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 Purchasing Division
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<p>TIMBER BRIDGE TIES</p> <p>OPEN END CONTRACT</p> <p>PROVIDE THE REPLACEMENT OF TIMBER BRIDGE TIES ON VARIOUS OPEN-DECK BRIDGES ON ITS SOUTH BRANCH VALLEY RAILROAD (SBVR) FOR THE WEST VIRGINIA RAIL AUTHORITY PER THE ATTACHED SPECIFICATIONS.</p> <p>A MANDATORY PRE-BID MEETING WILL BE HELD ON 02/14/07 AT 10:00 A.M. AT THE SOUTH BRANCH VALLEY RAILROAD STORAGE YARD AT VANDERLIP ADJACENT TO THE U.S. 50 GRADE CROSSING WEST OF ROMNEY. FAILURE TO ATTEND THE THE PRE-BID CONFERENCE WILL RESULT IN BID DISQUALIFICATION.</p> <p>PREFERENCE FOR USE OF DOMESTIC STEEL PRODUCTS</p> <p>1. EXCEPT WHEN AUTHORIZED BY THE DIRECTOR OF THE PURCHASING DIVISION PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION 2 BELOW, NO CONTRACTOR MAY USE OR SUPPLY STEEL PRODUCTS FOR A STATE CONTRACT PROJECT OTHER THAN THOSE STEEL PRODUCTS MADE IN THE UNITED STATES. AS USED USED IN THIS CONTRACT,</p> <p>A. "STATE CONTRACT PROJECT" MEANS ANY ERECTION OR CONSTRUCTION OF, OR ANY ADDITION TO, ALTERATION OF OR OTHER IMPROVEMENT TO ANY BUILDING OR STRUCTURE, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, ROADS OR HIGHWAYS, OR THE INSTALLATION OF ANY HEATING OR COOLING OR VENTILATING PLANTS OR OTHER</p>						

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**GENERAL TERMS & CONDITIONS
REQUEST FOR QUOTATION (RFQ) AND REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP)**

1. Awards will be made in the best interest of the State of West Virginia.
2. The State may accept or reject in part, or in whole, any bid.
3. All quotations are governed by the *West Virginia Code* and the *Legislative Rules* of the Purchasing Division.
4. Prior to any award, the apparent successful vendor must be properly registered with the Purchasing Division and have paid the required \$125.00 registration fee.
5. All services performed or goods delivered under State Purchase Orders/Contracts are to be continued for the term of the Purchase Order/Contract, contingent upon funds being appropriated by the Legislature or otherwise being made available. In the event funds are not appropriated or otherwise available for these services or goods, this Purchase Order/Contract becomes void and of no effect after June 30.
6. Payment may only be made after the delivery and acceptance of goods or services.
7. Interest may be paid for late payment in accordance with the *West Virginia Code*.
8. Vendor preference will be granted upon written request in accordance with the *West Virginia Code*.
9. The State of West Virginia is exempt from federal and state taxes and will not pay or reimburse such taxes.
10. The Director of Purchasing may cancel any Purchase Order/Contract upon 30 days written notice to the seller.
11. The laws of the State of West Virginia and the *Legislative Rules* of the Purchasing Division shall govern all rights and duties under the Contract, including without limitation the validity of this Purchase Order/Contract.
12. Any reference to automatic renewal is hereby deleted. The Contract may be renewed only upon mutual written agreement of the parties.
13. **BANKRUPTCY:** In the event the vendor/contractor files for bankruptcy protection, this contract is automatically null and void, and is terminated without further order.
14. **HIPAA Business Associate Addendum** - The West Virginia State Government HIPAA Business Associate Addendum (BAA), approved by the Attorney General, and available online at the Purchasing Division's web site (<http://www.state.wv.us/admin/purchase/vrc/hipaa.htm>) is hereby made part of the agreement. Provided that, the Agency meets the definition of a Covered Entity (45 CFR §160.103) and will be disclosing Protected Health Information (45 CFR §160.103) to the vendor.

