SEALED PROPOSALS SENT BY REGISTERED MAIL WILL BE
RECEIVED THROUGH THE ODOT REPRODUCTION BRANCH UNTIL 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO THE
SCHEDULED BID OPENING. FROM 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO THE BID OPENING UNTIL THE
TIME OF THE BID OPENING, BID PROPOSALS MUST BE TURNED IN DIRECTLY TO THE
ODOT COMMISSION ROOM LOCATED ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE LOBBY. THE SCHEDULED
BID OPENING OF 10:00 A.M. May 20, 2004 , FOR THE WORK LISTED BELOW.
NO PROPOSAL FOR CONSTRUCTION OR MAINTENANCE WORK OF THE DEPARTMENT WILL BE
ISSUED TO ANY CONTRACTOR AFTER 10:00 A.M. ON THE WORKING DAY PRECEDING OPENING
OF BIDS FOR ANY CONTRACT.

EACH SEPARATE PROPOSAL SHALL BE ACCOMPANIED BY A CERTIFIED OR CASHIER'S CHECK OR BID BOND EQUAL TO 5% OF THE BID MADE PAYABLE TO THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA, DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, AS A PROPOSAL GUARANTY. PROPOSAL CHECKS WILL BE HELD OR RETURNED BY THE DEPARTMENT AS PER SECTION 103.04 OF THE STATE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.

THE MINIMUM WAGE TO BE PAID LABORERS AND MECHANICS EMPLOYED ON THIS PROJECT WILL BE INCLUDED IN THE PROPOSAL.

PROPOSALS MUST BE PREPARED AS DIRECTED BY THE STATE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS. PLANS, FORMS OF PROPOSALS, CONTRACTS AND SPECIFICATIONS MAY BE EXAMINED AT THE DIVISION HEADQUARTERS IN THE DIVISION THE WORK IS TO BE PERFORMED OR AT THE OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION OFFICE ENGINEER'S DIVISION IN OKLAHOMA CITY,

THIS WORK WILL BE DONE UNDER TH OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION'S APPLICABLE SPECIFICATIONS FOR HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION AS DEPICTED ON THE LOWER LEFT CORNER OF THE PLAN'S TITLE SHEET.

PLANS AND PROPOSAL FORMS MAY BE ORDERED FROM JACK STEWART, DIVISION ENGINEER, OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION BUILDING, 200 N.E. 21ST STREET, OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA 73105. COST OF BIDDING DOCUMENTS ARE \$25.00 + tax FOR EACH BIDDING PROPOSAL. STATE STANDARD SPECIFICATION 1988 EDITION (RED BOOK) AND 1991 SUPPLEMENT MAY BE PURCHASED FOR \$8.00 + tax, or 1996 Metric STANDARD SPECIFICATION \$27.00 + tax, or 1999 Metric and English STANDARD SPECIFICATION \$55.00 + tax. (Oklahoma tax is 8.375%).

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

NO REFUNDS WILL BE MADE FOR BIDDING DOCUMENTS OR SPECIFICATION BOOKS PURCHASED BY PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS.

UPON AWARD OF CONTRACT TO A SUCCESSFUL BIDDER, THE CONTRACT WILL BE COMPLETELY AND CORRECTLY EXECUTED BY THE CONTRACTOR AND RETURNED TO THE DEPARTMENT WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS FROM THE DATE OF AWARD. THE DEPARTMENT WILL HAVE FOURTEEN (14) WORKING DAYS FROM THE DATE OF AWARD TO COMPLETE ITS EXECUTION OF THE CONTRACT.

THE OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION HEREBY NOTIFIES ALL BIDDERS THAT IT WILL AFFIRMATIVELY INSURE THAT IN ANY CONTRACT ENTERED INTO PURSUANT TO THIS ADVERTISEMENT, DISADVANTAGED 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, RELIGION, NATIONAL ORIGIN, OR DISABILITY IN CONSIDERATION FOR AN AWARD.

BIDDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT ALL BIDS ARE LIKELY TO BE REJECTED IF THE LOWEST RESPONSIVE BID RECEIVED EXCEEDS THE ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE BY MORE THAN SEVEN (7) PERCENT. IN THE EVENT ALL BIDS ARE REJECTED FOR THIS REASON, THIS PROJECT MAY BE DEFERRED FOR READVERTISING FOR BIDS UNTIL A MORE COMPETITIVE SITUATION EXISTS.

DESCRIPTION OF WORK AND LOCATION OF PROJECT:

XNOTICE

STATE PROJECT

CALL ORDER : 010 CONTRACT ID : 040303 LETTING DATE : May 20, 2004 PCN : 2155404

LETTING TIME : 10:00 A.M.

COUNTIES: PUSHMATAHA

PROJECTS : EMC-164C(071)

DBE/WBE GOALS: 0.00 GUARANTY: 5% OF BID TOTAL

PLAN PRICE: \$ 0.00

RES. ENG.:

CALENDAR DAYS : 14 LIQ. DAM: \$ 300

CONTRACT DESCRIPTION:

BRIDGE REPAIR

US-271: BEAM END REPAIRS TO STRUCTURE OVER MUD CREEK

APPROX.11.8 MI. SOUTHWEST OF THE LEFLORE COUNTYLINE.

PROJECT LENGTH 0.00 MILES