ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed Bid Proposals will be received by Construction Administration, The University of Alabama, at the Procurement Services Annex, 405 Cahaba Circle, Tuscaloosa, AL 35404, <u>Tuesday, December 17, 2019</u> until <u>2:00</u> <u>pm local time</u> for construction of the <u>2nd Avenue Overpass Project</u>, <u>UA Project #TRN-17-1106</u>, at which time they will be opened and read.

PLEASE NOTE THE LOCATION OF THE BID OPENING AND PRE-BID MEETING. The pre-bid meeting and bid opening for this project will be held at the Procurement Services Annex on the University Services Campus and NOT the Facilities Administration Building. Bidders should review advertisements and bid documents carefully during the transition period to the new location.

General/Prime Contractors are required to prequalify prior to requesting Bid Documents. PLEASE NOTE THAT THE UA MASTER LIST WILL NOT BE USED FOR THIS PROJECT. All General/Prime Contractors will need to be prequalified specifically for this project. For information on how to prequalify, please go to <u>UAbidinfo.ua.edu</u> and click on this project in the list of projects shown. Prequalification submissions must be received by 5:00pm local time <u>Tuesday, October 29, 2019</u>. Late submittals will not be accepted.

In addition, proposals will be issued only to and accepted from Contractors on the Alabama Department of Transportation's (ALDOT) List of Pre-Qualified Contractors. The award of the contract will be made only to a Contractor who has a valid certification of qualification from ALDOT as required by state law and will not be made to any bidder who is considered by ALDOT to be disqualified from bidding, or is an affiliate of or has a corporate officer, director, or principal owner who is a corporate officer, director, or owner of another person who is presently disqualified by ALDOT. Further details and definitions regarding this provision are included in Section 102 of Special Provision 18-LPA3 and ALDOT's Standard Specifications.

A mandatory pre-bid conference for General and Prime Contractors will be held at the Conference Room of the Procurement Services Annex at the above address at **3:00 pm local time** <u>Thursday, November 07, 2019</u> and continue on to the job site.

Preliminary Drawings and Specifications are open to public inspection and will be available for **EXAMINATION ONLY** starting **Monday**, **October 14**, **2019**, at <u>The University of Alabama</u>, <u>Office of Construction Administration</u> <u>Plan Room</u>, 1205 14th Street, Tuscaloosa, AL 35401. Final plans, specifications, and contract documents will be available for **EXAMINATION ONLY** at this same location starting **Tuesday**, **November 05**, **2019**.

Final plans, specifications, and contract documents will be available for Printing and/or Examination on **Tuesday**, **November 05, 2019.** For information on obtaining plans, specifications, and contract documents go to <u>UAbidinfo.ua.edu</u> or contact Jimmy Duncan, PE/PLS/LEED AP at McGiffert and Associates, LLC, 205-759-1521

For questions regarding this project, please contact UA Project Manager David Welch at 205-348-5950 or dwelch@fa.ua.edu.