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

1. Use the quotation forms provided by the Purchasing Division.
2. **SPECIFICATIONS:** Items offered must be in compliance with the specifications. Any deviation from the specifications must be clearly indicated by the bidder. Alternates offered by the bidder as **EQUAL** to the specifications must be clearly defined. A bidder offering an alternate should attach complete specifications and literature to the bid. The Purchasing Division may waive minor deviations to specifications.
3. Complete all sections of the quotation form.
4. Unit prices shall prevail in cases of discrepancy.
5. All quotations are considered F.O.B. destination unless alternate shipping terms are clearly identified in the quotation.
6. **BID SUBMISSION:** All quotations must be delivered by the bidder to the office listed below prior to the date and time of the bid opening. Failure of the bidder to deliver the quotations on time will result in bid disqualifications.

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				<p>EQUIPMENT, OR THE SUPPLY OF AND MATERIALS FOR SUCH PROJECTS, PURSUANT TO A CONTRACT WITH THE STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA FOR WHICH BIDS WERE SOLICITED ON OR AFTER JUNE 6, 2001.</p> <p>B. "STEEL PRODUCTS" MEANS PRODUCTS ROLLED, FORMED SHAPED, DRAWN, EXTRUDED, FORGED, CAST, FABRICATED OR OTHERWISE SIMILARLY PROCESSED, OR PROCESSED BY A COMBINATION OF TWO OR MORE OF SUCH OPERATIONS, FROM STEEL MADE BY THE OPEN HEARTH, BASIC OXYGEN, ELECTRIC FURNACE, BESSEMER OR OTHER STEEL MAKING PROCESS.</p> <p>C. "UNITED STATES" MEANS THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND INCLUDES ALL TERRITORY, CONTINENTAL OR INSULAR, SUBJECT TO THE JURISDICTION OF THE UNITED STATES.</p> <p>2. THE DIRECTOR OF THE PURCHASING DEPARTMENT MAY, IN WRITING, AUTHORIZE THE USE OF FOREIGN STEEL PRODUCTS IF:</p> <p>A. THE COST FOR EACH CONTRACT ITEM USED DOES NOT EXCEED ONE TENTH OF ONE PERCENT (.1%) OF THE TOTAL CONTRACT COST OR TWO THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$2,500.00), WHICHEVER IS GREATER. FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION, THE COST IS THE VALUE OF THE STEEL PRODUCT AS DELIVERED TO THE PROJECT OR,</p> <p>B. THE DIRECTOR OF THE PURCHASING DIVISION DETERMINES THAT SPECIFIED STEEL MATERIALS ARE NOT PRODUCED IN THE UNITED STATES IN SUFFICIENT QUANTITY OR OTHERWISE ARE NOT REASONABLY AVAILABLE TO MEET CONTRACT REQUIREMENTS.</p>		

