



**COLORADO**

Department of Transportation

Region 2

**IM 052A-018  
I25 - New Pueblo Freeway  
SA# 19195**

August 14, 2017

CDOT Region 2 Resident Engineer, Joe DeHeart, is requesting for contractor participation in a constructability review on potential upcoming I 25 Corridor improvements in Pueblo. Three proposed projects will be reviewed, 1) City Center Drive to 13<sup>th</sup> St split diamond interchange, 2) US50B interchange, and 3) 29<sup>th</sup> St interchange. The construction procurement method has not yet been determined (D-B or D-B-B) and the results of this meeting may influence that procurement selection process.

The goal of the meeting is to review the design of the basic configuration, determine major constructability issues, and provide design change ideas that better constructability. The results of the meeting may influence the final design and the procurement documents so they can better accommodate the constructability of the projects while also providing minimal impacts to the traveling public. Contractors that participate in the review will still be eligible to bid on these projects when advertised.

It is estimated that the review can be accomplished in one day with a potential follow up meeting to confirm the results. The meeting dates are not yet finalized but they are anticipated in Mid-September depending on logistics. The desired format of the meeting is to have 5-6 contractor companies blended with CDOT, Consultant, City, and FHWA staff. We are requesting no more than one participant from each contractor company.

There will be a Lump Sum Payment of a \$1,000 stipend provided to each selected contractor company for their participation.

Those contractors who are interested in participating need to send a one page Statement Of Interest (SOI) letter. The SOI will be evaluated based on the individual's prior experience/performance in developing construction phasing, understanding of the meeting's goals, and his/her approach to participation. It is anticipated that 5 to 6 contractor companies will be selected.

The contractors selected to participate will be determined solely by the information provided in their Statement of Interest.



Submit one (1) Electronic Statement of Interest via Email no later than 12:00 pm noon, Tuesday August 29, 2017, addressed to: [Joe.Deheart@state.co.us](mailto:Joe.Deheart@state.co.us)

Joe DeHeart

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Any questions regarding this SOI shall be submitted prior to Friday, August 25, 2017 no later than 12:00 pm noon. Answers to questions will be provided no later than August 28, 2017 at 12:00 pm noon.

1 week prior to the meeting, participants will receive a PDF packet of information describing the work, the constraints, and plan sheets showing alignment, bridge locations, ROW and other details. This early information is only intended to familiarize and hopefully inspire you to arrive with ideas already in hand.

Thank you for your consideration.

