

Solicitation Information
11/16/09

Solicitation # 7323289

**TITLE: REPLACEMENT OF THE ROUND TOP BRIDGE
NO. 378
2009-CB-093**

Submission Deadline: 12/09/09 @ 11:30 AM (Eastern Time)

**PRE-BID/ PROPOSAL CONFERENCE: YES Date: 12/1/09 Time: 9:00 AM
Mandatory: NO
Location: RIDOT TMC CONFERENCE ROOM**

**SURETY REQUIRED: YES
BOND REQUIRED: YES**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jerome D. Moynihan".

**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: 2009-CB-093

Rhode Island Federal-Aid\State-Aid Project Numbers: BRO-0378(004)

Project: Round Top Bridge No. 378

Limits: Callahan School St. (Route 96) Over Clear River

City/Town: Burrillville

County: PROVIDENCE

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 Lite 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 December 9, 2009 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: R.I. Federal Aid Project No. BRO-0378 (004) and R.I. Contract No. 2009-CB-093 is for the Replacement of Round Top Bridge No. 378 in the Town of Burrillville, Providence County, Rhode Island.

The work associated with the replacement of Round Top Bridge No. 378 includes but is not limited to, complete removal of the existing bridge superstructure and partial removal of the bridge substructures (pier and abutments); installation of steel HP piles both drilled and driven; installation of precast concrete abutments; installation of stone rip rap at the abutments; post tensioning of abutments; installation of elastomeric bearings; installation of precast prestressed concrete buttressed box beam superstructure; installation of precast concrete approach slabs; installation of concrete endposts (transition barriers) and bridge sidewalks; installation of four bar steel bridge rail (crash tested); installation of sprayed applied waterproof membrane; and installation of bridge pavement.

A detour route will be implemented during the closure of Bridge No. 378.

The Contractor shall plan and conduct his operations such that Round Top Bridge will be closed for only a single period of time between June 16th, 2010 and August 26th, 2010.

Overhead utilities and a water main are present at Round Top Bridge No. 378. Four existing utility poles are being removed and disposed, as well as a guy wire on an existing pole to remain, and five new utility poles are being installed under an advanced utility contract. A new water main will be installed from River Street to the west side of the proposed bridge on Callahan School Street. The water main will be anchored to the side of the proposed bridge superstructure.

The highway work associated with the Replacement of Round Top Bridge No. 378 includes but is not limited to, reconstruction of the approach roadways; removal of concrete curb; removal of existing bituminous and concrete sidewalks; installation of new granite curb; installation of new concrete sidewalks, wheelchair ramps, and detectable warning systems; removal and replacement of guardrail; installation of tangent guardrail terminal end sections; installation of drainage structures; removal and replacement of existing signs; adjusting necessary utility castings; installation of new pavement markings along with all other incidentals necessary to execute the work complete-in-place and accepted within the limits of this contract to the satisfaction of the Engineer. The project wide installation and maintenance of erosion controls and maintenance and protection of traffic will be required during the construction period.

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 5.00 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 November 18, 2009 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.

Pre-Bid Conference - A Pre-Bid Conference will be held in Providence, Rhode Island, at RIDOT TMC Conference Room on December 1, 2009 at 9:00AM, for the purpose of reviewing construction problems and/or operations concerning the project. Individuals requesting interpreter services for the hearing impaired must notify 401-222-4971 (T.D.D.) a minimum of at least three (3) business days, seventy-two (72) hours prior to the conference date.

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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 - Advertising Estimate
 Project Name - Round Top Bridge No. 378
 R.I. Contract No. - 2009-CB-093
 FAP Nos. - BRO-0378(004)

