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 Purchasing Division
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| <p>THE WEST VIRGINIA PURCHASING DIVISION FOR THE AGENCY</p> <p>THE WEST VIRGINIA STATE RAIL AUTHORITY, IS SOLICITING BIDS FOR CROSSTIE AND SWITCH TIE REPLACEMENT, SURFACING AND BALLAST REGULATING ON THE SOUTH BRANCH VALLEY RAILROAD (SBVR) PER THE ATTACHED SPECIFICATIONS.</p> <p>MANDATORY PRE-BID</p> <p>A MANDATORY PRE-BID WILL BE HELD ON 06/17/11 AT 10:00 AM AT 120 WATER PLANT DRIVE, MOOREFIELD, WV 26836. ALL INTERESTED PARTIES ARE REQUIRED TO ATTEND THIS MEETING. FAILURE TO ATTEND THE MANDATORY PRE-BID SHALL RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION OF THE BID. NO ONE PERSON MAY REPRESENT MORE THAN ONE BIDDER.</p> <p>AN ATTENDANCE SHEET WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE FOR ALL POTENTIAL BIDDERS TO COMPLETE. THIS WILL SERVE AS THE OFFICIAL DOCUMENT VERIFYING ATTENDANCE AT THE MANDATORY PRE-BID. FAILURE TO PROVIDE YOUR COMPANY AND REPRESENTATIVE NAME ON THE ATTENDANCE SHEET WILL RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION OF THE BID. THE STATE WILL NOT ACCEPT ANY OTHER DOCUMENTATION TO VERIFY ATTENDANCE. THE BIDDER IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ENSURING THEY HAVE COMPLETED THE INFORMATION REQUIRED ON THE ATTENDANCE SHEET. THE PURCHASING DIVISION AND THE STATE AGENCY WILL NOT ASSUME ANY RESPONSIBILITY FOR A BIDDER'S FAILURE TO COMPLETE THE PRE-BID ATTENDANCE SHEET. IN ADDITION, WE REQUEST THAT ALL POTENTIAL BIDDERS INCLUDE THEIR E-MAIL ADDRESS AND FAX NUMBER.</p> <p>ALL POTENTIAL BIDDERS ARE REQUESTED TO ARRIVE PRIOR TO</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. Prior to any award, the apparent successful vendor must be properly registered with the Purchasing Division and have paid the required \$125 fee.
4. All services performed or goods delivered under State Purchase Order/Contracts are to be continued for the term of the Purchase Order/Contracts, 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.
5. Payment may only be made after the delivery and acceptance of goods or services.
6. Interest may be paid for late payment in accordance with the *West Virginia Code*.
7. Vendor preference will be granted upon written request in accordance with the *West Virginia Code*.
8. The State of West Virginia is exempt from federal and state taxes and will not pay or reimburse such taxes.
9. The Director of Purchasing may cancel any Purchase Order/Contract upon 30 days written notice to the seller.
10. The laws of the State of West Virginia and the *Legislative Rules* of the Purchasing Division shall govern the purchasing process.
11. Any reference to automatic renewal is hereby deleted. The Contract may be renewed only upon mutual written agreement of the parties.
12. **BANKRUPTCY:** In the event the vendor/contractor files for bankruptcy protection, the State may deem this contract null and void, and terminate such contract without further order.
13. **HIPAA BUSINESS ASSOCIATE ADDENDUM:** The West Virginia State Government HIPAA Business Associate Addendum (BAA), approved by the Attorney General, is available online at www.state.wv.us/admin/purchase/vrc/hipaa.htm and is hereby made part of the agreement. Provided that the Agency meets the definition of a Cover Entity (45 CFR §160.103) and will be disclosing Protected Health Information (45 CFR §160.103) to the vendor.
14. **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. Vendor further agrees to comply with the Confidentiality Policies and Information Security Accountability Requirements, set forth in <http://www.state.wv.us/admin/purchase/privacy/noticeConfidentiality.pdf>.
15. **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, and the West Virginia Insurance Commission. 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.
16. **ANTITRUST:** In submitting a bid to any agency for the State of West Virginia, the bidder offers and agrees that if the bid is accepted the bidder will convey, sell, assign or transfer to the State of West Virginia all rights, title and interest in and to all causes of action it may now or hereafter acquire under the antitrust laws of the United States and the State of West Virginia for price fixing and/or unreasonable restraints of trade relating to the particular commodities or services purchased or acquired by the State of West Virginia. Such assignment shall be made and become effective at the time the purchasing agency tenders the initial payment to the bidder.

