

**CM/GC RFQ for the Zilwaukee Bridge bearing replacement project  
Bay Region, Saginaw County**

**Q&A #1, 12/19/2011**

**JN 105176**

Question 1: When will the existing plans, shop drawings, proposed rehabilitation plans, and inspection reports be available?

**Answer 1: Please contact the Project Manager, Matt Chynoweth. Contact information is contained on page 2 in the RFQ. A package of information including existing plans and shop drawings, the 2007 bearing replacement plans, the 2012 bearing replacement plans, and the 2009 inspection report is available. This will be mailed out on a cd, or if potential submitters have an ftp site, please provide this information, and the files can be uploaded.**

Question 2: Is there a mandatory prebid or informational meeting for this project?

**Answer 2: No. Please disregard the 4<sup>th</sup> bullet point under section 8.1 regarding attendance at the Pre-Submittal Meeting. Site visits are optional, and can be arranged through the Project Manager.**

Question 3: Will access to the structure be made available for the proposers including areas where the 2008 unsuccessful bearing replacement program sustained structural damage?

**Answer 3: Yes. Please contact the Project Manager to arrange a site visit.**

Question 4: Do joint ventures need to be prequalified as a joint venture? Or does only the lead firm need to be prequalified? Or are all firms required to be prequalified individually?

**Answer 4: All firms need to be prequalified in the work category they are proposing to perform.**

Question 5: Do contractors need to be prequalified prior to statement of qualifications submission? What is involved in becoming prequalified.

**Answer 5: Contractors that are not currently prequalified to perform the specified work in Michigan must submit a prequalification package by the January 9, 2012 date listed in the RFQ. Information on becoming construction prequalified can be found using the following link:**

<http://www.michigan.gov/mdot/0,4616,7-151-9625-58255--,00.html>

**Information on becoming service prequalified can be found using the following link:**

[http://www.michigan.gov/mdot/0,1607,7-151-9625\\_21540-34068--,00.html](http://www.michigan.gov/mdot/0,1607,7-151-9625_21540-34068--,00.html)

**Contractor team members must be prequalified in the service they are proposing to perform prior to RFQ submission.**