

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

**CTH H
STH 144 TO CTH XX
WASHINGTON COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT
PROJECT NUMBER: HWY11-05**

The Washington County Highway Department will accept sealed bids for the County Trunk Highway H (CTH H) Improvement Project until **2:00 P.M., Tuesday, March 22, 2011**, at the Washington County Highway Department office, 900 Lang Street, West Bend, WI 53090. At that time, County officials will publicly open and read aloud the bids. Normal Washington County Highway Department business hours are 7:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Monday – Friday.

CONTRACT DOCUMENTS are on file and open for inspection during normal business hours at the following locations: the office of the Gremmer & Associates, Inc. at 93 Pioneer Road; Fond du Lac, WI 54935; Milwaukee Builders Exchange; Bid & Builders Exchange in Madison; Builders Exchange of WI-Milwaukee; and Green Bay Builders Exchange.

CONTRACT DOCUMENTS may be obtained **ONLY** from Gremmer & Associates, Inc. Access the Gremmer & Associates, Inc. website (www.gremmerassociates.com), and go to “Contract Bids” to view and download bid information and documents after **February 28, 2011**. No password is required. Contact Gremmer & Associates, Inc. at 920-924-5720 for assistance in downloading and working with the digital documents.

Approximate quantities are as follows:

Excavation Common	94,300 CY
Excavation Rock	400 CY
Excavation Marsh	27,400 CY
Select Borrow	21,450 CY
Base Aggregate Dense	75,700 TON
HMA Pavement Type E-1	15,000 TON
Concrete Curb & Gutter 36-Inch Type D	2,800 LF
Salvaged Topsoil, Fertilizer, Seed, & Mulch	104,000 SY
Epoxy Pavement Markings	62,400 LF
Culvert Pipes	1,665 LF
Box Culverts	6 Each

The project is expected to begin May 31, 2011, and shall be substantially completed by October 1, 2011, and shall be fully completed by October 15, 2011. Construction time is of the essence. Completion delays are subject to liquidated damages.

Bid Security in the form of a certified check payable to Washington County Treasurer or a Bid Bond without condition to Washington County Treasurer in the amount of five (5) percent of the base bid shall be submitted with the bid as a guarantee that if the bid is accepted, a proper contract and bond will be executed and filed within 10 days after the acceptance of the bid. If such bidder fails to execute and file such contract, the amount of the check or bid bond shall be forfeited as liquidated damages. The accepted bidder will also be required, as a condition precedent to award of contract, to furnish in the amount of 100% of the contract price, satisfactory Performance & Payment Bonds and Certificate of Insurance.

Bids shall be submitted on the bid form provided and all blanks must be filled in for the bid to be accepted. No bid may be withdrawn for a period of 60 days from the date of the bid opening.

All bidders must include the "Bidders Qualification Statement," as part of their sealed response. **If the Bidder Qualification Statement is missing, the bid may be rejected.**

Prevailing wages rates shall be in accordance with the Wisconsin Statutes and the Prevailing Wage Rate Determination for this project.

The Washington County Highway Department has the right to reject any and/or all bids received, to waive any minor defects or irregularities that may be found in the bids, and to accept the bid that is in the best interest of the Washington County Highway Department. Furthermore, the Washington County Highway Department reserves the right to cancel any order or contract for failure of the successful bidder to comply with the terms, conditions, and specifications of the bid request and/or contract. The Washington County Highway Department reserves the right to award the bid in the aggregate or by item or like item groups (where applicable) to the lowest responsible, responsive bidder who complies with the specifications, service and can meet the requirements of this request.

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