I certify that this bid is made without prior understanding, agreement, or connection with any corporation, firm, limited liability company, partnership, or person or entity submitting a bid for the same material, supplies, equipment or services and is in all respects fair and without collusion or Fraud. I further certify that I am authorized to sign the certification on behalf of the bidder or this bid.

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

1. Use the quotation forms provided by the Purchasing Division. Complete all sections of the quotation form.
2. 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. Unit prices shall prevail in case of discrepancy. All quotations are considered F.O.B. destination unless alternate shipping terms are clearly identified in the quotation.
4. 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: Department of Administration, Purchasing Division, 2019 Washington Street East, P.O. Box 50130, Charleston, WV 25305-0130
5. Communication during the solicitation, bid, evaluation or award periods, except through the Purchasing Division, is strictly prohibited (W.Va. C.S.R. §148-1-6.6).



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| <p>THE STARTING TIME FOR THE PRE-BID. BIDDERS WHO ARRIVE LATE, BUT PRIOR TO THE DISMISSAL OF THE TECHNICAL PORTION OF THE PRE-BID WILL BE PERMITTED TO SIGN IN. BIDDERS WHO ARRIVE AFTER CONCLUSION OF THE TECHNICAL PORTION OF THE PRE-BID, BUT DURING ANY SUBSEQUENT PART OF THE PRE-BID WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO SIGN THE ATTENDANCE SHEET.</p> <p>ALL TECHNICAL QUESTIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED IN WRITING TO FRANK WHITTAKER IN THE WV PURCHASING DIVISION VIA EMAIL AT FRANK.M.WHITTAKER@WV.GOV OR VIA FAX AT 304-558-4115. DEADLINE FOR TECHNICAL QUESTIONS IS 06//22/2011 AT 4:00 PM. ALL TECHNICAL QUESTIONS WILL BE ADDRESSED BY ADDENDUM AFTER THE DEADLINE.</p> <p>INFORMATION ISSUED IN WRITING AND ADDED TO THE EXHIBIT 5</p> <p>WEST VIRGINIA CODE 21-1D-5 PROVIDES THAT: ANY SOLICITATION FOR A PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT REQUIRES EACH VENDOR THAT SUBMITS A BID FOR THE WORK TO SUBMIT AT THE SAME TIME AN AFFIDAVIT OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE BID. THE ENCLOSED DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE AFFIDAVIT MUST BE SIGNED AND SUBMITTED WITH THE BID AS EVIDENCE OF THE VENDOR'S COMPLIANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 1D, CHAPTER 21 OF THE WEST VIRGINIA CODE. FAILURE TO SUBMIT THE SIGNED DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE AFFIDAVIT WITH THE BID SHALL RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION OF SUCH BID.</p> <p>NOTICE TO PROCEED: THIS CONTRACT IS TO BE PERFORMED BY 06/30/2012. THE AGENCY WILL ISSUE THE NOTICE TO PROCEED IN WRITING.</p> <p>CANCELLATION: THE DIRECTOR OF PURCHASING RESERVES THE RIGHT TO CANCEL THIS CONTRACT IMMEDIATELY UPON WRITTEN</p> | | | | | | |

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| <p>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 GRANT & HARDY COUNTIES, 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 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</p> | | | | | | |

