

**REQUEST FOR LETTERS OF RESPONSE
CONSTRUCTION, ENGINEERING, INSPECTION SERVICES
LAP BLACKWATER HERITAGE TRAIL CONNECTOR SIDEWALK
FPID 433575-1-58-01**

Notice is hereby given that the Santa Rosa County Board of County Commissioners is calling for and requesting letters of response for CEI services for the **Blackwater Heritage Trail Connector Sidewalk** project. Santa Rosa County is looking for a firm to provide this service. Proposals must conform to the specifications. Professional services required shall be secured in accordance with the County's Procurement Policy. Consideration will be given to only those firms that are qualified pursuant to law and that have been prequalified by the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) in accordance with Rule Chapter 14-75, Florida Administrative Code to perform the indicated Type(s) of Work: 10.1-Rdwy Construction Engineering Inspection

All proposals must be in writing and delivered by hand, mail, or Fed EX to the Santa Rosa County Procurement Department, 6495 Caroline Street Suite J, Milton Florida 32570, and must be received by 10:00 a.m., June 7, 2016. Only proposals received by the aforesaid time and date will be considered. All proposals shall be sealed and clearly labeled, "**LOR#16-040 BLACKWATER HERITAGE TRAIL CONNECTOR SIDEWALK - CEI**" Please provide the original proposal, labeled "ORIGINAL", and ELEVEN (11) copies labeled "COPY" (12 total complete packages) and 1 CD.

Specifications may be secured from the Santa Rosa County Website (www.santarosa.fl.gov/bids) or at the Santa Rosa County Procurement Department at the above address. Technical questions concerning this request should be directed in writing to Chris Phillips, P.E. at chrisp@santarosa.fl.gov no later than 4:00 pm on May 27, 2016.

CONSULTANT ELIGIBILITY: By submitting a Proposal, the Consultants certifies that they are in compliance with FDOT Directive No. 375-030-006. This directive is available on FDOT's Web Site. In addition to the restrictions identified in Directive No. 375-030-006, please be advised of the following prohibition: A consultant firm or its affiliate who was the Designer or Engineer of Record is precluded from bidding on the same project or performing CEI duties.

FEDERAL DEBARMENT: This project is federally funded with assistance from the Florida Department of Transportation and the Federal Highway Administration. By submitting a Letter of Response, the consultant certifies that no principal (which includes officers, directors, or executives) is presently suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible or voluntarily excluded from participation on this transaction by any Federal Department or Agency.

SELECTION PRODECURE: This project is covered by the selection process detailed in the Rule Chapter 14-75, Florida Administrative Code. Selection will be made directly from Proposals for this project. After ranking of the Consultants, the contract fee will be negotiated in accordance with Section 287.055, Florida Statutes.

Santa Rosa County Board of County Commissioners encourages all segments of the business community to participate in its procurement opportunities, including small businesses, minority/women owned businesses, and disadvantaged business enterprises. The Board does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, disability, sex, or age in the administration of contracts.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Santa Rosa County, Florida

Legal Notice

Three Issues – May 13, May 20, and May 27, 2016– Pensacola News Journal.

Bill and Proof to Santa Rosa County Procurement Department, Attention: Dave King, 6495 Caroline Street Suite J, Milton, Florida 32570