

INVITATION TO BIDDERS

March 24, 2021

Separate sealed BIDS for **Asphalt Street Repairs (Multiple)** for three different areas in the city limits of the City of Columbia to include: Woodland Street, east of East 7th Street; Tom J. Hitch Bridge, north of Precast Drive; and Northpoint Drive, multiple areas.

BIDS will be received by the City of Columbia, OWNER, at City Hall, the office of the City Engineer, 700 North Garden Street, Columbia, Tennessee, 38401 until **2:00 PM C.T.**, local time, on **April 15, 2021**, and then at said place publicly opened and read aloud.

The work to be done consists of the providing labor, materials, equipment, insurance, and bonds to repair streets located in the City of Columbia with various grades of hot mix asphalt and methods as described in BID DOCUMENTS.

No BIDS will be received or accepted after the above specified time for the opening of BIDS. BIDS submitted after the designated hour will be deemed invalid and returned unopened to the Bidder.

BIDDING DOCUMENTS may be obtained electronically by sending a request to Douglas Toney, P.E. via email at dtoney@columbiatn.com. Bidding documents will be available on **March 24, 2021** after **3:00 PM C.T.**

BIDS shall be accompanied by a cashier's check or BID Guarantee bond in the amount not less than five percent (5%) of the BID mad payable to the City of Columbia, OWNER, and subject to the conditions provided in the INSTRUCTIONS FOR BIDDERS.

The successful Bidder will be required to furnish an acceptable PERFORMANCE AND PAYMENT BOND, each in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the contract price. All Bids submitted must conform to the requirements of the Tennessee Code Annotated 62-6-119.

The project herein described is to be completed within **sixty (60)** calendar days from the date of award of contract. Liquidated damages for delay of completion of contract will be in accordance with the AGREEMENT (contract).

No Bidder may withdraw his BID within ninety (90) days after the actual BID date of the opening thereof.

All Bidders must be licensed CONTRACTORS to perform the type construction herein described as required by Tennessee Code Annotated. BIDS must be submitted at the time and place indicated in the INVITATION TO BIDDERS and shall be included in **a sealed envelope marked:**

1. Project title, **Asphalt Street Repairs (Multiple)**
2. Bidder's name and address,
3. Bidder's Tennessee CONTRACTORS License Number and Expiration Date,
4. Bidder's License Classification,
5. Contract for which BID is enclosed.
6. Business phone number and email address of contact person.

The City of Columbia is compliant with Title VI of the 1964 Civil Rights Act and as a result does not discriminate on the bases of race, color, religion, sex (including pregnancy), national origin, age (40 or older), disability, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, genetic information or any other characteristic protected by law. Nor does it exclude from participation in, or denies the benefit of any program or activity receiving federal financial assistance.

Questions may be addressed to: Assistant City Engineer, Douglas Toney, P.E., project manager, dtoney@columbiatn.com or by phone at (931) 560-1560.

The OWNER reserves the right to waive any irregularities or reject any or all BIDS.

Office of the City Engineer
City of Columbia, Tennessee, OWNER