INVITATION TO BID

Bid Proposals shall be received by the "Owner" CLAY COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT for the following:

BRIDGE REPAIR / REHABILITATION PROJECT KENNETH EADS ROAD over MILL CREEK CELINA, TENNESSEE 38551

Sealed bids for the BRIDGE REPAIR / REHABILITATION PROJECT on KENNETH EADS ROAD over MILL CREEK will be received by the CLAY COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT, at the office of the CLAY COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT located at 1199 WALNUT AVENUE, CELINA, TENNESSEE 38551 until 10:00 A.M. CENTRAL STANDARD LOCAL TIME on JANUARY 9TH, 2025 at which time and said office the Bid Proposals will be publicly opened and read.

The Contract Documents & Specifications and Construction Plans containing the project requirements shall <u>NOT</u> be downloaded or obtained from, but shall <u>ONLY</u> be examined at the following office & online plan rooms to determine if an interested party desires to become a bidder:

- Builders Exchange of Tennessee 300 Clark Street Knoxville, Tennessee 37921 www.bxtn.org
- NCA Planroom & Reprographics 717 East Spring Street Cookeville, Tennessee 38501 www.ncaplanroom.com

Electronic PDF format Contract Documents & Specifications and Construction Plans shall be requested and obtained free of charge via e-mail from HAZEL ENGINEERING, LLC ONLY by contacting Kyle E. Hazel, PE at 931-650-0060 or HazelEngineeringLLC@outlook.com . Contractors applying to bid for the prime contract and requesting to obtain the Electronic PDF format Contract Documents & Specifications and Construction Plans from HAZEL ENGINEERING, LLC shall provide the following information to HAZEL ENGINEERING, LLC in order to receive the requested information and be included / placed on the Official List of Bidders: Name of Company, License Number, Expiration Date of the License, License Classification, Company Address, Phone Number, and E-mail address. Once this request with the aforementioned information is received by HAZEL ENGINEERING, LLC, said bidder will be included / placed on the Official List of Bidders and the Contract Documents & Specifications and Construction Plans shall be emailed to said bidder free of charge. This is the **ONLY** procedure by which a bidder may obtain the Contract Documents & Specifications and Construction Plans and be included / placed on the Official List of Bidders. The Official List of Bidders will be maintained by, and available through, HAZEL ENGINEERING, LLC ONLY to ensure eligibility requirements of the bidders are met prior to the bid opening date and time. Any Bid Proposal submitted from an interested party that has not met the bidder requirements, followed the instructions to bidders, and/or has not obtained the Electronic PDF format Contract Documents & Specifications and Construction Plans free of charge from HAZEL ENGINEERING, LLC in order to be included / placed on the Official List of Bidders prior to the bid opening date and time shall NOT be opened.

The CLAY COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT, JASON BROWNING, ROAD SUPERINTENDENT has absolute discretion and may for any reason waive informalities or defects found in bids and has absolute discretion to reject any and all bids. Each bidder must deposit with his bid, security in the amount, form and subject to the conditions provided in the Information & Instructions to Bidders. No bidder shall withdraw his Bid Proposal within 60 days after the actual date of the bid opening thereof.

In accordance with Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 62-6-119, contractors applying to bid for the prime contract shall include the following information to appear on the outside of the envelope containing the bid except when the bid is in the amount less than twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000):

- 1. NAME
- 2. LICENSE NUMBER
- 3. EXPIRATION DATE OF THE LICENSE
- 4. LICENSE CLASSIFICATION

Failure of any bidder to comply shall void the bid and the envelope containing the bid shall not be opened or considered. Contractors applying to bid for the prime contract shall also include the following additional information to appear on the outside of the envelope containing the bid:

- 5. BIDDER ADDRESS, PHONE NUMBER, AND E-MAIL ADDRESS.
- 6. OWNER & PROJECT NAME

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