Seq No.	Item Code	Description	Quantity	UM
001	201.0402	REMOVE AND DISPOSE CONCRETE CURB	231.00	LF
002	201.0403	REMOVE AND DISPOSE SIDEWALKS	112.00	SY
003	201.0409	REMOVE AND DISPOSE FLEXIBLE PAVEMENT	788.00	SY
004	201.0415	REMOVE AND DISPOSE GUARDRAIL AND POST ALL TYPES	86.00	LF
005	201.0418	REMOVE AND DISPOSE HYDRANT	1.00	EACH
006	201.0425	REMOVE AND DISPOSE FLARED END SECTION	2.00	EACH
007	201.0429	REMOVE AND DISPOSE CURB STOP BOX	1.00	EACH
008	201.0602	REMOVE AND STOCKPILE GROUND MOUNTED SIGNS	1.00	EACH
009	201.0610	REMOVE AND DISPOSE DIRECTIONAL, WARNING, REGULATORY, SERVICE, AND STREET SIGNS	19.00	EACH
010	202.0100	EARTH EXCAVATION	445.00	CY
011	202.0450	UNSUITABLE SOILS	5.00	CY
012	202.0700	COMMON BORROW	19.00	CY
013	203.0100	STRUCTURAL EXCAVATION EARTH	900.00	CY
014	203.0530	DEWATERING	1.00	LS
015	203.0600	FILL GRAVEL BORROW UNDER STRUCTURES	334.00	CY
016	203.0700	PERVIOUS FILL	88.00	CY
017	204.0100	TRIMMING AND FINE GRADING	2,893.00	SY
018	206.0230	BALED HAY EROSION CHECK AND SILT FENCE COMBINED STANDARD 9.3.0	352.00	LF
019	208.0100	DEWATERING BASIN STANDARD 9.7.0	600.00	SF
020	208.9901	CONTROL OF WATER	1.00	LS
021	212.2000	CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE OF EROSION CONTROLS	1.00	LS
022	213.0100	PLACEMENT OF MILLINGS BENEATH GUARDRAIL	64.00	LF
023	301.9901	PEA STONE	8.00	CY
024	302.0100	GRAVEL BORROW SUBBASE COURSE	299.00	CY
025	401.0100	BITUMINOUS BASE COURSE	260.00	TON
026	401.0200	BITUMINOUS SURFACE COURSE TYPE I-1	142.00	TON
027	401.0400	BRIDGE BINDER	5.00	TON
028	403.0300	ASPHALT EMULSION TACK COAT	1,447.00	SY
029	603.1000	CONTROLLED LOW STRENGTH MATERIAL	135.00	CY
030	700.9901	HYDRANT REQUIREMENTS	1.00	EACH
031	700.9902	FURNISH AND INSTALL BRIDGE CROSSING WATER MAIN	90.00	LF
032	700.9903	TEMPORARY WATER BYPASS	1.00	LS

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033	700.9904	FURNISH AND INSTALL CORPORATION STOPS	2.00	EACH
034	701.0412	REINFORCED CONCRETE PIPE M 170 CLASS III 12 INCH	64.00	LF
035	701.0424	REINFORCED CONCRETE PIPE M 170 CLASS III 24 INCH	8.00	LF
036	701.5306	6 INCH DUCTILE IRON WATER PIPE CLASS 52, PUSH-ON JOINT	20.00	LF
037	701.5308	8 INCH DUCTILE IRON WATER PIPE CLASS 52, PUSH-ON JOINT	150.00	LF
038	701.7712	12 INCH REINFORCED CONCRETE PIPE END SECTION STANDARD 2.3.0	1.00	EACH
039	701.7724	24 INCH REINFORCED CONCRETE PIPE END SECTION STANDARD 2.3.0	1.00	EACH
040	701.8106	6 INCH GATE VALVE AND BOX	1.00	EACH
041	701.8108	8 INCH GATE VALVE AND BOX	5.00	EACH
042	701.8150	TYPE K COPPER SERVICE PIPE	30.00	LF
043	701.8151	CURB STOP BOX	2.00	EACH
044	702.0209	6' MANHOLE BRICK STANDARD 3.2.1	1.00	EACH
045	702.0517	FRAME AND GRADE, STANDARD 6.3.2	2.00	EACH
046	702.0521	FRAME AND COVER STANDARD 6.2.0	2.00	EACH
047	702.0630	PRECAST MANHOLE 4' DIAMETER STANDARD 4.2.0	1.00	EACH
048	702.0713	PRECAST CONCRETE DROP INLET WITH APRON STONE STANDARD 4.5.1	2.00	EACH
049	707.1000	ADJUST SANITARY MANHOLE	2.00	EACH
050	709.8103	FURNISH & INSTALL CEMENT CONCRETE CLASS B THRUST & ANCHOR BLOCKS CAST-IN-PLACE	5.00	CY
051	713.8269	ADJUST WATER GATE BOXES TO GRADE	2.00	EACH
052	803.0100	REMOVE AND DISPOSE EXISTING SUPERSTRUCTURE	1.00	LS
053	803.9901	REMOVE AND DISPOSE EXISTING CONCRETE SUBSTRUCTURE - ABUTMENTS, APPROACH SLABS AND WALLS	84.00	CY
054	803.9902	REMOVE AND DISPOSE EXISTING CONCRETE SUBSTRUCTURE - PIER	12.00	CY
055	804.1220	H PILES FURNISH AND DRIVE 14 INCH 102 LB/FT	200.00	LF
056	804.2000	MOBILIZATION & DEMOBILIZATION OF PILE DRIVING EQUIPMENT	1.00	LS
057	804.2110	PILE POINTS FOR H PILES 14 INCH X 102 LB/FT	8.00	EACH
058	804.9901	DRILLED-IN H PILES 14 INCH 102 LB/FT	144.00	LF
059	804.9902	H-PILE CUT-OFFS	16.00	EACH
060	804.9903	PRE-AND POST- CONSTRUCTION CONDITION SURVEY OF EXISTING STRUCTURES	1.00	LS
061	808.0505	CONCRETE SUBSTRUCTURE CLASS HP 3/4" WALL STEMS	2.00	CY

