

## LEWIS COUNTY NOTICE TO CONSULTANTS FOR:

### **Request for Proposal (RFP) Annual Wetland and Stream Services**

Lewis County Department of Public Works (County) solicits interest from consultants who wish to be evaluated and considered to provide Countywide Annual Wetland and Stream Services. This will include but is not limited to upcoming Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) funded projects and Lewis County Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) projects. The agreement(s) will be for one (1) year in duration with an option to extend for an additional year. The agreement amount is not to exceed \$100,000. *If necessary, the Agreement may be supplemented for additional time and/or money, by mutual agreement.*

#### **Project Description**

The County has eight (8) upcoming projects that will receive funds from FHWA as part of the TIP, which include Harrison Avenue Improvements, King Rd MP 12.26 Bridge Scour, Sargent Rd MP 1.33 Bridge Scour, Wildwood Rd MP 10.14 Bridge Scour, Senn Rd MP 0.89 Bridge Scour, and Davison Rd MP 0.01 Bridge Rehabilitation or as part of the FHWA Emergency Relief Program, which will include Garrard Creek Road Scour Repair and Wildwood Road Slide Repair. Additionally, the County has forty (42) upcoming projects that may receive funds from FHWA as part of either, or a combination of, the Culvert AOP (Aquatic Organism Passage) Program and/or the Promoting Resilient Operations for Transformative, Efficient, and Cost-Saving Transportation (PROTECT) grant(s), which include Independence Rd MP 3.17 Culvert Replacement, Harris Rd MP 0.06, 0.27, and 1.49 Culvert Replacements, Manners Rd MP 1.54 Culvert Replacement, Elk Creek Rd MP 0.405 Culvert Replacement, Ingalls Rd MP 0.108 Bridge Replacement, Bunker Creek Rd MP 2.681 Culvert Replacement, Holcomb Rd MP 0.819 Culvert Replacement, Haywire Rd MP 2.40 and 2.55 Culvert Replacements, Harkum Rd MP 0.802 Culvert Replacement, Harkum Rd MP 0.872 Culvert Replacement, Wendling Rd MP 0.106 Culvert Replacement, Lost Valley Rd MP 1.657 Culvert Replacement, Pe Ell McDonald MP 4.032 and 4.778 Culvert Replacements, King Rd MP 11.57 Culvert Replacement, Borovec Rd MP 0.032 Culvert Replacement, Bishop Rd MP 2.839 Culvert Replacement, Newaukum Valley Rd MP 2.366 Culvert Replacement, Rush Rd MP 1.315 Culvert Replacement, Lucas Creek Rd MP 4.24 Culvert Replacement, Lucas Creek Rd MP 4.39 Culvert Replacement, Wildwood Rd MP 8.54 Culvert Replacement, Wildwood Rd MP 7.88 Culvert Replacement, Magnus Rd MP 0.541 Culvert Replacement, Johnson Rd MP 0.492 Culvert Replacement, Jackson Hwy S MP 0.639 Culvert Replacement, Pleasant Valley Rd MP 1.5 Bridge Replacement, Cline Rd MP 4.15 Culvert Replacement, Cline Rd MP 6.384 Culvert Replacement, Cline Rd MP 9.17 Culvert Replacement, Telegraph Rd MP 0.774 Bridge Replacement, Toledo Salmon Creek Rd MP 1.20 Culvert Replacement, Olequa Dr MP 0.378 Culvert Replacement, Spencer Rd MP 5.38 Bridge Replacement, Spencer Rd MP 5.53 Culvert Replacement, Davis Lake Rd MP 1.345 Culvert Replacement, Mienars Rd MP 0.108 Culvert Replacement, SR 508 MP 31.82 Culvert Replacement, and Sewer Plant Rd MP 0.13 Culvert Replacement. Partial funding will also be received from the County Road Administration Board (CRAB) for the Countywide 3R Program, which includes four (4) projects at Howe Rd MP 0.00-3.315, Pigeon Springs Rd MP 0.00-2.538, Classe Rd MP 0.00-2.117, and Ferrier Rd MP 0.721-3.739. The fifty four (54) above-listed projects may require delineation of wetlands or other waters. See Vicinity Map (Figure 1).

Harrison Avenue Improvements will include widening the roadway to accommodate future development. Proposed work will include roadway widening, installation of sidewalks, intersection

improvements, and the installation and upgrade of signage and other traffic control devices as well as safety and drainage improvements. Work will occur along Harrison Avenue from MP 0.548 to 2.544; legal description Township 15 North, Range 2 West, Section 31 and Township 15 North, Range 3 West, Sections 25 and 36, Willamette Meridian.

