ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT REQUEST FOR LETTERS OF INTEREST

Notice is hereby given that the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department in coordination with the Arkansas Department of Parks and Tourism is seeking letters of interest from qualified consulting firms to conduct a study for the Arkansas State Bicycle and Pedestrian Transportation Plan.

The Arkansas State Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan will establish a framework for planning, development, and implementation of safe and usable facilities for bicycle and pedestrian transportation during the transportation planning process and shall be in accordance with the U.S. Department of Transportation's 2010 Policy Statement on Bicycle and Pedestrian Accommodation Regulations and Recommendations.

A letter of interest, together with primary contact information and Architect-Engineer Qualifications Standard Form 330 Parts I and II available at http://arkansashighways.com/consultant_services/advertisements/sf330_e2014-10-31.pdf should be addressed to:

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Five (5) sets of paper responses and a copy in pdf format on a Compact Disc (CD) must be received no later than 3:00 p.m. (CDT) on September 25, 2012. Any responses received after this deadline will not be considered.

After a review of all letters of interest received, selected firms will be furnished a scope of work and requested to submit proposals for accomplishing the work.

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