

**INVITATION TO BID**  
**(PLEASE USE THE ENCLOSED BID SHEETS)**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Board of County Commissioners of Custer County, Oklahoma will receive sealed bids either by mail and ground delivery by Friday, December 26, 2025 at 4:00 o'clock p.m., or in person until December 29, 2025 until the hour of 9:00 a.m. on said day, in their office in the Courthouse in Arapaho, Oklahoma. Sealed bids shall be opened on December 29, 2025 at 9:15 o'clock a.m. for the following:

**Minimum Specifications For  
DISTRICT 3 BRIDGE PROJECT  
Custer County, Oklahoma**

Specifications and information are on file in the Custer County Clerk's Office in Arapaho, Oklahoma and may be viewed on Custer County's website, [www.custer.okcounties.org](http://www.custer.okcounties.org).

All bids must be in a sealed envelope, clearly marked BID, with the BID OPENING DATE and TIME.

A mandatory Pre-Bid meeting will be held at bridge site **(from Butler, go 3 miles east on Highway 33 to County Road N2170, go South on N2170 six tenths of a mile to Bridge)** at **10:00 a.m., Tuesday, December 16, 2025**. With Approval of Commissioner, an alternate date for Pre-Bid Meeting may be allowed. Bid will not be accepted if not at a Pre-Bid meeting.

All bids must be mailed or delivered to:

***(Mailing)***

CUSTER COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE  
P.O. BOX 300  
ARAPAH0, OKLAHOMA 73620-0300

***(Physical)***

CUSTER COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE  
675 WEST "B" STREET  
ARAPAH0, OKLAHOMA 73620-0300

Please follow all instructions for submitting bid proposals completely.

/S/MELISSA GRAHAM,  
CUSTER COUNTY CLERK  
(SEAL)

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SUBMITTING BID PROPOSALS

1. This entire packet (Notice, Instructions, Minimum Specifications, Affidavit for Filing, Affidavit for Contracts and W-9) shall be known as the “Invitation to Bid” form. Fill out the “Invitation to Bid” form *completely*. **See Checklist for Items Required for Bid Consideration.**
2. Identify the outside of the sealed envelope as follows:  
**SEALED BID – District 3 Bridge Project**  
**CLOSING – December 29, 2025**  
**BID OPENING – December 29, 2025 at 9:15 a.m.**
3. Place your company name and return address on the outside of the envelope.
4. File the bid proposal with the Custer County Clerk, either **by mail or ground delivery** by Friday, December 26, 2025 at 4:00 o’clock p.m., *or in person*, until **9:00 o’clock a.m. on December 29, 2025**. Bids received after this time will be rejected and unopened. **Bids will be opened at 9:15 o’clock a.m., December 29, 2025** during the County Commissioner’s meeting held in the Custer County Courthouse, Arapaho, Oklahoma, Room 104, at 675 West “B” Street, Arapaho, Oklahoma.
5. All forms must be filled out completely. Any incomplete forms could result in rejection if the Board of County Commissioners considers such action to be in the best interest of Custer County.
6. The address of the Custer County Clerk is as follows:  

<i>(Mailing)</i> CUSTER COUNTY CLERK’S OFFICE P.O. BOX 300 ARAPAH0, OKLAHOMA 73620-0300	<i>(Physical)</i> CUSTER COUNTY CLERK’S OFFICE 675 WEST “B” STREET ARAPAH0, OKLAHOMA 73620
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7. All bid information shall be typewritten, or legibly written in ink. All corrections shall be initialed by the person signing the form(s).
8. **On all bids requiring services or contract labor, proof of liability insurance may be required. Read the bid specifications carefully.**
9. FOR PROMPT PAYMENT OF ALL INVOICES, PLEASE NOTE:  
\* Payment for all expenses for Custer County is made twice a month. Approval of said claims is made on the second and fourth Monday of each month. For your claim to be considered for payment, the product(s) or service(s) must be delivered, and the appropriate paperwork on file with the County Clerk’s office no later than five working days prior to the second and fourth Monday of the month.  
\* If the proper invoices and supporting documentation are not received by the cut-off date, payment will be rendered during the following payment issue period.  
\* Please contact Melissa Graham, Custer County Clerk, for a schedule for invoice submission in order to expedite payment processing.
10. If you have any questions regarding the bid specifications, or the bid deadlines, etc., please contact Melissa Graham, Custer County Clerk or Debbie Bright, Purchasing Agent at (580) 323-4420.

**NOTE: ALL BID PROPOSALS WHICH DO NOT CONTAIN THE “INVITATION TO BID” AND THE SIGNED/NOTARIZED “AFFIDAVIT FOR FILING WITH COMPETITIVE BID”, WILL BE INVALID AND REJECTED.**

**THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY AND ALL  
BIDS.**

Please complete the following and return this page with your Bid.

