STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
2800 BERLIN TURNPIKE
NEWINGTON, CONNECTICUT 06111

INVITATION TO BID

Date Advertised: December 24, 2025

Sealed bids for the construction of the following project(s) will be received by the Commissioner of Transportation, by submitting the bid electronically (only) through the Bid Express Website (bidx.com). PAPER BIDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

Bid Opening (Letting) Date and Time: Wednesday January 21, 2026 at 2:00 p.m. Bids will NOT be accepted after 2:00 pm. **NO EXCEPTIONS.** The official time is the Bid Express Letting time indicator. The bids will be opened/downloaded from Bid Express and the apparent bid totals will be posted for public view at https://www.bidx.com/ct/main, by accessing the "Lettings" tab.

Proposal ID Number: 0138-0253

Project Scope Code: G

State Project Number(s) & Description: State Project No. 0138-0253; Noise Barrier Replacement on I-95 in the Town of Stratford

Required Prequalification Work Classification(s): 17- Incidental Construction: Fencing

Federal-aid Project Number(s) & Funding Source: Federal FHWA (F.A.P. No. 0951(0402)) and State

Pre-Bid Conference and/or Site Visit Information:

District Number(s): 3 – New Haven

Contract DBE % Goal or SBE % Set-Aside: N/A

DBE Submittal Requirements -

All bidder's DBE Commitment Approval Request form(s) meeting the established DBE contract goal percentage or Good Faith Effort (GFE) Application Request including all "backup" documentation, as applicable, are due to the Department no later than five (5) calendar days after the bid opening. Please send DBE submittals to dotbid@ct.gov. In the subject line of your email please include the project number and "DBE Submittal". It is highly recommended that all bidders complete the required documentation during their bid preparation process in order to meet the DBE submittal requirement. If not received on time your bid may be rejected as provided by Section XI of the Construction Contract Bidding and Award Manual.

DBE Forms are located at https://portal.ct.gov/DOT/General/CTDOT-Forms

SBE Submittal Requirements -
The low bidder's SBE Commitment Approval Request form(s) meeting the established SBE set-aside percentage or Request for Waiver application are due to the Department no later than five (5) calendar days after the bid opening. It is highly recommended that all bidders complete the required documentation during their bid preparation process in order to meet the SBE submittal requirement. If not received on time your bid may be rejected as provided by Section XI of the Construction Contract Bidding and Award Manual.

A list of bid items and quantities is attached. This list is **NOT** the official bid proposal form.

OFFICIAL BID PROPOSAL FORMS MUST BE REQUESTED – Please complete the Bid Proposal Request Form (Part C) located on the DOT website at the following LINK - Bid Proposal Request Form (aka Part C), and submit it by email to DOTContracts@ct.gov. Please read the instructions on the Part C Form.

PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS & ADDENDA ARE AVAILABLE ON THE DAS STATE CONTRACTING PORTAL (CTsource Bid Board) FREE OF CHARGE

Secure Electronic Bidding with Bid Express (www.bidx.com): Please refer to the attached document entitled "Electronic Bidding Instructions / Requirements for Bidders".

Prequalification Requirements: Prospective bidders must be prequalified with the Department of Transportation and have on file a sworn Statement (CON 16) by the time of the bid. In order to help ensure that prospective bidders may become prequalified in time for the bid opening for a given contract, contractors should be certain to return the Prequalification Application (CON 16) with all necessary information, signatures and notarized documents, to the DOT Contracts Unit at least thirty (30) calendar days before requesting a bid proposal form for that contract.

Bid Proposal Forms: All prospective bidders requesting to obtain the "official" Bid Proposal Form must submit a completed Bid Proposal Request Form (Part "C") to the DOT Contracts Unit per the above instructions.

If the Bid Proposal Request Form (Part C) and the Contractor's Prequalification Application are found to be satisfactory, the bidder will receive an email response from the Department approving the request to bid and instructing the bidder to download the electronic Bid Proposal Form (aka EBSX file) from the Bid Express Website (bidx.com).

Approved bidders will be required to download the official Bid Proposal Form (aka EBSX file) and associated amendment files (.00#), if applicable, from the Bid Express website (bidx.com), only after they have received the email response from the Department approving them to bid.

It is the bidder's responsibility to ensure that they download the complete official Bid Proposal Form (EBSX file) and any amendment files (.00#) associated with that specific Bid Proposal Form, from the latest letting date. Amendment files (.00#) are posted to the Bid Express website when there is a change to the bid proposal form, including a letting date change. The Department is not liable for the bidder's failure to ensure that they download the official Bid Proposal Form (EBSX file) and amendment files (.00#) from the Bid Express website.

