INVITATION TO BID

EDA Award Number: <u>05-01-06114</u> CDBG Project Number: <u>2019-DP-05</u>

DRA Award Number: MO-54404 MoDOT Project Number: RRP-000S (627)

Sealed bids for the construction of the *U.S. Highway 160 Roadway and Bridge Improvements* project, located within the city limits from Concord Ave. to just east of Freemont Road on U.S. Highway 160 (Independence Dr.) in West Plains, Howell County, Missouri, will be received by the *City of West Plains, Missouri* until **11:00 AM CST, Monday, June 10, 2024** at the City Hall building located at 1910 Holiday Lane, West Plains, Missouri 65775. Bids received after 11:00 AM will be returned unopened. No bidder may withdraw his bid within 90 days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at 11:00 AM CST, Monday, June 10, 2024, in the Council Chambers Room at the City Hall. Interested parties are invited to attend.

Bidder shall furnish an affidavit and documentation affirming their company is enrolled in and participates in E- verify and an affidavit stating the business does not knowingly employ illegal aliens.

The successful Bidder shall comply with certain insurance requirements as specified in the bid documents.

The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids. The bid will be awarded to the lowest, responsive, responsible bidder.

Bid packages will be distributed electronically via an ftp link at no cost to the bidder. Hard copies will not be available for purchase. Bidders may make printed copies of the bid documents (plans, project manual, and a bid packet) at their own expense. When requesting the ftp link, you will be required to provide your company name, a contact person and phone number, a complete company address and an email address to be added to the Plan Holders List and for receiving official bidding communications and addenda. If you are not on the Plan Holders List, you will not receive any addenda issues. To request the electronic ftp link, email Ryan Stehn at rstehn@cmtengr.com.

This project will be partially funded with Federal funds from the US Department of Commerce, Economic Development Administration, Community Development Block Grant, MoDOT Multi-Modal Section 130, Delta Regional Authority and therefore is subject to Federal laws and regulations associated with that program.

Project Description:

This project will consist of a base bid. The Base Bid consists of the construction of roadway improvements including but not limited to: earthwork, roadway reconstruction, sidewalk, drainage, lighting, pavement marking, signing, mechanically stabilized earth retaining walls, bridge construction (2), and erosion control on the U.S. Highway 160 in West Plains, Missouri.

Questions regarding this information may be directed to:

Crawford, Murphy & Tilly Inc. Ryan Stehn, P.E. 1631 West Elfindale Springfield, Missouri 65807 rstehn@cmtengr.com

Project and bidding questions shall be conducted <u>exclusively</u> via email. Any questions regarding this project must be submitted to the above contact by 4:00 pm local time on May 31, 2024. No written questions after this date or any verbal questions will be recognized.

<u>A MANDATORY PRE-BID CONFERENCE is scheduled for 11:00 AM CST, Wednesday, May 29, 2024</u> at the Council Chambers Room in the West Plains City Hall located at 1910 Holiday Lane, West Plains, Missouri 65775.

Contractors MUST attend the Pre-Bid Conference in order to be eligible to bid on the project.

Attention of bidders is particularly called to the requirements as to conditions of employment to be observed and Davis Bacon and/or State Prevailing wage rates to be paid under the contract, Segregated Facility, Section 109, and E.O. 11246. MBE, WBE, and Section 3-DBE bidders are encouraged to bid.

The Owner hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively ensure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, businesses owned and controlled by socially and economically disadvantaged individuals will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, religion, creed, sex, age, ancestry or national origin in consideration for an award.

A certified cashier's check or a bid bond in the amount of 5% shall be submitted with each bid.