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<p>A CONTRACTOR WHO USES STEEL PRODUCTS IN VIOLATION OF THIS SECTION MAY BE SUBJECT TO CIVIL PENALTIES PURSUANT TO W. VA. CODE SECTION 5A-3-56.</p> <p>REV. 10/01/01 EXHIBIT 5</p> <p>NOTICE TO PROCEED: ALL WORK MUST TO BE COMPLETED BY JUNE 30, 2007.</p> <p>CANCELLATION: THE DIRECTOR OF PURCHASING RESERVES THE RIGHT TO CANCEL THIS CONTRACT IMMEDIATELY UPON WRITTEN NOTICE TO THE VENDOR IF THE MATERIALS OR WORKMANSHIP SUPPLIED ARE OF AN INFERIOR QUALITY OR DO NOT CONFORM WITH THE SPECIFICATIONS OF THE BID AND CONTRACT HERE IN.</p> <p>WAGE RATES: THE CONTRACTOR OR SUBCONTRACTOR SHALL PAY THE HIGHER OF THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR MINIMUM WAGE RATES AS ESTABLISHED FOR HAMPSHIRE COUNTY, PURSUANT TO WEST VIRGINIA CODE 21-5A, ET, SEQ. (PREVAILING WAGE RATES APPLY TO THIS PROJECT)</p> <p>ARBITRATION: ANY REFERENCES MADE TO ARBITRATION OR INTEREST FOR PAYMENTS DUE (EXCEPT FOR ANY INTEREST REQUIRED BY STATE LAW) CONTAINED IN THIS CONTRACT OR IN ANY AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS DOCUMENTS PERTAINING TO THIS CONTRACT ARE HEREBY DELETED.</p> <p>WORKERS' COMPENSATION: VENDOR IS REQUIRED TO PROVIDE A CERTIFICATE FROM WORKERS' COMPENSATION IF SUCCESSFUL.</p> <p>ALL OF THE ITEMS CHECKED BELOW WILL BE A REQUIREMENT OF THIS CONTRACT:</p> <p>(XX) INSURANCE: SUCCESSFUL VENDOR SHALL FURNISH PROOF</p>						

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	<p>OF COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY INSURANCE PRIOR TO ISSUANCE OF CONTRACT. UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED IN THE BID DOCUMENTS, THE MINIMUM AMOUNT OF INSURANCE COVERAGE REQUIRED IS \$250,000.</p> <p>() BUILDERS RISK INSURANCE: SUCCESSFUL VENDOR SHALL FURNISH PROOF OF BUILDERS RISK - ALL RISK INSURANCE IN AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO 100% OF THE AMOUNT OF THE CONTRACT.</p> <p>(XX) BONDS: FIVE PERCENT (5%) OF THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF THE BID PAYABLE TO THE STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA, SHALL BE SUBMITTED WITH EACH BID AS A BID BOND. THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER SHALL ALSO FURNISH A PERFORMANCE BOND AND LABOR/MATERIAL BOND FOR 100% OF THE AMOUNT OF THE CONTRACT. BONDS MAY BE PROVIDED IN THE FORM OF A CERTIFIED CHECK, IRREVOCABLE LETTER OF CREDIT, OR BOND FURNISHED BY A SOLVENT SURETY COMPANY AUTHORIZED TO DO BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA. A LETTER OF CREDIT SUBMITTED IN LIEU OF A PERFORMANCE AND LABOR & MATERIAL BOND WILL ONLY BE ALLOWED FOR PROJECTS UNDER \$100,000. PERSONAL OR BUSINESS CHECKS ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE IN LIEU OF THE 5% BID BOND, PERFORMANCE BOND, OR LABOR AND MATERIAL BOND.</p> <p>() MAINTENANCE BOND: A TWO (2) YEAR MAINTENANCE BOND COVERING THE ROOFING SYSTEM WILL BE A REQUIREMENT OF THE SUCCESSFUL VENDOR.</p> <p>REV. 11/00</p> <p>EXHIBIT 7</p> <p>DOMESTIC ALUMINUM, GLASS & STEEL IN PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS</p>					

