NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Boone County, Missouri is accepting sealed bids for:

Scope of Project Construction: Removal and replacement of existing culverts, ditch grading, dig out street repairs, asphalt leveling course, paving fabric, 2" asphalt overlay, topsoil edge treatment, erosion control blanket and seeding.

Sealed bids will be accepted until 1:15 p.m. on September 3, 2009 at the Boone County Purchasing Office, 601 E. Walnut, 2nd Floor, Columbia, Missouri, 65201. Bids received after the above specified time for acceptance will be returned to the sender unopened.

Bids will be publicly opened after 1:30 p.m. on September 3, 2009 in the Boone County Commission Chambers, Boone County Government Center, 801 E. Walnut, Columbia, MO 65201.

The County reserves the right to select and award the bid item or items which best suit its needs, whether the price is the lowest or not; and also reserves the right to reject any and all bids or waive informalities or irregularities.

Not less than the prevailing hourly rate of wages, as found by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations of Missouri, shall be paid to all workers performing work under this Contract. The Contractor's bond shall include such provisions as will guarantee the faithful performance of the prevailing hourly wage rate as provided by the Contract.

Boone County notifies all Bidders that it will affirmatively insure 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, religion, creed, sex, age, ancestry, or national origin in consideration for an award. The Bidder will insure that Disadvantage Business Enterprises will have the opportunity to participate in the performance of this contract or any subcontracts.

Proposals must be on forms provided and all unit price bids, extensions, and totals provided thereon shall be completed fully.

Construction Bid Request and Plans may be obtained from Docucopy, LLC, 3334 Brown Station Road, Columbia, MO 65202, Telephone: (573) 814-1700 on payment of a <u>non-refundable fee of \$30.00 payable to the Road and Bridge Fund in the form of a check or money order.</u> A planholder's list is available for viewing at http://onlineplanroom.docucopyllc.com/.

SUNRISE ESTATES SUBDIVISION PAVEMENT PROJECT-PHASE I

Project Number: 07-555

An optional pre-bid conference has been scheduled for August 27, 2009 at 10:00 a.m. in the Boone County Public Works office, 5551 Highway 63 South, Columbia, Missouri. The purpose of the meeting will be to address any questions or concerns regarding the bid. All bidders are urged to attend.

All questions pertaining to the project must be received by 4:00 p.m. on August 31, 2009.