King Rd MP 12.26 Bridge Scour will include repair of abutments and armoring of these areas with riprap, concrete A-Jacks®, or equivalent. Work will occur at King Rd Bridge #147 spanning Lake Creek near Curtis, WA; legal description Township 13 North, Range 3 West, Section 30, Willamette Meridian.

Sargent MP 1.33 Bridge Scour will include the repair of abutments and armoring of these areas with riprap, concrete A-Jacks® or equivalent. Work will occur at Sargent Rd Bridge #172 spanning Olequa Creek near Winlock, WA; legal description Township 12 North, Range 2 West, Sections 14 and 23, Willamette Meridian.

Wildwood MP 10.14 Bridge Scour will include the repair of abutments and armoring of these areas with riprap, concrete A-Jacks® or equivalent. Work will occur at Wildwood Rd Bridge #3 spanning the South Fork Chehalis River near Boistfort, WA; legal description Township 12 North, Range 4 West, Section 24, Willamette Meridian.

Senn MP 0.89 Bridge Scour will include the repair of abutments and armoring of these areas with riprap, concrete A-Jacks® or equivalent. Work will occur at Senn Rd Bridge #77 spanning Lucas Creek near Onalaska, WA; legal description Township 13 North, Range 1 West, Section 2, Willamette Meridian.

Davison Rd MP 0.01 Bridge Rehabilitation will include performing structural repairs/upgrades. Work will occur at Davison Rd Bridge #1 spanning the Tilton River near Morton, WA; legal description Township 13 North, Range 4 East, Section 33, Willamette Meridian.

Garrard Creek Road Long Term Scour Repair will include the installation of anchored large woody debris along the bank. Work will occur from MP 2.75 to 2.81 on Garrard Creek Rd within and adjacent to Independence Creek near Rochester, WA; legal description Township 15 North, Range 5 West, Section 26, Willamette Meridian.

Wildwood Road Slide Repair will include the reconstruction of the existing roadway. This project is located from MP 1.35 to 1.55 on Wildwood Road; legal description Township 11 North, 3 West, Section 33, Willamette Meridian.

Independence Crk Trib at Independence Fish Passage/Independence Rd MP 3.17 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur within and adjacent to an unnamed tributary to Independence Creek near Rochester, WA; legal description Township 15 North, Range 4 West, Section 15, Willamette Meridian.

Independence Creek Trib at Harris Rd Fish Passage/Harris Rd MP 0.06, 0.27, and 1.49 Culvert Replacements will include replacement of three culverts with fish passable structures and stream regrades. Work will occur within and adjacent to an unnamed tributary to Independence Creek near Rochester, WA; legal description Township 15 North, Range 4 West, Sections 15 and 16, Willamette Meridian.

Independence Creek Trib at Manners Rd Fish Passage/Manners Rd MP 1.54 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will

occur within and adjacent to an unnamed tributary to Independence Creek near Rochester, WA; legal description Township 15 North, Range 4 West, Section 29, Willamette Meridian.

Chehalis River Trib at Elk Creek Rd MP 0.405/Elk Creek Rd MP 0.405 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur within and adjacent to an unnamed tributary to the Chehalis River near Doty, WA; legal description Township 13 North, Range 5 West, Sections 3 and 10, Willamette Meridian.

Bunker Creek at Ingalls Rd Fish Passage/Ingalls Rd MP 0.108 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur within and adjacent to Bunker Creek near Adna, WA; legal description Township 14 North, Range 4 West, Sections 8 and 9, Willamette Meridian.

Van Ornum at Bunker Creek Rd Fish Passage/Bunker Creek Rd MP 2.681 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur within and adjacent to Van Ornum Creek near Adna, WA; legal description Township 13 North, Range 3 West, Section 5, Willamette Meridian.

Ripple Creek at Holcomb Rd Fish Passage/Holcomb Rd MP 0.819 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a bridge with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur within and adjacent to Ripple Creek near Napavine, WA; legal description Township 13 North, Range 2 West, Section 29, Willamette Meridian.

Ripple Creek at Haywire Rd Fish Passage/Haywire Rd MP 2.40 and 2.55 Culvert Replacements will include the replacement of two bridges with fish passable structures and stream regrades. Work will occur within and adjacent to Ripple Creek near Napavine, WA; legal description Township 13 North, Range 2 West, Sections 29 and 32, Willamette Meridian.

Stowe Creek at Harkum Rd Fish Passage/Harkum Rd MP 0.802 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur within and adjacent to Stowe Creek near Pe Ell, WA; legal description Township 12 North, Range 5 West, Section 2 and Township 13 North, Range 5 West, Section 35, Willamette Meridian.