NOTE: Prequalification status is confirmed every time a contractor submits a Request for Bid Proposal Form (Part C). All bid proposals must be on the electronic bid form/file furnished by the Department of Transportation. Official bid proposals are not included in the Plans and Specifications and are non-transferable.

DBE Participation: The contract goal for DBE participation equaling the percent (indicated above) of the total Contract value has been established for this Contract. Compliance with this provision may be fulfilled when a DBE or any combination of DBEs perform work under the contract in accordance with 49 CFR Part 26 Subpart C Section 26.55, as revised.

The Department of Transportation hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively ensure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, qualified Disadvantaged Business Enterprises, Small Contractor or Small Contractor Minority Business Enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and that they will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, national

origin, sex, sexual orientation, mental retardation or physical disability including but not limited to blindness, in consideration for an award.

FTA - Buy America Certificates and Certification Regarding Lobbying: These certifications are required with all Federal Transit Administration funded projects. Please refer to funding source above to determine the requirement.

Bid Bond Security: Except when otherwise specified in the bid documents, no proposal will be considered unless; (a) it is accompanied by a proposal guaranty from a surety company in the form of the Department's (CTDOT) standard bid bond form furnished by the Department, as may be revised, satisfactory to the Commissioner, in an amount equal to at least 30% of the amount of the bid; or (b) the bidder has on file in the Contract Section a current Department (CTDOT) standard annual bid bond form, satisfactory to the Commissioner, on the form furnished by the Department.

It is the bidder's responsibility to obtain and submit the most current/required CTDOT standard Bid Bond form or CTDOT standard Annual Bid Bond form that is available on the Department's website at CTDOT Forms.

When submitting the bid electronically through Bid Express (Bidx.com), bidders must scan and submit the bid bond in PDF format, properly completed and signed, prior to the date and time of the bid opening, via a single email to dotbid@ct.gov. In the subject matter of the email please enter "Bid Bond – Project Number(s) xxxx-xxxx". It is the bidder's responsibility to confirm that the Department received your bid bond email prior to the time of the bid opening. Please do not assume the Department received your bid bond email. The original signed bid bond will be required of the low bidder within 7 days after the bid opening.

DOT encourages bidders to file an "Annual" Bid Bond with the Department so that the bidder does not have to submit a bid bond each time they bid on a specific project/proposal.

At the time of the bid opening, the surety must be a corporate surety licensed by the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Connecticut and must hold a Certificate of Authority as an acceptable Surety and/or Reinsuring Company acceptable to the Federal Department of Treasury. The surety's underwriting limitation must not be less than the full amount required by the bond itself.

Pre-Bid Questions and Answers: Questions pertaining to DOT advertised construction projects must be presented through the CTDOT Pre-Bid Q and A Website. The Department cannot guarantee that all questions will be answered prior to the bid date. **PLEASE NOTE - at 9:00 am Monday (i.e. typical Wednesday Bid Opening) the project(s) being bid will be closed for questions, at which time questions can no longer be submitted through the Q and A Website.**

Answers may be provided by the Department up to 12:00 noon, the day before the bid. At this time, the Q and A for those projects will be considered final, unless otherwise stated and/or the bid is postponed to a future date and time to allow for further questions and answers to be posted.

If a question needs to be asked the day before the bid date, please contact the Contracts Unit staff and email your question to dotcontracts@ct.gov immediately.

Contractors must identify their company name, contact person, contact email address and phone number when asking a question. The email address and phone number will not be made public.

The questions and answers (if any) located on the Q and A Website are hereby made part of the bid/contract solicitation documents (located on the State Contracting Portal) and resulting contract for the subject project(s). It is the bidder's responsibility to monitor, review, and become familiar with the questions and answers, as with all bid requirements and contract documents, prior to bidding. By signing the bid proposal and resulting

contract, the bidder acknowledges receipt of, and agrees to the incorporation of the final list of Q and A, into the contract document.

Contractors will not be permitted to file a future claim based on lack of receipt, or knowledge of the questions and answers associated with a project. All bidding requirements and project information, including but not limited to contract plans, specifications, addenda, Q and A, Notice to Contractors, etc., are made public on the State Contracting Portal and/or the CTDOT website.

Any bidder that discovers an error in the bid proposal or contract documents, including but not limited to the plans, must report that error in a letter to the Manager within two (2) business days of discovering the error. A failure to do so may result in the Commissioner's finding the contractor to be nonresponsible as the low bidder for one or more Department contracts, and may be subject to other adverse action by the Department

OPM Form 1 – Campaign Contribution Certification: All bidders must upload the Campaign Contribution Certification to the Department of Administrative Services (DAS) online system (CTsource). Please access the link below to register with CTsource and download the vendor guide to uploading this form.

