I-695 at I-70 Interchange

Design-Build Project Contract No. BA0065272

Baltimore Regional Transportation Board Meeting

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Presentation Overview

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DESIGN-BUILD



Design-Build is a project delivery method where an owner acquires a single source to be responsible for the design and construction of a project and assign risk to the party best able to manage it.



Design-Build

Design-Build Offers Several Benefits

- Encourages innovation and creativity in design and construction
 - Improves project collaboration
 - Allocates responsibility and risks to the party best able to address them.



Design-Build

However for the project to be viable, the responsibility and risks must have mitigating features in the contract.



Risk Mitigation





Design-Build

Design-Build Allows You Many Freedoms but You Must Manage the Associated Risk

- All Aspects Of The Project Must Analyzed For Potential Risks
 - Design
 - Permitting
 - Utilities
 - Right-of-Way
- Measures Must Be Created To Balance Those Risks
 - Information (Data Collection, Specifications, Other Info)
 - Money
 - Time



Design-Build

Design-Build Goals

- Goals are unique for each project
- 4-6 goals that are the most important the project achieve
- Goals will need to have established priority/hierarchy
- Goals shall guide the project development, decision making and creation of the contract documents
- Goals shall guide the risk allocation and associated mitigation



Conflict of Interest

Maryland Annotated Code § 13-212.1 contains various restrictions on participating in State procurements:

- Drafts Specifications for Procurement
- Retained for Phase V Services (works on the project after Advertisement)
- Received payment in excess of \$500,000.00

Any consultant usage must be discussed with and tracked by Project Manager



I-695 at I-70 Interchange **Design Build Project Overview**



Introduction

December 19, 2017 Governor Larry Hogan announced Baltimore Traffic Relief Plan, which included \$100M for the I-695 at I-70 Interchange Design-Build Project

By June 2018, funding allocation was in place and in July 2018, MDOT SHA held a project initiation and began data collection.



Project Location



- Project Location
 - Baltimore County
- Project Limits
 - I-695 at I-70 Interchange
 - Including I-70 extension toward Baltimore City and Park and Ride
 - Exact limits along I-695 will be determined through traffic modeling and with I-695 TSMO Team



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Procurement Overview

- Competitive Sealed Proposals (COMAR 21.05.03)
- Best Value Selection
- •Two –Step Procurement Process
 - Step 1 Request for Qualifications
 - Step 2 Request for Proposals
 - Technical Proposal
 - Price Proposal

Project Intent

•Address structural issues within the interchange

- Six bridges built in 1965 need repair or replacement soon
- Maintain regional connectivity
- •Provide peak hour congestion relief:
 - Ramps operating over capacity:
 - Address safety concerns due to capacity and operational issues
- Future Maintenance
 - Removal of stacked bridges

Key Issues

 Mainline I-695 cannot be widened with current interchange configuration

- Maintenance of Traffic
 - Existing ramps are single lane with narrow shoulders
- Proposed improvements should stay within existing MDOT SHA right of way
- Allocated funding is not anticipated to allow all interchange movements to be maintained
- Public Involvement



Public Involvement Strategy

•What we know:

- Ramp A and Ramp C need to be addressed for capacity
- Interchange to interchange movements will remain for regional connectivity
- Structural issues within the interchange need to be addressed
- What we will do:
 - Use public involvement to shape RFP in a way which allows for more potential innovation to DB Team



Public Involvement Strategy

- Anticipate 2 Public Meetings
- •First Meeting December 20, 2018

Disseminate what we already know will be included in project

 Online Survey for the public to prioritize the park and ride connections
 <u>http://bit.ly/l-695-l-70ConnectionsSurvey</u> (closes 12/28/18 at midnight)

- Looking for both commuter and local feedback
- Newsletter mailing (32,000-local only including Baltimore City)
- Newspaper Advertisements in Baltimore City and Baltimore, Howard, and Carroll Counties
- Email to elected officials, announcement on MDOT SHA social media
- Geofencing to capture commuter feedback
- Utilize surveys and meeting discussions to gather data



Public Involvement Strategy

- Second Meeting will occur Spring 2019
 Provide results of customer feedback from survey
 - Discuss potential mitigation strategies for movements that are unlikely to be included in the future improvements including:
 - Additional travel time
 - Local impacts

 Discuss potential mitigation strategies for worst case scenarios for noise (abatement/screening, etc.)

 Use the Public involvement to guide the creation of the Request for Proposals



Procurement Schedule

- •Advertise Request for Qualifications March 19, 2019
- •NEPA Approval Spring/Summer 2019
- Issue Request For Proposals June/July 2019
- Notice to Proceed December 2019

Questions?

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