



## **NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

Sealed bids for the COROLLA ABC STORE will be received by Currituck County until 2:00 pm on Wednesday, November 9th on the 2nd floor Historic Courthouse, Board of Commissioners Meeting Room located at 153 Courthouse Road, Currituck, North Carolina and then publicly opened and read.

The scope of work for this project is completion of a site and building project that was partially constructed approximately two years ago. Construction will include completion of the parking lot and sidewalks, roof drainage system, grading and landscaping and construction of the building on an existing concrete slab at the site located at the corner of Ocean Trail (NC 12) and Devil's Bay in Corolla, North Carolina.

Sealed bids may also be mailed to Currituck County, Crystal Owens, Contract Purchasing Agent, 153 Courthouse Road, Suite 101, Currituck, NC 27929 . It is the bidder's responsibility; however, to make sure that the bid is received at the bid opening location.

Digital PDF copies of the Contract Drawings and Specifications shall be requested from Crystal Owens, Contract Purchasing Agent by email at [Bids@currituckcountync.gov](mailto:Bids@currituckcountync.gov). Plans must be requested from Crystal Owens in order to be registered as a plan holder. The County is not responsible for full or partial sets of Contract Documents obtained from any other source.

Each bid must be accompanied by cash or a certified check, drawn on a bank or trust company authorized to do business in North Carolina, payable to the County of Currituck in an amount at least equal to five percent (5%) of the total amount of the bid, as a guarantee that a contract will be entered into. In lieu of cash or a certified check, the Bidder may submit a bid bond in the form prescribed in G.S. 143-129 as amended by Chapter 1104 of the Public Laws of 1951.

There will be a pre-bid conference on Wednesday, October 19th, 2022 at 10:00 am in the Currituck County Public Safety Support Building located at 101 College Way in Barco, NC. ATTENDANCE AT THE PRE-BID MEETING IS REQUIRED FOR BID SUBMISSION.

Small Business Entities, Women Owned Businesses, Minority Owned Businesses, Veteran and Service-disabled Veteran Owned Businesses are encouraged to submit bids.

The Owner has set a verifiable goal of ten percent (10%) participation by Minority Business Participation for the construction contract. The Contractor shall comply with the State of North Carolina Historically Underutilized Program requirements in solicitation and preparation of their bid. Noncompliance with this program shall be grounds for declaring a bidder non-responsive.

The Owner reserves the right to waive any informalities or to reject any or all bids. The right is reserved to hold all bids for a period of sixty (60) days from the date they are opened.

The County of Currituck is an equal opportunity employer and service provider.