Link to DAS CTSource - https://portal.ct.gov/DAS/CTSource/CTSource

Link to OPM Forms - https://portal.ct.gov/OPM/Fin-PSA/Forms/Ethics-Forms

Prevailing Wage Rates: The minimum rates to be paid labor of the various classifications shall be in accordance with current schedule of wages established by the State Labor Commissioner as provided in the Connecticut General Statutes, as revised. The Contract Wage Certification Form is to be submitted to the Labor Commissioner before the award of the contract.

Other Information: All bidders are required to inform themselves fully of the conditions relating to the construction and labor under which the work will be or is now being performed and the contractor shall employ, as far as possible, such methods and means in the carrying out of this work as will not cause interruption or interference with any other contractor.

The Department, prior to the awarding of any contract, may require further financial and other information from any applicant who becomes the low bidder for that contract. The Commissioner of Transportation reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Form Revised February 2022

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PROJECT SCOPE CODE

CODE	FROM	TO
"A"	LESS THAN	$ 100,000
"B"	$ 100,000	$ 199,999
"C"	$ 200,000	$ 499,999
"D"	$ 500,000	$ 999,999
"E"	$ 1,000,000	$ 2,499,999
"F"	$ 2,500,000	$ 4,999,999
"G"	$ 5,000,000	$ 7,499,999
"H"	$ 7,500,000	$ 9,999,999
"I"	$ 10,000,000	$ 14,999,999
"J"	$ 15,000,000	$ 19,999,999
"K"	$ 20,000,000	$ 29,999,999
"L"	$ 30,000,000	$ 39,999,999
"M"	$ 40,000,000	$ 59,999,999
"N"	$ 60,000,000	$ 89,999,999
"O"	$ 90,000,000	$ 119,999,999
"P"	$ 120,000,000	$ 159,999,999
"Q"	$ 160,000,000	$ 199,999,999
"R"	$ 200,000,000	$ 249,999,999
"S"	$ 250,000,000	$ 299,999,999
"T"	$ 300,000,000	$ 399,999,999
"U"	$ 400,000,000	$ 499,999,999
"V"	$ 500,000,000	$ 599,999,999
"W"	$ 600,000,000	AND OVER

For any questions regarding this project scope code, please contact the Transportation Manager of Contracts at (860) 594-3390. Rev. 1/13/09

Connecticut Department Of Transportation Proposal

Date Of Opening : January 21, 2026

Proposal ID : 0138-0253

Projects : 0138-0253

Districts : District 3 - New Haven

Counties : Fairfield

Proposal ID : 0138-0253

Noise Barrier Replacement on I-95

Time ID	Completion Date or Number of Units	Unit Type	Time Type	Liquidated Damages Rate	Contract Time Flag
00	248	Days	CD	2,100.00 Days	√

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Contractor: _____

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Cat Alt Set ID: **Cat Alt Mbr ID:**

Proposal Line Number	Item ID / Description	Approximate Quantity and Units	Unit Price Dollars	Unit Price Cents	Bid Amount Dollars	Bid Amount Cents
0010	0020805 HANDLING ASBESTOS CONTAMINATED SOIL ** See Special Provisions **	215.000 c.y.	_____	.____	_____	.____
0020	0020806 DISPOSAL OF ASBESTOS CONTAMINATED SOIL ** See Special Provisions **	325.000 ton	_____	.____	_____	.____
0030	0020808 DUST AND ASBESTOS FIBER CONTROL ** See Special Provisions **	1.000 LUMP SUM	_____	.____	_____	.____
0040	0101021 ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH AND SAFETY - ASBESTOS CONTAMINATED SOIL ** See Special Provisions **	1.000 LUMP SUM	_____	.____	_____	.____
0050	0101124 DECONTAMINATION ** See Special Provisions **	1.000 LUMP SUM	_____	.____	_____	.____
0060	0201001 CLEARING AND GRUBBING	1.000 LUMP SUM	_____	.____	_____	.____
0070	0202000 EARTH EXCAVATION	890.000 c.y.	_____	.____	_____	.____
0080	0202100 ROCK EXCAVATION	90.000 c.y.	_____	.____	_____	.____
0090	0202452 TEST PIT ** See Special Provisions **	5.000 ea.	_____	.____	_____	.____
0100	0202560 PROTECT SURVEY MONUMENT ** See Special Provisions **	15.000 ea.	_____	.____	_____	.____