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| | | | | <p>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 BOND WILL ONLY BE ALLOWED FOR PROJECTS UNDER \$100,000. PERSONAL OR BUSINESS CHECKS ARE NOT ACCEPCTABLE IN LIEU OF THE 5% BID BOND, PERFORMANCE BOND, OR LABOR AND MATERIAL BOND.</p> <p>() MAINTENANCE BOND: A TWO (2) YEAR MAINTENANCE BON 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> <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 ALUMINU 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> | | |

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| <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> <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</p> | | | | | | |

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| <p>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> <p>EXHIBIT 10</p> <p>ADDENDUM ACKNOWLEDGEMENT</p> <p>I HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF THE FOLLOWING CHECKED ADDENDUM(S) AND HAVE MADE THE NECESSARY REVISIONS TO MY PROPOSAL, PLANS AND/OR SPECIFICATION, ETC.</p> <p>ADDENDUM NOS.:</p> <p>NO. 1</p> | | | | | | |

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| <p>I UNDERSTAND THAT FAILURE TO CONFIRM THE RECEIPT OF THE ADDENDUM(S) MAY BE CAUSE FOR REJECTION OF THE BIDS.</p> <p>VENDOR MUST CLEARLY UNDERSTAND THAT ANY VERBAL REPRESENTATION MADE OR ASSUMED TO BE MADE DURING ANY ORAL DISCUSSION HELD BETWEEN VENDOR'S REPRESENTATIVES AND ANY STATE PERSONNEL IS NOT BINDING. ONLY THE SPECIFICATIONS BY AN OFFICIAL ADDENDUM IS BINDING.</p> <p>.....SIGNATURE</p> <p>.....COMPANY</p> <p>.....DATE</p> <p>REV. 11/96</p> <p>CONTRACTORS LICENSE</p> <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</p> | | | | | | |

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| <p>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>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> <p>BANKRUPTCY: IN THE EVENT THE VENDOR/CONTRACTOR FILES FOR BANKRUPTCY PROTECTION, THE STATE MAY DEEM THE CONTRACT NULL AND VOID, AND TERMINATE SUCH CONTRACT WITHOUT FURTHER ORDER.</p> <p>REV. 5/2009</p> | | | | | | |

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State of West Virginia
 Department of Administration
 Purchasing Division
 2019 Washington Street East
 Post Office Box 50130
 Charleston, WV 25305-0130

Request for Quotation

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| ADDRESS CORRESPONDENCE TO ATTENTION OF |
| FRANK WHITTAKER 304-558-2316 |

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VENDOR

SHIP TO

WV STATE RAIL AUTHORITY
 (DBA) SOUTH BRANCH VALLEY
 RAILROAD
 120 WATER PLANT DRIVE
 MOOREFIELD, WV
 26836 304-538-2305

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BID OPENING DATE: **07/13/2011** BID OPENING TIME **01:30PM**

| LINE | QUANTITY | UOP | CAT. NO. | ITEM NUMBER | UNIT PRICE | AMOUNT |
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| <p>NOTICE</p> <p>A SIGNED BID MUST BE SUBMITTED TO:</p> <p>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: 44</p> <p>REQ. NO.: RMA11027</p> <p>BID OPENING DATE: 07/13/2011</p> <p>BID OPENING TIME: 1:30 PM</p> <p>PLEASE PROVIDE A FAX NUMBER IN CASE IT IS NECESSARY TO CONTACT YOU REGARDING YOUR BID:</p> <p>-----</p> <p>PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF PERSON TO CONTACT CONCERNING THIS QUOTE:</p> <p>-----</p> | | | | | | |

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REQUEST FOR QUOTATION

The West Virginia Purchasing Division for the agency, The West Virginia State Rail Authority, is soliciting bids for crosstie and switch tie replacement, surfacing and ballast regulating on the South Branch Valley Railroad (SBVR).

