

Solicitation Information
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**RFQ # 7323373 ADA CHILD STREET AND NORTH MAIN ST.
2010-CH-022**

Submission Deadline: JANUARY 27, 2010 @ 11:30 AM (Eastern Time)

PRE-BID/ PROPOSAL CONFERENCE: NO	Date:	Time:
Mandatory:		
Location:		

SURETY REQUIRED: Yes
BOND REQUIRED: Yes

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Jerome D. Moynihan, C.P.M., CPPO
Administrator of Purchasing Systems

Vendors must register on-line at the State Purchasing Website at www.purchasing.ri.gov

NOTE TO VENDORS:

Offers received without the entire completed three-page RIVP Generated Bidder Certification Form attached may result in disqualification.

THIS PAGE IS NOT A BIDDER CERTIFICATION FORM

State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations
Department of Transportation - Design Section

Notice to Contractors
Special Provisions
Proposal
Contact Agreement
Contract Bond

for the Performance of

Rhode Island Contract Number: 2010-CH-022

Rhode Island Federal-Aid\State-Aid Project STP-AWDA(023)
Numbers:

Project: ADA - Child Street and North Main Street

Limits: CHILD STREET (ROUIE 103) - STA 5+50 (EAST BAY BIKE PATH) to STA 11+00
 (CUTLER STREET)
 CHILD STREET (ROUIE 103) - STA 58+50 to STA 67+00 +/-
 NORTH MAIN STREET - STA 24+00 (BROWN STREET) to STA 32+25 (WOOD STREET)

City/Town: Warren

County: BRISTOL

Submitted By: _____

Address: _____

Name of Surety: _____

Total Bid: _____

(BIDDER MUST FILL IN ALL ABOVE SPACES)

The basis of award of the Contract will be the total bid for all quantities of work in the proposal subject to review and correction as provided for in the Rhode Island Department of Transportation Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction and Standard Details

NOTE: The State of Rhode Island Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction and Standard Details consists of the following:

- The Rhode Island Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction, 2004 Edition, with all revisions.
- The Rhode Island Standard Details, 1998 Edition, with all revisions.
- The Rhode Island Bridge Standard Details, 2003 Edition, with all revisions

*** Refer to Section 102.05 of the Standard Specifications for specifications regarding the use of Quest Life software for bid preparation.**

The above documents may be obtained at the Rhode Island Department of Transportation, Contracts and Specifications Office, upon request

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS
DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION - DIVISION OF PURCHASES

NOTICE TO HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE CONTRACTORS

Sealed Proposals addressed to the State Purchasing Agent, Rhode Island Department of Administration, Division of Purchases, One Capitol Hill, Providence, Rhode Island 02903, will be opened and read in public on January 27, 2010 at 11:30AM. All bidders MUST register online at <http://www.purchasing.ri.gov>. A COMPLETED and SIGNED Bidder Certification Cover Sheet MUST accompany each bid. Bid item description and quantities estimated for this project will also be available online. Should you need assistance in registering with RIVIP or downloading a bid, call (401) 222-3766. Failure to comply will result in mandatory disqualification per Item 4 of Section 102.12 of the Rhode Island Department of Transportation's Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction 1997 Edition and RI General Law 37-2-17 which references the RI Vendor Information Program (RIVIP).

DESCRIPTION: The purpose of this project, RIC No. 2010-CH-022 and RI FAP No. STP-AWDA(023), is to improve accessibility under the Americans with Disabilities Act guidelines to CHILD STREET (STATE ROUTE 103) FROM EAST BAY BIKE PATH TO CUTLER STREET, and to NORTH MAIN STREET (STATE ROUTE 114) FROM WOOD STREET TO BROWN STREET. In addition, school zone flashers will be installed at the Kickemuit Middle School on Route 103. The work shall include but not be limited to sidewalk removal, new concrete sidewalks and handicapped ramps, bituminous cold planning and paving, installing and/or resetting curb, replacing existing warning and regulatory signs, adjusting utility castings, retrofitting existing catch basin corbels, replacing of existing catch basin castings, placing plantable soil in disturbed areas, saw cutting existing bituminous pavement and sidewalks, minor landscape improvements and all other incidentals necessary to execute work complete and accepted within the limits of the contract.

