

**INVITATION TO BID**

This solicitation is officially posted on the County's website <https://lakecountyfl.gov/procurement-services> exclusively.

Sealed bids will be received by the Office of Procurement Services until 3:00 p.m. on September 18, 2025 for the furnishing of all services, labor, materials, and equipment for the construction of the following project: Citrus Grove Road Phase 2, Bid No. 25-749; Project No. 2025-04.

The Citrus Grove Road Phase II project involves widening of Citrus Grove Road from a two-lane undivided roadway to four-lane divided urban roadway from 1,800 feet west of Scrub Jay Lane to 200 feet west of Grassy Lake Road. Total project length is approximately 4,177 feet (0.790 miles).

The project consists of constructing four 12-foot travel lanes, 4-foot bike lanes, 22-foot raised median, a 5-foot sidewalk on the south side and a 12-foot multi-use trail on the north side. Roadway work will include milling and resurfacing existing roadway, construction of a new roadway (to include stabilization, base, asphalt), raised medians, curb and gutter, concrete sidewalk/trail, and driveway reconstruction. Guardrail is proposed for the curved section of roadway west of Scrub Jay Lane on the south side of Citrus Grove Road. Thermoplastic striping along with roadway signage will be placed. Drainage improvements include a closed drainage system requiring installation of storm pipe, curb inlets, ditch bottom inlets, mitered end sections and end walls. A dry pond is proposed at east of Scrub Jay Lane and south of Citrus Grove Road. A second pond is proposed west of Scrub Jay Lane and south of Citrus Grove Road.

Other construction elements include mobilization, maintenance of traffic, erosion control, clearing and grubbing, excavation, embankment, and sod. All pedestrian facilities shall adhere to current American with Disabilities Act (ADA) standards. Utility coordination is required and has been coordinated. An environmental resource permit is being obtained for the project. The Contractor shall construct the project within the limits of the existing right of way or easements.

Plans, specifications and bid forms may be obtained at [25-749 - Citrus Grove Rd Phase II](#)

A non-mandatory pre-bid conference will be held via a Telephone Conference on August 21, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. Bidders may access the telephone conference by dialing 1-321-332-7400 and entering Conference ID 245 584 556#. 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.

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

CITRUS GROVE ROAD PHASE 2

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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 this link: [Join Microsoft Teams Meeting](#)

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.

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