Invitation to Bid

Sealed bids will be received by the Office of Procurement Services, on behalf of the Lake County Board of County Commissioners, until 3:00 p.m. on June 1, 2023, for the furnishing of all services, labor, materials and equipment for the construction of the following project: CR 455/Ray Goodgame Parkway from Good Hearth Boulevard to Lost Lake Road; Bid No. 23-527, Project No. 2023-02.

This project scope involves the widening of CR 455/Ray Goodgame Parkway from a two-lane undivided roadway to four-lane urban roadway from Lost Lake Road to Good Hearth Boulevard. The project consists of constructing Northbound lanes which will include two 12-foot travel lanes, a 4-foot bike lane, a 5-foot sidewalk, and half of the raised median (11 feet). The southbound lanes will be milled and resurfaced. The project length is approximately 0.795 miles.

The project also includes maintenance of traffic, curb and gutter, stabilization, embankment, base, mill and resurface, 4' concrete sidewalk, turnouts construction, signing and pavement marking, erosion control and drainage improvements including inlet tops.

All pedestrian features shall adhere to current Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) standards. Utility and permitting coordination are required. Lake County shall construct the project within the limits of the existing right of way or easements.

Plans, specifications and bid forms may be obtained at http://www.lakecountyfl.gov/departments/fiscal_and_administrative_services/proc urement_services/view_all_bids.aspx.

Hand delivery of submittals will not be accepted. RESPONSES MUST BE SUBMITTED THROUGH THE SOLICITATION RESPONSE PORTAL TO BE CONSIDERED – <u>https://procurement.lakecountyfl.gov/login.</u> A response will not be accepted if completed and submitted after the official due date and time.

Interested parties may listen to the 3:01 P.M. solicitation opening by calling 1-321-332-7400, Conference ID 971 920 36# or clicking on the MICROSOFT TEAMS MEETING link in the solicitation.

Bids may be withdrawn prior to the date of opening, but no bids may be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days after the date of opening of bids.

The Board of County Commissioners reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive formalities, and to award the contract in the best interest of Lake County, Florida.

All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Guarantee acceptable to the County Attorney, which shall be one of the following; bid bond or letter of credit, in the sum of five percent (5%) of the base bid and made payable to Lake County. Said bid bond or letter of credit shall be a guarantee that should the bid be accepted, the bidder will, within ten (10) days after written notice of the award of the contract, enter into a contract with Lake County for the services proposed to be performed and will at that time furnish an acceptable contract surety. Cash, company or personal checks will not be accepted.

A non-mandatory pre-bid conference will be held via a Telephone Conference on May 4, 2023, at 9:00 a.m. Bidders may access the telephone conference by dialing 1-321-332-7400 and entering Conference ID 516 672 528#. Bidders are encouraged to download and review the plans, specifications, and bid forms prior to the non-mandatory pre-bid conference so that questions may be presented at that time.