The Contractor will be required, in accordance with the provisions of the Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Affirmative Action Certification for Contractors and Consultants, to meet the established goal of not less than 20.00 percent of the contract bid price, including the established Race-Conscious goal of not less than 0.00 percent, to the Contractors, Subcontractors, and/or suppliers which qualify as Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE's).

Computer Disks for competitive bidding for the above described work will be furnished by the Department of Transportation, Division of Administrative Services, Contracts & Specifications Office, Room 108, Two Capitol Hill, Providence, Rhode Island, 02903, Tel. Number (401) 222-2495. The Plans, Specifications and Special Provisions may also be examined on or after January 6, 2010 every weekday except holidays between the hours of 8:00 AM and 4:00 PM.

The Bid Package consists of a single compact disk (CD) containing the following items: Construction Plans, 2004 Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction, Compilations of Approved Specifications, Required Contract Provisions for Federal-Aid Construction Contracts, General Provisions, Rhode Island Standard Details, Rhode Island Bridge Standard Details, Federal Wage Rates, Contract-Specific General Provisions, Job-Specific Specifications, Distribution of Quantities, Appendices (if applicable), Quest Lite bid file, Quest Lite installation software and a Quest Lite User Manual. Only complete bid packages will be issued.

Prospective Bidders are hereby notified that all questions pertaining to this Contract must be submitted to the Department of Transportation in writing through its website at <http://www.dot.ri.gov/contracting/bids/> by accessing the Questions & Answers Menu located within the "Contracting", then "Contract Opportunities" link. Responses to the submitted questions will also be posted under this link. PHONE CALLS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

For help with RIDOT's Quest Lite bid preparation software, please contact the Contracts & Specifications Office, Room 108, Two Capitol Hill, Providence, Rhode Island, 02903, Tel. Number (401)-222-2495 or e-mail Quest@dot.ri.gov.

Please also note that all Bidding Documents required to be submitted and in fact submitted to the Purchasing Agent as part of a bid will be considered returned to the State and need not be returned to RIDOT.

A bid bond payable to the State of Rhode Island, in the amount of 5% of the total or gross sum of the bid must be furnished by each bidder. The Proposal Guaranty will be furnished by surety companies authorized/licensed to do business in the State of Rhode Island. The State reserves the right to retain the surety of all bidders until the successful bidder enters into the Contract or until such time as the award or cancellation of the Contract is announced at which point Sureties will be returned to all bidders by the State of Rhode Island. A performance bond of one hundred (100) percent of the contract price with a satisfactory surety company will be required of the successful bidder. All surety companies must be listed with The Department of the Treasury, Fiscal Services, Circular 570, (Latest Revision published by the Federal Register). The Department of Transportation reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Required Contract Provisions - The attention of prospective bidders is called to the fact that this project is to be bid upon and the contract executed under the rules and regulations for carrying out the provisions of the Federal-Aid Highway Act, subject to all appropriate Federal Laws, including Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended and supplemented, and the required provisions for Federal - Aid Contracts, as provided for in Chapters 85, 86 and 88 of the Public Laws of Rhode Island, 1960.

Wages of labor on Federal -Aid Highway Projects - the prevailing rate of wages for laborers and mechanics employed by contractors or subcontractors on the initial construction of highway projects on the Federal - Aid Highway System, authorized under the Federal Highway Act of 1968, shall be paid wages at rates not less than those prevailing on the same type of work on similar construction in the immediate locality as determined by the United States Secretary of Labor, in accordance with the Act of August 30, 1935, known as the Davis - Bacon Act, under Decision Nos. 1 through 6 as applicable.

Prevailing wage rates and Davis - Bacon Wage Determination Reference Materials are available online at www.purchasing.ri.gov. It is advisable to print only the pages applicable to this bid; the rates active on the Rhode Island Vendor Information Program's bid solicitation date for this project are applicable for the duration of the contract resulting from this bid.

Work Hours Act of 1962 - This contract is subject to Work Hours Act of 1962, Public Law 87-581 and implementing regulations.

