by Section 337.165, Florida Statutes, the Bidder has fully informed the Florida Department of Transportation in writing of all convictions of the firm, its affiliates (as defined in Section 337.165(1)(a), Florida Statutes), and all directors, officers, and employees of the firm and its affiliates for violation of state or federal antitrust laws with respect to a public contract or for violation of any state or federal law involving fraud, bribery, collusion, conspiracy, or material misrepresentation with respect to a public contract. This includes disclosure of the names of current employees of the firm or affiliates who were convicted of contract crimes while in the employ of another company.
9. The Bidder certifies that, except as noted below, neither the firm nor any person associated therewith in the capacity of owner, partner, director, officer, principal, investigator, project director, manager, auditor, and/or position involving the administration of federal funds:
 - (a) is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions, as defined in 49 CFR s29.110(a), by any federal department or agency;
 - (b) has within a three-year period preceding this certification been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against it for: commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a federal, state, or local government transaction or public contract; violation of federal or state antitrust statutes; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;
 - (c) is presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a federal, state, or local governmental entity with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph 9(b) of this certification; and
 - (d) has within a three-year period preceding this certification had one or more federal, state, or local government public transactions terminated for cause or default.
10. The Bidder certifies that it shall not knowingly enter into any transaction with any subcontractor, material supplier, or vendor who is debarred, suspended, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this project by any federal agency unless authorized by the Florida Department of Transportation.
11. The firm certifies that the bidder is not a nonresident alien, or a foreign corporation/entity formed under the laws of a country other than the United States.
12. For projects of \$1,000,000.00 or more, the Bidder certifies that the company is not on the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in Sudan List or the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in the Iran Petroleum Energy Sector List and is not engaged in business operations in Syria.
13. The Bidder certifies that the company is not on the Scrutinized Companies that Boycott Israel List and is not engaged in a boycott of Israel.

Where the Bidder is unable to declare or certify as to any of the statements contained in the above stated paragraphs numbered (1) through (12), the Bidder has provided an explanation in the "Exceptions" portion on page 4 of 4 or by attached separate sheet.

EXCEPTIONS:

Any exception listed above will not necessarily result in denial of award, but will be considered in determining bidder responsibility. For any exception noted, indicate to whom it applies, initiating agency, and dates of agency action. Providing false information may result in criminal prosecution and/or administrative sanctions. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

<p>CORPORATION:</p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Bidder</p> <p>Signature: _____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">President or Vice President (Circle Title)</p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Print Name</p> <p>(Affix Corporate Seal)</p>	<p>INDIVIDUAL OR FIRM TRADING AS:</p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Bidder</p> <p>Signature: _____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Individual or Owner</p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Print Name</p>
<p>PARTNERSHIP</p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Bidder</p> <p>Signature: _____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">General Partner (Circle Title)</p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Print Name</p> <p>Signature: _____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">General Partner (Circle Title)</p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Print Name</p>	<p>JOINT VENTURE:</p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Bidder</p> <p>Signature: _____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Attorney-in-Fact</p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Print Name</p>
<p>LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY:</p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Contractor</p> <p>Signature: _____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Manager or Member (Circle Title)</p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Print Name</p>	<p>CONTRACTOR: _____ (Seal)</p> <p>Signature: _____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">President or Vice President (Circle Title)</p> <p>CONTRACTOR: _____ (Seal)</p> <p>Signature: _____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">President or Vice President (Circle Title)</p> <p>CONTRACTOR: _____ (Seal)</p> <p>Signature: _____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">President or Vice President (Circle Title)</p>

Organized and existing under the laws of the State of _____ and authorized to do business in the State of Florida, pursuant to the laws of the State of Florida, certificate of incorporation or organization or certificate of authority having been issued by the Florida Department of State.

FAILURE TO FULLY COMPLETE AND EXECUTE THIS DOCUMENT MAY RESULT IN THE BID BEING DECLARED NONRESPONSIVE

ATTACH BID BOND

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