Sand Creek at Harkum Rd Fish Passage/Harkum Rd MP 0.872 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur within and adjacent to Sand Creek near Pe Ell, WA; legal description Township 12 North, Range 5 West, Section 2 and Township 13 North, Range 5 West, Section 35, Willamette Meridian.

Lost Creek at Wendling Rd Fish Passage/Wendling Rd MP 0.106 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur within and adjacent to Lost Creek near Boistfort, WA; legal description Township 12 North, Range 4 West, Section 4, Willamette Meridian.

Lost Creek Trib at Lost Valley Fish Passage/Lost Valley Rd MP 1.657 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur within and adjacent to an unnamed tributary Lost Creek near Boistfort, WA; legal description Township 12 North, Range 4 West, Section 3, Willamette Meridian.

Halfway Creek at Pe Ell McDonald Fish Passage/Pe Ell McDonald MP 4.032 and 4.778 Culvert Replacements will include the replacement of two culvert with a fish passable structure and stream

regrades. Work will occur within and adjacent to Halfway Creek near Pe Ell, WA; legal description Township 12 North, Range 4 West, Section 5, Willamette Meridian.

Lake Creek Trib at King Rd Fish Passage/King Rd MP 11.57 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur within and adjacent to an unnamed tributary Lake Creek near Boistfort, WA; legal description Township 13 North, Range 3 West, Section 32, Willamette Meridian.

Berwick Creek at Borovec Rd Fish Passage/Borovec Rd MP 0.032 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur within and adjacent to Berwick Creek near Napavine, WA; legal description Township 13 North, Range 2 West, Sections 10 and 15, Willamette Meridian.

Berwick Creek at Bishop Rd Fish Passage/Bishop Rd MP 2.839 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur within and adjacent to Berwick Creek near Napavine, WA; legal description Township 13 North, Range 2 West, Section 15, Willamette Meridian.

Allen Creek at Newaukum Valley Rd Fish Passage/Newaukum Valley Rd MP 2.366 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur in and adjacent to Allen Creek near Napavine, WA; legal description Township 13 North, Range 2 West, Section 22, Willamette Meridian.

Allen Creek at Rush Rd Fish Passage/Rush Rd MP 1.315 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur in and adjacent to Allen Creek in Napavine, WA; legal description Township 13 North, Range 2 West, Sections 22 and 23, Willamette Meridian.

Lucas Creek Trib MP 4.24 Fish Passage/Lucas Creek Rd MP 4.24 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur in and adjacent to an unnamed tributary to Lucas Creek near Onalaska, WA; legal description Township 14 North, Range 1 East, Section 32, Willamette Meridian.

Lucas Creek Trib MP 4.39 Fish Passage/Lucas Creek Rd MP 4.39 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur in and adjacent to an unnamed tributary to Lucas Creek near Onalaska, WA; legal description Township 14 North, Range 1 East, Section 32, Willamette Meridian.

Bull Pen Creek at Wildwood Fish Passage/Wildwood Rd MP 8.54 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur in and adjacent to Bull Pen Creek near Boistfort, WA; legal description Township 12 North, Range 3 West, Sections 30 and 31, Willamette Meridian.

Point Hill Creek at Wildwood Fish Passage/Wildwood Rd MP 7.88 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur in and adjacent to Point Hill Creek near Boistfort, WA; legal description Township 12 North, Range 3 West, Section 31, Willamette Meridian.

Stowell Creek at Magnus Rd Fish Passage/Magnus Rd MP 0.541 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur in and

adjacent to Stowell Creek near Onalaska, WA; legal description Township 13 North, Range 2 East, Section 20, Willamette Meridian.

Stowell Creek at Johnson Rd Fish Passage/Johnson Rd MP 0.492 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur in and adjacent to Stowell Creek near Onalaska, WA; legal description Township 13 North, Range 2 East, Section 21, Willamette Meridian.

Salmon Creek Trib at Jackson Hwy S Fish Passage/Jackson Hwy S MP 0.639 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur in and adjacent to an unnamed tributary to Salmon Creek near Toledo, WA; legal description Township 11 North, Range 1 West, Section 20, Willamette Meridian.

East Creek Trib at Pleasant Valley Fish Passage/Pleasant Valley MP 1.5 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur in and adjacent to an unnamed tributary to Salmon Creek near Toledo, WA; legal description Township 11 North, Range 1 West, Section 20, Willamette Meridian.

