Invitation for Bids

Date: 24 July 2017

Loan No. and Title: 3353-VIE: Second Greater Mekong Subregion (GMS) Corridor Towns Development Project

Contract No. and Title: Package BG1: Bac Giang - Tran Quang Khai Road

Deadline for Submission of Bids: 25 August 2017, 08:30 hours (local time)

1. The Government of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam has received financing from the Asian Development Bank (hereinafter called "ADB") toward the cost of the Second Greater Mekong Subregion (GMS) Corridor Towns Development Project. Part of this financing will be used for payments under the contract package named above. Bidding is open to Bidders from eligible source countries of ADB.

2. The Bac Giang City’s People’s Committee represented by Bac Giang City’s Construction Project Management Unit No.2 ("the Employer") invites sealed bids from eligible Bidders for the Package BG1: Bac Giang - Tran Quang Khai Road.

The scope of works includes:

2.1. Road:

2.1.1. The length of the main road is 1,451.9 m, Design speed is 60 Km / h with 3 segments follows:

- Segment 1: From Km 0+00 to Km 0+873,12 (From Hoang Hoa Tham street to planning road), the length is 873,12 m, width of road base is 27 m; width of pavement is 2 x 9= 18 m; width of Middle Strip is 6 m; width of roadside is 2 x 1,5=3 m;
- Segment 2: From Km 0+873,12 to Km 1+168,055 (From Planning road to bridge across the Thuong river), the length is 294,935 m, width of road base is 27 m; width of pavement is 2 x 10,5=21 m; width of Middle Strip is 2 m; width of roadside is 2 x 2=4 m;
- Segment 3: From Km 1+168,055 to Km 1+869,07 (From bridge across the Thuong river to resettlement area of the fertilizer plant), the length is 283,135 m, width of road base is 27 m; width of pavement is 2 x 7,5=15 m; width of sidewalk is 2 x 6=12m;

2.1.2. Resident Frontage road, branches of route:

- Length of resident Frontage road: 232,89 m; width of road base is 4 m; width of pavement is 2 x 1,5=3 m; width of roadside is 2 x 0,5=1 m;
• Branch route 1: Length: 110 m, Reinforcing the talus roof, widening the Dike surface;
• Branch route 2: Length: 112.58 m; width of road base: 7.5 m; width of pavement: 2 x 3.5 = 7 m; width of roadside: 1 x 0.5 = 0.5 m;
• Branch route 3: Length: 120.87 m; width of road base: 7 m; width of road surface: 2 x 3.5 = 7 m;
• Branch route 4: Length: 140 m, Reinforcing the talus roof, widening the Dike surface;

2.1.3. Drainage system: Reinforced concrete culverts crossing the road, drainage along the road with manhole system. Irrigation channels for agriculture.

2.1.4. Technical trench system

2.1.5. Lighting system along the route.

2.2. Bridge across Thuong river:

2.2.1. From Km 1+208,055 to Km 1+572,935, length: 364.88 m (from end abutment to end abutment), Design of permanent bridges by reinforced concrete and pre-stressed concrete with balanced cantilever, Scheme: 2 x 39.12 + 55 + 90 + 55 + 2 x 39.12; The design load of HL93, walkside road 3 x 10-3 Mpa (according to design standard 22TCN 272-05), design frequency H1% to ensure the navigation of the river level (river level III, static vertical: H = 7m, non-horizontal: B> 40 m);

2.2.2. Two approach roads: From km 1 + 168,055 to Km 1 + 208,055 (on Hoang Hoa Tham street) and from Km 1 + 572,935 to Km 1 + 612,935, total length: 80 m. Use of sectional retaining wall structure; width of Two approach roads B = 13 m.

3. National competitive bidding (NCB) will be conducted in accordance with the ADB’s Single Stage – One Envelope bidding procedure and is open to all eligible Bidders as described in the Bidding Document.

4. Only eligible Bidders with the following key qualifications should participate in this bidding:

4.1. Experience:
• Participation in at least one (1) contract that have been successfully or substantially completed within the last five (5) years and that are similar to the proposed works, where the value of the Bidder’s participation in each contract exceeds VND 180,000,000,000.

4.2. Financial:
• Minimum average annual construction turnover of VND 150,000,000,000 calculated as total certified payments received for contracts in progress or completed, within the last three (3) years.
• Financial Resources Requirement for Subject Contract: VND 19,000,000,000.

The qualification criteria are more completely described in the Bidding Document.
5. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from the Employer and inspect the Bidding Document starting on July 24, 2017 from 8:30 to 17:00 hours during Mondays to Fridays (except during weekends and holidays) until before 8:30 hours on August 25, 2017, at the address given below:

   Bac Giang City's Construction Project Management Unit No.2 with its address at No.8, Nghia Long Street, Tran Phu Ward, Bac Giang city, Bac Giang Province

   Tel: +84 240.3824.726
   Email: pmubg2@gmail.com

6. To purchase the Bidding Documents in Vietnamese, eligible Bidders should:
   • Submit an official letter to the above-mentioned address (para 5) requesting the Invitation for Bid documents for **Package BG1: Bac Giang - Tran Quang Khai Road**.
   • Pay a non-refundable fee of VND 2,000,000 by cash.

7. Deliver bids:
   • To the address above (para 5)
   • On or before **8:30 hours on August 25, 2017**.
   • All Bids must be accompanied with a Bid Security as specified in the Bidding Documents.
   • Late bid shall be rejected. Bids will be opened immediately after the bid submission deadline at the above-mentioned address (para 5) in the presence of Bidders’ representatives who wish to attend.

8. **Bac Giang City’s Construction Project Management Unit No.2** will not be responsible for any cost or expense incurred in the preparation and delivery of bids.