

FORM A-1 Offeror Letter of Intent

Name of Offeror: The Beaver Excavating Company

Date: October 1st, 2024

Ohio Department of Transportation
Office of Alternative Project Delivery, Fourth Floor
1980 W. Broad Street Mail Stop 5100
Columbus, OH 43223

On behalf of the Offeror, the undersigned submits this Letter of Intent (the “LOI”) in response to the Instructions to Offerors for a Letter of Intent for the BEL-70-9.35 Interchange Improvement PID 120547 Project (25) 3000 (the “ITO”) issued by the Ohio Department of Transportation (the “Department”).

This LOI serves to notify the Department named Offeror’s intent to proceed with the procurement of this Design-Build Project and, if this LOI is accepted by the Department, the Offeror is prepared to potentially enter an agreement for a design-build contract with the Department.

Name of Lead Contractor: The Beaver Excavating Company
Is the Lead Contractor currently Prequalified as required? ☒ Y ☐ N

Name of Lead Designer: TRC Engineers, Inc.
Is the Lead Designer currently Prequalified as required? ☒ Y ☐ N
Lead Designer’s Registration Number: COA.05422
By submission of the LOI, the potential Offeror hereby certifies that:

1. The Lead Contractor has been prequalified for such work by the Department in accordance with the terms of the ITO, or has initiated (or will be initiating) the required prequalification requirements per the terms of the ITO,
2. the Lead Designer has been prequalified for such work by the Department in accordance with the terms of the ITO, or has initiated (or will be initiating) the required prequalification requirements per the terms of the ITO,
3. neither the Offeror nor its employees, members, agents, consultants, or advisors have entered either directly or indirectly into any agreement, participated in any collusion, or otherwise taken any action in restraint of free competitive selection in connection with its ITO,
4. the Offeror further understands that all costs and expenses incurred in preparing the Letter of Intent, Statement of Qualifications, Price Proposal and participating in the RFP Process will be borne solely by the Shortlisted Offeror, except any payment for preparation of responsive preliminary design concept (Stipend) that may be paid in accordance with the ITO for RFP.

By submitting this Letter of Intent, the Offeror agrees that:

1. It intends to continue in good faith with the procurement process as generally outlined in the ITO with the intent of ultimately providing a Technical and Price proposal;
2. it understands that this procurement process, as outlined in the ITO, may be revised by the Department and the Offeror intends, in good faith, to continue with the procurement process;
3. it has the necessary qualifications, capacity, experience, and abilities to perform the work as understood;
4. it intends to continue in the procurement process for the Project and this LOI is only a good faith demonstration of its intent to continue with the procurement; and
5. submission of an LOI or the Department's issuance of the ITO, or any subsequent documents, is not an official Contract binding either Party. Only the future duly executed contract will be enforceable.

The Offeror's business address:

Company Name: The Beaver Excavating Company
Street No., Street Address: 2000 Beaver Place Ave. S.W, P.O. Box 6059
Floor/Suite: _____
City, State, Zip: Canton, OH 44706

Name of Company Signatory: Chad Ratkovich

Company Signatory Signature: 

Signatory Company Title: Vice President

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