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July 3, 2025

INVITATION TO BID

The Calhoun County Commission will on Tuesday, August 12, 2025 at 2:00 p.m., Central Time, receive competitive sealed bids for the Purchase of BID NO. FY 26-2 BITUMINOUS CONCRETE ASPHALT (PLANTMIX) IN PLACE. Sealed bids with "BID NO. FY26-2 BITUMINOUS CONCRETE ASPHALT (PLANTMIX) IN PLACE", and the date and time bids are to be opened, and bidders general contractor's license number, written or typed on the outside of the envelope or package in which the bid is contained, must be submitted to the Calhoun County Commission, 1702 Noble Street, Suite 103, Anniston, Alabama 36201, no later than 2:00 p.m., Central Time, August 12, 2025. At the foregoing time on the foregoing date all responses to this invitation to bid will be publicly opened and read aloud in the Calhoun County Commission Meeting Room in the Calhoun County Administration Building, 1702 Noble Street, Anniston, Alabama.

CONTRACT PERIOD: Establish a 12 month contract with an option to extend for a second and third 12 month period with the same pricing, terms and conditions. The second and third 12-month, if agreed by both parties, would begin the day after the first or second 12-month period expires. Any successive extension must have written approval of both the county and vendor no later than 30 days prior to expiration of the previous 12-month period.

LENGTH: The contract will be in effect for a period of twelve (12) months from October 1st of current year until September 30th of the following year.

QUANTITY: The exact quantity of purchases for each item listed is not known. Calhoun County does not guarantee that the County will buy any amount. Orders will be placed as needed and will give complete shipping instructions.

WORK DESCRIPTION: Work consists of any items listed in this Invitation to Bid to be performed at various locations in Calhoun County as required by the County Engineer. The successful bidder must also furnish, install & maintain all necessary traffic control devices during any construction or roadwork activity according to the MUTCD and also if and/or as directed by the engineer.

Milling of asphalt tie-in is a subsidiary obligation of the wearing surface layer.

A minimum of 5,000 Sq. Yds. of planning existing pavement will be done on each mobilization of equipment to Calhoun County; however, the minimum of 5,000 Sq. Yds. may be in more than one location in Calhoun County.

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SPECIFICATIONS: Materials and work performed shall meet the current requirements of the Alabama Department of Transportation Standard Specifications, current edition, as revised to one week before bid opening. To meet the requirements of 410.03(c) 1, the clipping of grass from the pavement edges as well as the use of hand shovels and brooms for removing caked dirt and other foreign material may be required. Calhoun County reserves the right to specify the mix of the bituminous plantmix pavements listed in this bid package. When the mix is used as actual wearing surface, the use of carbonate stone such as limestone, dolomite, or other aggregates tending to polish under traffic will not be permitted in excess of the amounts shown in section 424.02(c) Use of Carbonate Stone.”

PRICE ADJUSTMENTS: Will be made in accordance with the following: It is understood and agreed that the per ton price of materials bid is based on prices at the time of opening of bids (**August 2025**). Prices on the contract developed from this bid will be adjusted plus or minus based on the “ASPHALT INDEX” OF The State of Alabama Department of Transportation Construction Bureau, published monthly in accordance with subarticle 109.03(E) of the standard specifications. Price adjustments will be made in the following manner: The amount, in gallons, of liquid asphalt per ton of asphalt plant mix will be determined by the number of gallons required, based on the approved job mix formula for the mix. The “INDEX” will be composed of four entries:

- PG Asphalt (for all grades without polymer);
- PG Asphalt with Polymer (for all grades with polymer);
- Emulsified Asphalt (for all grades without polymer and cutback asphalts);
- Emulsified Asphalt with Polymer (for all grades with polymer).

The “INDEX” will be furnished monthly.

Invoices for asphalt adjustment payments are to be submitted after delivery of the original amount of tonnage stated on the purchase order and then after delivery of each subsequent modification. The price adjustment will be computed for payment and the adjustment payment made based on the “ASPHALT INDEX” for the particular month delivery or deliveries were made.

The actual amount of adjustment payment increase or decrease will be determined by multiplying the increase or decrease of the month’s “ASPHALT INDEX” from the base “ASPHALT INDEX” by the amount in gallons of liquid used in the plant mix material shown on the invoice or invoices.