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<p>IN ACCORDANCE WITH WEST VIRGINIA CODE 5-19-1 ET., SEQ., EVERY CONTRACT FOR CONSTRUCTION, RECONSTRUCTION, ALTERATION, REPAIR, IMPROVEMENT OR MAINTENANCE OF PUBLIC WORKS, WHERE THE COST IS MORE THAN \$50,000 AND, IN THE CASE OF STEEL ONLY, WHERE THE COST OF STEEL IS MORE THAN \$50,000 OR WHERE MORE THAN 10,000 POUNDS OF STEEL ARE REQUIRED, THE STATE WILL ACCEPT ONLY ALUMINUM GLASS, OR STEEL PRODUCTS PRODUCED IN THE UNITED STATES. IN ADDITION, ITEMS OF MACHINERY OR EQUIPMENT PURCHASED FOR USE AT THE SITE OF PUBLIC WORKS SHALL BE MADE OF DOMESTIC ALUMINUM, GLASS OR STEEL, UNLESS THE COST OF THE PRODUCT IS LESS THAN \$50,000 OR LESS THAN 10,000 POUNDS OF STEEL ARE USED IN PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS.</p> <p>FOREIGN MADE ALUMINUM, GLASS OR STEEL PRODUCTS MAY BE ACCEPTED ONLY IF THE COST OF DOMESTIC PRODUCTS IS FOUND TO BE UNREASONABLE. SUCH COST IS UNREASONABLE IF IT IS 20% OR MORE HIGHER THAN THE BID PRICE FOR FOREIGN MADE PRODUCTS. IF THE DOMESTIC ALUMINUM, GLASS OR STEEL PRODUCTS TO BE SUPPLIED OR PRODUCED IN A "SUBSTANTIAL LABOR SURPLUS AREA", AS DEFINED BY THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, FOREIGN PRODUCTS MAY BE SUPPLIED ONLY IF DOMESTIC PRODUCTS ARE 30% OR MORE HIGHER IN PRICE THAN THE FOREIGN MADE PRODUCTS.</p> <p>IF, PRIOR TO THE AWARD OF A CONTRACT UNDER THE ABOVE PROVISIONS, THE SPENDING OFFICER OF THE SPENDING UNIT DETERMINES THAT THERE EXISTS A BID FOR LIKE FOREIGN ALUMINUM, GLASS OR STEEL THAT IS REASONABLE AND LOWER THAN THE LOWEST BID DOMESTIC PRODUCTS, THE SPENDING OFFICE MAY REQUEST, IN WRITING, A REEVALUATION AND REDUCTION IN THE LOWEST BID FOR SUCH DOMESTIC PRODUCTS. ALL VENDORS MUST INDICATE IN THEIR BID IF THEY ARE SUPPLYING FOREIGN ALUMINUM, GLASS OR STEEL.</p> <p>REV. 3/88</p>						

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<p>EXHIBIT 9</p> <p>NOTICE FOR ISSUANCE & ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF CONSTRUCTION PROJECT ADDENDA</p> <p>THE ARCHITECT/ENGINEER AND/OR AGENCY SHALL BE REQUIRED TO ABIDE BY THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE IN ISSUING CONSTRUCTION PROJECT ADDENDA FOR STATE AGENCIES:</p> <p>(1) THE ARCHITECT/ENGINEER SHALL PREPARE THE ADDENDUM AND A LIST OF ALL PARTIES THAT HAVE PROCURED DRAWINGS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE PROJECT. THE ADDENDUM AND LIST SHALL BE FORWARDED TO THE BUYER IN THE STATE PURCHASING DIVISION. THE ARCHITECT/ENGINEER SHALL ALSO SEND A COPY OF THE ADDENDUM TO THE STATE AGENCY FOR WHICH THE CONTRACT IS ISSUED.</p> <p>(2) THE BUYER SHALL SEND THE ADDENDUM TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND, IF NECESSARY, EXTEND THE BID OPENING DATE. ANY ADDENDUM SHOULD BE RECEIVED BY THE BUYER WITHIN FOURTEEN (14) DAYS PRIOR TO THE BID OPENING DATE.</p> <p>(3) ALL ADDENDA SHOULD BE FORMALLY ACKNOWLEDGED BY ALL BIDDERS AND SUBMITTED TO THE STATE PURCHASING DIVISION. THE SAME RULES AND REGULATIONS THAT APPLY TO THE ORIGINAL BIDDING DOCUMENT SHALL ALSO APPLY TO AN ADDENDUM DOCUMENT. THE ONLY EXCEPTION MAY BE FOR AN ADDENDUM THAT IS ISSUED FOR THE SOLE PURPOSE OF CHANGING A BID OPENING TIME AND/OR DATE.</p> <p>REV. 11/96</p>						