**CHECKLIST OF ITEMS REQUIRED FOR BID RETURN**

- 1. \_\_\_\_ AFFIDAVIT FOR FILING WITH COMPETITIVE BID
- 2. \_\_\_\_ AFFIDAVIT FOR CONTRACTS AND PAYMENTS
- 3. \_\_\_\_ W-9 FOR YOUR BUSINESS
- 4. \_\_\_\_ YOUR BID – PLEASE RETURN ONLY THE PAGES OF INVITATION TO BID WHICH INDICATE YOUR PROPOSAL.

**THESE ITEMS MUST BE INCLUDED FOR BID TO BE CONSIDERED.**

**PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:**

VENDOR:	_____
SIGNATURE:	_____
TITLE:	_____
ADDRESS:	_____
CITY/STATE/ZIP	_____
PHONE	_____
FAX	_____
EMAIL	_____

**MINIMUM SPECIFICATIONS**  
**District 3 Bridge Project**  
**One or More**  
**CUSTER COUNTY, OKLAHOMA**

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The specifications outline the scope of work for this project. The Bidder will be expected to conform to these specifications should they be the successful awarded Bidder. The Bidder will be expected to list three references that the County may contact at its' discretion who can confirm the Bidder's successful experience installing the specified products.

The awarded bid effective dates to be within a 365 day period from Award Date, where the Bidder will be expected to perform the work for the County within 90 days from start. Work to be awarded by the Custer County Commissioners at their discretion.

New bridge will be approximately 19 feet long and 27 feet wide and when finished will have an 8-inch concrete deck.

All bridge materials will be supplied by Custer County.

Bridge shall be completed within 90 days after construction begins.

Contractor shall:

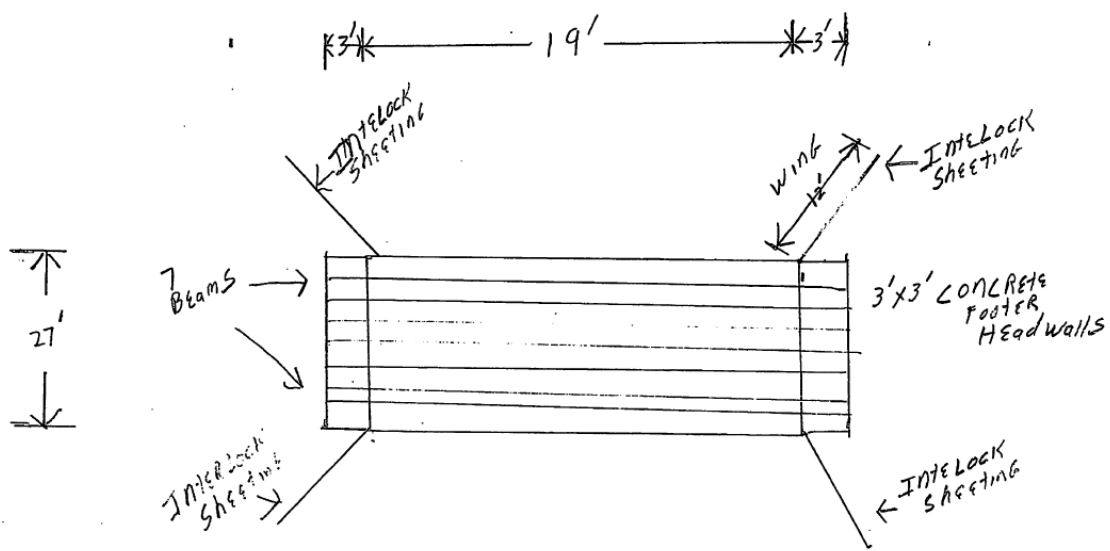
- Form and pour two (2) concrete head walls (caps) 3 feet by 3 feet by 27 feet. Head walls shall include two (2) layers of steel reinforcing rod, two (2) 7 5/8 pipes supporting 8 inch channels set at height of cap.
- Set and weld bridge beams.
- Weld in X braces per plan.
- Drive and cut interlock sheeting on two (2) head walls and on four (4) 12 foot wings at least 5 feet below streambed, or to refusal.
- Install metal deck form (stay in place form), place and tie 2 layers of reinforcing steel.
- Install 8 inch channel as deck pan.
- Pour and finish concrete.

Custer County shall:

- Provide and maintain all road closed signs.
- Take out old bridge
- Build approaches back after bridge is complete.
- Deliver all steel and concrete to bridge site.

**TOTAL \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**  
**RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY AND ALL**  
**BIDS.**



## AFFIDAVIT FOR FILING WITH COMPETITIVE BID

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\_\_\_\_\_, of lawful age, being first duly sworn,  
on oath says, that (s)he is the agent authorized by the bidder to submit the attached  
bid.

