

## **CALL FOR SEALED BIDS**

1. **NOTICE TO BIDDERS**: Sealed bids will be received at the Reception Desk of the Board of Thurston County Commissioners, 2000 Lakeridge Drive SW, Building 1, Room 269, Olympia, Washington 98502, only until 9:00 am July 25, 2007 for the following:

Case Extension Bridge CRP #61408, and 128<sup>th</sup> Avenue Bridge CRP # 61420. This project will remove the deficient culverts and replace them with bridges. The Engineer's Estimate Range is \$250,000-\$400,000.

Such bids will be publicly opened and read at 9:00 am on July 25, 2007 in the Thurston County Courthouse, Room 280, Building 1, 2000 Lakeridge Drive SW, Olympia, Washington.

2. **BIDDING DOCUMENTS**: Bidding documents containing plans and specifications are those prepared by Thurston County Roads and Transportation Services. Plans, specifications, addenda, and plan holders' lists are available online through the Builders Exchange of Washington website at [www.bxwa.com](http://www.bxwa.com) for inspection during the bidding period. Copies of plans and specifications are also available for viewing at Thurston County Roads & Transportation Services, 2404-A Heritage Court SW, Olympia, WA 98502. (Note: Bidders are encouraged to "Register as a Bidder" in order to receive automatic email notification of future addenda and to be placed on the Bidders list. This service is provided free of charge to prime contractors, subcontractors and vendors).

Thurston County is an equal opportunity employer as required by the Equal Employment Opportunity Act of 1972 (Public Law 92-261).

3. **SUBCONTRACTOR DISCLOSURE**: For contracts of \$1 million or more, each bidder shall submit as part of the bid, or within one hour after the published bid submittal time, the names of the subcontractors performing heating, ventilation and air conditioning, electrical, and plumbing work, with whom the bidder, if awarded the contract, will subcontract. Failure to name such subcontractors shall render the bidder's bid nonresponsive and void.

4. **BID DEPOSIT**: All bid proposals shall be accompanied by a bid proposal deposit in the form of a certified check, cashier's check or surety bond in an amount equal to five (5%) of the amount of such bid proposal.

5. **AWARD AND REJECTION OF BIDS**: The bid award shall be made to the lowest responsible bidder. The Board of Thurston County Commissioners may reject any or all bids for good cause and in particular to reject a bid not accompanied by any required bid security or data required by the Bidding Documents or bid in any way materially incomplete or irregular.

6. **TECHNICAL QUESTIONS**: Technical questions regarding the scope of this project should be put in writing and directed to:

Bala Ramaya or Bryon Agan  
Roads & Transportation Services  
2404-A Heritage Ct SW  
Olympia, WA 98502  
[ramayab@co.thurston.wa.us](mailto:ramayab@co.thurston.wa.us) or [aganb@co.thurston.wa.us](mailto:aganb@co.thurston.wa.us)  
Fax: 360-786-5582

7. FEDERAL AID PROJECTS: The following is applicable only to Federal-aid projects, which condition funding on the inclusion of this language:

The County of Thurston, in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 78 Stat. 252, 42 U.S.C. 2000d to 2000-4 and Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Part 21, nondiscrimination in federally assisted programs of the Department of Transportation issued pursuant to such Act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the ground of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award.

DATED: \_\_\_\_\_

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
Thurston County, Washington

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Clerk of the Board

Chairman

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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EDWARD G. HOLM  
PROSECUTING ATTORNEY

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