

INVITATION TO BID – BID NO. 2020-16-61

The City of Copperas Cove is soliciting proposals for the construction of the following project: Copperas Cove Transportation Alternative (TA) Program - THE NARROWS PEDESTRIAN IMPROVEMENTS. Proposals must be received at Copperas Cove City Hall, no later than **2:00 P.M., CDST, FRIDAY, MAY 15, 2020**, to be accepted. Bids received after this time will be returned unopened. Address proposals to Robert (Bobby) A. Lewis, Development Services Director, City of Copperas Cove, PO Box 1449, 914 South Main, Suite G, Copperas Cove, TX 76522. Bid must be clearly marked "Copperas Cove Transportation Alternative (TA) Program - THE NARROWS PEDESTRIAN IMPROVEMENTS". The proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud at 2:05 p.m. at the Copperas Cove Technology Center, 508 S. 2nd St., Copperas Cove, TX 76522.

Bid/Contract Documents, including Drawings and Technical Specifications may be obtained free of charge by logging onto www.civcastUSA.com. Written questions must be submitted online by posting to this project through the Q&A function of www.civcastUSA.com.

This project includes construction of 10' wide bicycle / pedestrian shared use pathways for the Copperas Cove Transportation Alternative (TA) Program - THE NARROWS PEDESTRIAN IMPROVEMENTS. Bidders must submit a cashier's check, certified check, or acceptable bidder's bond with their proposal as a guarantee that the Bidder will enter into a contract for the project with the Owner within fifteen (15) days of Notice of Award of the contract. The security must be payable to the City of Copperas Cove in the amount of five percent (5%) of the bid submitted. Contractor must execute the contract, bonds and certificates of insurance on the forms provided in the Contract Documents. Contractors for this project must pay no less than the prevailing wage rates for the area established by the Owner and included in the contract documents. Performance and Payment Bonds are required. The City of Copperas Cove reserves the right to adopt the most advantageous interpretation of the bids submitted in the case of ambiguity or lack of clearness in stating proposal prices, to reject any or all bids, and/or waive formalities. Bids may not be withdrawn within thirty (30) days from date on which bids are opened.

Note that an eight percent (8%) Disadvantaged Business Enterprise goal has been set by the Texas Department of Transportation on this project.

A voluntary pre-bid conference will be held in the Copperas Cove Technology Center, 508 S. 2nd St., Copperas Cove, TX 76522 on Thursday, May 7, 2020, at 10:30 a.m. Although attendance is not required, it is highly recommended.

Robert (Bobby) A. Lewis
Development Services Director
City of Copperas Cove