Cowlitz River Trib at Cline Fish Passage/Cline Rd MP 4.15 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur in and adjacent to an unnamed tributary to the Cowlitz River near Randle, WA; legal description Township 12 North, Range 7 East, Section 24, Willamette Meridian.

Owens Creek at Cline Fish Passage/Cline Rd MP 6.384 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur in and adjacent to Owens Creek near Randle, WA; legal description Township 12 North, Range 8 East, Section 20, Willamette Meridian.

Garrett Creek Trib at Cline Fish Passage/Cline Rd MP 9.17 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur in and adjacent to an unnamed tributary to Garrett Creek near Randle, WA; legal description Township 12 North, Range 7 East, Section 15, Willamette Meridian.

Coon Creek at Telegraph Fish Passage/Telegraph Rd MP 0.774 Bridge Replacement will include the replacement of a bridge with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur in and adjacent to Coon Creek near Vader, WA; legal description Township 11 North, Range 2 West, Section 22, Willamette Meridian.

Olequa Creek Trib at Olequa Dr Fish Passage/Olequa Dr MP 0.378 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur in and adjacent to an unnamed tributary to Olequa Creek near Vader, WA; legal description Township 11 North, Range 2 West, Section 32, Willamette Meridian.

Salmon Creek Trib at Toledo Salmon Fish Passage/Toledo Salmon Creek Rd MP 1.20 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur in and adjacent to an unnamed tributary to Salmon Creek near Toledo, WA; legal description Township 11 North, Range 1 West, Sections 20 and 21, Willamette Meridian.

Blue Creek at Spencer Fish Passage/Spencer Rd MP 5.38 Bridge Replacement will include the replacement of a bridge with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur in and

adjacent to Blue Creek near Toledo, WA; legal description Township 12 North, Range 1 East, Section 30, Willamette Meridian.

Blue Creek Trib at Spencer Fish Passage/Spencer Rd MP 5.53 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur in and adjacent to an unnamed tributary to Blue Creek near Toledo, WA; legal description Township 12 North, Range 1 East, Section 30, Willamette Meridian.

Lake Creek Trib at Davis Lake/Davis Lake Rd MP 1.345 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur in and adjacent to an unnamed tributary to Lake Creek near Morton, WA; legal description Township 12 North, Range 4 East, Section 1, Willamette Meridian.

Tilton River Trib at Mienars/Mienars Rd MP 0.108 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur in and adjacent to an unnamed tributary to the Tilton River near Morton, WA; legal description Township 13 North, Range 4 East, Section 34, Willamette Meridian.

Tilton River Trib at SR 508/SR 508 MP 31.82 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur in and adjacent to an unnamed tributary to the Tilton River near Morton, WA; legal description Township 13 North, Range 4 East, Section 34, Willamette Meridian.

Tilton River Trib at Sewer Plant/Sewer Plant Rd MP 0.13 Culvert Replacement will include the replacement of a culvert with a fish passable structure and a stream regrade. Work will occur in and adjacent to an unnamed tributary to the Tilton River in Morton, WA; legal description Township 13 North, Range 4 East, Section 34, Willamette Meridian.

Countywide 3R Program will include replacement of roadway surfaces with cement treated base (CTB), thin lifts of hot mix asphalt (HMA), and/or bituminous surface treatments (BST), as well as installation of pavement markers and shoulder rock on various roads. Work is anticipated to occur at Howe Rd MP 0.00-3.315 near Toledo, WA (legal description Township 12 North, Range 1 West, Section 34 and Township 11 North, Range 1 West Sections 1, 2, and 3, Willamette Meridian); Pigeon Springs Rd MP 0.00-2.538 near Onalaska, WA (legal description Township 13 North, Range 1 East, Sections 11, 12, 13, and 14 and Township 13 North, Range 2 East, Sections 6 and 7, Willamette Meridian); Classe Rd MP 0.00-2.117 near Toledo, WA (legal description Township 12 North, Range 1 West, Sections 24, 25, and 36 and Township 12 North, Range 1 East, Sections 19, 30, and 31, Willamette Meridian); and Ferrier Rd MP 0.721-3.791 near Winlock, WA (Township 12 North, Range 2 West, Section 33 and Township 11 North, Range 2 West, Sections 4, 5, 8, and 17, Willamette Meridian).

In addition to the known upcoming FHWA projects listed above additional FEMA projects as well as capital improvements or maintenance projects that may require wetland and stream services, will be included in this request. The current Lewis County TIP is available for review at <https://lewiscountywa.gov/departments/public-works/transportation-improvement/>. The successful consultant will provide the services listed under the General Scope of Services, and as determined appropriate by Lewis County, on unknown upcoming projects. All projects will include cooperative project development and management with Lewis County.