Description of Work

Replace 9,600 crossties between MP 32 and MP 52. The distribution of ties to be replaced is shown in Attachment A.

Replace all switch ties in the north switch of the Stockyard runaround.

1. Tie Replacement

- a. Ties will be handled carefully to avoid damage in accordance with AREMA specifications.
- b. The contractor will replace only those ties marked for replacement by SBVR.
- c. The contractor will remove and properly dispose of old ties. Ties must be stacked clear of tracks and must not be stacked on property other than SBVR right-of-way without the property owner's permission.

2. Spiking of Ties

- a. New ties will be spiked to a gage of 56 ½ inches, plus or minus ¼ inch. Additional ties will be plugged and respiked to correct gage to ensure there is no abrupt change in gage where ties are replaced. It is estimated that 20 percent of the ties replaced will require adjacent ties to be respiked to proper gage.
- b. All ties replaced or respiked will have new ties. Old spikes will not be reused. Spikes shall be started and driven vertically and square with the rail. They shall have full bearing against the side of the rail base. Spikes shall not be overdriven. Spiking patterns are shown in Attachment B. The correct spiking pattern will be used on all new ties and any adjacent ties that are respiked to correct gage. Approximately 40 percent of the ties to be replaced are in curves.

3. Rail Anchors

- a. All rail anchors will be reapplied in their existing location and properly fitted against ties.

4. Tamping

- a. Tie gang will tamp all newly inserted ties as they are replaced in the track and ballast will be replaced at ends of ties.

5. Final Surfacing, Alinement and Ballast Regulation

- a. Contractor will use a Jackson 6700, Mark IV or equivalent tamper to restore proper surface to the entire track and establish best fit for curves including appropriate spirals. Surfacing will taper into bridges and public grade crossings. Private crossings will be raised and replaced.
- b. A minimum of two insertions will be made for each tie.
- c. SBVR will provide information on superelevation of curves.
- d. When surfacing a turnout, tamping will continue for a distance of at least 100 feet into the side track to ensure uniform surface through the turnout.
- e. A ballast regulator will follow the tamper to regulate ballast and reshape shoulders. Contractor will place any additional ballast where it may be needed after surfacing. All curves with welded rail will have a ballast shoulder of at least 12 inches on the outside of the curve.
- f. The contractor is responsible for repair of any damage done to grade crossing signal systems. Repairs must be done that same day.

6. Bolt Tightening

- a. There are 12.2 track miles with jointed rail in the project area. Bolts must be tightened in these jointed sections after final surfacing.

Conduct of Work

The SBVR typically operates freight trains between Moorefield and Petersburg twice a week. These trains will be operated so as to minimize any interruption to the contractor. Freight trains operate between MP 32 and Moorefield Monday through Friday. These trains will be rescheduled during this project to provide the contractor with a ten-hour window during daylight hours without train traffic. The SBVR reserves the right to run at any time should an emergency situation develop. Excursion trains are operated on the schedule shown in Attachment C. This schedule cannot be altered and the contractor must not interfere with their operation. The contractor is free to work over weekends as long as this work does not interfere with the excursion trains or any freight trains that may need to run on the weekend.

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

There will be a mandatory pre-construction meeting held with the successful contractor prior to the start of work. This meeting will be with SRA and SBVR employees and the contractor's project manager. The purpose of this meeting is to ensure that everyone understands the entire scope of work as outlined in the awarded purchase order.

A weekly status report must be submitted to the SRA. This report will be signed by the contractor and railroad representative and will list the work completed for the week. A final inspection of all completed work will be conducted by the contractor, SRA and SBVR to assure that all work is completed as stated in the specifications. Final payment will be withheld until this inspection is complete.

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.

The contractor is responsible for clean-up of the work site. All debris and refuse will be removed from SBVR property and disposed of properly.

On-track machinery and equipment can be stored on side tracks at Petersburg, Durgon and Moorefield. There is vehicular access to each of these locations.

