

**Notice to Contractors**  
**Debris, Removal, Reduction, and Disposal Following a Declared Disaster**  
**Alabama Department of Transportation**  
**North Region – Guntersville Area**  
**Cherokee, Cullman, DeKalb, Etowah, Jackson, Madison, Marshall Counties**

Sealed bids will be received by the Alabama Department of Transportation until 10:00 am on Thursday, May 9, 2024, and at that time publicly opened for a retainer contract for debris removal, reduction, and disposal following a declared disaster, in the North Region, Guntersville Area. The bid opening will take place at the Alabama Department of Transportation, North Region, Guntersville Area office, Conference Room.

Qualified General Contractors holding a current Alabama State license are invited to bid. This contract is for the purpose of retaining a qualified General Contractor whose services would be employed in the event of a Tropical Storm event or other declared disaster.

Copies of the contract documents and specifications may be inspected and/or obtained at the following locations:

Alabama Department of Transportation  
North Region – Guntersville Area  
23445 Hwy 431 North  
Guntersville, AL 35976  
Phone: (256) 505-6141

Digital copies can be found under the “Special Notice to Contractors” section at <https://alletting.dot.state.al.us/>

Sealed bids may be mailed or delivered directly to the Owner prior to the bid opening. Such sealed bids must be clearly and legibly marked "**Debris Removal, Reduction, and Disposal Following a Declared Disaster – Guntersville Area**" on the outside of the envelope.

The most qualified, responsive, responsible, and highest ranked bid will be accepted with key consideration based upon the benefit to the public; however, the Alabama Department of Transportation reserves the right to reject any and all bids, to waive any irregularity in the bids received, and to accept or reject any items of the bid for the benefit of the public.

No conditional bids will be accepted.

No bid may be withdrawn for a period of thirty (30) days after the scheduled closing date and time for the receipt of bids.

John Cooper  
Transportation Director