

SHAWNEE MASS TRANSIT DISTRICT INVITATION TO BID

Notice is hereby given that the Shawnee Mass Transit District (SMTD) is soliciting bids for two designs for two office/depot buildings to be located one each in the following counties; Pulaski, and Union. Bids will be accepted from May 24, 2021 until 3:00 p.m. CDT, on May 28, 2021.

Project Description: The Union County facility is to be composed of several offices, driver's lounge with a kitchenette, small storage rooms, separate women's and men's bathrooms and a meeting/training room. Also included will be an attached one bay garage. The overall size of the facility will be approximately 4000 square feet and will be located in Union county's Industrial Park.

The Ullin facility will be a small approximately 1500 square foot building that includes an office, drivers lounge with kitchenette, storage room and separate men's and woman's bathrooms.

Architectural and Engineering Services

Recommendation of use of design, space used, energy, efficiency, mechanical systems, etc.

Recommendation of construction methods, materials, and structural components

Prepare conceptual designs consisting of: blueprints, drawings, schematics, etc.

Develop budget/cost estimates

Attend meetings and public hearings as necessary

Project Documents: Requests for Project Documents, which include bidding instructions, contract requirements, drawings and specifications, should be submitted to:

Shawnee Mass Transit District
Attn: Mike Pietrowski
100 Smart Drive
Vienna, Illinois 62995
Phone: 618-658-8384
Fax: 618-658-8398

Bids must be enclosed in a sealed envelope clearly marked on the outside: "BID – MASS TRANSIT Design for Facilities and delivered to the above address on or before **3:00 p.m. CDT on May 28, 2021**. The bid proposals will be opened and read aloud on Tuesday June 1, 2021 at 9:00 A.M. Faxed or emailed bids will not be accepted. Bids not submitted by the deadline will be returned to the bidder unopened.

Funding for this project is provided by the State of Illinois Rebuild Illinois Program

A contract for design will be based on qualifications and technical criteria/No price considerations. SMTD reserves the right to accept any bid or any part or parts thereof or to reject any and all bids. Acceptance of any Bid is subject to concurrence by the Illinois Department of Transportation.

Bids will be required to be submitted under a condition of irrevocability for a period of 120 days after submission.

Any contract resulting from this Advertisement is subject to financial assistance contracts between SMTD and the United States Department of Transportation and the Illinois Department of Transportation.

Contractors will be required to comply with all applicable Equal Employment Opportunity laws and regulations. Additionally, successful bidders must comply with the Illinois Prevailing Wage Act (820 ILCS 130 *et seq.*).

Certified Disadvantaged Business Enterprises are encouraged to participate in any procurement opportunity with SMTD. SMTD shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, ancestry, age, physical or mental handicap unrelated to ability, or an unfavorable discharge from military service in the participation or performance of any resulting contract or agreement.