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EXHIBIT 10						
ADDENDUM ACKNOWLEDGEMENT						
I HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF THE FOLLOWING CHECKED ADDENDUM(S) AND HAVE MADE THE NECESSARY REVISIONS TO MY PROPOSAL, PLANS AND/OR SPECIFICATION, ETC.						
ADDENDUM NOS.:						
NO. 1						
NO. 2						
NO. 3						
NO. 4						
NO. 5						
I UNDERSTAND THAT FAILURE TO CONFIRM THE RECEIPT OF THE ADDENDUM(S) MAY BE CAUSE FOR REJECTION OF THE BIDS.						
.....SIGNATURE						
.....COMPANY						
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<p>WEST VIRGINIA STATE CODE 21-11-2 REQUIRES THAT ALL PERSONS DESIRING TO PERFORM CONTRACTING WORK IN THIS STATE MUST BE LICENSED. THE WEST VIRGINIA CONTRACTORS LICENSING BOARD IS EMPOWERED TO ISSUE THE CONTRACTORS LICENSE. APPLICATIONS FOR A CONTRACTORS LICENSE MAY BE MADE BY CONTACTING THE WEST VIRGINIA DIVISION OF LABOR CAPITOL COMPLEX, BUILDING 3, ROOM 319, CHARLESTON, WV 25305. TELEPHONE: (304) 558-7890.</p> <p>WEST VIRGINIA STATE CODE 21-11-11 REQUIRES ANY PROSPECTIVE BIDDER TO INCLUDE THE CONTRACTORS LICENSE NUMBER ON THEIR BID.</p> <p>BIDDER TO COMPLETE:</p> <p>CONTRACTORS NAME:</p> <p>CONTRACTORS LICENSE NO.:</p> <p>THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER WILL BE REQUIRED TO FURNISH A COPY OF THEIR CONTRACTORS LICENSE PRIOR TO ISSUANCE OF A PURCHASE ORDER/CONTRACT</p> <p style="text-align: center;">APPLICABLE LAW</p> <p>THE WEST VIRGINIA STATE CODE, PURCHASING DIVISION RULES AND REGULATIONS, AND THE INFORMATION PROVIDED IN THE "REQUEST FOR QUOTATION" ISSUED BY THE PURCHASING DIVISION IS THE SOLE AUTHORITY GOVERNING THIS PROCUREMENT.</p> <p>ANY INFORMATION PROVIDED IN SPECIFICATION MANUALS, OR ANY OTHER SOURCE, VERBAL OR WRITTEN, WHICH CONTRADICTS OR ALTERS THE INFORMATION PROVIDED FROM THE SOURCES AS DESCRIBED IN THE ABOVE PARAGRAPH IS VOID AND OF NO EFFECT.</p>						

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<p>BANKRUPTCY: IN THE EVENT THE VENDOR/CONTRACTOR FILES FOR BANKRUPTCY PROTECTION, THIS CONTRACT IS AUTOMATICALLY NULL AND VOID, AND IS TERMINATED WITHOUT FURTHER ORDER.</p> <p>REV. 1/2005</p> <p style="text-align: center;">NOTICE</p> <p>A SIGNED BID MUST BE SUBMITTED TO:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION PURCHASING DIVISION BUILDING 15 2019 WASHINGTON STREET, EAST CHARLESTON, WV 25305-0130</p> <p>THE BID SHOULD CONTAIN THIS INFORMATION ON THE FACE OF THE ENVELOPE OR THE BID MAY NOT BE CONSIDERED:</p> <p>SEALED BID</p> <p>BUYER: 43</p> <p>REQ. NO.: RMA70025</p> <p>BID OPENING DATE: 02/28/2007</p> <p>BID OPENING TIME: 1:30 P.M.</p> <p>PLEASE PROVIDE A FAX NUMBER IN CASE IT IS NECESSARY TO CONTACT YOU REGARDING YOUR BID:</p>						

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Description

There are approximately 2,000 timber bridge ties that need to be replaced on four bridges. Approximately 1,700 ties need to be dapped to sit on steel girders or beams and 300 sit on timber stringers.