There will be no Pre-Bid Conference scheduled for this project.

SPECIAL NOTE

ANY REFERENCE TO THE RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS OR THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS SHOULD BE REVISED TO THE RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND THE DIRECTOR OF TRANSPORTATION RESPECTIVELY

NOTICE TO ALL BIDDERS

To report bid rigging activities call: **1-800-424-9071**

The U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) operates the above toll-free "hotline" Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5 p.m. eastern time. Anyone with knowledge of possible bid rigging, bidder collusion, or other fraudulent activities should use the hotline to report such activities.

The hotline is part of the DOT's continuing effort to identify, and investigate highway construction contract fraud and abuse and is operated under the direction of the DOT Inspector General. All information will be treated confidentially and caller anonymity will be respected.

Item List

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Estimate Name - 2010-CH-022 - ADVERTISE
 Project Name - ADA - Child Street and North Main Street
 R.I. Contract No. - 2010-CH-022
 FAP Nos - STP-AWDA(023)

Seq No.	Item Code	Description	Quantity	UM
001	201.0301	CUTTING AND DISPOSING ISOLATED TREES AND STUMPS (4"- 24")	4.00	EACH
002	201.0401	REMOVE AND DISPOSE GRANITE CURB	150.00	LF
003	201.0402	REMOVE AND DISPOSE CONCRETE CURB	1,622.00	LF
004	201.0403	REMOVE AND DISPOSE SIDEWALKS	1,445.00	SY
005	201.0407	REMOVE AND DISPOSE PAVEMENT AND RIGID BASE	325.00	SY
006	201.0409	REMOVE AND DISPOSE FLEXIBLE PAVEMENT	1,730.00	SY
007	201.0416	REMOVE AND DISPOSE LOT CURB (ALL SIZES)	55.00	LF
008	201.0428	REMOVE AND DISPOSE FRAME AND GRAIE OR FRAME AND COVER	7.00	EACH
009	201.0610	REMOVE AND DISPOSE DIRECTIONAL, WARNING, REGULATORY, SERVICE, AND STREET SIGNS	31.00	EACH
010	201.9901	REMOVE AND DISPOSE SIDEWALKS IN SENSITIVE TREE AREAS	600.00	SF
011	202.0100	EARTH EXCAVATION	560.00	CY
012	204.0100	TRIMMING AND FINE GRADING	2,293.00	SY
013	206.0201	BALED HAY EROSION CHECK STANDARD 9.1.0	200.00	LF
014	206.0208	REMOVAL OF BALED HAY EROSION CHECKS	200.00	LF
015	302.0100	GRAVEL BORROW SUBBASE COURSE	525.00	CY
016	401.0200	BITUMINOUS SURFACE COURSE TYPE I-1	1,000.00	TON
017	401.0300	BITUMINOUS SURFACE COURSE TYPE I-2	15.00	TON
018	403.0300	ASPHALT EMULSION TACK COAT	7,000.00	SY
019	410.1000	TEMPORARY PATCHING MATERIAL/TRENCHES	100.00	TON
020	601.0300	CLASS A PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE	125.00	CY
021	701.6012	12 INCH DUCTILE IRON SEWER SAFE PIPE CLASS 52	10.00	LF
022	701.8151	CURB STOP BOX	7.00	EACH
023	702.0511	FRAME AND COVER STANDARD 6.1.0	6.00	EACH
024	702.0517	FRAME AND GRATE, STANDARD 6.3.2	5.00	EACH
025	702.0522	FRAME AND COVER STANDARD 6.2.1	5.00	EACH
026	702.0540	GRANITE INLET STONE 5 FOOT STANDARD 7.3.5	2.00	EACH
027	702.0542	GRANITE APRON STONE 5FT. STANDARD 7.3.7	4.00	EACH
028	702.0712	PRECAST CONCRETE DROP INLET STANDARD 4.5.0	1.00	EACH
029	704.0100	RECONSTRUCT CATCH BASIN/CORBEL CONES	2.00	EACH
030	704.9901	RECONSTRUCT CATCH BASIN CORBEL WITH NEW GUTTER INLET (RCBC)	4.00	EACH
031	707.0950	ADJUST TELEPHONE MANHOLE TO GRADE	4.00	EACH

