

**CALL FOR BIDS**  
**CITY OF SUMNER**  
**WHITE RIVER TRAIL EXTENSION**  
**CIP 06-05**

Sealed Bids will be received by the City of Sumner in the Office of the City Clerk located on the second floor of Sumner City Hall, 1104 Maple Street, Suite 200, Sumner, Washington 98390-1423, until **11:00 a.m. on August 9<sup>th</sup>, 2011**, as shown on the clock nearest to the desk of the City Clerk. Bids will therefore be opened and publicly read aloud. Bids received after the time fixed for Bid Opening will not be considered.

All bid proposals shall be accompanied by a proposal guarantee (certified or cashier's check or approved bond) payable to the City of Sumner in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the amount of the proposal price. Should the successful bidder fail to enter into such contract and furnish satisfactory performance bond within the time stated in the specifications, the bid proposal deposit shall be forfeited to the City of Sumner.

The City of Sumner reserves the right to waive informalities in the bidding, accept a Proposal of the lowest responsible Bidder, reject any or all Bids, republish the Call for Bids, revise or cancel the work, or require the work to be done in another way if the best interest of the City is served.

**The City of Sumner in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 78 Stat. 252, 42 U.S.C. 2000d to 2000d-4 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 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 or national origin in consideration for an award.**

The City of Sumner is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer and hereby notifies all Bidders that it will affirmatively ensure that in any Contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement disadvantaged business enterprises will be given the full opportunity to submit Bids in response to this invitation. The City of Sumner does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age, or disability in employment or the provisions of services.

Prospective bidders are strongly encouraged to attend the pre-bid walkthrough conducted by the City. The objective of the pre-bid walkthrough is to acquaint prospective bidders with the work and the conditions of the site. The pre-bid walkthrough is scheduled for **August 2<sup>nd</sup>, at 10:00 a.m.** at the following address: Sumner Meadows Golf Links, 14802 Golf Links Drive, Sumner, Washington 98390. Prospective bidders should note that the bid forms require acknowledgment that the bidder is familiar with the work site. Call 253.299.5700 for driving directions.

Plans and Specifications will be available for free electronically with online registration at the City of Sumner website ([www.ci.sumner.wa.us](http://www.ci.sumner.wa.us)). They are also available for purchase for a non-refundable fee of \$80.00 for each set, (checks must be made payable to the City of Sumner). Over-the-counter purchases may be made at Sumner City Hall, Public Works Department, 1104 Maple Street, Suite 260, Sumner, WA 98390-1432. Purchases through the mail may be arranged by calling 253.299.5700. Informational copies of maps, plans, and specifications are also available for review at the above-mentioned location. **Prime Contractors submitting a Proposal must be included on the plan holders list, which is developed and maintained by the Owner. If a bidder is not registered on the City of Sumner's official plan holders list, then their bid may be considered as nonresponsive.**

The improvements for which bids will be received are described as follows:

White River Trail Extension Project – CIP 06-05: Construction of approximately 1,700 linear feet of paved, multi-use trail including a 160-foot clear span bridge over the White River, approximately 190 feet of approach span, earthen approach embankments, retaining walls at the bridge abutments, and riparian zone enhancement plantings.

The Engineer's estimated range for this project is between \$800,000 and \$1,200,000. For technical questions, please call Ted Hill, P.E., Associate City Engineer of Sumner, at 253.299.5703.

Dated this 14<sup>th</sup> Day of July, 2011.

By: 

Mike Dahlem, P.E. – City Engineer

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