## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS FOR PREQUALIFICATION

In anticipation of a request for sealed bids for the Project described herein, the City of Birmingham, as Owner and Awarding Authority and acting through Goodwyn, Mills & Cawood, Inc. (Architect), wishes to identify and pre-qualify General Contractors for this Project consistent with the Public Works Laws in the State of Alabama (Title 39, Code of Alabama 1997). Only prequalified General Contractors that are licensed to perform work in this State will be allowed to submit bids on this Project.

Prequalification Proposals will be received via email, or other electronic transmission, and one paper copy on behalf of the Owner by Goodwyn, Mills & Cawood, Inc. at 2701 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue, South Suite 100 Birmingham, AL 35233, for the below referenced Project, until 4:00 PM Local Time, Monday, May 8, 2017.

The prequalification procedure is intended to identify responsible and competent bidders relative to the requirements of the Project. Prequalification proposals and requirements may be obtained from the Architect, by submitting request either by telephone (205-879-4462), or email alyssa.morley@gmcnetwork.com, to Alyssa Morley for the following Project:

A NEW TWO STORY 17,000 SQUARE FOOT ENTRY BUILDING, A ONE STORY 3,000 SQUARE FOOT RESTROOM BUILDING, AND A 60,000 SQUARE FOOT PLAZA AREA INCLUDING TWO WATER FEATURES at the BIRMINGHAM ZOO for the CITY OF BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA

Submittals for prequalification will be reviewed by representatives of the Architect and the Owner. The prequalification process is intended to result in subsequent competitive bidding among contractors that, with a reasonable degree of assurance, have demonstrated that they are capable of successfully completing the work according to the drawings, specifications and schedules, are licensed to perform work listed above, have successfully completed projects with similar requirements, demonstrate financial capacity to complete the work and otherwise satisfy prequalification criteria. The City may disqualify any Contractor that does not meet the requirements to perform the work. The City reserves the right to require additional references or information from the Contractors to clarify their qualification, to waive any technical errors in applications, to solicit additional contractors for approval, and take other actions in the City's interest.

Following the review of prequalification submissions, the City will advise respondents whether each has or has not been prequalified to bid on this Project.

## **Publication Dates:**

Birmingham Times April 20, 2017
Birmingham News April 21, 2017
Huntsville Times April 21, 2017
Montgomery Advertiser April 21, 2017