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0110	0207000 BORROW	110.000 c.y.	_____	.____	_____	.____
0120	0210821 WATER POLLUTION CONTROL ** See Special Provisions **	6,500.000 est.		1.00		6,500.00
0130	0211000 ANTI-TRACKING PAD	250.000 s.y.	_____	.____	_____	.____
0140	0213100 GRANULAR FILL	20.000 c.y.	_____	.____	_____	.____
0150	0219001 SEDIMENTATION CONTROL SYSTEM	2,070.000 l.f.	_____	.____	_____	.____
0160	0219011 SEDIMENT CONTROL SYSTEM AT CATCH BASIN ** See Special Provisions **	9.000 ea.	_____	.____	_____	.____
0170	0305000 PROCESSED AGGREGATE	100.000 ton	_____	.____	_____	.____
0180	0653100 CLEAN EXISTING CULVERT - 12" TO 42" DIAMETER	370.000 l.f.	_____	.____	_____	.____
0190	0822100.01 TEMPORARY TRAFFIC BARRIER	900.000 l.f.	_____	.____	_____	.____
0200	0822101.01 RELOCATED TEMPORARY TRAFFIC BARRIER	1,790.000 l.f.	_____	.____	_____	.____
0210	0910300 METAL BEAM RAIL (R-B MASH)	1,250.000 l.f.	_____	.____	_____	.____

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0220	0910892 R-B MASH BRIDGE ATTACHMENT - TRAILING END	1.000 ea.				
0230	0911923 R-B END ANCHORAGE-TYPE I	2.000 ea.				
0240	0912503 REMOVE METAL BEAM RAIL	1,250.000 l.f.				
0250	0916100 GROUND-MOUNTED SOUND BARRIER ** See Special Provisions **	27,700.000 s.f.				
0260	0916219 ROCK IN POLE EXCAVATION ** See Special Provisions **	430.000 v.f.				
0270	0916406 REMOVE NOISE BARRIER WALL ** See Special Provisions **	1,890.000 l.f.				
0280	0917010 REPAIR GUIDERAIL (ESTIMATED COST) ** See Special Provisions **	1,200.000 est.		1.00		1,200.00
0290	0944000 FURNISHING AND PLACING TOPSOIL	4,160.000 s.y.				
0300	0950021 LOW GROWTH TURF MIX ** See Special Provisions **	4,160.000 s.y.				
0310	0950039 EROSION CONTROL MATTING TYPE D	2,080.000 s.y.				

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0320	0969062 CONSTRUCTION FIELD OFFICE, MEDIUM ** See Special Provisions **	12.000 mo.				
0330	0971001 MAINTENANCE AND PROTECTION OF TRAFFIC ** See Special Provisions **	1.000 LUMP SUM				
0340	0975004 MOBILIZATION AND PROJECT CLOSEOUT	1.000 LUMP SUM				
0350	0976002 BARRICADE WARNING LIGHTS - HIGH INTENSITY	2,750.000 day				
0360	0978002 TRAFFIC DRUM	60.000 ea.				
0370	0980020 CONSTRUCTION SURVEYING	1.000 LUMP SUM				
0380	0981100 42" TRAFFIC CONE	60.000 ea.				
0390	1130010 ARROW BOARD	10.000 day				
0400	1131002 REMOTE CONTROL CHANGEABLE MESSAGE SIGN	280.000 day				
0410	1205201 TYPE DE-1 DELINEATOR	15.000 ea.				
0420	1205203 TYPE DE-3 DELINEATOR	15.000 ea.				

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0430	1206023 REMOVAL AND RELOCATION OF EXISTING SIGNS ** See Special Provisions **	1.000 LUMP SUM				
0440	1220027 CONSTRUCTION SIGNS ** See Special Provisions **	250.000 s.f.				
0450	1802210.02 TEMPORARY SAND BARREL (200 lb.)	2.000 ea.				
0460	1802210.04 TEMPORARY SAND BARREL (400 lb.)	1.000 ea.				
0470	1802210.07 TEMPORARY SAND BARREL (700 lb.)	3.000 ea.				
0480	1802210.14 TEMPORARY SAND BARREL (1400 lb.)	4.000 ea.				
0490	1802210.21 TEMPORARY SAND BARREL (2100 lb.)	2.000 ea.				
0500	1802211.02 RELOCATION OF TEMPORARY SAND BARREL (200 lb.)	4.000 ea.				
0510	1802211.04 RELOCATION OF TEMPORARY SAND BARREL (400 lb.)	2.000 ea.				
0520	1802211.07 RELOCATION OF TEMPORARY SAND BARREL (700 lb.)	6.000 ea.				

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0530	1802211.14 RELOCATION OF TEMPORARY SAND BARREL (1400 lb.)	8.000 ea.	_____	.____	_____	.____
0540	1802211.21 RELOCATION OF TEMPORARY SAND BARREL (2100 lb.)	4.000 ea.	_____	.____	_____	.____
0550	1806202 TRUCK-MOUNTED OR TRAILER-MOUNTED IMPACT ATTENUATOR	240.000 hr	_____	.____	_____	.____
0560	1806226 PRE-WARNING VEHICLE ** See Special Provisions **	240.000 hr	_____	.____	_____	.____

Section: 1 **Total:** _____.____

Total Bid: _____.____