

ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

REQUEST FOR LETTERS OF INTEREST

Notice is hereby given that the Arkansas Department of Transportation (Department) is seeking letters of interest from qualified consulting firms for the development of a statewide Transportation Systems Management & Operations (TSMO) Plan and related technical assistance. The required professional services to develop a TSMO Plan will generally consist of the following:

- Developing a strategic framework for TSMO in Arkansas
- Assessing current Department TSMO practices
- Identifying needs, strategies and action items based on best practices
- Providing recommendations for implementation, including priorities
- Providing implementation plans that may include business protocols, policy actions, ITS implementation, and regional operations plans

Copies of the full Request for Letters of Interest shall be obtained by e-mailing consultantcoordinator@ardot.gov or by calling the Consultant Contracts office at (501) 569-4986.

In order to receive consideration, interested firms shall follow the instructions supplied to them in the full Request for Letters of Interest, and submittals shall be received no later than 4:00 p.m. (CST) on **February 12, 2020**.

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