

SECTION I - ADVERTISEMENT OF BID

SPRING LAKE HWY (from SR50 to Mountain View Rd)

SOLICITATION NO: 10-0029

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of County Commissioners of Hernando County will open sealed bids at 3:00 P.M., LOCAL TIME, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2010 in the Hernando County Purchasing and Contracts/Technology Services conference room, located in the Government Center, 20 N. Main Street, Room 361, Brooksville, Florida. Work Description: Construction from just south of Mountain View Road north to SR 50 Right-of-Way. Widen road to 12' travel lanes, add 4' paved shoulder each side in select locations, Reconstruct swales, sod all disturbed areas, 1-1/4" O.G.M. Asphalt Course and 1-1/2" SP 12.5 Asphalt Course, Limerock Base Widening, Temporary Striping, Thermoplastic Striping, RPM's, Driveway tie-in and reconstructions, Turnout Constructions, Culvert Replacements and/or Extensions, Base replacement in select locations, Mailbox relocations, Sign Relocations, Select Tree Removal.

Sealed bid offers in two (2) copies for furnishing the aforesaid work will be received and accepted by the Hernando County Clerk of Circuit Court, 20 North Main Street, Room 131, Brooksville, Florida 34601, until the above stipulated date and time for opening of sealed bids. For all hand-delivered bids, the Clerk's Office is open, on normal workdays, between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M.

Copies of the Contract Documents, all bound together, and the plan therefore, are on file and available for inspection by prospective bidders at **Hernando County Department of Public Works - Engineering Division, 1525 East Jefferson Street, Brooksville, Florida, 34601. Telephone Number (352) 754-4062. There is no charge for the CD.**

Bid offers shall be accompanied by either a Proposal Bond or by a Certified Check or a Cashier's Check or an Official Bank Check in the dollar amount representing not less than five percent (5%) of the total amount bid as a guarantee to enter into a contract and furnish a contract performance and payment bond in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the total bid price within fifteen (15) calendar days from the date of notification of the award.

A prebid conference will be held **WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2010 @ 10:30 A.M.**, at the **Engineering Division Office**. Representatives of COUNTY and Engineer will be present to discuss the project. Bidders are encouraged to attend and participate in the conference. The Engineer will issue addenda, which are considered to be necessary in response to questions arising at the conference. **ADDENDA WILL BE SENT TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS VIA THE E-MAIL ADDRESS ENTERED ON THE PRE-BID SIGN-IN SHEET.** The Purchasing and Contracts Department will post such addenda on the County's website at www.hernandocounty.us, follow the link to "Public Bids". **It is the responsibility of prospective bidders to visit the County's website to insure that they are aware of all addenda issued relative to this solicitation.**

The Board of County Commissioners of Hernando County, Florida reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and waive informalities and minor irregularities in offers received in accordance with the bid documents and the Hernando County Procurement Ordinance.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
HERNANDO COUNTY



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