Notice to Bidders

Minnehaha County Highway Department requests formal proposals (bids) for "2024-2025 Annual Highway Materials."

These five separate contracts will consist of furnishing specified materials for the annual term of the contract, generally including:

- No. 1—Medium-Curing Cutback Asphalt (MC-70)
- No. 2-Hot Mix Asphalt (HMA) Concrete Pavement
- No. 3—Snow Plow Cutting Edges
- No. 4—Abrasive Salt Mixture (Salt Sand)
- No. 5—Rock Salt and Transportation

Bids may be submitted either through QuestCDN vBid or in paper form (see specific requirements hereinafter). All bids, whether submitted electronically through QuestCDN vBid online bidding or, alternatively, submitted by sealed paper copy must be received by the <u>Minnehaha County</u> <u>Auditor's Office</u>, 415 N Dakota Avenue, Sioux Falls, SD 57104, not later than 10:15 a.m. Wednesday, March 27, 2024. Bids shall be publicly opened and read at the Auditor's Office at 10:30am on Wednesday, March 27, 2024.

For these contracts, bidding information can be obtained in either of the following ways:

- 1. By download at <u>www.questcdn.com;</u> or
- 2. In paper form from the Minnehaha County Highway Department located at 2124 E. 60th Street North, Sioux Falls, South Dakota 57104.

Electronic Bids: Electronic bids will only be received and accepted via the online electronic bid service QuestCDN vBid. Reference QuestCDN project number **9014484**. QuestCDN will charge non-refundable fees to download the Request for Proposal and also to place a vBid. Contact QuestCDN Customer Support at 952-233-1632 or <u>info@questcdn.com</u> for assistance in membership registration, downloading digital Request for Proposal information and vBid online bid submittal. Downloading bid documents from QuestCDN will add your company to the Plan Holder List and allow you access to vBid online bidding for the submittal of your proposal (bid).

Sealed Paper Bids: Sealed paper bids must be submitted to the Minnehaha County Auditor's Office, 415 N Dakota Avenue, Sioux Falls, SD 57104, using only the proposal forms available at the Minnehaha County Highway Department located at 2124 E 60th Street North, Sioux Falls, SD 57104. Paper bids submitted on forms other than the proposal forms provided by the Minnehaha County Highway Department will be deemed irregular and will not be considered.

Minnehaha County reserves the right to reject any or all formal Proposals (Bids), waive technicalities, and make award(s) as deemed to be in the best interest of the County.

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