

## **Preliminary Engineering Services Peace Road Bridges**

### **Overview:**

The DeKalb County Highway Department is in need of Phase I & II engineering services for the widening of two existing structures on Peace Road on the west side of Sycamore, IL. The structure numbers are 019-4506 and 019-4507.

DeKalb County ultimately plans to widen Peace Road to multiple lanes between Illinois Route 64 and Illinois Route 23. This project includes the widening of two bridges and related road widening in the immediate vicinity of each bridge.

The project is expected to involve wetlands and flood plain.

### **Consultant Scope of Services:**

Phase I & II preliminary engineering services are needed for all necessary work to receive Design Approval and to prepare the plans, specifications and estimates (PS&E) package. This project is anticipated to be processed as a State Approved Categorical Exclusion. Specific tasks include but are not limited to:

- Data collection and survey
- Environmental studies coordination
- Prepare IDOT forms including the PDR
- Prepare contract plans and project special provisions/specifications
- Prepare estimates of cost and time
- Right of Way acquisition including Highway Plats and Legals.

An environmental survey request will be submitted by the consultant after the limits of any compensatory storage are determined.

Phase I & II engineering are expected to be completed for a spring 2023 letting. The construction cost for this project is estimated to be \$3,600,000.

### **Project Parameters:**

1. Preliminary Engineering will be funded with local funds only.
2. The prime firm must be IDOT prequalified in the following categories:
  - Structures: Highway-Typical
3. Construction will be funded with local funds and MFT funds only.
4. The construction contract will be awarded by DeKalb County.

***Statements of interest are due Monday, February 8, 2021 by 3:00 p.m. and may either be mailed to:***

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1826 Barber Greene Road  
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***or sent via email to:*** highway@dekalbcounty.org.

**Shortlisted firms will be notified by mid-February 2021. A statement of qualifications and/or an interview will be requested from each shortlisted firm.**