

NOTICE OF INVITATION TO BID

CITY OF ROANOKE, VIRGINIA

Sealed Bids for:

AVENHAM-FRANKLIN ROAD TURNING LANE

ROANOKE, VIRGINIA

The Work includes the construction of a new turning lane for traffic flowing from the northeast direction of Franklin Road into Avenham Avenue. This Work includes demolition work and installation of asphalt concrete pavement, curb and gutter, sidewalk, drainage structures and landscaping.

BID NO. 08-07-12

will be received by the City of Roanoke by Sharon T. Gentry, Manager, Purchasing Division, 215 Church Avenue, S.W., **Room 202**, Roanoke, Virginia 24011, at or before 2:00 p.m., local time, on Thursday, October 11, 2007. Bids received after 2:00 p.m. will not be accepted or considered.

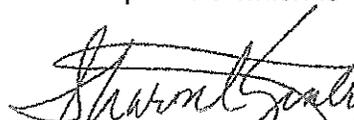
The Invitation to Bid, Instructions to Bidders, plans, specifications, the Contract, and other Contract Documents may be examined during business hours at the Office of the City Engineer, 215 Church Avenue, S.W., Room 350, Roanoke, Virginia 24011 (Phone: 540-853-2731). The documents can also be reviewed at McGraw Hill Construction Dodge, 5815 B Airport Road; Valley Construction News, 428 West Campbell Avenue; and at Southwest Virginia Community Development Fund, 401 Gainsboro Road, N.W.; all of Roanoke, Virginia. Documents may also be viewed online at https://again1.nextplans.com/index.cfm?id=southern_graphics. For online questions, contact Janice Dunleavy at 540-342-6449. Copies of the documents may be obtained only from Southern Graphics Services, 2332 Franklin Road, SW, Roanoke, Virginia 24014, Phone 540-342-6449 by submitting a deposit of Thirty Five Dollars (\$35.00) per set. The City will not be responsible for documents obtained from any other source. Payment shall be in the form of check or money order, and shall be made out to Southern Graphics, with the project name written on the deposit. A deposit for each set as stated above will be required as a guarantee of the safe return of the documents within fourteen (14) days of bid opening. This deposit will be refunded in full if the documents are returned in good condition. A separate nonrefundable charge of Fifteen Dollars (\$15.00) is required to cover the cost of ground shipping.

A non-mandatory pre-bid conference will be conducted on Thursday, September 20, 2007 at 10:00a.m. local time, at corner of Avenham and Franklin Roads.

Claims for withdrawal of bids shall only be made within two (2) business days after the opening of bids as set forth in part (i) of Section 2.2 - 4330 (A), Code of Virginia (1950), as amended.

The City expressly reserves the right to cancel and/or reject any or all bids, to waive any informality or irregularity in the bids received, and to accept a bid which is deemed to be in the best interest of the City.

Sept 4, 2007
Date



Sharon T. Gentry, Manager
Purchasing Division
City of Roanoke, Virginia