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032	707.1000	ADJUST SANITARY MANHOLE	18.00	EACH
033	707.1200	ADJUST CATCH BASIN TO MANHOLE	1.00	EACH
034	707.1900	ADJUST FRAME & COVER TO GRADE	2.00	EACH
035	707.2000	ADJUST FRAME AND GRATE TO GRADE	2.00	EACH
036	708.9040	CLEANING AND FLUSHING PIPE ALL SIZES	1,400.00	LF
037	708.9041	CLEANING CATCH BASINS ALL TYPES AND SIZES	9.00	EACH
038	712.0100	WATER GATE BOX	3.00	EACH
039	712.0200	GAS GATE BOX	3.00	EACH
040	713.8268	ADJUST CURB STOP BOX TO GRADE	31.00	EACH
041	713.8269	ADJUST WATER GATE BOXES TO GRADE	26.00	EACH
042	713.8300	ADJUST GAS GATE BOXES TO GRADE	18.00	EACH
043	904.9901	EXPOSED AGGREGATE PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALK	83.00	SY
044	904.9902	EXPOSED AGGREGATE PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE DRIVEWAY	40.00	SY
045	905.0110	PORTLAND CEMENT SIDEWALK MONOLITHIC STANDARD 43 1 0	77.00	CY
046	905.0115	PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE DRIVEWAY STANDARD 43 5 0	21.00	CY
047	906.0110	GRANITE CURB, QUARRY SPLIT STRAIGHT, STANDARD 7 3 0	1,354.00	LF
048	906.0111	GRANITE CURB, QUARRY SPLIT CIRCULAR, STANDARD 7 3 0	48.00	LF
049	906.0118	6' GRANITE TRANSITION CURB, QUARRY SPLIT SPECIAL TRANSITION STANDARD 7.3 2	4.00	EACH
050	906.0119	3' GRANITE TRANSITION CURB STANDARD 7 3 1	34.00	EACH
051	906.0120	GRANITE WHEELCHAIR RAMP CURB STANDARDS 7 3 3, 43 3 0 AND 43 3 1	41.00	EACH
052	906.0561	CEMENT CONCRETE EDGING 18 INCH LOT CURB STANDARD 7 2 3	55.00	LF
053	906.0700	REMOVE, HANDLE, HAUL TRIM RESET CURB EDGING, STRAIGHT, CIRCULAR ALL TYPES	947.00	LF
054	906.9901	GRANITE RAMP STONE STANDARD 7 3 9	22.00	EACH
055	906.9904	3'-0" GRANITE WHEELCHAIR RAMP TRANSITION CURB - CURVED - ALL RADII	7.00	EACH
056	906.9906	RESET STOCKPILED GRANITE CURB	75.00	LF
057	907.0100	WATER FOR DUST CONTROL	11.00	MGA L
058	914.5010	FLAGPERSONS	2,300.00	MHRS
059	914.5020	FLAGPERSONS - OVERTIME	230.00	MHRS
060	919.0101	TEST PIIS	10.00	EACH
061	922.0100	TEMPORARY CONSTRUCTION SIGNS STANDARD 29 1 0 AND 27.1 1	268.00	SF

