#### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

SEALED BIDS (Chapter 103D, HRS) For:

# DIAMOND HEAD CRATER OPERATION CENTERS EMERGENCY FIBER OPTIC CABLE SYSTEM DAGS JOB NO. 12-14-7666

Will be received at the Department of Accounting and General Services, Public Works Division Office, fourth floor of the Kalanimoku Building, Room 426, 1151 Punchbowl Street, Honolulu, Hawai'i. A compact disk which contains the Solicitation, Offer and Contract Forms, drawings, and specifications may be obtained from the Public Works Division office, Kalanimoku Building, Room 422. The solicitation documents may also be available in electronic format from the Department's website at <a href="http://pwd.hawaii.gov/bidding/">http://pwd.hawaii.gov/bidding/</a>. Due to the COVID-19 situation/incident and the recommendations in effect for social distancing, bidders are advised to access the documents via our website. Bidders are strongly discouraged from picking up CDs to support social distancing and due to possible limited building access or closure of DAGS' office to the public.

Submit the Competitive SOLICITATION, OFFER AND CONTRACT FORM up to 2:00 PM, Thursday May 28, 2020. At that time, bids will be publicly opened. Bids received after the due time and date will not be considered.

The work generally consists of installing a complete fiber optic telecommunications system from Birkhimer Tunnel to Battery 407 within the Diamond Head crater. The work includes trenching and earthwork, and installation of handholes, conduit, and fiber optic cable.

The estimated construction cost is between \$1 million and \$1.5 million.

Due to the COVID-19 situation/incident, a pre-bid meeting in accordance with Hawaii Revised Statutes §103D-303.5 has been waived and will not be held.

See SECTION 00800 - SPECIAL CONDITIONS, for Contractor's access to site to view conditions during bidding.

The estimated value of the public works contract is \$250,000 or more and the apprenticeship agreement preference pursuant to Hawaii Revised Statutes §103-55.6 (ACT 17, SLH 2009) shall apply.

The Hawaii products preference pursuant to ACT 175, SLH 2009 may be applicable for items of this solicitation. Persons wishing to certify and qualify a product not currently listed as a Hawaii Product shall submit a Certification for Hawaii Product Preference (form SPO-38) to: Department of Accounting and General Services, Public Works Division, 1151 Punchbowl Street, Room 426, Honolulu, Hawaii, Attn: Jolie Yee. The product shall meet the specifications of this project. The submittal must be received by DAGS by 4:30 PM on May 13, 2020. View the current Hawaii Products List on the State Procurement Office (SPO) website at <a href="http://spo.hawaii.gov/for-vendors/hawaii-product-preferences/">http://spo.hawaii.gov/for-vendors/hawaii-product-preferences/</a>.

For each product, one form shall be completed and submitted (i.e. 3 products should have 3 separate forms completed). The form is available on the SPO webpage at http://spo.hawaii.gov/all-forms/.

Late submittals for this solicitation will not be reviewed by this agency.

### Campaign Contributions by State and County Contractors Prohibited.

If awarded a contract in response to this solicitation, offeror agrees to comply with HRS section 11-355, which states that campaign contributions are prohibited from a State and County government contractor during the term of the contract if the contractor is paid with funds appropriated by the legislative body between the execution of the contract through the completion of the contract.

To be eligible to submit a Bid, the Bidder must possess a valid State of Hawai'i Contractor's license classification (s) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Refer to the **GENERAL NOTICE** for Department of Accounting and General Services, **Public Works Division Projects**, published with the project specifications for additional information.

CURT T. OTAGURO COMPTROLLER State of Hawai'i

April 28, 2020

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## **GENERAL NOTICE for Department of Accounting and General Services Public Works Division Projects**

### TAX CLEARANCE AND HAWAII BUSINESS CERTIFICATES

Refer to Instructions to Bidders for information regarding tax clearance and business certificates.

### **OTHER INFORMATION**

Bid results will be posted outside Room 422, Kalanimoku Building, 1151 Punchbowl Street, Honolulu, Hawai'i or at <a href="http://pwd.hawaii.gov/bidding/">http://pwd.hawaii.gov/bidding/</a>. The Contract Award notice will be posted at <a href="http://pwd.hawaii.gov/bidding/">http://pwd.hawaii.gov/bidding/</a>.

Refer to Instructions to Bidders for other conditions and requirements to award a contract.

Any protest shall be submitted to the Public Works Administrator. Bidders shall comply with the GENERAL CONDITIONS Article 2.13 Protests.