#### **REQUEST FOR BIDS**

# ROCK BLASTING SERVICES HAMILTON COUNTY, TEXAS

**I. INTRODUCTION** Hamilton County, Texas, is seeking bids from qualified contractors to provide rock blasting services for county road and infrastructure projects. The successful bidder will be responsible for furnishing all labor, equipment, materials, and expertise necessary to complete the blasting operations in accordance with applicable regulations and safety standards.

## II. SCOPE OF WORK The scope of work includes, but is not limited to:

- Site evaluation and assessment.
- Drilling, loading and blasting of rock formations as specified by the County.
- Compliance with all federal, state, and local laws and safety regulations.
- Coordination with County officials as necessary.

### III. BID REQUIREMENTS Bidders must submit the following information:

- 1. Company Information: Name, address, contact person, phone number, and email.
- 2. Experience and Qualifications: A list of similar projects completed within the last five (5) years, including references.
- 3. Licensing and Insurance: Proof of appropriate licensing and insurance coverage, including general liability and workers' compensation.
- 4. **Proposed Approach**: Description of the methods, equipment, and safety measures to be used.
- 5. **Pricing**: A detailed breakdown of costs, including mobilization, per cubic yard pricing, and any other applicable fees.
- 6. Project Timeline: Estimated start and completion dates.

IV. BID SUBMISSION All bids must be sealed and clearly marked "Rock Blasting Services Bid – Hamilton County, Texas" and submitted to the following address no later than Friday March 14, 2025 at 4:00 p.m.

Hamilton County Clerk 102 N. Rice Street Suite 107 Hamilton County, Texas Attn: Rachel Lamb Geeslin

Late submissions will not be considered.

V. BID OPENING Bids will be publicly opened at 9:00 a.m. during a regular meeting of the Hamilton County Commissioners Court on March 25, 2025. Bidders are encouraged to attend but are not required.

VI. SELECTION CRITERIA Bids will be evaluated based on the following criteria:

- · Experience and qualifications
- · Safety record and compliance
- Cost competitiveness
- · Proposed timeline

### VII. GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- Hamilton County reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
- The County is not responsible for any costs incurred in bid preparation.
- The selected contractor must enter into a formal contract with Hamilton County before commencing work.
- The County reserves the right to modify the scope of work as necessary.

VIII. CONTACT INFORMATION For questions regarding this Request for Bids, please contact:

Commissioner Dickie Clary 254-386-6260 Dickie.clary@co.hamilton.tx.us

END OF REQUEST FOR BIDS