

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

OF CONSTRUCTION BIDS

BIDS TO BE RECEIVED Thursday, October 20, 2016

Sealed bids will be received by SUMNER COUNTY at their offices at 355 N. Belvedere Dr., Gallatin, TN 37066, Room 102, until 1:30 PM CDT, Thursday, October 20, 2016 and opened publicly at 355 N. Belvedere Dr., Gallatin, TN 37066 at that hour. The reading of the bids will begin at 1:31 PM CDT.

TDOT PIN: 110618.02
Federal Project No.: STP-M-9306(19)
State Project No.: 83LPLM-F3-079

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Lower Station Camp Creek Phase 1 includes the construction of approximately 4200LF of 10 ft wide concrete greenway trail between the existing trail head at Bison Trail and the existing trail head along Lower Station Camp Creek Road, and related work as shown on the plans and described in the bid documents.

PROPOSAL CONTRACTS WILL BE ISSUED UNTIL THE TIME SET FOR OPENING BIDS

A Prime Contractor must prequalify with the Department of Transportation in accordance with Section 54-5-117 of the "Tennessee Code Annotated" and Tennessee Department of Transportation Rule 1680-5-3 prequalification of contractors before biddable proposals will be furnished.

The COUNTY hereby notifies all bidders that a 12.34% Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) goal has been set for this project and must be met or exceeded.

The COUNTY hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation, and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of age, race, color, religion, national origin, sex or disability in consideration for an award. However, the use of DBE or minority/women owned firms are encouraged.

The COUNTY is an equal opportunity affirmative action employer, drug-free with policies of non-discrimination on the basis of race, sex, religion, color, national or ethnic origin, age, disability or military service. The COUNTY's telephone number is (615) 451-6033.

THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY AND ALL BIDS IS RESERVED

Bidding documents and information, and plans, may be obtained at the office of the project engineer, Wisser Consultants, LLC, 1427 Kensington Square Ct., Murfreesboro, TN 37130; (615)278-1500 after 10 AM CDT on Friday, September 30, 2016 for a non-refundable fee of \$100.00.

NOTE TO PUBLISHER: The above notice is to be published no later than **Thursday, September 29, 2016**. It is permissible and desirable that ads be run as soon as possible after receipt.