## Memorandum - City of Gulfport

## **Purchasing**

To:

The Honorable Mayor and City Council

From: Connie Debenport, Purchasing Manager

**Date:** January 9, 2014

Ref:

Term Contract E- Ready Mix Concrete

Contract Period 01/01/2014 thru 12-31-2014 Renewable Period 01/01/2015 thru 12/31/2015

We have reviewed the only bid received on the above referenced group and recommend rejection and re-advertising due to the limited response as well as costs.

Please see attached copy of legal notice for your review and approval. Thank you for your consideration.

## Notice to Bidders

Notice is hereby given that the City of Gulfport will receive sealed bids until Ten O'clock A.M., Local Time, February 24, 2014, in the Procurement Department, located at 1410 24th Ave, Gulfport, MS 39501 for furnishing the City of Gulfport as ordered below:

Group E Ready Mix Concrete

Above item is to be submitted on the bid form as provided. Failure to do so may disqualify the bidder. Bid packages may be obtained from the Purchasing Office, Hardy Building 1410 24<sup>th</sup> Ave, Gulfport, MS 39501, between the hours of 8:00 A.M. AND 5:00 P.M., Monday through Friday. Bid packages may be faxed or emailed upon request by contacting the Purchasing Office at 228-868-5705, Ext 6550 or email at <a href="mailto:cdebenport@gulfportms.gov">cdebenport@gulfportms.gov</a>.

Bids are to be submitted in sealed envelopes, marked "SEALED BID" and the group number as applicable in the lower left hand corner of the envelope.

The City reserves the right to accept bids by items or by group and to reject any or all bids if deemed to be in the best interest of the City of Gulfport. Bids will be awarded to the "lowest and best" bid submitted.

The owner is NOT responsible for bids which are mailed to the wrong address or which arrive in the mail after the designated bid opening time. Bids may be delivered in person to the Owner's office prior to the bid opening at the time, date and location listed above.

Minority and Women's business enterprises are solicited to bid on this contract as prime contractors and are encouraged to make inquiries regarding potential subcontracting opportunities and equipment, material and/or supply needs.

Ad Dates:

January 24, 2014

January 31, 2014