The SBVR can provide a work train for the contractor. The cost is \$200 per day for the locomotive and \$20 per hour for the engineer. Two flat cars and two ballast cars are available at no charge. Work trains must be scheduled Monday through Friday and are subject to availability of the engineer and equipment. The contractor must outline the plan for work train use at the beginning of the project.

Contractor will use Heavy and Highway Construction Rates as established for Grant and Hardy Counties. These rates are pursuant to WV Code 21-5A, et, seq. and are available at www.wvsos.com/adlaw/wagerates. The counties meet at MP 48.4 with Hardy to the north and Grant to the south. Contractor will be responsible for submitting certified payrolls to the SRA.

Materials

Contractor will provide new ties, tie plugs and spikes and will transport them to the work site. Ties will be new 7"X 9"X 8'6" industrial grade ties. The specifications set forth in Chapter 3 of the AREMA specifications will govern. The ties will be 100% end-plated, mixed hardwoods and oak, creosote pressure treated to 7# retention or refusal.

Contractor will provide one complete set of switch ties for a #10 turnout per AREMA specifications. These ties are to be 100% end-plated, mixed hardwoods and oak, creosote pressure treated to 7# retention or refusal.

Contractor will provide treated tie plugs and 6" cut track spikes per AREMA specifications. Tie plates will be provided by the SBVR where existing tie plates are defective or missing.

SBVR will provide any additional ballast that is needed. It is stockpiled at the Moorefield office.

Materials can be delivered to the SBVR Moorefield office/shop. The contractor will be responsible for getting materials to the work site.

Old spikes removed as part of the tie replacement will remain the property of the SBVR. They will be gathered and brought to the designated location in Moorefield.

Ties To Be Replaced on SBVR in 2011

Attachment A

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| MP 32 - MP 33 | 310 |
| MP 33 - MP 34 | 275 |
| MP 34 - MP 35 | 431 |
| MP 35 - MP 36 | 430 |
| MP 36 - MP 37 | 557 |
| MP 37 - MP 38 | 576 |
| MP 38 - MP 39 | 461 |
| MP 39 - MP 40 | 272 |
| MP 40 - MP 41 | 352 |
| MP 41 - MP 42 | 178 |
| MP 42 - MP 43 | 279 |
| MP 43 - MP 44 | 337 |
| MP 44 - MP 45 | 804 |
| MP 45 - MP 46 | 723 |
| MP 46 - MP 47 | 931 |
| MP 47 - MP 48 | 588 |
| MP 48 - MP 49 | 828 |
| MP 49 - MP 50 | 361 |
| MP 50 - MP 51 | 641 |
| MP 51 - MP 52 | 266 |

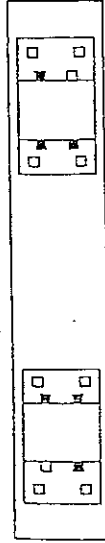
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Attachment B

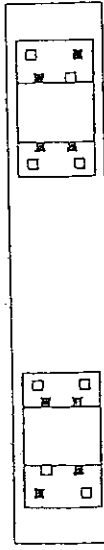
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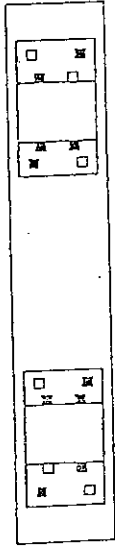
SPIKING PATTERN "B"



SPIKING PATTERN "C"



SPIKING PATTERN "D"



■ - TRACK SPIKE

MAIN TRACK - A TRACK, OTHER THAN AN AUXILIARY TRACK, EXTENDING THROUGH YARDS AND BETWEEN STATIONS, UPON WHICH TRAINS ARE OPERATED IN CONFORMANCE WITH RULES OR SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS.

SIDING - AN AUXILIARY TRACK DESIGNATED IN SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE MEETING OR PASSING OF TRAINS.

