

## Invitation to Bid

Sealed bids for the construction of eight bus shelters will be received by Lummi Indian Business Council Public Works Department at the reception desk located on the second floor of the LIBC Administration Building, 2665 Kwina Road, Bellingham, WA until 1:30 p.m. on February 28, 2017 and will then and there be opened and publically read.

This contract provides for construction and installation of eight (8) bus shelters at various locations on the Lummi Indian Reservation. The work to be performed under this contract includes the installation of concrete pads, culverts, bus shelters, temporary erosion control, traffic control, and other work, all in accordance with the Contract Plans, the Contract Provisions, and the Standard Specifications. This project includes a 4 percent DBE goal. The Lummi Nation Tribal Employment Rights Ordinance (TERO) applies to this project for contractor and subcontractors.

The Work shall be physically complete within 120 working days after the commencement date stated in the Notice to Proceed.

All bid proposals shall be accompanied by a bid proposal deposit in cash, certified check, cashier's check, or surety bond in the amount equal to five percent (5%) of the amount of such bid proposal. Should the successful bidder fail to enter into such contract and furnish satisfactory performance and payment bonds within the time stated in the specifications, the bid proposal deposit shall be forfeited to the Lummi Indian Business Council.

The Lummi Indian Business Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive informalities in the bidding.

Contract Provisions and Contract Plans for this project are available through the Lummi Indian Business Council online plan room. Free-of-charge access is provided to Prime Bidders, Subcontractors, and Vendors by visiting: "<http://bxwa.com>" and clicking on: "Posted Projects", "Public Works" and "Lummi Nation - Planning & Public Works". Bidders are encouraged to "Register" in order to receive automatic email notification of future addenda and to be placed on the "Bidders List". This online plan room provides Bidders with fully useable online documents with the ability to: download and print to your own printer. Contact Builders Exchange of Washington at (425) 258-1303 should you require assistance.

**The Lummi Indian Business Council 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 ensure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises as defined at 49 CFR Part 26 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, national origin, or sex in consideration for an award.**