

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids will be received until 2:00 P.M. on ~~WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12, 19~~ **NOVEMBER 2-9, 2011** in the Office of the City Engineer, Public Works Department (Engineering and Architectural Services), City Hall, 100 North Andrews Avenue, 4th Floor, City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida and opened immediately thereafter in the Conference Room, for **PROJECT 10882, "FORT LAUDERDALE EXECUTIVE AIRPORT – TAXIWAY CHARLIE AND DELTA PAVEMENT REHABILITATION"**.

This project consists of Drawing File No. 4-135-85, sixty-four (64) sheets, **General Conditions, Special Conditions, Construction Specifications, Geotechnical Report, and the City's Construction Standards and Specifications, 1982 Edition Geotechnical Report.**

In accordance with Florida State Status 119.071(1)(b) 2., bid amounts will not be announced at the time of the bid opening. All bids will become public upon the issuing of a notice of an intended decision or at the expiration of 30 days from the bid opening, which ever occurs first.

The work includes, but is not limited to the following: milling, re-surfacing, and reconstruction of the pavement along Taxiway Charlie and Delta, including **construction of taxiway connectors**. Construction will consist of grading, embankment, stabilized subgrade, compacted limerock base, paving, airfield lighting and electrical work, turfing, pavement markings, and other related work.

This project is partially funded by a Joint Participation Agreement from the Florida Department of Transportation.

The City of Fort Lauderdale has established a Disadvantaged Business Program (DBE) in accordance with regulations of the U.S. Department of Transportation (USDOT), 49 CFR, Part 26. It is the policy of the City of Fort Lauderdale to ensure that DBEs, as defined in 49 CFR Part 26, have an equal opportunity to receive and participate in USDOT assisted contracts. The City of Fort Lauderdale shall not exclude any person from participation in, deny any person the benefits of, or otherwise discriminate against anyone in connection with the award and performance of any contract covered by 49 CFR Part 26 on the basis of race, color, sex, or national origin.

The City of Fort Lauderdale encourages DBE participation. Contractors and consultants shall take all necessary and reasonable steps in accordance with 49 CFR Part 26 to ensure that DBEs have the maximum opportunity to participate using race neutral measures.

Bidding blanks may be obtained at the Office of the City Engineer. Plans and specifications are on file in the Office of the City Engineer, City of Fort Lauderdale at 100 North Andrews Avenue, 4th floor, at a **NON-REFUNDABLE cost of \$100.00 (including sales tax per set)**. Only cash or cashier's check made payable to the City of Fort Lauderdale are accepted. Plans and specifications are also available on a CD diskette at a **NON-REFUNDABLE cost of \$5.00 (including sales tax per CD)**. ~~City of Fort Lauderdale Blue Book is available for purchase for \$46.64 (including tax) at the same location.~~

It will be the sole responsibility of the bidder to clearly mark bid as such, and ensure that his bid reaches the City prior to the bid opening date and time listed.

The bidder shall familiarize himself with the Liquidated Damages section contained within the Special Condition section.

A non-mandatory pre-bid conference shall be held in the Fort Lauderdale Executive Airport Administration Building, 6000 NW 21 Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, on Monday, September 19, 2011 at 10:00 A.M.