

**DELAWARE DEPARTMENT OF  
TRANSPORTATION**

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

Sealed proposals for the following contract will be received in the Bidders Room at the Delaware Department of Transportation Administration Building, 800 Bay Road, Dover, Delaware 19901. The Administration Building is located on Route 113 in the Danner Campus, directly across from the Blue Hen Corporate Center.

Bids will be received until **2:00 P.M. Local Time, February 20, 2018** and thereafter be publicly opened:

Contract No. DOT1885-FIBER\_NETWORK  
ITMS FIBER NETWORK  
Construction, Installation, and Maintenance Services  
Statewide

Completion time: 1,095 Calendar Days

**PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS NOTES:**

1. QUESTIONS regarding this project are to be e-mailed to [dot-ask@state.de.us](mailto:dot-ask@state.de.us) no less than six business days prior to the proposal opening date in order to receive a response. Please include DOT1885 in the subject line. Responses to inquiries are posted on-line at <http://www.bids.delaware.gov>.
2. Each proposal must be accompanied by a deposit of either surety bond or security for a sum equal to at least 10% of the bid. **Bid includes all items bid on/selected, on the Bid Page.** No retainage will be withheld on this contract.
3. The Department's External Complaint Procedure can be viewed on DelDOT's Website at; <http://www.deldot.gov/information/business/>, or you may request a copy by calling (302) 760-2555.
4. **DRUG TESTING** - Regulation 4104; Contractors and subcontractors must have a program in place for mandatory drug testing for employees who work on Large Public Works Contracts funded all or in part with public funds pursuant to 29 Del.C. §6908(a)(6).

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Plans, Specifications, and Bidding Proposals may be obtained from; <http://www.bids.delaware.gov>

Bid items for this contract include fiber optic parts, etc. Refer to DOT1885 Appendix B for detailed listing.

**NOTE:** OFFICIAL Plans, Specifications; and Official Questions and Answers may be obtained on the Web at <http://bids.delaware.gov>.

The Department of Transportation hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, creed, color, sex, or national origin in consideration for an award. When it is in the best interest of the State, DelDOT may extend the time and place for the opening of bids from that described above, on not less than two calendar days' notice by certified delivery, facsimile transmission, or by other verifiable electronic means to those bidders who obtained copies of the Plans, Specifications, and Proposals, or contract descriptions.

Department of Transportation  
State of Delaware  
By: Jennifer Cohan, Secretary  
Dover, Delaware  
January 22, 2018