

Questions and Answers

1. Directions say to respond with one email for each . This RFP has only one item. Does that mean that only one consultant team will be selected for all 6 projects? Or, are these 6 projects to be treated as separate “items” and separate consultant selections made for each project?

Response: We will be selecting only one (1) consultant to complete all project work associated with this one advertised item.

2. I would assume that there are only 2 pages for this item to identify staff & project approach to all 6 projects?

Response: Yes, only two (2) pages.

3. Regarding Item #1 ("Development of Projects on U.S. 421, I-74, and various local roads in Decatur County"), do we have to submit for all 6 projects or can we select only some of the projects to pursue?

Response: There will be one (1) consultant selected for all six (6) associated projects.

4. On page 3 of 8 No. 3. indicates that LOIs must be received by 4pm on the time and date due; this conflicts with the 8am identified elsewhere. Which is correct?

Response: The Letters of Interest and all required attachments are due by the “Response Due Date: 7-10-06, 8:00 a.m.”, as shown on page 1 of 8.

5. The qualifications for this RFP include acquisition items for project management, appraising, negotiating and relocation but 12.2 Title Research is not included. Is INDOT planning to do the title work or should this be included as a qualification item?

Response: The title work will be done by INDOT

6. Under qualifications list no bridge qualifications are listed. At least one bridge is listed under Project 6, and others may be included in Project 2. Are these bridge designs not included in this RFP?

Response: The pre-qualification for level 2 bridge has been included in a posted revision to the RFP.

7. In regard to the referenced RFP, I am submitting a question for your consideration. In light of the fact that 100% State Funds would be utilized for the project, it is our understanding that to satisfy the environmental requirements, compliance with IAC 327 Article 11 would be required?

Response: The US 421/Michigan Rod interchange will require a federal NEPA document (even though state funds will be used) because it will require an IJ study. The rest of the projects will need to comply with Environmental processing on state-funded projects based on the IR, Vol. 11, Number 10 dated July 1, 1988.

8. Level 2 Bridge Design appears to be required for the Truck Overpass and for the US 421 Interchange. Non-Complex Roadway design appears to be required for CR 250W / Vandalia Road project portion. Please provide direction regarding the treatment of these items in preparation of the response to RFP No. 06-07.

Response: The pre-qualification for level 2 bridge has been included in a posted revision to the RFP. A Non-Complex Roadway design category is not specified because the higher Complex Roadway design category is already specified.

9. Regarding the Current and Completed Projects and the Active and Pending Contract Balances forms, are they to be filled out for the prime only, or the prime and the subs? There is the potential for this project to have a lot of subs, and therefore a lot of forms.

Response: These forms are required for prime consultant submitters only.

10. Regarding the Current and Completed Projects form, is this only for the PM or is it for all key staff mentioned in the LOI?

Response: This form is to include all current INDOT and Non-INDOT highway projects that the prime consultant key staff is assigned to and representative projects completed within the last five (5) years which have similar characteristics.

11. Page 2 of 8 states the submittal deadline is 8:00 a.m. Item A. 3. on sheet 3 of 8 states 4:00 pm. Can you please tell me which is correct?

Response: The Letters of Interest and all required attachments are due by the "Response Due Date: 7-10-06, 8:00 a.m.", as shown on page 1 of 8. The location in the document that reflected the incorrect time has been changed in the posted revised RFP document.

12. Is this project 100% state funded, or is there federal money involved?

Response: This project is 100% state funded as noted along with contract type in the item description. There will be no federal funds involved.