## Scope of Work

The selected consultant is to provide Annual Wetland and Stream Services on public works projects. This may include but is not limited to providing wetland/stream reconnaissance, delineations, mitigation plans, and/or similar work.

### General Scope of Services:

- A) Existing Conditions Reconnaissance - conduct reconnaissance-level investigation for the approximate location and potential extent of wetlands, streams, and fish and wildlife habitats. Investigation shall consist of an office review of existing documentation followed by a site investigation. Site investigations shall be in accordance with methodology specific to each critical area (wetlands, streams, and fish and wildlife habitats).
- B) Wetland and Other Waters Delineations - delineate wetlands and jurisdictional drainages with the *Regional Supplement to the Corps of Engineers Wetland Delineation Manual: Western Mountains, Valleys, and Coast Region* (2010), the *2018 Western Mountains, Valleys, and Coast Regional Plant List*, *Field Indicators of Hydric Soils in the United States* (2018), the *Munsell Soil Color Book* (2017), U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) Regulatory Guidance Letter 05-05 (2008), and the Washington State Department of Ecology's (DOE) *Determining the Ordinary High Water Mark for Shoreline Management Act Compliance in Washington State* (2016), or the most current guidance; rate wetlands using the *Washington State Wetland Rating System for Western Washington* (2014 Update), or the most current guidance; assess who will regulate delineated wetlands and waters; and determine appropriate buffers of each wetland and jurisdictional drainage as per applicable sections of the Lewis County Code pursuant to Chapter 17.38 and/or appropriate City Code.

The boundaries of wetlands and OHW of jurisdictional drainages shall be flagged in the field, along with data plots, for survey and verification. A map shall be prepared depicting the delineated wetlands and jurisdictional drainages, along with data plots, on an aerial photo base map for use by the Environmental Planner and County Surveyors. Data plots shall be furnished in a timely manner upon request by the County.

In the event that there are properties within the Wetland and Other Waters Study Area where right-of-entry has been denied approximate boundaries of potential wetlands and jurisdictional drainages shall be depicted on the aforementioned map along with estimated wetland ratings or stream types to determine appropriate buffer widths. The map shall also depict all potential wetlands and jurisdictional drainages which lie adjacent to (up to 300 linear feet) and outside the boundaries of the Wetland and Other Waters Study Area along with estimated wetland ratings or stream types to determine appropriate buffer widths.

- C) Wetland and Stream Mitigation - design wetland and/or stream mitigation plans as per applicable sections of the Lewis County Code, appropriate City Codes, and the DOE guidance document *Selecting Wetland Mitigation Sites Using a Watershed Approach* (2009).
- D) Bank Use Plans – prepare a bank use plan for mitigation utilizing credits from a wetland mitigation bank as per the DOE *Bank Use Plan – Using Credits from Wetland Mitigation Banks: Guidance to Applicants on Submittal Contents for Bank Use Plans* (revised June 2020).

## **SUBMITTAL**

Interested consultants shall provide a statement of qualifications, experience and extent of involvement for the assigned personnel on similar projects. The proposal shall include the project name, description and contact information for each project. The proposal shall be limited to ten (10) pages/sheets, double sided if needed.

Submittals will be evaluated and ranked equal weight for the following criteria: 1) Qualification of key personnel; 2) Relevant experience; 3) Availability and response time; and 4) Costs associated with Services. Cost breakdown should include hourly rates per Classification along with fixed fee and overhead (information required for Exhibit E-1 of the WSDOT Standard Consultant Agreement). Lewis County may request an interview from a short list to make the final selection.

Lewis County is an equal opportunity and affirmative action employer. Disadvantaged, minority, and women-owned firms are encouraged to submit proposals.

Firms desiring consideration shall submit four copies of a complete proposal packet to Tim Fife, County Engineer at Lewis County Public Works, 2025 NE Kresky Avenue, Chehalis, WA 98532, by 1:00 PM March 31, 2023. Proposals may be submitted in .pdf form instead of hard copies. If submitting RFPs through e-mail please send to Josh Metcalf at [Josh.Metcalf@lewiscountywa.gov](mailto:Josh.Metcalf@lewiscountywa.gov) and cc [Ann.Weckback@lewiscountywa.gov](mailto:Ann.Weckback@lewiscountywa.gov).

For more information about the project and submittal requirements contact Ann at 360-740-1440 or [Ann.Weckback@lewiscountywa.gov](mailto:Ann.Weckback@lewiscountywa.gov).

The Recipient, in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 78 Stat. 252, 42 U.S.C. 2000a 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 any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged 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.