The amount of asphalt will be calculated as follows:

- Bituminous Plant Mix Bases and Pavements - the number of gallons {liters} of new bituminous material required by the approved job mix formula. A conversion factor of 8.51 pounds per gallon {1.02 kg/L} will be used for figuring quantities. No measurement for adjustment will be made for the amount of asphalt rejuvenator used or for the amount of

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bituminous material recovered and used in surface recycling operations.

- Surface Treatments - actual gallons {liters} of asphalt used within specification requirements with volumetric correction to 60 °F {16 °C} as per Subarticle 109.02(c).

The asphalt index in effect **August 2025**, shall establish a base index to which price adjustments plus or minus will be made for the contract resulting from this bid inquiry.

ADJUSTMENTS DUE TO COST OF CONSTRUCTION FUEL FOR HMA PRODUCTION.

Changes in the compensation due the Contractor will be made by the Engineer to address changes in the cost of fuel required for the production of Hot Mix Asphalt (HMA) in a plant. The changes in compensation will be made based on a monthly index of the cost of fuel determined by the Alabama Department of Transportation.

A monthly HMA production fuel index will be established based on the average area terminal price reports for No. 2 fuel and No. 6 (3.0 % S) fuel of the "Platts Oilgram Price Report" published during the week in which the first day of the month occurs.

Before the expiration of contract time (plus approved time extensions) the dollar amount of adjustment will be determined by multiplying the increase or decrease of the current (current estimate month) index from the base index (**August 2025**) by the number of gallons of fuel that are used in the production of the HMA during the period covered by the estimate. The number of gallons of fuel required for the production of the HMA shall be 2.0 gallons per ton {7.6 L per metric ton} of HMA produced during the estimate period. The base index will be the value of the index for the month of **August 2025**.

Invoices for HMA production fuel adjustment payments are to be submitted after delivery of the original amount of tonnage stated on the purchase order and then after delivery of each subsequent modification. The price adjustment will be computed for payment and the adjustment payment made based on the "HMA production fuel" for the particular month delivery or deliveries were made.

The actual amount of adjustment payment increase or decrease will be determined by multiplying the increase or decrease of the month's "HMA production fuel index " from the base "HMA production fuel index" by 2.0 gallons per ton as shown on the invoice or invoices.

Changes in compensation will be made for the number of tons {metric tons} of HMA placed and paid for in accordance with the requirements.

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GENERAL PROVISIONS:

- **A mandatory Pre-Bid Conference will be held at the Calhoun County Highway Department on August 12, 2025 at 10:00am. All prospective bidders will be required to attend. Non attendance will result in the rejection of the Bid.**

COST OF HAUL, LABOR, AND EQUIPMENT SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE PRICE PER TON BID.

- In the event that work has not started within fifteen (15) days, after the Notice to Proceed is issued, and pursued diligently, the County Commission reserves the right to award the work to the next lowest bidder. In addition to and not in limitation of remedies available at law and/or in equity and/or making a claim to the surety or sureties on the contractors performance bond.
- Upon award of the contract, vendor must provide evidence of liability insurance in the amount of \$1,000,000.00 and workmen compensation insurance, as statutorily required.
- All requirements of the Public Works Law (Code 39-1-1 et seq.) will be in affect for this bid. Such shall include but not limited to bid bond/cashier's check, performance bond, payment bond, retainage, and advertisement.
- Bid Guarantee: A bid bond, certified check, cashier's check, or other irrevocable negotiable instrument, made payable to the Calhoun County Commission, in the amount of 5% of bid, maximum amount \$10,000.00 **must be submitted (enclosed) with the sealed bid.** Contract amount is estimated at \$2 million. Bid guarantee amount is \$10,000.00.
- Upon award of the contract, vendor must furnish a performance bond approved by the Calhoun County Commission equal to 100% of the contract price (\$2,000,000.00), and a payment bond equal to 50% of the contract price.
- A retainage of no more than 5% of estimated work done and value of materials shall be retained until 50% of the work is completed and will be held until project (as designated by Calhoun County by unique number and by individual purchase order) completion and acceptance.
- The contractor must give notice of contract completion by advertising four (4) successive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation published in the county.
- **The awarding of this Bid is not a notice to proceed. A purchase order must be obtained before any items/work can be purchased/performed.**

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These specifications are describing and stating the minimum capacities, material thickness and qualities needed and required to perform a certain job. Any bids submitted not meeting all of these minimum specifications will be rejected. Bidders must state any and all exceptions to the specifications. Failure to state exceptions will subject bid to rejection.