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Seq No.	Item Code	Description	Quantity	UM
062	922.9901	AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT SIGN ASSEMBLY	177.00	SF
063	923.0105	DRUM BARRICADE STANDARD 26.2.0	2,600.00	B DAY
064	923.0120	PLASTIC PIPE BARRICADE STANDARD 26.3.0	8.00	EACH
065	923.0200	FLUORESCENT TRAFFIC CONES STANDARD 26.1.0	100.00	EACH
066	929.0100	FIELD OFFICES 240 SQUARE FOOT MINIMUM	12.00	PMO
067	931.0110	CLEANING AND SWEEPING PAVEMENT	114.00	HSY
068	932.0100	CUTTING AND MATCHING ASPHALT	306.00	LF
069	932.0200	FULL-DEPTH SAWCUT OF BITUMINOUS PAVEMENT	564.00	LF
070	932.0210	FULL DEPTH SAWCUT OF BITUMINOUS PAVEMENT AND RIGID BASE	2,420.00	LF
071	932.0220	FULL DEPTH SAWCUT OF BITUMINOUS SIDEWALK/DRIVEWAY	1,863.00	LF
072	932.0230	FULL DEPTH SAWCUT OF PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALK/DRIVEWAY	993.00	LF
073	934.1000	SURVEY PARTY	4.00	P DAY
074	935.0500	REMOVING BITUMINOUS SURFACE - COLD PLANING	2,980.00	SY
075	936.0110	MOBILIZATION	1.00	LS
076	937.0200	MAINTENANCE AND MOVEMENT TRAFFIC PROTECTION	1.00	LS
077	942.0100	DETECTABLE WARNING SYSTEMS STANDARD 48.1.0	150.00	SF
078	943.0100	TRAINEE MAN-HOURS	240.00	MNH R
079	L01.0102	LOAM BORROW 4 INCHES DEEP	18.00	SY
080	L06.9901	PINE BARK MULCH 3" DEEP	11.00	SY
S081	L06.9902	FURNISH AND DELIVER STREET TREES	4.00	EACH
S082	L08.9901	SHRUB TRIMMING ALONG SIDEWALKS	152.00	LF
S083	L10.9901	TRIMMING TREE ROOTS IN SENSITIVE TREE AREAS	40.00	LF
084	L11.0102	TREE PLANT PROTECTION DEVICE STANDARD 51.1.0	6.00	EACH
085	L11.0103	SHRUB PLANT PROTECTION DEVICE STANDARD 51.2.0	220.00	LF
S086	T04.5001	6 AWG SINGLE CONDUCTOR CABLE 600V INSULATION	650.00	LF
S087	T04.5305	14 AWG 5 CONDUCTOR CABLE	50.00	LF
S088	T05.0100	PRECAST TYPE A HANDHOLE STANDARD 18.2.0	1.00	EACH
089	T05.1030	ADJUST HANDHOLE TO GRADE	4.00	EACH
S090	T06.2020	2 IN. RIGID STEEL CONDUIT-OVERHEAD	20.00	LF
S091	T06.3020	2 IN. RIGID STEEL CONDUIT-UNDER EXISTING PAVEMENT	115.00	LF
S092	T06.6020	2 INCH POLYVINYL CHLORIDE PLASTIC CONDUIT-OVERHEAD	20.00	LF

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S093	T11.9901	GALVANIZED STEEL TRAFFIC SIGNAL POST AND FOUNDATION	2.00	EACH
S094	T12.1012	DOUBLE CIRCUIT FLASHER SOLID STATE, POLE MOUNTED INCLUDING CABINET	2.00	EACH
S095	T12.9150	METER SOCKET W/MANUAL BY PASS	2.00	EACH
S096	T14.3611	1 WAY 1 SECTION BRACKET MOUNTED SIGNAL HEAD 12 INCH	4.00	EACH
097	T15.0100	DIRECTIONAL REGULATORY AND WARNING SIGNS	212.00	SF
098	T15.1000	STREET SIGN ASSEMBLY STD. 24 6 1	10.00	EACH
099	T15.2000	PARKING SIGNS	15.00	SF
S100	T20.0012	12 INCH WHITE FAST - DRYING WATERBORNE PAVEMENT MARKING PAINT	150.00	LF
S101	T20.0104	4 INCH YELLOW FAST - DRYING WATERBORNE PAVEMENT MARKING PAINT	3,306.00	LF
S102	T20.2006	6 INCH EPOXY RESIN PAVEMENT MARKINGS WHITE	2,220.00	LF
S103	T20.2012	12 INCH EPOXY RESIN PAVEMENT MARKINGS WHITE	711.00	LF
S104	T20.2014	4 INCH EPOXY RESIN PAVEMENT MARKINGS YELLOW	2,306.00	LF
S105	T20.9901	EPOXY RESIN PAVEMENT MARKING WORD "X-ING"	2.00	EACH
S106	T20.9902	EPOXY RESIN PAVEMENT MARKING WORD "PED"	2.00	EACH