Affiant further states that the bidder has not been a party to any collusion among bidders in restraint of freedom of competition by agreement to bid at a fixed price or to refrain from bidding; or with any county official or employee as to quantity, quality or price in the prospective contract, or any other terms of said prospective contract; or in any discussions between bidders and any county official concerning exchange of money or other thing of value for special consideration in the letting of a contract.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

Notary Public (Clerk or Judge)

My Commission Expires:

(SEAL)

**Note: Each competitive bid submitted to a county, school district or municipality must be accompanied with the above Affidavit as required by 61 Okla.St.Ann.§138.**

**Bids which are submitted without this Affidavit will be considered invalid and rejected.**

# AFFIDAVIT FOR CONTRACTS AND PAYMENTS

STATE OF OKLAHOMA )  
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COUNTY OF )

THE UNDERSIGNED (ARCHITECT, CONTRACTOR, SUPPLIER OR ENGINEER), OF LAWFUL AGE, BEING FIRST DULY SWORN, ON OATH SAYS THAT THIS INVOICE OR CLAIM IS TRUE AND CORRECT. AFFIANT FURTHER STATES THAT THE (WORK, SERVICES OR MATERIALS) WILL BE (COMPLETED OR SUPPLIED) IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS, ORDERS OR REQUESTS FURNISHED THE AFFIANT. AFFIANT FURTHER STATES THAT (S)HE HAS MADE NO PAYMENT DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY TO ANY ELECTED OFFICIAL, OFFICER OR EMPLOYEE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA, ANY COUNTY OR LOCAL SUBDIVISION OF THE STATE, OF MONEY OR ANY OTHER THING OF VALUE TO OBTAIN PAYMENT OF THE INVOICE OR PROCURE THE CONTRACT OR PURCHASE ORDER.

(CONTRACTOR, ARCHITECT, SUPPLIER, OR ENGINEER)

By \_\_\_\_\_

ATTESTED TO BEFORE ME THIS \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_,  
20\_\_\_\_.

NOTARY PUBLIC (OR CLERK OR JUDGE)

NOTE: 62 O.S. § 310.9 (B), authorizes counties executing a contract with any architect, contractor, supplier or engineer for construction work, services or materials which are needed on a continual basis from such architect, contractor, supplier or engineer under the terms of such contract, or executing more than one contract during the fiscal year with such architect, contractor, supplier or engineer, may require that the architect, contractor, supplier or engineer complete a signed affidavit as provided for in subsection A of this section which shall apply to all work, services or materials completed or supplied under the terms of the contract or contracts.

Before you begin. For guidance related to the purpose of Form W-9, see *Purpose of Form*, below.

Print or type.  
See *Specific instructions* on page 3.

1

Name of entity/individual. An entry is required. (For a sole proprietor or disregarded entity, enter the owner's name on line 1, and enter the business/disregarded entity's name on line 2.)

2

Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above.

3a

Check the appropriate box for federal tax classification of the entity/individual whose name is entered on line 1. Check only **one** of the following seven boxes.

☐ Individual/sole proprietor

☐ C corporation

☐ S corporation

☐ Partnership

☐ Trust/estate

☐ LLC. Enter the tax classification (C = C corporation, S = S corporation, P = Partnership) . . . . .

Note: Check the "LLC" box above and, in the entry space, enter the appropriate code (C, S, or P) for the tax classification of the LLC, unless it is a disregarded entity. A disregarded entity should instead check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner.

☐ Other (see instructions)

4

Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3):

Exempt payee code (if any)

Exemption from Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act (FATCA) reporting code (if any)

(Applies to accounts maintained outside the United States.)

3b

If on line 3a you checked "Partnership" or "Trust/estate," or checked "LLC" and entered "P" as its tax classification, and you are providing this form to a partnership, trust, or estate in which you have an ownership interest, check this box if you have any foreign partners, owners, or beneficiaries. See instructions . . . . .

5

Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.). See instructions.

Requester's name and address (optional)

CUSTER COUNTY  
PO BOX 300  
ARAPAHO, OK 73620

6

City, state, and ZIP code

7

List account number(s) here (optional)

Part I

Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the instructions for Part I, later. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN*, later.

Note: If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1. See also *What Name and Number To Give the Requester* for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Social security number

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or

Employer identification number

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Part II

Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and

2. I am not subject to backup withholding because (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and

3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and

4. The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

Certification instructions.

You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and, generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions for Part II, later.

Sign Here

Signature of U.S. person

Date

General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

Future developments.

For the latest information about developments related to Form W-9 and its instructions, such as legislation enacted after they were published, go to [www.irs.gov/FormW9](https://www.irs.gov/FormW9).

What's New

Line 3a has been modified to clarify how a disregarded entity completes this line. An LLC that is a disregarded entity should check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner. Otherwise, it should check the "LLC" box and enter its appropriate tax classification.

New line 3b has been added to this form. A flow-through entity is required to complete this line to indicate that it has direct or indirect foreign partners, owners, or beneficiaries when it provides the Form W-9 to another flow-through entity in which it has an ownership interest. This change is intended to provide a flow-through entity with information regarding the status of its indirect foreign partners, owners, or beneficiaries, so that it can satisfy any applicable reporting requirements. For example, a partnership that has any indirect foreign partners may be required to complete Schedules K-2 and K-3. See the Partnership Instructions for Schedules K-2 and K-3 (Form 1065).

Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS is giving you this form because they

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Form **W-9** (Rev. 3-2024)