

INVITATION TO BID
Broad Brook Road Slope Stabilization and Road Reconstruction

Sealed bids from pre-qualified contractors shall be accepted until **4:30 pm**, prevailing time on **Friday, August 7th, 2026**, at the **Town of Royalton Town Office (2460 VT Route 14, South Royalton, Vermont)** for construction of the project hereinafter described. Bid opening will occur immediately after the bid submittal deadline. The time of receiving and opening bids may be postponed due to emergencies or unforeseen conditions. All Bids must be accompanied by: a negotiable bid guarantee which shall not be less than five percent (5%) of the amount of the bid, a completed Debartment and Non-Collusion Affidavit, and a signed Contractors Equal Employment Certification Form.

Sealed BIDS shall be marked in the lower left hand corner:

Bid Documents: Broad Brook Road Slope Stabilization and Road Reconstruction

Each BID must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the Town of Royalton for five percent (5%) of the total amount of the BID. A BID bond may be used in lieu of a certified check.

The Town Selectboard is anticipated to meet on Tuesday, August 11, 2026 to make a Contractor selection.

LOCATION: Beginning at a point on Broad Brook Road in Royalton at a point approximately 400 feet southwest of Frary Road.

TYPE OF CONSTRUCTION: This work shall consist of slope stabilization, removal of existing concrete waste block retaining wall, removal of temporary road, landscaping and construction of Broad Brook Road.

CONTRACT COMPLETION DATE: The Contract shall be completed on or before November 30, 2026.

QUALIFICATIONS OF CONTRACTORS: To demonstrate Bidder's qualifications to perform the Work, after submitting its Bid and within 10 days of the Owner's request, Bidder may be required to submit the following information:

- a. Written evidence establishing its qualifications such as financial data, previous experience, and present commitments.
- b. A written statement that Bidder is authorized to do business in the State where the Project is located.
- c. Subcontractor and Supplier qualification information.
- d. Other required information regarding qualifications.

A Bidder's failure to submit required information within the times indicated may disqualify Bidder from receiving an award of the Contract.

PRE-BID SITE VISIT: A non-mandatory pre-bid site visit will be held on Thursday, July 9, 2026 at 2:00 pm at the project site.

OBTAINING PLANS: Plans may be obtained electronically from DuBois & King Inc. (www.dubois-king.com/projects-bidding-active/) at a cost of \$50.

ENGINEERS ESTIMATE: For this Proposal the Engineers Estimate falls between \$1,000,000 and \$1,500,000.

PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS AND PROPOSAL MAY BE SEEN AT THE OFFICE OF:

1. Town of Royalton, 2460 VT-14, South Royalton, Vermont
2. *DuBois & King Inc., 6 Green Tree Drive, South Burlington, Vermont*

STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS: This contract is governed by the Vermont Agency of Transportation ("VTrans") 2024 Standard Specifications for Construction.

QUESTIONS: During the advertisement phase of this project all questions shall be addressed solely to **Brian Breslend, Project Manager, DuBois & King, Inc., bbreslend@dubois-king.com, 802-728-7208, ext. 7208 no later than Friday, July 17, 2026 at 5:00pm**

BYRD ANTI-LOBBYING AMENDMENT: Certification is required and must be submitted by bidders and proposed subcontractors for contracts over \$100,000.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY (EEO) CERTIFICATION: Certification is required by the Equal Employment Opportunity regulations of the Secretary of labor (41 CFR 60-1.7(b) (1)) and must be submitted by bidders and proposed subcontractors only in connection with contracts and subcontracts which are subject to the equal opportunity clause. Generally only contracts and subcontracts of \$10,000 or under are exempt as set forth in 41 CFR 60-1.5. See Appendix B for Contractors EEO Certification Form (CA-109). **This certification form must be signed and submitted with the bid.**

NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT: All bidders are required to execute a sworn statement, certifying that the bidder has not, either directly or indirectly, entered into any agreement, participated in any collusion, or otherwise taken any action in restraint of free competitive bidding in connection with such contract. See Appendix C for Debarment and Non-Collusion Affidavit (CA-91). **This affidavit must be signed and submitted with the bid.**

DEBARMENT AFFIDAVIT: All bidders are required to execute a sworn statement, certifying that the bidder has not within the last three (3) years been, suspended, debarred, voluntarily excluded or determined ineligible by any Federal or State Agency; does not have a proposed suspension, debarment, voluntary exclusion or ineligibility determination pending; and has not been indicted, convicted or had civil judgment rendered against (it, him, her, them) by a court having jurisdiction in any matter involving fraud or official misconduct within the past three (3) years. See Appendix C for Debarment and Non-Collusion Affidavit (CA-91). **This affidavit must be signed and submitted with the bid.**