NOTICE TO HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE CONTRACTORS

Rhode Island Department of Transportation (RIDOT)
Contracts and Specifications

ELECTRONIC BIDDING PROCEDURES QUEST LITE UPGRADE

Effective April 1, 2009, bid offers for all RIDOT Contracts requiring the use of the Department's Quest Lite bid preparation software **MUST** be prepared using **Quest Lite Version 040407 (2.8.3)**. Failure to comply with this requirement could result in the disqualification of your bid offer.

Full installation and upgrade-only software packages, including installation directions, for Quest Lite Version **040407 (2.8.3)** will be provided on the Project Advertising CD's, which are available to prospective bidders through the Contracts and Specifications office on or after the scheduled project advertising date.

Contractors presently using Quest Lite Version 040406 (2.8.2) need only install the upgrade package to complete the conversion. Earlier versions will require the full installation.

For technical assistance, contact the Contracts and Specifications office at 222-2495.

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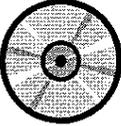
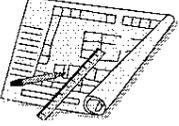
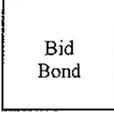
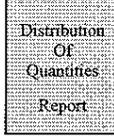
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**ELECTRONIC BIDDING
PROCEDURE NOTICE**

All Bidders **MUST** register in person at the office of Contract Administration to obtain necessary Bidder Registration and Digital ID's for the Department's bid preparation software (Quest Lite).

ALL BID OFFERS MUST BE PREPARED USING THE QUEST LITE SOFTWARE PACKAGE.

**RHODE ISLAND
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

RIDOT Provides:	Bidder Must Submit:
 CD	 CD
 Plans (on CD)	 Completed & Signed Proposal
 Contract Documents (on CD)	 Completed Bond
 DOQ Report (on CD)	 Completed & Signed

Call the Contracts & Specifications Office at 222-2495 to request technical support on issues directly related to the Department's Electronic Disk-Based Bidding Program.
Office Hours: 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM

NO BID OFFER WILL BE CONSIDERED
UNLESS ACCOMPANIED BY A COMPACT DISK (CD)
CONTAINING THE BID PROPOSAL FILE
GENERATED BY THE RIDOT BID PREPARATION PROGRAM (QUEST LITE)
Failure to comply will result in a mandatory disqualification per Section 102.07 of Part 100, General Requirements and Covenants of the RI Dept. of Transportation's Standard Specifications for the Road and Bridge Construction, 2004 Edition

Rhode Island Department of Transportation (RIDOT)

Notice to Contractors

THIS IS A DISK-BASED BID

Bid offers will be accepted *only on a CD generated by RIDOT-supplied software called Quest Lite; each CD must be accompanied by a hard copy signed offer printed from the software and submitted at the Bid Opening.* Minimum computer hardware and operating system requirements are listed here. *Training is strongly recommended for all new bidders and others unfamiliar with these procedures. SEE BELOW.*

CONTACT: RIDOT CONTRACTS & SPECIFICATIONS

Rm. 108, Two Capitol Hill, Providence, RI 02903

Phone: **401-222-2495**

Hours: **Mon – Fri, 8:00AM – 4:00PM**

1. Required Registration Codes for Each Bidder.

Registration Codes for RIDOT software are necessary to install and use the software; a firm only needs to register once to acquire secure, unique bidder identification codes to be used with all RIDOT disk-based construction project bids. Bidders must retain these codes for future use.

