

January 17, 2003

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATION  
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

RHODE ISLAND CONTRACT NO. 2002-CH-091

FEDERAL-AID PROJECT NO. STP-AWDA(008)

**Statewide ADA Compliance Project; Accessibility Improvements to Pawtucket Avenue (Route 103) and Mineral Spring Avenue (Route 15)**

Pawtucket Avenue (from Merrit Road & Veterans Memorial Parkway, to just past Willett Avenue on Bullocks Point Avenue, East Providence, RI), and Mineral Spring Avenue (from Brown Avenue to Hawthorne Street, North Providence, RI)

CITY/TOWN OF NORTH PROVIDENCE, EAST PROVIDENCE

COUNTY OF PROVIDENCE, PROVIDENCE

RHODE ISLAND

NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS

ADDENDUM NO. 3

Prospective Bidders and all concerned are hereby notified of the following changes in the Plans, Specifications, Proposal, and Distribution of Quantities for Improvements to Pawtucket Avenue (from Merrit Road & Veterans Memorial Parkway, to just past Willett Avenue on Bullocks Point Avenue, East Providence, RI), and Mineral Spring Avenue (from Brown Avenue to Hawthorne Street, North Providence, RI). These changes shall be incorporated in the Plans, Specifications, Proposal, and Distribution of Quantities, and shall become an integral part of the Contract Documents.

**A. Contract Dates**

1. Bid Opening Date

The bid opening date has been changed to January 24, 2003.

**B. Contract Documents**

1. Page A-2

Remove Page A-2 in its entirety and replace with Page A-2 (Revision-1) attached to this Addendum No. 3. The bid opening date has been changed.

**C. Proposal Addition/Deletion**

1. Page P-18

Remove Page P-18 (Revision-2) in its entirety and replace with P-18 (Revision-3) attached to this Addendum No. 3. The Bid Deadline and Addenda posting dates have changed.

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Federal Highway Administration  
Division Administrator



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Chief Engineer

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 24, 2003 at 11:30 am. All bidders MUST register online at [www.purchasing.state.ri.us](http://www.purchasing.state.ri.us). A 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 or downloading a bid, call (401) 222-2142 ext. 134. 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: RIC 2002-CH-091, RIFAP No. STP-AWDA(008) is for the ADA improvements to Pawtucket Avenue (US 103) & Mineral Spring Avenue (US 15), and traffic island landscaping (Taunton Avenue and John Street Intersection).

The Contractor will be required to meet the established goal of not less than 20 % percent of the contract bid price to the Contractors, Subcontractors, and/or suppliers which qualify as Disadvantaged Business Enterprises.

Computer Disks for competitive bidding for the above described work will be furnished by the Department of Transportation, Division of Administrative Services, Contract Administration Section, 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 December 20, 2002 every weekday except holidays between the hours of 8:00 AM and 4:00 PM. A deposit of a company check or money order in the amount of \$0.00 made payable to the Rhode Island Department of Transportation will be accepted for each set of contract documents which will be refunded if Plans and Specifications are returned in good condition within two weeks after the opening of bids.

The Bid Package consists of a compact disk containing a Construction Plan Set totaling 20 sheets, Specifications, Distribution of Quantities, Quest Lite Bid File, Quest Lite Installation Software, and the Quest Lite User's Manual. Only complete bid packages will be issued.

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

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Total or gross sum of bid for Rhode Island Contract Number: 2002-CH-091  
Federal-Aid Project Number(s): STP-AWDA(008)  
WRITTEN IN WORDS:

The undersigned bidder declares that this Proposal is made without connection with any other person or persons making proposals for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. The undersigned bidder submits herewith, a proposal guarantee in the form of a bid bond in favor of the State of Rhode Island in the amount of 5% of the total or gross sum of the bid and agrees and consents that the proposal guarantee shall be forfeited to the State as liquidated damages if the required contract agreement and contract bond are not executed within ten(10) days of the notice of award. All surety companies must be listed with The Department of the Treasury, Fiscal Services, Circular 570, (Latest Revision published by The Federal Register). 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, Office of Purchases. The undersigned bidder agrees, if awarded the contract on this proposal to begin work within ten (10) calendar days after the date of execution of this contract unless otherwise specified under special provisions or permitted by the Engineer.

**COMPLETION DATE(S)**

<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>DATE</b>
Pre-Bid	January 07, 2003
Bid Deadline	January 24, 2003
Final Completion	October 10, 2003

**THE BIDDER ACKNOWLEDGES RECEIPT OF THE FOLLOWING :**

<b>ADDENDA</b>	<b>DATE POSTED</b>	<b>DOCUMENT(S)</b>	<b>PAGE</b>
NO. 1	<u>January 15, 2003</u>	1. Status Certification for: Debarment, Eligibility, Indictments, Convictions	1
NO. 2	<u>January 16, 2003</u>	2. Anti-Collusion Certificate	2
NO. 3	<u>January 17, 2003</u>	3. DBE Affirmative Action Certification	3 - 6
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