

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS**OF CONSTRUCTION BIDS****BIDS TO BE RECEIVED Thursday, October 07, 2021**

Sealed bids will be received by the City of East Ridge, Tennessee] at their offices in 1517 Tombras Avenue, East Ridge, TN 37412, until 2:00 PM EDT, Thursday, October 07, 2021 and opened publicly at 1517 Tombras Avenue, East Ridge, TN 37412 at that hour. The reading of the bids will begin at [2:00] PM EDT.

TDOT PIN: 122000.00

Federal Project No.: TAP-9213(7)

Federal Project No.: 33LPLM-F3-213

State Project No.: 33LPLM-S3-168

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

THIS PROJECT INVOLVES CONSTRUCTION OF U.S. HIGHWAY 41/S.R.8 (RINGGOLD ROAD) CORRIDOR IMPROVEMENT PROJECT FROM KINGWOOD DR./WIMBERLEY LN. TO McBRIEN RD. THE PROJECT IS LOCATED AT RINGGOLD ROAD, EAST RIDGE TENNESSEE. THE WORK TO BE DONE CONSISTS OF ADA UPGRADES, A 10' SHARED USE PATH ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF RINGGOLD ROAD AND A 5' SIDEWALK ON THE NORTH SIDE OF THE ROAD, INCLUDING DEMOLITION, CURB AND GUTTER, DRAINAGE STRUCTURES AND REINFORCED CONCRETE PIPE, CONCRETE AND ASPHALT PAVEMENT, EROSION CONTROL, ROAD SIGNAGE, TRAFFIC SIGNAL MODIFICATIONS, TRAFFIC CONTROL AND ANY INCIDENTALS NEEDED TO COMPLETE THE PROJECT. THE TOTAL PROJECT LENGTH IS 1.193 MILES

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 City of East Ridge, Tennessee] hereby notifies all bidders that a 10% Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) goal has been set for this project and must be met or exceeded.

The City of East Ridge, Tennessee] 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.

The City of East Ridge, Tennessee] 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 City of East Ridge, Tennessee]'s telephone number is 423.867.7711.

THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY AND ALL BIDS IS RESERVED

Bidding documents and information, and plans, may be obtained during normal business hours at the East Ridge City Hall located at 1517 Tombras Avenue, East Ridge, TN 37412; 423.490.7078 after 12:00 PM EST on Wednesday, September 01, 2021 for a non-refundable fee of \$300 .

NOTE TO PUBLISHER: The above notice is to be published no later than **Wednesday, September 01, 2021**. It is permissible and desirable that ads be run as soon as possible after receipt.