2. The required Quest Lite installation software and all applicable Contract Documents are provided on a CD-ROM.

The Contract Documents include the RI Standard Specifications, 2004 edition and all subsequent revisions and addenda, the RI Standard Details for Highway and Bridge Construction, General Provisions, Special Provisions, Distribution of Quantities and Engineering Plans, and all other applicable documents

3. Minimum Computer Hardware and Operating System Requirements.

- Windows XP SP2 w/Pentium IV processor
- CD-ROM Drive, Floppy Drive, Printer & 15" Monitor (17" recommended)
- 20GB Hard Disk with 1GB free (40 GB with 5 GB free recommended)
- 512 MB RAM (1 GB recommended)
- 32 MB Video Card (64 MB SVGA recommended)
- Internet Explorer 6 0 SP 2

4. Addenda, when necessary, are available on Purchases' RIVIP website.

at: <http://www.purchasing.ri.gov/RIVIP/BidSearch.asp>

RIDOT will make all necessary addenda available at Purchases' web site. It is the plan-holders responsibility to poll the RIVIP to keep up-to-date on addenda.

5. Training may be requested up to three days prior to the Bid Opening.

Training is provided on request. Arrangements must be made through the RIDOT Contracts & Specifications Office at least three (3) days prior to the Bid Opening of the project.

6. Technical Support.

Assistance is available upon request by contacting the Contracts & Specifications office during work hours or emailing Quest@dot.ri.gov

QUEST LITE VERSION 040407 (2.8.3)

UPGRADE & FULL INSTALLATION

All bid offers prepared using the Department of Transportation's Quest Lite software must use the Quest Lite Version 040407 (2.8.3). If there is no Quest Lite installation, than the full installation must be completed. For earlier versions of Quest Lite, either the upgrade or full installation will be required to be completed. Both versions (upgrade and full installation) are provided on this project CD.

Before proceeding with any installations, note the following:

1. All users must register with the Department of Transportation in order to use Quest Lite. At the time of registration, users are provided with a set of unique company ID codes (Site Code, Bidder Code and company Short Name). Users **MUST RETAIN** these codes for future use.
2. Most users who currently have Quest Lite installed will only require the installation of the upgrade version. To determine if the upgrade installation is sufficient, the present version of the Quest Lite installation must be determined. This is accomplished in Quest Lite by clicking on Help/About. If the present version is 040406 (2.8.2) then the upgrade installation is sufficient.
3. For earlier versions (versions below 2.8.2), the full installation of Quest Lite is required. (Note: if the full installation is required, the upgrade installation does not need to be performed after the full installation is completed.)
4. It is recommended that users consult the Quest Lite User Manual provided on this CD prior to attempting the installation of the upgrade or full program installation.
5. After completing the installation of the upgrade or full installation, it is recommended that a test bid be submitted to the Department to ensure the program is functioning correctly and that the Quest Lite bid files can be correctly imported into the Department's Quest program. Test bids may be submitted on a CD to the Contracts office in Room 109 of the RIDOT Headquarters, or by e-mail to Quest@dot.ri.gov.

Installation Instructions – Upgrade Version

Upgrade Quest Lite only if the current installed version is 2.8.2.

1. Close Quest Lite before attempting the installation.
2. Using the project CD, double-click on the "Upgrade Only" option provided on the Start page.
3. When prompted for a password, enter "ridot".
4. Follow the instructions provided in the installation wizard to complete the installation.
5. When executing Quest Lite for the first time after installing the upgrade, users may be prompted to enter their company bidder codes.

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Installation Instructions – Complete Installation

A complete Installation of the software is required only if Quest Lite is:

1. Not installed on your computer/laptop; or
2. Your version of Quest Lite is older than 2.8.2, i.e. 2.8.1 or under

If either 1 or 2 (above) apply, follow these instructions:

1. If a Quest Lite version 2.8.1 or older is currently installed,
 - a. Close Quest Lite.
 - b. Remove the existing installation of Quest Lite. To accomplish this, follow the instructions provided on pages 19 – 25 of the Quest Lite User Manual provided with this project CD. Follow the installation removal directions for the operating system in use on the machine.
2. Using the project CD, double-click on the “Complete Installation” option provided on the Start page.
3. When prompted for a password, enter “ridot”.
4. Follow the instructions provided in the installation wizard to complete the installation.
5. When executing Quest Lite for the first time after completing the installation, the user will be prompted to enter the company bidder codes provided by the Department. Once this information is entered, the installation process will be complete.

For technical assistance, contact the Contracts & Specifications office at 222-2495.