



County of Milwaukee
Office of the Sheriff

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DATE: September 26, 2013

TO: Supervisor Marina Dimitrijevic, Chairwoman, Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors

FROM: Richard R. Schmidt, Inspector, Office of the Sheriff, Milwaukee County

SUBJECT: Request to apply for and accept if awarded a partnership with the State of Wisconsin DOT for the I-794 Lake Freeway & Hoan Bridge Rehabilitation and I-43/94 Bridge Rehabilitation Projects.

BACKGROUND

The Wisconsin department of Transportation is requesting the Milwaukee County Sheriff's Office to partner with them during the I-794 Lake Freeway & Hoan Bridge Rehabilitation & I-43/94 Bridge Rehabilitation Projects. This is to ensure that emergency response capabilities are not adversely affected by roadway reconstruction, traffic diversions or equipment and material transportation in and out of construction sites.

I-794 Lake Freeway & Hoan Bridge Rehabilitation Project

- DOT will provide \$764,184.70 in order to provide planning, coordination and staffing services relative to this project to mitigate emergency incidents in the PROJECT area and stay informed of PROJECT roadway closures and construction progress. Staffing will include 24 hours per day/7 days per week from October 1, 2013 – January 31, 2015.
- Included in the grant award are monies allocated for anticipated and unanticipated assistance over all shift hours.
- Services requested by the DOT and supported in the funding include: attending weekly construction traffic meetings, respond to freeway crashes and incidents, assist with planned/unplanned closures (freeway, lane, ramp and shoulder), clear minor debris that is disruptive to traffic flow, provide crash reports and incident data and be on-call to the DOT Project Manager to perform these duties.

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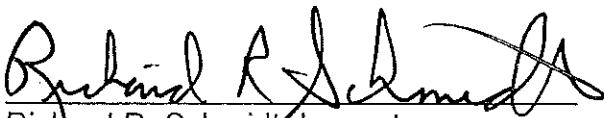
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I-43/94 Bridge Rehabilitation Project

- DOT will provide \$606,122.70 in order to provide planning, coordination and staffing services relative to this project to mitigate emergency incidents in the PROJECT area and stay informed of PROJECT roadway closures and construction progress. Staffing will include 24 hours per day/7 days per week from February 1, 2015 – December 15, 2015.
- Included in the grant award are monies allocated for anticipated and unanticipated assistance over all shift hours.
- Services requested by the DOT and supported in the funding include: attending weekly construction traffic meetings, respond to freeway crashes and incidents, assist with planned/unplanned closures (freeway, lane, ramp and shoulder), clear minor debris that is disruptive to traffic flow, provide crash reports and incident data and be on-call to the DOT Project Manager to perform these duties.

For these projects:

- Milwaukee County will purchase a specific Freeway Service Patrol Truck and receive reimbursement by the project (DOT) on a weekly basis to pay off the total cost of said vehicle.
- Milwaukee County will purchase two specified Enhanced Project Patrol Squads (Chevrolet Suburban) and receive reimbursement by the project (DOT) on a weekly basis to pay off the total cost of said vehicles.
- DOT will additionally reimburse fuel and maintenance costs for aforementioned vehicles.
- No local match.



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