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062	808.1502	CONCRETE SUPERSTRUCTURE CLASS HP 3/4" BRIDGE SIDEWALKS	42.00	CY
063	808.1506	CONCRETE SUPERSTRUCTURE CLASS HP 3/4" BARRIERS	6.00	CY
064	808.1640	PREFORMED POLYETHYLENE FOAM JOINT FILLER 1/2"	30.00	SF
065	808.1642	PREFORMED POLYETHYLENE FOAM JOINT FILLER 1"	192.00	SF
066	808.1650	MASTIC JOINT SEALER (1" X 1")	150.00	LF
067	808.1670	POLYURETHANE JOINT SEALANT	1,000.00	CI
068	808.1810	CONCRETE SURFACE FINISHING RUBBED REGULAR	1,023.00	SF
069	809.0914	PRESSTRESSED CONCRETE BOX BEAM B1-48 FURNISH FABRICATE & ERECT CLASS HP 3/4"	3,576.00	SF
070	809.9901	STRUCTURAL PRECAST CONCRETE SUBSTRUCTURE ABUTMENT STEMS	8.00	EACH
071	809.9902	STRUCTURAL PRECAST CONCRETE SUBSTRUCTURE APPROACH SLABS	918.00	SF
072	810.0300	EPOXY COATED BARS GRADE 60	5,000.00	LBS
073	811.9901	DRAINAGE GEOCOMPOSITE	738.00	SF
074	813.9901	SPRAYED APPLIED WATERPROOFING MEMBRANE	283.00	SY
075	820.0110	CONCRETE SURFACE TREATMENT (PROTECTIVE COATING)	723.00	SF
076	821.1690	SAW & SEALING JOINTS IN BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT	75.00	LF
077	824.9901	STRUCTURAL STEEL UTILITY SUPPORTS	840.00	LBS
S078	828.0303	ELASTOMERIC BEARINGS LAMINATED	24.00	EACH
079	830.0240	STEEL BRIDGE RAIL 4 BAR COMBINATION	132.00	LF
080	831.9901	PROTECTION AND SALVAGE OF HISTORICAL ELEMENTS	4.00	EACH
081	833.0400	GRANITE IDENTIFICATION TABLETS	4.00	EACH
082	834.0123	VERTICAL FACE GRANITE CURB TRANSITION	24.00	LF
083	834.0131	VERTICAL FACE GRANITE CURB STRAIGHT 7" REVEAL	140.00	LF
084	834.0132	VERTICAL FACE GRANITE CURB CURVED 7" REVEAL	4.00	LF
S085	901.0193	GUARDRAIL STEEL BEAM SINGLE FACE STANDARD 34.2.0	13.00	LF
086	901.9901	ENERGY ABSORBING GUARDRAIL TERMINAL END SECTION	4.00	EACH
S087	901.9902	STEEL BEAM BRIDGE CONNECTION APPROACH END (W/O NESTED RAIL) - NORTHWEST CORNER	1.00	EACH
S088	901.9903	STEEL BEAM BRIDGE CONNECTION APPROACH END (W/O NESTED RAIL) - SOUTHEAST CORNER	1.00	EACH
S089	901.9904	STEEL BEAM BRIDGE CONNECTION TRAILING END (W/ NESTED RAIL) - NORTHEAST CORNER	1.00	EACH
S090	901.9905	STEEL BEAM BRIDGE CONNECTION TRAILING END (W/NESTED RAIL) - SOUTHWEST CORNER	1.00	EACH

