

NOTICE INVITING BIDS
Repaving Bus Parking Lot
IFB No. 2010-02

Sealed Bids will be received by Eastern Contra Costa Transit Authority (ECCTA) until 2:00 p.m., local time, on August 10, 2010, at ECCTA's offices, 801 Wilbur Avenue, Antioch, California, 94509, for repaving ECCTA's bus parking lot in Antioch, California. Bids received after the time and location stated above will not be considered.

Following the closure of the bid submittal period, bids will be publicly opened and read for furnishing all labor, equipment, materials, testing, tools, training, and other services as required by the contract documents.

The estimated value of this contract is \$166,000.00

A pre-bid conference and site tour will be held at ECCTA's facility at 801 Wilbur Avenue, Antioch, California, on June 16, 2010, 10:00 am local time. All prospective bidders and subcontractors are encouraged to attend. At the pre-bid conference ECCTA's Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) participation policy will be explained and DBE opportunities discussed.

Bid documents may be examined at certain public and private plan rooms, or may be obtained from ECCTA in person or by mail at ECCTA's Purchasing Department located at:

801 Wilbur Avenue
Antioch, CA 94509
Att: Ann Hutcheson
Director of Administrative Services

In accordance with provisions of California Public Contract Code Section 3300, ECCTA has determined that the Contractor shall possess a valid Class A Contractor's License at the time the bid is submitted. Failure to possess the specified license shall render the bid non-responsive.

This contract is subject to the receipt of financial assistance from the U.S. Department of Transportation and local sales tax funds, and may also be subject to a Grant Contract between the Metropolitan Transportation Commission and ECCTA. The contract is subject to laws and regulations governing the use of such funds. Bidders will be required to certify that they have not been suspended or debarred from participation in federally funded contracts. Bidders must also disclose lobbying activities. Full compliance with applicable Safety and Health Standards, Equal Employment Opportunity and Americans with Disabilities Act laws and regulations will be required of the successful bidder.

ECCTA will affirmatively ensure that, in regard to any contract entered into pursuant to this Invitation for Bid (IFB); Disadvantaged Business Enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this request and will not be discriminated against on the basis of race, color, sex, or national origin.

The DBE goal for this contract shall be **14.5%** of the total proposed price, excluding allowances.

Each bid shall be accompanied by a bidder's security equal to at least 10 per cent of the total amount bid including allowances. The bidder to whom the contract is awarded shall furnish a Performance Bond and a Labor and Materials Bond (Payment Bond), each in an amount not less than 100 per cent of the contract price. Bonds shall be on the forms provided by ECCTA and shall be executed as surety by a corporation or corporation authorized to issue surety bonds in the State of California, as an admitted surety insurer and acceptable to ECCTA.

Pursuant to Section 1770, et seq. of the California Labor Code, the successful bidder and all subcontractors shall pay not less than the prevailing rate of per diem wages as determined by the Director of the California Department of Industrial Relations. A copy of such prevailing rate of per diem wages is included in the bid documents.

Pursuant to Public Contract Code Section 22300, for monies earned by the contractor and withheld by ECCTA to ensure the performance of the contract, the contractor may, at its option, choose to substitute securities meeting the requirements of Public Contract Code Section 22300.

Within ten (10) days from the Notice to Proceed or date specified in the Notice to Proceed, the contractor shall commence work on the Project. Project is to be completed within one hundred eighty (180) workdays from the date work is commenced.

The contractor shall pay to ECCTA the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) for each and every workday's delay in finishing the work in excess of the workday completion time.

Bids will be examined and reported to the ECCTA Board of Directors at a meeting within sixty (60) days of the bid opening. ECCTA reserves the right to reject any and all bids, or to waive any irregularities or informalities in any bid or in the bidding procedure, or to postpone the bid opening or award for good cause. No bidder may withdraw its bid for a period of sixty (60) days after the date of opening of the bids.