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**Inner Harbor Navigation Canal Seabrook Bridge First and Second Link  
Pin Repairs**  
Port of New Orleans

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## INVITATION TO BID

### **INNER HARBOR - NAVIGATION CANAL SEABROOK BRIDGE FIRST AND SECOND LINK PIN REPAIRS**

The Board of Commissioners of the Port of New Orleans (Board) will receive sealed bids in the Purchasing Department, 2nd floor, Room 240, 1350 Port of New Orleans Place, New Orleans, Louisiana 70130 on Tuesday, February 21, 2017 until 11:00 A.M., local time, for Work Order No. 1-180.

The work consists of furnishing all labor and equipment, and material not provided by the Board, for the repair and replacement of pins on the lakeside and riverside truss second link joints and repair and replacement of retainer bolts on the lakeside and riverside truss first link joints, including all temporary supports of the bridge counterweight, as per the drawings and specifications provided in this bid document. The site is located at the Seabrook Bridge, 5550 Hayne Boulevard in New Orleans, Louisiana. The estimated cost for this project is \$3,000,000 to \$5,000,000, not incorporating Daily User Costs as described in the Instructions to Bidders.

All Bids must be in accordance with the Bidding Documents on file with the Port of New Orleans.

**Complete contract documents may be obtained at Contract Administration on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, Room 240, at the above address on a payment of a non-refundable fee of \$35.00 per set by check or money order only, payable to the Board of Commissioners of the Port of New Orleans. In accordance with La. R.S. 38:2212 (A) (1) (e), contract documents may also be accessed at our Port Plan Room, Port of New Orleans Web Site at [www.portno.com/active-construction-projects](http://www.portno.com/active-construction-projects). Supplemental/reference drawings may be obtained by contacting Randy Songy at 504-528-3308 or [songyr@portno.com](mailto:songyr@portno.com)**

If request for contract documents is made through U.S. mail or other delivery services, bidder must furnish a street mailing address and will be held responsible for service fees.

A pre-bid conference will be held on Wednesday, February 1, 2017 at 10:00 a.m. local time at the site. **Bidders are urged to attend.**

Federal regulations require that persons seeking entry to secure areas of United States ports must present a valid Transportation Workers Identification Credential (TWIC) card and must maintain possession of the TWIC at all times in secure port areas. The Seabrook Bridge is not considered a secure port area, and no TWIC card is necessary.

Proposal forms will be issued only to those contractors complying with state licensing laws for contractors, La. R.S. 37:2163. On any bid submitted in the amount of \$50,000 or more, the contractor must hold at the time this bid is opened a valid license issued by the Louisiana Licensing Board for Contractors. This project is classified as Highway, Street, and Bridge Construction. Objection to the required classification should be filed

in accordance with La. R.S. 37:2163 as stated by the Louisiana State Licensing Board for Contractors.

A deposit of five percent (5%) of the cost of the contract price of work to be done for the Base Bid plus all additive Alternate Bid prices, by certified check, cashier's check or bid bond is required, and the bidder to whom the contract is awarded shall also be required to furnish a performance bond in the total amount of the bid. The bid bond must be furnished in accordance with the requirements of La. R.S. 38:2218, and the performance bond in accordance with the provisions of La. R.S. 38:2219.

Work in the amount of at least 40 percent (40%) of total amount of contract as awarded shall be performed by contractor at the construction site or within his own shop, plant, or yard with his own employees.

The Board as an equal opportunity public entity invites and encourages minority-owned and disadvantaged business companies to submit bids on its projects.

Hard copies of the contract documents are available for purchase. Electronic copies of the contract documents are available to prospective bidders via our Port Plan Room on the Port of New Orleans' web site at [www.portno.com](http://www.portno.com). Contract documents may also be available via e-mail to prospective bidders.

For general information or for questions related to bidding, please contact:

Ms. Antonia Taylor, Port Manager  
Port of New Orleans  
Phone: (504) 528-3244  
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Technical questions should be addressed to the following:

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These individuals are not authorized to and shall not render legal opinions or advice. No information will be given regarding the proper evidence of corporate authority as required in this bid. Each bidder is advised to consult his own counsel for such information.

Please be advised that these individuals are not the legal representatives of the Board.