

BEN FRANKLIN TRANSIT ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

A non-mandatory Pre-Bid Conference will be held virtually via Microsoft Teams at 10:00am on September 15, 2020. Please contact Errika Armatrout at EArmatrout@bft.org in advance to provide your contact information if you plan on joining for instructions or click on the hyperlink below.

Join MS Teams Meeting here: [Join Microsoft Teams Meeting](#)

Link provided: <https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup->

If difficulties are encountered: please contact Errika Armatrout at (509) 318-5867 for assistance.

For a copy of the Invitation for Bid (IFB) please email a request to: Errika Armatrout, Procurement Analyst, Office Phone: (509) 734-5187 Fax: (509) 735-9880 EArmatrout@bft.org. Bid documents may also be viewed at local and regional plan centers.

Prevailing Wages

Washington State prevailing wages will be required for both Benton and Franklin Counties.

Equal Employment Opportunity

The contractor will be required to comply with all applicable Equal Opportunity laws and regulations.

Disadvantage Business Goals

Use of DBE/MBE/WBE/MWBE/UDBE contractors and suppliers is encouraged but not mandatory. Contractors submitting bids may contact the Washington State Office of Minority and Women's Business Enterprise to obtain information on certified firms.

WISHA and OSHA Regulations

The contractor agrees to abide by all laws, rules and regulations promulgated by the United States of America, the State of Washington, or any agencies or subdivisions thereof, specifically including WISHA and OSHA regulations currently in effect at time RFQ due date and during the agreement term.

Protest Procedure Policy

BFT's protest procedure policy can be obtained by contacting BFT's Buyer at the above address or phone number. Contractors who can demonstrate substantial economic interest may protest BFT's decision regarding a provision of the Request for Proposal or contract award.

Questions about this project should be provided in writing to:

Errika Armatrout
Procurement Analyst
EArmatrout@bft.org

At its sole discretion, Ben Franklin Transit reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to waive as an informality any immaterial irregularities in the bids received.