



**COMMISSIONERS COURT
COMMUNICATION**

COURT ORDER NUMBER 145630

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DATE: 8/5/2025

**SUBJECT: BID NO. F2025149 - OFF-SYSTEM BRIDGE REPAIRS -
TRANSPORTATION SERVICES**

COMMISSIONERS COURT ACTION REQUESTED

It is requested that the Commissioners Court reject all bids for Bid No. F2025149, Off-System Bridge Repairs, and grant permission to rebid.

BACKGROUND

Notice of the County's intent to bid was advertised in a local newspaper, as required by State statute, and posted on the Internet, the Arlington Black Chamber of Commerce, the Fort Worth Hispanic Chamber of Commerce, the Fort Worth Metropolitan Black Chamber of Commerce, and the Tarrant County Asian American Chamber of Commerce. One thousand sixty-six (1,066) vendors were contacted and requested to participate in this bid process. All documents pertaining to this bid were posted on the Tarrant County website and were downloaded by interested bidders. A pre-bid conference held on May 21, 2025 was attended by one (1) vendor as well as representatives from Transportation Services, TranSystems, and Purchasing. One (1) bid and three (3) no-bids were received.

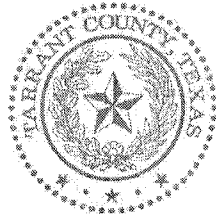
After review of the submitted bid, it was determined that the bid received was over budget. TranSystems conducted a detailed analysis of the bid prices, comparing the received bid to their own cost estimates as well as to TxDOT's average and maximum bid prices for the same specifications. The bid received exceeded the value of all comparable data.

Therefore, it is the joint recommendation of Transportation Services and Purchasing that the Commissioners Court reject all bids received for Bid No. F2025149, Off-System Bridge Repairs, and grant permission to rebid.

FISCAL IMPACT

There is no fiscal impact associated with this item

SUBMITTED BY	Purchasing	PREPARED BY:	Gwen Peterson, C.P.M., A.P.P.
		APPROVED BY:	Christopher Lax, CPSM, CPSD, CPCP



TARRANT COUNTY
TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

July 1, 2025

Gwen Peterson,
Senior Buyer
Tarrant County Purchasing

Subject: F2025149 Off-System Bridge Repairs
Re: Rejection of All Bids

Ms. Peterson,

Tarrant County Transportation Services has reviewed the bid and supporting documents submitted for F2025149 – Off-System Bridge Repairs.

Based upon our review of the documents submitted, it was determined that the received bid was in excess of available budgeted funds. Therefore, we request that all bids for F2025149 Off-System Bridge Repairs be rejected, and the specifications be re-bid.

Sincerely,

Sarah VanTassel

Sarah VanTassel
Business Manager
Transportation Services



TAKINGS IMPACT ASSESSMENT CHECKLIST

Complete this form for any county action that involves the adoption of a regulation, policy, guideline, court resolution, or order.

Project/Regulation Name: Bid No. F2025149 - Off-System Bridge Repairs - Transportation Services

County Department: PURCHASING

Contact Person: Melissa Lee, C.P.M., A.P.P.

Phone Number for Contact Person: (817) 884-3245

Type of TIA Performed: SHORT TIA or FULL TIA. Circle one after answering the questions in Sections II and III below.

I. Stated Purpose

Attach to this checklist an explanation of the purpose of the regulation, policy, guideline, court resolution, or order.

Note: The remainder of this Takings Impact Assessment Checklist should be completed in consultation with the Criminal District Attorney's Office.

II. Potential Effect on Private Real Property

1. Does the county action require a physical invasion, occupation, or dedication of real property?

Yes _____ No √

2. Does the county action limit or restrict a real property right, even partially, or temporarily?

Yes _____ No √

If you answered yes to either question, go to Section III. If you answered no to both, STOP HERE and circle SHORT TIA at the top of the form.