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091	903.0205	CHAIN LINK FENCE 5' STD 31.2.0	490.00	LF
092	903.0226	GATE, CHAIN LINK 5' STANDARD 31.2.0	2.00	EACH
093	905.0110	PORTLAND CEMENT SIDEWALK MONOLITHIC STANDARD 43.1.0	20.00	CY
094	905.0115	PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE DRIVEWAY STANDARD 43.5.0	7.00	CY
095	906.0110	GRANITE CURB, QUARRY SPLIT STRAIGHT, STANDARD 7.3.0	163.00	LF
096	906.0111	GRANITE CURB, QUARRY SPLIT CIRCULAR, STANDARD 7.3.0	69.00	LF
097	906.0118	6' GRANITE TRANSITION CURB, QUARRY SPLIT SPECIAL TRANSITION STANDARD 7.3.2	2.00	EACH
098	906.0120	GRANITE WHEELCHAIR RAMP CURB STANDARDS 7.3.3, 4.3.3.0 AND 4.3.3.1	7.00	EACH
099	906.9901	GRANITE RAMP STONE, STANDARD 7.3.9	4.00	EACH
100	907.0100	WATER FOR DUST CONTROL	5.00	MGA L
101	907.0200	CALCIUM CHLORIDE FOR DUST CONTROL (PROJECT WIDE)	15.00	TON
102	914.5010	FLAGPERSONS	368.00	MHRS
103	914.5020	FLAGPERSONS - OVERTIME	37.00	MHRS
104	916.0600	SHOCK ABSORBING BARRIER MODULES	2.00	GRP
105	916.0650	REMOVE, RELOCATE AND RESET SHOCK ABSORBING BARRIER MODULES	2.00	GRP
106	919.0101	TEST PITS	5.00	EACH
107	920.0055	PLACED STONE RIPRAP R-3, R-4, R-5 STANDARD 8.3.0	114.00	SY
108	920.0135	BEDDING FOR RIPRAP FS-2 STANDARD 8.3.0	114.00	SY
109	920.0200	FILTER FABRIC FOR RIP-RAP	150.00	SY
110	922.0100	TEMPORARY CONSTRUCTION SIGNS STANDARD 29.1.0 AND 27.1.1	748.00	SF
111	923.0105	DRUM BARRICADE STANDARD 26.2.0	1,900.00	B DAY
112	923.0125	PLASTIC PIPE TYPE III BARRICADE STANDARD 26.3.1	15.00	EACH
113	923.0200	FLUORESCENT TRAFFIC CONES STANDARD 26.1.0	75.00	EACH
114	926.0130	PRECAST MEDIAN BARRIER FOR TEMPORARY TRAFFIC CONTROL STANDARD 40.5.0	180.00	LF
115	929.0100	FIELD OFFICES 240 SQUARE FOOT MINIMUM	9.00	PMO
116	931.0110	CLEANING AND SWEEPING PAVEMENT	14.00	HSY
117	932.0110	TRANSVERSE PAVEMENT CUT AND MATCH STANDARD 47.1.1	99.00	LF
118	934.1000	SURVEY PARTY	10.00	P DAY
119	936.0110	MOBILIZATION	1.00	LS
120	937.0200	MAINTENANCE AND MOVEMENT TRAFFIC PROTECTION	1.00	LS

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121	942.0100	DETECTABLE WARNING SYSTEMS STANDARD 48.1.0	48.00	SF
122	943.0100	TRAINEE MAN-HOURS	200.00	MNH R
123	L01.0102	LOAM BORROW 4 INCHES DEEP	208.00	SY
124	L01.0104	PLANTABLE SOIL 4 INCHES DEEP	84.00	SY
125	L02.0101	GENERAL HIGHWAY SEEDING (TYPE 1)	84.00	SY
126	L02.0102	RESIDENTIAL SEEDING (TYPE 2)	208.00	SY
127	L05.0502	ADHESIVE MULCH STABILIZER	1.00	ACRE
128	L11.0102	TREE PLANT PROTECTION DEVICE STANDARD 51.1.0	3.00	EACH
129	L11.0103	SHRUB PLANT PROTECTION DEVICE STANDARD 51.2.0	80.00	LF
S130	I15.0100	DIRECTIONAL REGULATORY AND WARNING SIGNS	80.00	SF
S131	I15.1000	STREET SIGN ASSEMBLY STD 24.6.1	1.00	EACH
132	I20.0104	4 INCH YELLOW FAST - DRYING WATERBORNE PAVEMENT MARKING PAINT	600.00	LF
S133	I20.2006	6 INCH EPOXY RESIN PAVEMENT MARKINGS WHITE	497.00	LF
S134	I20.2012	12 INCH EPOXY RESIN PAVEMENT MARKINGS WHITE	316.00	LF
S135	I20.2014	4 INCH EPOXY RESIN PAVEMENT MARKINGS YELLOW	376.00	LF

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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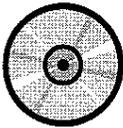
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PROCEDURE NOTICE**

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).

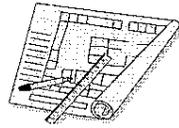
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**RHODE ISLAND
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

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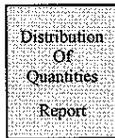
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Plans (on CD)



**Contract Documents
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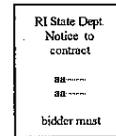


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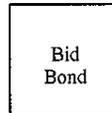
Bidder Must Submit:



CD



**Completed &
Signed Proposal**



Completed Bond



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, then 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.