If items in this Invitation to Bid have been identified, described or referenced by a brand name or trade name and description, such identification is intended to be descriptive, but not restrictive, and is to indicate the quality and characteristics of products that may be offered. All products may be considered for award if such products are clearly identified in the bids and are determined by Calhoun County to be an equal or equivalent to what is specified herein.

If a bidder proposes to furnish another product, such product shall be clearly identified in the bidder's bid. The evaluation of bids and the determination as to equality of products offered shall be the responsibility of the County, and by the County, and will be based on information furnished by the bidder and other information, if any, obtained by the County concerning the product. Accordingly, if a bidder proposes to furnish another product, to insure that sufficient information is available, the bidder is required to submit and shall submit descriptive product literature which provides a complete and detailed description of the product offered with the bidder's bid.

In the event that the company receiving the bid cannot furnish the County's needs at the time requested, the Calhoun County Commission reserves the right to purchase from the next lowest bidder.

Expenses for the development and delivery of bids are entirely the responsibility of the vendor and shall not be chargeable to Calhoun County (herein sometimes referred to as the "County") or the Calhoun County Commission (herein sometimes referred to as the "Commission").

All bids, and proposal materials submitted shall become the property of the County.

Each bidder is expected to examine all documents, forms, specifications, standard provisions and all instructions. Failure to do so will be at the bidder's risk.

Any bid not received in writing at the Calhoun County Commission, 1702 Noble Street, Suite 103, Anniston, Alabama 36201, by the date and time specified will be declared a late bid and rejected. The Commission will not be responsible for any delays in delivery. It is solely the responsibility of the each bidder that his/her/its bid reaches the bid opening on time. Any bid received after the date and time specified for receipt of bids will be returned unopened.

Bids or alterations of bids by wire, e-mail, facsimile transmission or telephone will not be accepted.

Bid openings are open to the public.

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The Commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defect or informality in any bid or the bidding process.

Except as otherwise provided or allowed by law, if the Commission accepts a bid in response to this Invitation to Bid, it will accept the bid of and award the contract to the lowest, responsive, responsible bidder. Factors, which will be considered in determining the lowest responsive, responsible bidder, are meeting and conformity to specifications, price, quality, bidder's ability to provide materials and labor and equipment necessary for installation of materials, and the past performance of bidder on contracts with other entities, and such other factors as are provided or allowed by law.

Alabama Immigration Law Compliance Contract: The selected bidder agrees that it will fully comply with the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986, as amended by the Immigration Act of 1990, and the Beason-Hammon Alabama Taxpayer and Citizen Protection Act, which makes it unlawful for an employer in Alabama to *knowingly* hire or continue to employ an alien who is or has become unauthorized with respect to such employment or to fail to comply with the I-9 requirements or fails to use E-Verify to verify the eligibility to legally work in the United States for all of its new hires who are employed to work in the State of Alabama. Without limiting the foregoing, the selected bidder shall not knowingly employ, hire for employment, or continue to employ an unauthorized alien, and shall have an officer or other managerial employee who is personally familiar with the selected bidder's hiring practices to execute an affidavit to this effect on the form supplied by the County and return the same to the County. The selected bidder shall also enroll in the E-Verify Program prior to performing any work, or continuing to perform any ongoing work, and shall remain enrolled throughout the entire course of its performance hereunder, and shall attach to its affidavit the E-Verify Program for Employment Verification and Memorandum of Understanding and such other documentation as the County may require to confirm the selected bidders's enrollment in the E-Verify Program. The selected bidder agrees not to knowingly allow any of its subcontractors, or any other party with whom it has a contract, to employ in the State of Alabama any illegal or undocumented aliens to perform any work in connection with the Project, and shall include in all of its contracts a provision substantially similar to this paragraph. If the selected bidder receives *actual knowledge* of the unauthorized status of one of its employees in the State of Alabama, it will remove that employee from the project, jobsite or premises of the County and shall comply with the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986, as amended by the Immigration Act of 1990, and the Beason-Hammon Alabama Taxpayer and Citizen Protection Act. The selected bidder shall require each of its subcontractors, or other parties with whom it has a contract, to act in a similar fashion. If the selected bidder violates any term of this provision, this agreement will be subject to immediate termination by the County. To the fullest extent permitted by law, the selected bidder shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the County from any and all losses, consequential damages, expenses (including, but not limited to, attorneys' fees), claims, suits, liabilities, fines, penalties, and any other costs arising out of or in any way related to the selected

