

## INVITATION FOR BIDS

Submitted bids will be opened electronically at 11:00 AM on **Friday, June 27, 2025**; and will be posted to the Vermont Agency of Transportation website. The time of receiving and opening bids may be postponed due to emergencies or unforeseen conditions.

**LOCATION:** LOCATED ON THE LAMOILLE VALLEY RAIL TRAIL (LVRT), AT RAILROAD MILE POINT 1.42, APPROXIMATELY 0.14 MILES SOUTH OF THE LVRT INTERSECTION WITH VERMONT ROUTE 2B IN THE TOWN OF ST. JOHNSBURY.

**TYPE OF CONSTRUCTION:** WORK TO BE PERFORMED UNDER THIS PROJECT INCLUDES CONSTRUCTION OF A PRECAST CONCRETE BOX CULVERT TO REPLACE THE WASHED OUT CULVERT 13C WITH ASSOCIATED TRAIL AND CHANNEL WORK.

**CONTRACT COMPLETION DATE:** This Contract shall be completed on or before **December 15, 2025**.

**BID BOND:** Electronic bid bond to be submitted in the amount of 5% of the Contractor's bid.

**ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE:** For this proposal the Engineer's Estimate is **Category D**.

**PLANS AND PROPOSALS MAY BE OBTAINED AT NO COST BY:** On the VTrans website at: <https://vtrans.vermont.gov/contract-admin/bids-requests/construction-contracting>

**QUESTIONS:** During the advertisement period, all questions shall be addressed solely to the Office of Contract Administration via email: [AOT.ConstructionContractingInquiry@vermont.gov](mailto:AOT.ConstructionContractingInquiry@vermont.gov). All inquiries must be received by 4:30pm on Wednesday, June 18, 2025.

**PREQUALIFICATION OF CONTRACTORS:** All bidders on this project must hold **both** current annual Prequalification with the Vermont Agency of Transportation through the "Contractor's Experience Questionnaire and Financial Statement" and unconditioned project-specific approval through the "Standard Form - Request for Proposal" CA-82 form. These documents are available at: <https://vtrans.vermont.gov/sites/aot/files/contractadmin/documents/PreQualCA82.pdf>, and must be submitted/uploaded through the iCXWeb website at: <https://vtrans.exevision.com/icx/Index.aspx>

**STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS:** The work to be performed under this Contract shall be in accordance with the 2024 Standard Specifications for Construction, as modified. The Standard Specifications are available on the Vermont Agency of Transportation website. <https://vtrans.vermont.gov/highway/construct-material/construct-services/pre-contractspecifications>

**NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT:** All bidders will be required to execute a sworn statement, certifying that the bidder has not, either directly or indirectly, entered into any agreement, participated in any collusion, or otherwise taken any action in restraint of free competitive bidding in connection with this Contract.

**NONDISCRIMINATION IN AGENCY CONTRACTS:** VTrans hereby notifies all bidders that it will insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin in consideration for an award.

**MANDATORY ELECTRONIC BIDDING:** Bidders are hereby notified that only electronic bids will be accepted by the Agency. For information on electronic bidding with the Agency, please visit our website at: <https://vtrans.vermont.gov/contract-admin/resources/construction-contracting/electronic-bidding>

TELECOMMUNICATIONS RELAY SERVICE

TTY/TDD 1-800-253-0191

**ESTIMATE OF QUANTITIES**

ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION	QUANTITY	UNITS
201.1000	CLEARING AND GRUBBING, INCLUDING INDIVIDUAL TREES AND STUMPS	1.000	LS
203.1500	COMMON EXCAVATION	150.000	CY
203.1600	SOLID ROCK EXCAVATION	30.000	CY
203.2600	CHANNEL EXCAVATION OF ROCK	70.000	CY
203.2700	UNCLASSIFIED CHANNEL EXCAVATION	1,000.000	CY
203.3000	EARTH BORROW	6,980.000	CY
203.3100	SAND BORROW	110.000	CY
204.2200	TRENCH EXCAVATION OF EARTH, EXPLORATORY (N.A.B.I.)	1.000	CY
204.2500	STRUCTURE EXCAVATION	650.000	CY
204.3000	GRANULAR BACKFILL FOR STRUCTURES	710.000	CY
240.0100	TEMPORARY ACCESS ROAD	1.000	LS
301.3500	SUBBASE OF DENSE GRADED CRUSHED STONE	70.000	CY
401.1500	AGGREGATE SURFACE COURSE, PATHS AND TRAILS	20.000	CY
501.3700	PERFORMANCE-BASED CONCRETE, CLASS PCD	3.000	CY
507.1100	REINFORCING STEEL, LEVEL I	235.000	LB
514.1000	WATER REPELLENT, SILANE	5.000	GAL
540.1000	PRECAST CONCRETE STRUCTURE (INSTALL 8FTX15FTX138FT BOX CULVERT)	1.000	LS
613.0602	E-STONE FILL, TYPE II	640.000	CY
613.1002	STONE FILL, TYPE II	880.000	CY
613.1003	STONE FILL, TYPE III	370.000	CY
614.1000	TEMPORARY RELOCATION OF STREAM	1.000	EACH
620.4500	PLANK RAIL FENCE	460.000	LF
629.0500	CRUSHED STONE BEDDING	150.000	CY
630.1500	FLAGGERS	450.000	HR
631.1600	TESTING EQUIPMENT, CONCRETE	1.000	LS
633.1000	CPM SCHEDULE	6.000	EACH
635.1100	MOBILIZATION/DEMobilIZATION	1.000	LS
641.1100	TRAFFIC CONTROL, ALL-INCLUSIVE	1.000	LS
649.1100	GEOTEXTILE FOR ROADBED SEPARATOR	1,200.000	SY
651.1500	TURF ESTABLISHMENT, GENERAL SEED	1,520.000	SY
651.1600	TURF ESTABLISHMENT, SPECIALTY SEED	390.000	SY
651.4012	GRUBBING MATERIAL, 12 INCH	1,900.000	SY
653.0100	EPSC PLAN	1.000	LS
653.0200	MONITORING EPSC PLAN	16.000	HR
653.0300	MAINTENANCE OF EPSC PLAN (N.A.B.I.)	6,000.000	DL
653.2001	ROLLED EROSION CONTROL PRODUCT, TYPE I	2,380.000	SY
653.3500	STABILIZED CONSTRUCTION ENTRANCE	50.000	CY
653.4500	FILTER BAG	4.000	EACH
653.4702	SILT FENCE, TYPE II	330.000	LF
653.5000	BARRIER FENCE	1,520.000	LF
653.5500	PROJECT DEMARCATION FENCE	670.000	LF
653.6000	EROSION LOG	510.000	LF
656.1200	TUBELINGS	144.000	EACH
656.6500	LANDSCAPE WATERING	3.000	MGAL

The estimates of quantities are not guaranteed, but are given as a basis for the comparison of bids.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids, to waive any formality, and any and all technicalities in bids, and to accept such bids as may be deemed in the best interest of the awarding agency.