

April 26, 2004

TO: CONTRACTORS

FROM: Office Engineer

SUBJECT: Three Emergency Bridge Repair projects to be Let on April 30, 2004.
Jackson County, EMC-133C(58); JP: 21511(04)
Johnson County, EMC-135C(57); JP: 21503(04)
Pontotoc County, EMC-162C(113); JP: 21504(04)

Gentlemen:

Please be aware that there will be an **EMERGENCY LETTING** for the three separate bridge repairs next Friday, April 30th @ 10:30 a.m. in the Commission Room of the Oklahoma Department of Transportation. Plans and proposals for all three of these projects will be available from the Office Engineer Division beginning at 1:00 p.m. today at no charge.

Jackson County - EMC-135C(58); JP: 21511(04) S.H. 6 over Unnamed Creek
This project will add cover plates to existing beams. Shoring will be required. Seven beam lines are involved. There will also be false work and jacking. The projects' engineering estimate is approximately \$47,000. Contract time will be set at ten calendar days with a \$5,000 per day Incentive/Disincentive.

Johnson County - EMC-135C(57); JP: 21503(04) S.H. 22 over Rock Creek, 2.4 Miles West of S.H. 78 @ Nida Bridge No.: 3516-1738X, NBI 03756

Twelve of the 20 beam ends at the piers have severe section loss. This project will in part consist of cutting out and replacing sections of these 12 beam ends. Removal of certain diaphragms is also involved. The road will be closed for the duration of this project. Contract time will be set at fifteen calendar days with a \$10,000 per day Incentive/Disincentive. The estimate for this project is approximately \$78,000.

THE LETTING TIME FOR THIS PROJECT HAS BEEN CHANGED TO 2:00 P.M.

Pontotoc County - EMC-162C(113); JP: 21504(04) S.H. 48 over Muddy Boggy Creek; 9.6 Miles North of the Coal County line.

The project consists generally of cutting out and replacing sections of five beam ends and plating five beam ends, replacing a five foot portion of the bridge deck. The road will be closed to traffic and contract time will be set at 10 calendar days. An Incentive/Disincentive of \$10,000 per calendar day will be applied to this project. The engineer estimate is approximately \$44,000.

These are very fast turn-around projects. Contracts with bonds will be required back from the low bid/awarded contractor by close of business on May 3rd. Work orders will be issued that are effective at 8:00 a.m. on May 5th, 2004. For these reasons, ODOT invites you to visit the site at your earliest convenience to get familiar with the locations and bridges.

If your company **does have** interest in bidding on this project, please call us at (405) 521-2625 or come by the Office Engineer Division to have a bidding document issued (beginning Monday, April 19th, 2004).

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. If you have any questions, please call (405) 521-2625.

Sincerely,

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