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bidder's failure to fulfill its obligations contained in this paragraph.

If the selected vendor is not a current authorized vendor for Calhoun County the selected vendor will be required to submit a properly completed and executed Internal Revenue Service Form W-9 and a Calhoun County Business License simultaneously with entering into a contract to
All inquiries concerning these specifications should be directed in writing to:

Rodney P. McCain
160 Seaton Drive
Anniston, AL 36205
Phone: (256) 237-4657
Fax: (256) 237-2009

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BID FORM

PLEASE WRITE OR TYPE ON OUTSIDE OF ENVELOPE OR PACKAGE CONTAINING THE BID: BID NO. FY26-2 BITUMINOUS CONCRETE ASPHALT (PLANTMIX) IN PLACE, and the DATE AND TIME BIDS ARE TO BE OPENED AND BIDDER'S GENERAL CONTRACTOR LICENSE NUMBER.

One original and one copy of completed bid, the bid bond, or certified check, in lieu of bid bond, and the other information, requested in the invitation to bid, are to be submitted in sealed envelope or package containing your bid.

PLEASE MAIL OR HAND DELIVER BIDS TO: Calhoun County Commission, 1702 Noble Street Suite 103, Anniston, AL 36201, such that your bid is received by the Calhoun County Commission NO LATER THAN TUESDAY, AUGUST 12, 2025, AT 2:00 P.M., CENTRAL TIME.

SIGNED: _____ DATE: _____
(Signature of bidder or authorized representative of bidder)
PRINTED NAME: _____
COMPANY NAME: _____
COMPANY ADDRESS: _____
CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____
COUNTY: _____
TELEPHONE: _____
FAX: _____
E-MAIL: _____
General Contractor License Number: _____

THE CALHOUN COUNTY COMMISSION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY OR ALL BIDS.

DATES OF ADVERTISING

Anniston Star: July 12, 19, 26, 2025
Huntsville Times: July 23, 2025
The Birmingham News: July 23, 2025
Montgomery Advertiser: July 23, 2025

Please put your completed Bid Form as the first page of your bid with your bid bond or certified check, in lieu of a bid bond, directly behind it in the envelope or package containing your bid.

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Bid Tabulation
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BID NUMBER: FY26-02	ITEM: PLANT MIX IN-PLACE
BID PERIOD:	BEGIN: 10-01-25 END: 09-30-26
BID OPENING: 08-12-25	BID AWARD: 08-28-25

ITEM	UNIT		County Material Id #
424A Superpave Bituminous Concrete Wearing Surface Layer, 3/8" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON		0775
424A Superpave Bituminous Concrete Wearing Surface Layer, Patching, 3/8" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON		
424A Superpave Bituminous Concrete Wearing Surface Layer, Leveling, 3/8" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON		
424A Superpave Bituminous Concrete Wearing Surface Layer, Widening, 3/8" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON		
424A Superpave Bituminous Concrete Wearing Surface Layer, 1/2" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON		0776
424A Superpave Bituminous Concrete Wearing Surface Layer, 3/4" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON		0777
424A Superpave Bituminous Concrete Wearing Surface Layer, 1" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON		
424A Superpave Bituminous Concrete Wearing Surface Layer, Patching, 1/2" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON		
424A Superpave Bituminous Concrete Wearing Surface Layer, Patching, 3/4" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON		
424A Superpave Bituminous Concrete Wearing Surface Layer, Patching, 1" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON		0891
424A Superpave Bituminous Concrete Wearing Surface Layer, Leveling, 1/2" Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON		0779
424A Superpave Bituminous Concrete Wearing Surface Layer, Leveling, 3/4" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON		0885
424A Superpave Bituminous Concrete Wearing Surface Layer, Leveling, 1" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON		
424A Superpave Bituminous Concrete Wearing Surface Layer, Widening, 1/2" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON		
424A Superpave Bituminous Concrete Wearing Surface Layer, Widening, 3/4" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON		
424A Superpave Bituminous Concrete Wearing Surface Layer, Widening, 1" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON		
424B Superpave Bituminous Concrete Binder Layer, 3/4" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON		0884
424B Superpave Bituminous Concrete Binder Layer, 1" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON		0768
424B Superpave Bituminous Concrete Binder Layer, 1 1/2" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON		
424B Superpave Bituminous Concrete Binder Layer, Patching, 1/2" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON		

