## **INVITATION TO BID**

## CITY OF DAHLONEGA MORRISON MOORE PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE AND SIDEWALK GDOT PI 0016629

The City of Dahlonega is seeking sealed written bids from qualified vendors to construct a pedestrian bridge and sidewalk improvements on SR 9/SR 60 from SR 60BU to N of Yahoola Creek.

All bidders must be Pre-Qualified with the Georgia Department of Transportation (GDOT), and all sub-contractors must be registered with GDOT. Bid Documents are available on the city website at www. dahlonega.gov/departments/purchasing or by request from Ms. Brittany Lee at blee@dahlonega.gov

THREE (3) copies of your Bid must be sealed and delivered in person, by mail, or overnight delivery service to the City of Dahlonega, 465 Riley Road, Dahlonega, GA 30533 no later than 2:00 PM EST on Wednesday, December 11, 2024. Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud on December 11, 2024, at 2:00 PM. Bids received after said time will not be accepted. The envelope shall state SR 9/SR 60/US 19/MORRISON MOORE PARKWAY (FROM SR 60 BUS. TO CR 189/WIMPY MILL RD) PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE & SIDEWALK IMPROVEMENTS, bid date, and company name to prevent accidental opening. Bids shall be identified on the exterior of the sealed envelope with all the information required by law, including the name of the project and the Respondent's name, address and license number, expiration date and classification (as applicable).

A mandatory pre-bid meeting will be held at the City of Dahlonega Gary McCullough Council Chambers on November 18th at 10:00 AM. Inquiries regarding this bid may be made by email to: Morrison.Moore. PedBridge@wsp.com Only inquiries received in writing will receive a response. All such written inquiries must be delivered by 12:00 noon, on Friday, November 22, 2024. The City of Dahlonega will publish a response to all inquiries on its website at http://www.dahlonega.gov/departments/purchasing on Wednesday, December 4, 2024.

The City of Dahlonega reserves the right to accept or reject any and all Bids, to waive formalities, technicalities, or irregularities and to re-advertise if necessary. Award will be made based on the lowest responsive and responsible bid that has met the requirements of this bids criteria. Any Bid submitted in response to this Request shall remain open for acceptance by the Council, and same shall be honored by the contractor, for a period of one hundred twenty (120) days from the date set forth hereinabove for the receipt of Bids.

The City of Dahlonega in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and 78 Stat. 252, 42 USC 2000d—42 and Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, part 21, Nondiscrimination in federally assisted programs of the Department of Transportation issued pursuant to such Act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively ensure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin in consideration for an award. Project DBE goal is 8%. Submittal of a bid bond of 5% of the bid amount is required. The project is to be completed within 18 months.