

**ROSEBUD SIOUX TRIBE
IS ANNOUNCING
REQUEST FOR CONSTRUCTION BIDS (RFB)**

**“Beads Creek Bridge – Project No. A034 40(3)
Structure Replacement”**

BID NO. 23-17

SCOPE OF WORK

The work consists of the Removal and Replacement of an existing bridge crossing The Little White River, at 43.2020 Long and -100.9677 latitude 687 feet West of BIA Route 5 on BIA Route 3 on the Rosebud Indian Reservation. The new structure is a Single Span Precast Bulb Tee Bridge, 97.6ft. total length.

The construction period for the contract will begin following issuance of the Notice to Proceed no later than **September 11, 2023** and shall be (Substantial Complete) no later than **December 15, 2023**.

PRE-BID CONFERENCE

There will be a pre-bid conference at 2:00pm (CDT), **Wednesday April 19, 2023**, at the Offices of Aaron Swan & Associates, Inc. at 207 E. Capitol Ave. Suite 209, Pierre, South Dakota. The pre-bid meeting is not mandatory but highly recommended.

BIDDING

Sealed bids will be received on the bid Form provided (if you haven't received one contact Ron Lutz, ASA Engineering at 605-945-1315 Ext. 3 or on his cell 605-280-4093 to obtain one). Bids shall be submitted in a sealed envelope and marked on the outside, **“Bid No. 23-17-Beads Creek Bridge Replacement Project”**. Failure to do so will result in a bid being determined as non-responsive and the bid being returned or unopened. The Tribe will not accept email, fax, or telephone bids.

Bids and attachments shall be submitted one (1) original, plus nine (9) copies of the Bid form and Schedule. **Bids will be received and accepted until 5:00p.m. (CDT) on May 17, 2023.** Bids received after this time will not be accepted.

Bids will be delivered or mailed to:

Mr. Stephan DeNoyer III, Treasurer
Rosebud Sioux Tribe Finance Office
11 Legion Avenue
P.O. Box 430
Rosebud, South Dakota 57570

Bids will be publicly opened and read at **1:30 P.M. (CDT), May 18, 2023** at the Rosebud Sioux Tribe TECRO Office in Rosebud, South Dakota.

ROSEBUD SIOUX TRIBE – TECRO

A copy of the Rosebud Sioux Tribe TECRO Ordinance No. 86-03 can be obtained by going on the Rosebud Sioux Tribe's web page and downloading the Ordinance No. 86-03. This project is subject to Indian Preference, but bids are invited and encouraged from any non-Indian firm also. Indian

enterprises or Indian organizations must prequalify for Indian preference by first submitting evidence of Indian ownership by first submitting evidence of Indian ownership and control to the TECRO office no later than one week prior to the bid opening. Details of the information to be submitted and are given in the "Instructions to Bidders". Subcontractors must also submit information to qualify for this preference. Details of information pertaining to this will be found in the "Instructions to Bidders."

Contact Person for TECRO will be Muriel Fast Horse, TECRO Director; Office Number is (605) 747-2322, 8:00-5:00 (CDT), Mon.-Fri., questions regarding TECRO compliance plan or Indian Preference. All bids must have the 4.5% TECRO fee included.

BUSINESS LICENSE AND BUSINESS TAX

Contact person is Whitney Meek, Director of RST Revenue Office, at (605) 747-5045 Mon-Fri 8:00am-5:00pm for Business Licensing regulatory requirements.

Bidders must provide proof of suspension debarment certification by providing current documentation from the U.S. GSA System for Award Management (SAM).

CONTACT PERSON FOR SAND & GRAVEL PROGRAM

The Rosebud Sioux Tribe does have a Sand and Gravel Program, the Contact Person is Shorty Jordan; Office -605-856-2589. We recommend contacting Shorty Jordan to discuss the gravel needs for the project.

AWARD.

The lowest responsive bidder is given consideration however in accordance with TECRO Ordinance 86-03 Indian preference is employed if there are any responsive Indian owned bid(s).

BIDDING DOCUMENTS

Bid Documents, bidder TECRO forms and schedule including drawings and specifications any be examined at the following location: Aaron Swan and Associates, 207 East Capitol, Suite 209, Pierre, SD 57501

Copies of the bidding and contract documents may be obtained by contacting Aaron Swan and Associates, 207 E. Capitol, Suite 209, Pierre, SD 57501 (605) 945-1315. Electronic (PDF) copies will be provided to respective bidders via email link on request at no charge. Bidders shall assure that all applicant elements of the Bid Package, as listed in the "Instructions to Bidders" are completed and returned with Bids.

RIGHT TO REJECT ANY AND ALL BIDS

This invitation for Bids does not commit the Rosebud Sioux Tribe to award, nor to pay any costs incurred in the preparation of bids or to procure supplies. The Rosebud Sioux Tribe reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any irregularities or the re-advertise when it is in the best interest of the Tribe.