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Parsons Transportation Group Joins Missouri Bridge Partners

JEFFERSON CITY – Missouri Bridge Partners, one of two teams negotiating with the Missouri Department of Transportation to improve 802 of the state’s worst bridges through the Safe & Sound Bridge Improvement Program, has added Parsons Transportation Group to its team.

Parsons, based in California and with a St. Louis office, has replaced URS Corporation as MBP’s lead project designer.

“We made this change to deliver the best value in our proposal to the state of Missouri,” Dwight Munk, senior project manager for Zachry American Infrastructure, said. Zachry is MBP’s lead firm.

Other major participants on the MBP team are HNTB, Fred Weber, Inc., Clarkson Construction and Infrastructure Corporation of America. Exclusive sub-contractors on the MBP team include Contech Bridge Solutions, Emery Sapp and Sons, Commanche Construction, West Plains Bridge and Grading and Pace Construction.

The other team in the hunt for the Safe & Sound contract is Team United, led by John Laing Infrastructure of London, England, and United Contractors of Great Falls, S.C. Other major participants include Cramer/United/Jensen JV (Des Moines, Iowa), RBC Capital Markets (Toronto, Canada), LPA Group (Columbia, S.C.) and Roy Jorgensen and Associates (Buckeytown, Md.). Team United also lists a number of Missouri construction firms as exclusive sub-contractors.

Final technical proposals are due on June 20. The Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission is expected to award a contract at its July meeting.

For more information, visit the project Web site at www.modot.mo.gov/safeandsound

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