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INVITATION FOR CONSULTANT SERVICES

**Colorado Department of Transportation
Region 1
Construction Management, Construction Inspection and Materials Testing
Project # NHPP 0703-402(19474)
Peak Period Shoulder Project
Public Notice for Professional Consultants**

The Colorado Department of Transportation (CDOT) intends to hire one (1) Professional Consultant for this Project. The selected Consultant will contract to provide Project Specific Construction Management, Tunnel Inspection, and Material Testing services to include those specific services set forth below.

DESCRIPTION: This project is located on I-70 at milepost 241.0 (East Idaho Springs) to milepost 230.00 (Empire Junction)

Consultant services will consist of all work necessary to provide the following services:
Construction Management, Roadway and Bridge Construction Inspection, and Material Testing

The project is estimated to begin June 2014 and extend through December 2015

The Consultant will provide Construction Management and Material Testing for the Construction of **the Peak Period Shoulder Lane Project** from at milepost 230.0 (Empire Junction) to milepost 244.00 (East Idaho Springs). It is anticipated that up to 7 Consultant Employees may be working on the project at any one time. The Work will be accomplished using a blended team of CDOT and Consultant Employees. The CDOT will supply the Project Engineer.

The successful Consultant will need to be well versed in the CM/GC contracting delivery method as CDOT has determined that CM/GC (Construction Manager/General Contractor) was the most appropriate delivery method for this project.

Interested Consultants:

The prime firm of each team must be on CDOT's list of prequalified consultants by **May 1, 2014**. Prequalification must be done annually. Consultants who are not prequalified or who have questions regarding their prequalification should immediately contact Bernie Rasmussen CDOT Agreements Office at telephone (303) 757-9400.

- Submit **five (5) copies** of the Statement of Interest/Work Plan no later than **12:00 noon local time, THURSDAY MAY 8, 2014**, to:

Jill Sweeney
Contracting Officer, Agreements Program
Colorado Department of Transportation
4201 E. Arkansas Ave
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.coloradodot.info/business/consultants/advertised-projects/2014>
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 Region 1
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 short-list no less than three firms and will make the final selection from the highest scoring 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: 15%

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 Percent.**

The type of compensation on this contract is anticipated to be a Specific Rate of Pay, 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.