STATE OF MAINE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed Bids addressed to the Maine Department of Transportation, Augusta, Maine 04333 and endorsed on the wrapper "RFP for Pump Services, Region 2" will be received from contractors at the Reception Desk, Maine DOT Building, Capitol Street, Augusta, Maine, until 11:00 o'clock A.M. (prevailing time) on January 9, 2013, and at that time and place publicly opened and read. Bids will be accepted from all bidders.

Description: The Maine Department of Transportation is accepting Proposals for pumping septic tanks and floor drain holding tanks in the Mid-Coast Maine Region.

Location: Various locations in the counties of Kennebec, Knox, Lincoln, Sagadahoc, Somerset and Waldo.

Outline of Work: Provide all labor, equipment and applicable tools for pumping septic tanks and floor drain holding tanks, as well as transport and disposal of collected material to MaineDOT specified site.

The basis of award will be determined using the criteria set forth in the Proposal Evaluation section of the Request for Proposal.

For general information regarding Bidding and Contracting procedures, contact George Macdougall at (207)624-3410. Our webpage at http://www.maine.gov/mdot/contractors/ contains a copy of the schedule of items, Plan Holders List, written portions of bid amendments (not drawings), and bid results. For Project-specific information fax all questions to Gail MacMunn at (207)624-3431. Questions received after 12:00 noon of Friday prior to bid date will not be answered. Bidders shall not contact any other Departmental staff for clarification of Contract provisions, and the Department will not be responsible for any interpretations so obtained. TTY users call Maine Relay 711.

There will be no Bid Bond, Performance or Payment Bonds required with this bid.

Bid Proposal packages, Contract Bid Books, specifications and bid forms are available at http://maine.gov/mdot/contractors/. They may be seen at the Maine DOT Building in Augusta, Maine, and at the MaineDOT's Regional Office at 45 Commerce Drive in Augusta, Maine. They can be obtained at no cost at the Department at 24 Child Street, Augusta, ME, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., or may be requested by telephone at (207)624-3536 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

Each Bid must be made upon blank forms provided by the Department.

This Contract is subject to all applicable State Laws.

All work shall be governed by "State of Maine, Department of Transportation, Standard Specifications, Revision of December 2002", price \$10 [\$13 by mail], and Standard Details, Revision of December 2002, price \$20 [\$25 by mail]. They may also be purchased by telephone at (207)624-3536 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Standard Detail updates can be found at http://www.maine.gov/mdot/contractors/publications/.

The right is hereby reserved to the Maine DOT to reject any or all bids.

Augusta, Maine December 12, 2012

> HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE ENGINEER BUREAU OF MAINTENANCE & OPERATIONS

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