Bridge ties shall be new 8"x 8"x 10' Grade 1 Southern Yellow Pine, dense structural 65, creosote pressure-treated to 10# retention or refusal. For steel girder or beam spans, they shall be dapped a maximum width of ½" more than the width of the steel stringers and not more than ½" in depth. Every third tie shall be anchored to the top of the girder flanges with new, galvanized ¾" hook bolts, nuts and washers. On timber spans, every third tie will be fastened to each stringer chord with a ¾"x 10" washer head drive spike. No more than three consecutive ties shall be removed from beneath welded rail.

Timber outer guard rails shall be 4"x 8"x 10'-0" Southern Yellow Pine creosote pressure treated to 12# or refusal. The guard rails shall be placed with the inside edge 48 ½" from the centerline of the track. The timbers shall be anchored to each tie with ¾"x 10" washer head drive spikes. The ¾" holes for the drive spikes shall be drilled through the guard rails only and the holes placed in alternate patterns over each tie, three inches (3") inside the edge of the timber. At the ends of each span, the outer guard rail shall end on the last tie in the span to allow structure expansion and shall not be connected to the backwall or approach tie. Guard rails shall be notched in the field as necessary to clear heads of the hook bolts.

Existing tie plates will be re-used with ¼" thick solid neoprene (no fabric) tie pads placed between the tie plates and bridge ties.

Rails will be spiked to the ties with new, 6" cut spikes per AREMA specifications. They will be spiked to 56 ½" gage and there will be no deviations from tangent in alinement.

Approximately 2,400 track feet of welded rail will be de-stressed across Bridges 9.7 and 10.0.

Conduct of Work

The SBVR normally operates freight trains Monday through Friday. These trains will be rescheduled during this project to provide the contractor with an eight-hour window between 10:00 AM and 6:00 PM without train traffic. Freight trains do not normally operate on the weekends. This provides the opportunity to work without interruption or

having to clear up at the end of each day. An excursion train operated by an outside party begins its season in May. The 2006 schedule is attached to this RFQ and the 2007 schedule is expected to be similar. The contractor must not interfere with the excursion train operation. A motorcar excursion will also operate over the entire railroad on Saturday, May 5, 2007.

Track will be made safe for train operations at the end of each work day. Work will be subject to inspection by the SBVR.

Contractor will be responsible for clean up of the work site. All debris and refuse will be removed from the site and disposed of properly. This includes old bridge ties removed during this project. Old spikes will be placed in piles along the right-of-way and will remain the property of SBVR.

The contractor will comply with all safety rules and regulations as required by the Federal Railroad Administration, SBVR and other parties as applicable. An SBVR employee will obtain the necessary work authorities and provide radio communication with the SBVR office.

Materials and equipment can be stored at Grace Cabin (MP 8.7) and Vanderlip (MP 16.9). Each location has a double-ended side track for on-track equipment and easy vehicular access.

Contractor will use Heavy and Highway Construction Rates as established for Hampshire County. These rates are pursuant to WV Code 21-5A, et, seq. and are available at www.wvsos.com/adlaw/wagerates/heavyhighway06.htm. Contractor will be responsible for submitting certified payrolls to the SRA.

Completion Date

All work must be completed by June 30, 2007. The cost to the SBVR for the administration of the contract as well as for train delays that will be incurred after that date make it necessary for the agency to assess liquidated damages against the contractor for each calendar day any work remains uncompleted after that date. The charge will be \$500.00 per day.

Bidding Requirements

Contractor MUST have previous experience in the replacement of bridge ties as described in this project.

