NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

TIRE LEASING CONTRACT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE CHAMPAIGN-URBANA MASS TRANSIT DISTRICT (MTD) or DISTRICT, will be receiving sealed proposals for the Tire Leasing Contract until **2:00PM CT Friday, February 23, 2023**. Proposals shall be emailed to <u>procurement@mtd.org</u> and clearly labeled **"RFP 2023-002 PROPOSAL FOR BUS TIRE LEASING CONTRACT".** Any proposals received after the time and date noted herein will not be considered and will be returned to the proposer unopened.

The scope of this project includes leasing of tires to the Champaign-Urbana Mass Transit District's 118 bus fleet for a period of three years with three one-year renewal options.

The District will award the contract to the lowest, most responsive and responsible single proposer. Any contract resulting from these proposals is subject to financial assistance contracts between the District and the Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT). The District reserves the right to accept any or any part or parts thereof or to reject any and all proposals. Acceptance of any proposals may be subject to concurrence by the IDOT.

The District also hereby notifies proposers they affirmatively ensure all Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE), as defined by the United States Government, are afforded full opportunity to submit proposals in response to this invitation and will not knowingly discriminate against any proposer upon the grounds of gender, race, color or national origin in the consideration of award of the contract. The proposer will be required to comply with all applicable Federal and State Equal Opportunity laws and regulations.

The full Request for Proposals may be obtained by contacting <u>procurement@mtd.org</u> or Victoria Carrington at (217) 384-8188.