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424B Superpave Bituminous Concrete Binder Layer, Patching, 1" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON			0778
424B Superpave Bituminous Concrete, Binder Layer, Patching, 1 1/2" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON			0887
424B Superpave Bituminous Concrete Binder Layer, Leveling, 1/2" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON			
424B Superpave Bituminous Concrete Binder Layer, Leveling, 3/4" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON			
424B Superpave Bituminous Concrete Binder Layer, Leveling, 1" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON			
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424B Superpave Bituminous Concrete Binder Layer, Widening, 3/4" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON			
424B Superpave Bituminous Concrete Binder Layer, Widening, 1" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON			
424B Superpave Bituminous Concrete Binder Layer, Widening, 1 1/2" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON			
424C Superpave Bituminous Concrete Base Layer, 1" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON			
424C Superpave Bituminous Concrete Base Layer, 1 1/2" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON			
424C Superpave Bituminous Concrete Base Layer, Patching, 1/2" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON			
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424C Superpave Bituminous Concrete Base Layer, Leveling, 1 1/2" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON			
424C Superpave Bituminous Concrete Base Layer, Widening, 1" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON			0780
424C Superpave Bituminous Concrete Base Layer, Widening, 1 1/2" Maximum Aggregate Size Mix, including tack coat	TON			
424T Superpave Thin-Lift Bituminous Concrete Wearing Surface Layer	TON			

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430B Aggretate Surfacing (ALDOT #410)	TON			0554
401A Bituminous Treatment A	SQ.YD.			0781
230A ROADBED PROCESSING	Roadbed			0612
231B STABILIZED ROADBED	TON			0642
650A TOPSOIL	C.Y.I.P.			0327
212A MACHINE GRADING SHOULDERS	Per Sta.**			0410
301A-008 Crushed Aggregate Base Course, Type B, Plantmixed 5"	SQ.YD.			0573
301A-012 Crushed Aggregate Base Course, Type B, Plantmixed 6"	SQ.YD.			0640
305-B Crushed Aggregate, Section 825 for Miscellaneous Use, Type A or Type B	TON			0663
406-B Rejuvenating Agent (Section 406 Heating & Scarifying Treatment)	Gallon			
406-H Heating and Scarifying Treatment (Section 406)	SQ.YD.			
408A Planing Existing Pavement (Approx. 0.00" thru 2.0")***	SQ.YD.			0664
408A Planing Existing Pavement (Approx. 2.10" thru 4.0")***	SQ.YD.			0665
408A Planing Existing Pavement (Approx. 4.10" thru 6.0")***	SQ.YD.			0666
530**** Installation of Pipe (Up to 36" in diameter size.) 1ft - 10ft	LIN. FT.			0641
530**** Installation of Pipe (Up to 36" in diameter size.) 10ft +	LIN. FT.			0945
Pipe Backfill (contractor provided)	CY			
407B Joint Sealant for HMA	Mile			0782
Milling of asphalt tie-in is a subsidiary obligation of the wearing surface layer.				
**Sta. Is 100 linear feet one side only				
<p>***A minimum of 5,000 Sq. Yds. of planning existing pavement will be done on each mobilization of equipment to Calhoun County; however, the minimum of 5,000 Sq. Yds. may be in more than one location in Calhoun County.</p> <p>****Bidders attention is directed to section 530 of the Alabama Department of Transporation Standard Specification as</p>				