SIDE TRACK - AN AUXILIARY TRACK FOR PURPOSES OTHER THAN MEETING OR PASSING TRAINS.

| TRACK TYPE, TRACK ALIGNMENT, AND SPEED AUTHORIZED | SPIKES PER TIE PLATE | SPIKING PATTERN |
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| MAIN TRACKS AND SIDINGS | | |
| TANGENTS AND CURVES LESS THAN 2 DEGREE WITH SPEED UP TO 45 MPH | 2 | A |
| TANGENTS AND CURVES LESS THAN 2 DEGREE WITH SPEED GREATER THAN 45 MPH | 3 | B |
| CURVES 2 DEGREE AND OVER BUT LESS THAN 6 DEGREE | 4 | C |
| CURVES OVER 6 DEGREE | 5 | D |
| SIDE TRACKS - SPEEDS UP TO 25 MPH | | |
| TANGENTS AND CURVES LESS THAN 6 DEGREE | 2 | A |
| CURVES 6 DEGREE AND OVER BUT LESS THAN 12 DEGREE | 3 | B |
| CURVES OVER 12 DEGREE | 4 | C |
| SIDE TRACKS - SPEEDS GREATER THAN 25 MPH | | |
| TANGENTS AND CURVES LESS THAN 2 DEGREE | 2 | A |
| CURVES 2 DEGREE AND OVER BUT LESS THAN 4 DEGREE | 3 | B |
| CURVES OVER 4 DEGREE | 4 | C |

MAIN TRACK SPIKING PATTERNS
SIDE TRACK SPIKING PATTERNS

Excursions Operating Through Limits Of SBVR Tie Project

Attachment C

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| Monday, 7/4/11 | Fireworks Train running between Moorefield and Sector |
| Saturday, 7/9/11 | Dinner Train running between Petersburg and Moorefield |
| Saturday, 8/13/11 | Motorcar excursion running Petersburg to Green Spring and return |
| Saturday, 9/24/11 | Heritage Days trains running between Moorefield and Sector |
| Sunday, 9/25/11 | Heritage Days trains running between Moorefield and Sector |
| Saturday, 10/15/11 | Dinner Train running between Petersburg and Moorefield |
| Saturday, 11/5/11 | Excursion train running Romney to Petersburg and return |
| Saturday, 11/12/11 | Excursion train running entire railroad |
| Friday, 11/25/11 | Christmas trains running between Moorefield and Petersburg |
| Saturday, 11/26/11 | Christmas trains running between Moorefield and Petersburg |
| Friday, 12/2/11 | Christmas trains running between Moorefield and Petersburg |
| Saturday, 12/3/11 | Christmas trains running between Moorefield and Petersburg |
| Friday, 12/9/11 | Christmas trains running between Petersburg and MP 48 |
| Saturday, 12/10/11 | Christmas trains running between Petersburg and MP 48 |



State of West Virginia
DRUG FREE WORKPLACE CONFORMANCE AFFIDAVIT
West Virginia Code §21-1D-5

STATE OF _____

COUNTY OF _____, TO-WIT:

I, _____, after being first duly sworn, depose and state as follows:

1. I am an employee of _____; and,
(Company Name)

2. I do hereby attest that _____
(Company Name)

maintains a valid written drug free workplace policy and that such policy is in compliance with **West Virginia Code §21-1D-5**.

The above statements are sworn to under the penalty of perjury.

(Company Name)

By: _____

Title: _____

Date: _____

Taken, subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____.

By Commission expires _____

(Seal)

(Notary Public)

THIS AFFIDAVIT MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH THE BID IN ORDER TO COMPLY WITH WV CODE PROVISIONS. FAILURE TO INCLUDE THE AFFIDAVIT WITH THE BID SHALL RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION OF THE BID.