A mandatory prebid meeting will be held on February 14, 2007 at 10:00 am at the SBVR material storage yard at Vanderlip adjacent to the U.S. 50 grade crossing west of Romney. Contractors wishing to attend must inform Michael Austin by fax at 304-558-4115 or via

e-mail at maustin@wvadmin.gov by February 9, 2007. Questions prior to the prebid inspection must be submitted in writing to Michael Austin at the above fax/e-mail and will be addressed at the meeting.

The quantities in the RFQ are for estimating purposes only. The actual scope of work will be issued to the contractor on a written state contract order (WV-39). The awarded unit price will be used to determine the cost of the actual scope of work authorized.

For bidding purposes, contractor is to give a unit cost for each item listed below. Low bid will be the lowest total amount for all unit costs multiplied by the estimated quantities as listed below:

De-stressing of Welded Rail

Est. quantity 2,400 track feet x unit cost \$ _____ per track foot = \$ _____

Tie Replacement (Dapped)

Estimated quantity 1,700 ties x unit cost \$ _____ per tie = \$ _____

Tie Replacement (Not Dapped)

Estimated quantity 300 ties x unit cost \$ _____ per tie = \$ _____

Tie Pads

Estimated quantity 4,000 pads x unit cost \$ _____ per pad = \$ _____

Timber Guard Rail – 4"x 8"x 10'

Estimated quantity 468 pieces x unit cost \$ _____ per piece = \$ _____

Tie Anchors – ¾" hook bolts, nuts and washers

Estimated quantity 1,133 pieces x unit cost \$ _____ per piece = \$ _____

Drive Spikes – ¾" x 10" washer head

Estimated quantity 4,200 pieces x unit cost \$ _____ per piece = \$ _____

Mobilization

Estimated quantity one trip x unit cost \$ _____ per trip = \$ _____

TOTAL COST OF ESTIMATED AMOUNTS: \$ _____



2006 EXCURSIONS

May thru September - SATURDAY 3-1/2 HOUR TRIPS

Depart Romney, WV - 11:30AM

May 20 • June 3, 10, 17 • July 1, 8, 15, 22 • August 5, 12, 19 • September 2, 9, 16, 23

