

**REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL**

**TO PERFORM**

**CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERING**

**January 13, 2025**

**FOR PROJECT:**

**BRC-1802(058) PCN 23972**

Structure Replacement  
Structure #18-120-17.0

PROPOSALS MUST BE DELIVERED TO  
THE OFFICE OF THE GRAND FORKS COUNTY ENGINEER  
1700 N Columbia Road  
Grand Forks, ND 58203  
By 1:00 PM, January 13, 2025

**REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS  
TO PERFORM  
CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERING SERVICES  
FOR GRAND FORKS COUNTY**

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Grand Forks County will engage the services of prequalified engineering firms to perform Construction Engineering on the following project in Grand Forks County scheduled to be completed in 2025.

**BRC-1802(058), PCN 23972; The project consists of the replacement of an existing bridge with a 114' 2 span prestressed concrete bridge located approximately 2 miles north of Arvilla, ND.**

Key project elements include removal of the existing structure, 114' 2 span prestressed concrete bridge, grading, salvaged base course and hot mix asphalt placement.

Work to be performed by Consultant includes:

**Construction Services:** Perform Project Management, Project Administration, Construction Observation, Construction Survey, Materials Testing, and Final Record Keeping. The work will need to follow NDDOT standards and procedures. Additional services, if required, may be negotiated and supplemental agreements issued based on the consultant's performance, the consultant's proposal and available funding.

Firms are invited to submit a proposal for the project listed above. The Proposals shall provide the following information:

- Past Performance
- Ability of professional personnel
- Willingness to meet time and budget requirements
- Location
- Recent, current, and projected workloads of the persons and/or firms
- Related experience on similar projects
- Recent and current work for the County
- Project understanding, issues, & approach

The proposal pages shall be numbered and must be limited to 10 pages in length. Proposals that exceed the 10 page length requirement will not be considered. The cover letter will not be counted as one of the 10 pages. The proposal should list the personnel who will be assigned to work on the project, including titles, education, and work experience. Grand Forks County will only consider proposals received prior to **1:00 PM, January 13, 2025**. Late proposals will be deemed unresponsive.

The consultant's proposal may include an appendix. Resumes, references, a statement of qualifications and other materials outlining experience may be included in an appendix. The appendix will not be considered as a part of the 10 page proposal. Each proposal will be evaluated by a selection committee.

Grand Forks County will conduct interviews. The County plans to interview up to three (3) of the most qualified engineering firms based on whose proposals most clearly meet the RFP requirements. Interviews will take place on a date to be determined by the County. Firms not selected to be interviewed will be notified in writing.

Fees shall be negotiated with the successful firm. If the fee cannot be agreed upon, the County reserves the right to terminate negotiations, and then negotiate with the second and third ranked firms in order, if necessary, until a satisfactory contract has been negotiated.

All costs associated with the proposal shall be borne by the proposer. The County reserves the right to reject any and/or all proposals and to not award contracts for any and/or all projects.

Engineering firms interested in performing the work shall submit three (3) hard bound copies and an electronic pdf file of their proposal to:

Grand Forks County Engineer  
1700 N Columbia Road  
Grand Forks, ND 58203

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701-780-8248  
[nick.west@gfcounty.org](mailto:nick.west@gfcounty.org)

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