

RESOLUTION NO. _____

CALL FOR BIDS

WHEREAS, the Board of Skagit County Commissioners deems it advisable to improve Helmick Road; and,

WHEREAS, it is the duty of the Board to instruct the Clerk of the Board to issue a Call for Bids for these improvements.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Skagit County Commissioners hereby instructs the Clerk of the Board to issue a Call for Bids for the "Helmick Road Project". Bids to be opened on Tuesday, May 30, 2006, at 9:45 a.m., or as soon thereafter as possible.

ITEM FOR BID

This contract provides for the improvement of Helmick Road. This project consists of rebuilding approximately 6800 feet of Helmick Road between SR 20 and Nuwha-Ah Lane, installation of a 150 foot concrete bridge, improvements at the intersection of SR 20 and Helmick Road, and creek channel improvements and other work all in accordance with the attached Contract Plans, these Contract Provisions, the Standard Plans, and the 2006 Washington State Department of Transportation Standard Specifications for Road Bridge and Municipal Construction.

WITNESS OUR HANDS and the official seal of our office this 8th day of May 2006.



BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SKAGIT COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Kenneth A. Dahlstedt

Kenneth A. Dahlstedt, Chairman

Ted W. Anderson

Ted W. Anderson, Commissioner

Don Munks

Don Munks, Commissioner

ATTEST:

JoAnne Giesbrecht

JoAnne Giesbrecht, Clerk
Skagit County Board of Commissioners

NOTICE OF CALL FOR BIDS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sealed bids will be received and publicly opened in the Commissioners' Hearing Room, 1800 Continental Place, Mount Vernon, Washington, on Tuesday, May 30, 2006, at the hour of 9:45 a.m., or as soon thereafter as possible, for the following construction work for Skagit County:

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All bid proposals shall be accompanied by a bid proposal deposit in cash, certified check, cashier's check or surety bond in an amount equal to 5 percent of the amount of such bid proposal. Should the successful bidder fail to enter into such contract and furnish satisfactory performance bond within the time stated in the specifications, the bid proposal deposit shall be forfeited to Skagit County.

Information, copies of maps, plans and specifications are on file in the Skagit County Public Works Department, 1800 Continental Place, Mount Vernon, Washington, 98273-5625; (360) 336-9400, or you may receive the bid information electronically, copies of the plans and specifications are available at <http://www.skagitcounty.net/rfp> Project questions may be directed to David E. Lee, P.E., Leonard, Boudinot & Skodje, Inc., 360-336-5751

A Pre-Bid Conference will be held on May 23, 2006 at 10:00 a.m. in the Skagit County Parks Department large gravel parking lot on the west side of Helmick Road.

A non-refundable fee of \$.15 per sheet for a total of \$40.00 will be charged for each set of bid documents. Payments may be made by check, Visa or MasterCard. Checks shall be made payable to Skagit County. Payment must be made prior to receipt of bid documents.

Skagit County, in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 78 Stat. 252, 42 U.S.C. 2000d to 2000d-4 and Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Part 21, nondiscrimination in federally assisted programs of the Department of Transportation issued pursuant to such Act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color or national origin in consideration for an award.

All bid envelopes must be plainly marked on the outside, "Sealed Bid, Helmick Road Project". Sealed bids shall be received at one of the following locations before **May 30, 2006**, at the hour of: 9:45 a.m.

1. **Hand delivered:** Bids delivered in person shall be received only at the office of the SKAGIT COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, Reception Desk, 1800 Continental Place, Suite 100, Mount Vernon, WA 98273.
2. **Via mail:** Bids shall be mailed to the SKAGIT COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, 1800 Continental Place, Suite 100, Mount Vernon, WA 98273.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

NOTICE GIVEN BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS THIS 8th day of May 2006.


JOANNE GIESBRECHT, Clerk of the Board

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