## ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION REQUEST FOR LETTERS OF INTEREST NONDESTRUCTIVE TESTING (NDT) OF CONCRETE BRIDGE DECKS

Notice is hereby given that the Arkansas Department of Transportation (Department) is seeking letters of interest from entities with extensive experience providing consulting and testing services as well as equipment and monitoring for nondestructive testing of concrete bridge decks to evaluate structures for deficiencies.

The scope of work will consist of recommendation and performance of nondestructive testing technologies and methods of concrete bridge decks and providing reports for:

- Deficiency Location/Size/Depth
  - · Delamination
  - ·Spalls
  - ·Cracking
  - Concrete Voids

- Integrity
- Stiffness (Dynamic Modulus)
- Rebar Cover
- Corrosion probability and potential
- Dimensions (Thickness/Size of Member)

Responses in PDF format should be sent to <a href="mailto:consultantcoordinator@ardot.gov">consultantcoordinator@ardot.gov</a> no later than 4:00 p.m. CDT on August 7, 2023. A one-page cover letter with primary contact information shall be addressed to Rex Vines, Chief Engineer—Operations.

Interested parties must furnish Architect-Engineer Qualifications Standard Form (SF 330) Parts I and II, completed Contract and Grant Disclosure Form (EO 98-04), and a current copy of the firm's equal employment opportunity (EEO) policy as required per Arkansas Code Annotated (Ark. Code Ann.) §19-11-104. SF330 and EO9804 forms can be found at <a href="https://www.ardot.gov/divisions/consultant-services/advertisements/">https://www.ardot.gov/divisions/consultant-services/advertisements/</a>.

No.	Evaluation Factors for LOIs	Maximum Points Possible
1	Professional staff including the education, experience, number of personnel available, licensure and registration (if required), and any partnerships with subconsultants	10
2	General and professional reputation, including responsiveness to civil rights and equal employment opportunity requirements and opportunities	10
3	*Past work performance with the Department	10
4	Experience with projects of a similar nature as those advertised	10
	Total Points for LOI	40

<sup>\*</sup>Past performance or evaluations from other clients will be considered when the firm has not worked for the Department previously.

The Department complies with the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act, Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, FHWA Guidance and any other Federal, State, and/or local laws, rules and/or regulations. This notice is available from the ADA/504/Title VI Coordinator in large print, on audiotape and in Braille.