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ELECTRONIC BIDDING

What is Electronic Bidding?

ODOT's Electronic bidding will utilize Bid Express which is an online information service for transportation bidding provided by Bidx.com[™], an Info Tech company. Bid Express is available on the Internet at www.bidx.com. Bid Express is a two-way service: publishing bid-related information from state transportation agencies to the contracting community, and allowing online, secure bid submission from the contracting community to the state transportation agency. Bid Express works in conjunction with Trns*port Expedite, a free downloadable software which is used for the bid preparation, then submitted over the internet by BidX, to ODOT. Bid Express also enables electronic bid bond verification.

What Must I do to Bid Electronically?

- Be signed up with an Internet Service Provider
- Set up an account with BidX at https://www.bidx.com/
- Set up Digital ID with BidX
- Be prequalified with ODOT http://www.oregon.gov/ODOT/CS/CONSTRUCTION/Pages/Prequalification.aspx

<u>Frequently Asked Questions:</u> see https://www.bidx.com/site/static?page=faq for answers to questions about:

- Digital IDs
- Hardware/Software
- Internet Bidding
- Bid Bonds
- Fees
- General Questions