

**PORT AUTHORITY OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY**

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Separate sealed Bids for the Work as listed hereinafter will be received at the Purchasing and Materials Management Department of Port Authority of Allegheny County (Authority) Heinz 57 Center, 345 Sixth Avenue, Third Floor, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, 15222-2527 until 1:30 p.m. on June 11, 2024 and will be publicly opened and read at 2:00 p.m. via Microsoft Teams Meeting (Meeting ID: 255 393 956 673 Passcode: qbDP5A or call in phone number: 1+(412)-927-0245, Phone Conference ID: 415 822 074#). Each Bidder shall be solely responsible for assuring that its Bid is both received and time stamped by a representative of the Purchasing and Materials Management Department at or before the advertised time for submission of Bids. Bidders submitting bids via FedEx, UPS, USPS or other carrier must immediately provide tracking information to the assigned contract specialist via e-mail. Upon delivery, Bidder will notify the assigned contract specialist with an e-mailed receipt. Bids received or time stamped in the Purchasing and Materials Management Department after the advertised time for the submission of Bids shall be non-responsive and therefore ineligible for Award.

**MT. WASHINGTON TUNNEL RAIL AND PAVEMENT REPLACEMENT PROJECT CONTRACT NO. SYS-24-03**

The Work of this Project includes, but is not limited to, the furnishing of all required materials and installation of all concrete, embedded rail trackwork, and OCS replacement from the Mt. Washington Tunnel's South Portal at South Hills Junction to Station Square Station. Scope also includes demolition and construction of concrete busway terminus to Carson Street and coordination with Duquesne Light Company (DLC) Vault Repairs. Bid Documents will be available for public inspection and may be obtained on or after May 12, 2024 at Authority's offices at the following address:

Port Authority of Allegheny County  
Purchasing and Materials Management Department  
Heinz 57 Center  
345 Sixth Avenue, Third Floor  
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15222-2527

A copy of the bid documents will be available on or after May 12, 2024 and can be obtained by accessing or creating your eBusiness account at the Authority's eBusiness website: <http://ebusiness.ridePRT.org>. Guides are provided for accessing, updating, or creating an eBusiness account. Please be sure to register for any/all construction categories relevant to your firm. This Project may be funded, in part, by, and subject to certain requirements of, the County of Allegheny and/or the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Authority, in compliance with 2 C.F.R., § 200.321(b)(1)-(5), as amended, and 74 Pa.C.S. § 303, as may be amended, implements positive affirmative action procedures to ensure that small and minority businesses, women's business enterprises, and labor surplus area firms are used when possible and certified Diverse Businesses ("DBs") have the required opportunity to participate in the performance of contracts and subcontracts financed, in whole or in part, with federal and state funds provided for this Project. In this regard, all Bidders shall take all necessary affirmative steps identified in 2 C.F.R., § 200.321(b)(1)-(5) to ensure that small and minority businesses, women's business enterprises, and labor surplus area firms are used when possible, and in accordance with 74 Pa.C.S. § 303, to insure that DBs, have the maximum opportunity to compete for and perform contracts.

Bidders shall also not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, creed, age, disability, national origin, sexual origin, gender identity or status as apparent in the award and performance of DHS-assisted contracts. It is a condition of this Contract that all Bidders shall follow the required procedures as set forth in the Bid Documents. If assistance is required to involve small and minority businesses, women's business enterprises, and labor surplus area firms and DBs in the Work, Bidders are to contact Authority's Diverse Business Representative, Sue Broadus at (412) 566-5257.

The Bidder's attention is directed to the following contact for Bidder's questions:

Procedural Questions Regarding Bidding:

Cindy Denner – Authority (412) 566-5117

[cdenner@rideprt.org](mailto:cdenner@rideprt.org)

All other questions relating to the Bid Documents must be submitted by mail or email to:

Port Authority of Allegheny County  
Heinz 57 Center  
345 Sixth Avenue, Third Floor  
Pittsburgh, PA 15222-2527  
Attn: Cindy Denner  
email: [CDenner@rideprt.org](mailto:CDenner@rideprt.org)

In addition, the Bidder's attention is directed to the following schedule of activities for preparation of its Bid:

9:00 AM Pre-Bid Conference

May 20, 2024 Port Authority of Allegheny County  
Heinz 57 Center  
Neil Holmes Conference Room  
345 Sixth Avenue, Fifth Floor  
Pittsburgh, PA 15222-2527  
And via Microsoft Teams Meeting:

Meeting ID: 291 805 597 11  
Passcode: 9S7mST  
Or call in phone number: 1+412-927-0245  
Phone Conference ID: 245 107 138#

(Attendance is not mandatory, but strongly recommended)

1:30 AM Pre-Bid Site Tour (Option 1)

May 21, 2024 South Hills Junction Light Rail Transit Station

All Participants must provide and wear Safety Vests and Appropriate Footwear. (Attendance at one of the two Pre-Bid Site Tours is mandatory)

1:30 AM Pre-Bid Site Tour (Option 2)

May 22, 2024 South Hills Junction Light Rail Transit Station

All Participants must provide and wear Safety Vests and Appropriate Footwear. (Attendance at one of the two Pre-Bid Site Tours is mandatory)

1:30 p.m. Bids Due  
June 11, 2024 Purchasing and Materials Management Department  
Bids submitted via Fed Ex, UPS, USPS or other carrier are subject to the notification requirements indicated above.

2:00 p.m. Bid Opening  
June 11, 2024 Will be conducted via Microsoft Teams meeting. To join the bid opening meeting through Microsoft Teams on your computer, mobile app, or room device  
Meeting ID: 255 393 956 673  
Passcode: qbDP5A  
Or call in (audio only): 412-927-0245  
Conference ID 414 882 074#

**Authority reserves the right to reject any or all Bids.**