

CITY OF CHILLICOTHE, MISSOURI

INVITATION FOR BID

ADVERTISEMENT

**ASBESTOS-CONTAINING MATERIALS (ACM) ABATEMENT SERVICES,
FORMER CHILLICOTHE CORRECTIONAL CENTER**

See attached Notice, Invitation to Bid, Information for Bidders, General Conditions, Specifications, and Bid Form (collectively the Invitation to Bid or ITB) for detailed information.

Notice is hereby given that the City of Chillicothe, the owner, will receive sealed Bids for asbestos containing material (ACM) removal services at office of the city clerk located at 921 Jackson St. Chillicothe, Mo. 64601 until 3:00 PM August 2, 2011. At such time all conforming bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

This project will be financed through a grant and loan provided by the Missouri Environmental Improvement and Energy Resources Authority (EIERA). Project work will be authorized under an EPA Brownfields Grant funded through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA). Neither the EIERA, EPA, or Missouri Department of Natural Resources and their divisions or employees will be a party to the contract. Any Bidder whose firm or affiliate is listed on the GSA publication titled "List of Parties Excluded from Federal Procurement or Non-Procurement Programs" is prohibited from the bidding process; bids received from a listed party will be deemed non-responsive. Refer to the Instructions to Bidders section for more information regarding suspension and debarment.

It is the intent of the City of Chillicothe (City) that this Invitation for Bid promotes competitive bidding. It shall be the bidder's responsibility to advise the City if any language, requirements, etc. any combination thereof, inadvertently restricts or limits the requirements stated in this Invitation for Bid to a single source. Such notification must be submitted in writing and must be received by the City not later than three (3) days prior to the bid opening date.

Bidders on this work will be required to comply with the President's Executive Order Number 11246. The contractor shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin or sex in the performance of this contract. The contractor shall carry out applicable requirements of 40 CFR part 33 in the award and administration of contracts awarded under EPA financial assistance agreements. Failure by the contractor to carry out these requirements is a material breach of this contract which may result in the termination of this contract or other legally available remedies.

The City, in accordance with the provision of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 Stat. 252) and the Regulations of the Department of Commerce (15 CFR, Part 8) issued pursuant to such Act, hereby notifies all bidders that affirmatively ensure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement that minority businesses will be afforded full opportunity to submit Bids in response to

this advertisement and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for award.

Bidding documents may be obtained from city hall.

The city has established goals for the utilization of Minority Business Enterprises (MBE) and Women Owned Business Enterprises (WBE). For this contract the city's goal is 10% for MBEs and 5% for WBEs. Requirements are further explained in the ITB.

A mandatory prebid site visit/conference will be held. Please see Section 6.0 of the Specifications for further details.

The City of Chillicothe

By, Roze Frampton, City Clerk

July 6, 2011