May thru September - SUNDAY 3-1/2 HOUR TRIPS

Depart Romney, WV - 1PM

May 14, 28 • June 18 • July 30 • September 3

October 1st thru 27 - OCTOBER FALL FOLIAGE TRIPS - 3-1/2 Hours

Depart Romney, WV

MONDAY THRU FRIDAY - *Depart 11:30AM*

SATURDAYS - October 7, 14, 21 - *Depart 10AM and 2PM*

SUNDAYS - October 1, 8, 15, 22 - *Depart 1PM*

SPECIAL EVENTS

ALL-DAY TRIPS - May 27, June 24, July 29, Aug. 26, Sept. 30

Depart Saturdays, 9AM - Romney, WV

FIREWORKS SPECIAL - July 1 - *Depart Moorefield, WV - 6:30pm*

PETERSBURG RAILROAD SHOW - Aug. 26 & 27 - *Depart Romney, WV - 9AM*

HARDY HERITAGE DAYS AND HISTORIC HOMES TOUR - Sept. 23

Depart Romney, WV, 9AM

PHOTO SPECIAL - Oct. 28 & 29 - *Depart Romney, WV - 9AM*

GREEN SPRING LUNCHEON TRAIN - Nov. 4 - *Depart Moorefield, WV - 10AM*

TROUGH TRIP (3-1/2 Hr.) - Nov. 5 - *Depart Romney, WV - 1PM*

SPECIAL PHOTO WEEKEND with WESTERN MARYLAND SCENIC RR - Nov. 10-12

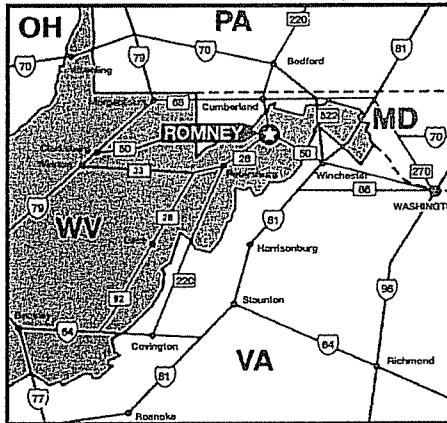
Ticket Prices

	3-1/2Hour Trips	All Day Trips
Coach Fares:		
Adult	\$30	\$50
Child (6-16)	\$10	\$20
Child Under 6	Free with adult	
First Class Fares:		
All tickets	\$60	\$100

TICKETS ARE TRANSFERRABLE, BUT NON-REFUNDABLE

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The Potomac Eagle and/or sponsor reserves the right to cancel an excursion without notice, with the sponsor's liability being limited to the amount actually paid for the activity. The sponsor also reserves the right to change the route, equipment, motive power, departure

point, transportation mode and schedules without notice.

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A F F I D A V I T

West Virginia Code §5A-3-10a states:

No contract or renewal of any contract may be awarded by the state or any of its political subdivisions to any vendor or prospective vendor when the vendor or prospective vendor or a related party to the vendor or prospective vendor is a debtor and the debt owned is an amount greater than one thousand dollars in the aggregate

DEFINITIONS:

"Debt" means any assessment, premium, penalty, fine, tax or other amount of money owed to the state or any of its political subdivisions because of a judgment, fine, permit violation, license assessment, defaulted workers' compensation premium, penalty or other assessment presently delinquent or due and required to be paid to the state or any of its political subdivisions, including any interest or additional penalties accrued thereon.

"Debtor" means any individual, corporation, partnership, association, limited liability company or any other form or business association owing a debt to the state or any of its political subdivisions. "Political subdivision" means any county commission; municipality; county board of education; any instrumentality established by a county or municipality; any separate corporation or instrumentality established by one or more counties or municipalities, as permitted by law; or any public body charged by law with the performance of a government function or whose jurisdiction is coextensive with one or more counties or municipalities. "Related party" means a party, whether an individual, corporation, partnership, association, limited liability company or any other form or business association or other entity whatsoever, related to any vendor by blood, marriage, ownership or contract through which the party has a relationship of ownership or other interest with the vendor so that the party will actually or by effect receive or control a portion of the benefit, profit or other consideration from performance of a vendor contract with the party receiving an amount that meets or exceed five percent of the total contract amount.

EXCEPTION:

The prohibition of this section does not apply where a vendor has contested any tax administered pursuant to chapter eleven of this code, workers' compensation premium, permit fee or environmental fee or assessment and the matter has not become final or where the vendor has entered into a payment plan or agreement and the vendor is not in default of any of the provisions of such plan or agreement.

LICENSING:

Vendors must be licensed and in good standing in accordance with any and all state and local laws and requirements by any state or local agency of West Virginia, including, but not limited to, the West Virginia Secretary of State's Office, the West Virginia Tax Department, West Virginia Insurance Commission, or any other state agencies or political subdivision. Furthermore, the vendor must provide all necessary releases to obtain information to enable the Director or spending unit to verify that the vendor is licensed and in good standing with the above entities.

CONFIDENTIALITY:

The vendor agrees that he or she will not disclose to anyone, directly or indirectly, any such personally identifiable information or other confidential information gained from the agency, unless the individual who is the subject of the information consents to the disclosure in writing or the disclosure is made pursuant to the agency's policies, procedures and rules. Vendors should visit www.state.wv.us/admin/purchase/privacy for the Notice of Agency Confidentiality Policies.

Under penalty of law for false swearing (West Virginia Code, §61-5-3), it is hereby certified that the vendor acknowledges the information in this said affidavit and are in compliance with the requirements as stated.

Vendor's Name: _____

Authorized Signature: _____ Date: _____