

INVITATION FOR CONSULTANT SERVICES
For
Colorado Department of Transportation
Project: Project Specific (19034) Region 1 Construction Management Twin Tunnels Widening
Public Notice for Professional Consultants

DESCRIPTION: CDOT intends on hiring one consultant for the contract described in the Scope of Work, and briefly below.

CDOT has need of a consultant to provide construction administration support, project engineering services [construction management], inspection, and materials-testing services required for construction of the I-70 Twin Tunnels Widening Project located on I-70 between Milepost 241 and Milepost 244. Work on the project will include tunneling, blasting, concrete liner installation, retaining walls, embankment, and paving, as well as many other incidental items. The work will progress 24 hours a day, 7 days a week for significant portions of the project.

This project is being delivered using Construction Manager/General Contractor process (CMGC). The contractor Edward Kramer & Sons Inc. is under contract and has been involved with the design. It will be expected that the selected consultant for construction management will also be involved in the final design review process.

SPECIAL PROJECT REQUIREMENT: All work is to be performed under the direction and supervision, appropriate to the task, of a Colorado-Licensed Professional Engineer.

Interested Consultants:

- The prime firm of each team must be on CDOT's list of prequalified consultants by **June 22, 2012**. Prequalification must be done annually. **The prime firm must be prequalified for Material Testing, Tunnel Construction Inspection and Bridge and Roadway Construction for the State of Colorado, Department of Transportation.** Consultants who are not prequalified or who have questions regarding their prequalification should immediately contact Bernie Rasmussen, Agreements Office at telephone (303) 757-9400.

- Submit **six (6) copies** of the Statement of Interest/Work Plan no later than **12:00 noon local time June 28, 2012**, to:

Jill Sweeney
Contracting Officer
Colorado Department of Transportation
4201 E. Arkansas Ave., 4th Floor - West
Denver, CO 80222

The scope of work along with the latest "Consultant Instructions for the Statement of Interest/Work Plan" and the anticipated consultant selection schedule must be obtained

from the address shown above or from the CDOT website (<http://www.dot.state.co.us/Consultants/>). Previous editions of the instructions should not be used.

STATEMENTS OF INTEREST/WORK PLANS RECEIVED AFTER THE TIME AND DATE SPECIFIED WILL BE REJECTED. THE STATEMENT OF INTEREST/WORK PLAN MUST COMPLY WITH CDOT'S STANDARDIZED FORMAT REQUIREMENTS. PLEASE REFER TO THE INSTRUCTIONS. FAILURE TO FOLLOW THE REQUIRED FORMAT AS PROVIDED IN THE STATEMENT OF INTEREST/WORK PLAN INSTRUCTIONS MAY RESULT IN YOUR SUBMITTAL BEING REJECTED.

Questions of a technical nature regarding this project may be directed to:

Name:	Robert Smith
Organization:	CDOT Project Manager
Telephone:	(970) 389-4786

CDOT will NOT be holding interviews for this consultant selection. From those firms submitting a Statement of Interest/Work Plan (SOI/WP), CDOT will choose the selected firm using the following criteria for final selection: Workload Factor; Project Team; Firm Capability; Past Performance on Similar Projects/Similar Teams; Work Location; Capacity; UDBE Participation; ESB Participation; Project Goals, Project Control, Project Concept, and Project Critical Issues.

NOTE: Firms submitting a Statement of Interest/Work Plan (SOI/WP) must, in their submitted SOI/WP, expressly commit, and identify by name, key employees of their own staff, as well as of the staffs of the sub-consultants on their teams, to be available to do the Work.

UDBE GOAL:

The Department has determined the contract goal for UDBE participation in this contract will be met with certified DBEs who have been determined to be underutilized on professional services contracts. At this time, **all DBEs** will be considered to be UDBEs. The UDBE goal for this project is:

15.00 Percent.

The type of compensation on this contract is anticipated to be a project specific funds encumbered, non-task order directed contract with a Specific Rate of Pay format, subject to further review by CDOT.

CDOT assumes no obligation of any kind for expenses incurred by any respondent to this solicitation. The right is also reserved by CDOT to reject any and all submittals.