BID BOND

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, the undersigned, _____
_____ of _____, _____, as Principal, and _____
_____ of _____, _____, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of _____
_____ with its principal office in the City of _____, as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto the State
of West Virginia, as Obligee, in the penal sum of _____ (\$ _____) for the payment of which,
well and truly to be made, we jointly and severally bind ourselves, our heirs, administrators, executors, successors and assigns.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the Principal has submitted to the Purchasing Section of the
Department of Administration a certain bid or proposal, attached hereto and made a part hereof, to enter into a contract in writing for

NOW THEREFORE,

- (a) If said bid shall be rejected, or
- (b) If said bid shall be accepted and the Principal shall enter into a contract in accordance with the bid or proposal attached
hereto and shall furnish any other bonds and insurance required by the bid or proposal, and shall in all other respects perform the
agreement created by the acceptance of said bid, then this obligation shall be null and void, otherwise this obligation shall remain in full
force and effect. It is expressly understood and agreed that the liability of the Surety for any and all claims hereunder shall, in no event,
exceed the penal amount of this obligation as herein stated.

The Surety, for the value received, hereby stipulates and agrees that the obligations of said Surety and its bond shall be in no
way impaired or affected by any extension of the time within which the Obligee may accept such bid, and said Surety does hereby
waive notice of any such extension.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Principal and Surety have hereunto set their hands and seals, and such of them as are corporations
have caused their corporate seals to be affixed hereunto and these presents to be signed by their proper officers, this

_____ day of _____, 20_____.

Principal Corporate Seal

(Name of Principal)

By _____
(Must be President or
Vice President)

(Title)

Surety Corporate Seal

(Name of Surety)

Attorney-in-Fact

**IMPORTANT – Surety executing bonds must be licensed in West Virginia to transact surety insurance. Raised corporate seals
must be affixed, a power of attorney must be attached.**

BID BOND PREPARATION INSTRUCTIONS

AGENCY _____ (A)
RFQ/RFP# _____ (B)

Bid Bond

- (A) WV State Agency
(Stated on Page 1 "Spending Unit")
Request for Quotation Number (upper
right corner of page #1)
- (C) Your Company Name
- (D) City, Location of your Company
- (E) State, Location of your Company
- (F) Surety Corporate Name
- (G) City, Location of Surety
- (H) State, Location of Surety
- (I) State of Surety Incorporation
- (J) City of Surety Incorporation
- (K) Minimum amount of acceptable bid
bond is 5% of total bid. You may state
"5% of bid" or a specific amount on
this line in words.
- (L) Amount of bond in figures
- (M) Brief Description of scope of work
- (N) Day of the month
- (O) Month
- (P) Year
- (Q) Name of Corporation
- (R) Raised Corporate Seal of Principal
- (S) Signature of President or Vice
President
- (T) Title of person signing
- (U) Raised Corporate Seal of Surety
- (V) Corporate Name of Surety
- (W) Signature of Attorney in Fact of the
Surety

NOTE: Dated, Power of Attorney with Raised
Surety Seal must accompany this bid
bond.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, the undersigned,
_____ (C) of _____ (D), _____ (E),
as Principal, and _____ (F) of _____ (G),
_____ (H), a corporation organized and existing under the laws
of the State of _____ (I) with its principal office in the City of
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_____ (M)

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this _____ (N) day of _____ (O), 20 _____ (P).

Principal Corporate Seal

(R)

(Name of Principal)
By _____ (S)
(Must be President or
Vice President)

(T)
Title

(U)
Surety Corporate Seal

(V)
(Name of Surety)

(W)
Attorney-in-Fact

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RFQ No. _____

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA
Purchasing Division

PURCHASING AFFIDAVIT

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 owed 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.

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

WITNESS THE FOLLOWING SIGNATURE

Vendor's Name: _____

Authorized Signature: _____ Date: _____

State of _____

County of _____, to-wit:

Taken, subscribed, and sworn to before me this ____ day of _____, 20__.

My Commission expires _____, 20__.

AFFIX SEAL HERE

NOTARY PUBLIC _____