## Commonwealth of Virginia

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# Route 460 Corridor Improvements Project 

## Project Brief

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## Procurement Background

## Parties, Evaluation, Term and Cost

- Parties: Three Offeror teams
> Cintra Infraestructuras S.A.U (Cintra Infraestructuras S.A., Ferrovial Agroman, S.A.)
> 460 Partners, Inc. (Moreland Property Group, Inc., Infrastructure Capital Partners, LLC, CGA Capital, Bank of America, Lane Construction Corporation, Skanska USA Civil Southeast, Inc.)
> MultiModal Solutions LLC (Edgemoor Real Estate Services, LLC, Clark Construction Group, LLC, Shirley Contracting Company, LLC)
- Competitive Procurement: Award based on Offeror with lowest present value of the public subsidy. Offerors to deliver Financial Proposal which has received an investment grade rating.
- Cost: Fixed price, design-build contract estimated at \$1.5-\$2.0. Competitive procurement and successful Offeror's proposal will establish design-build contract price


## Project Description



## Setting the Stage

- This is a different approach (Design-Build-Finance (DBF)) than Midtown Tunnel or Capital Beltway (Concession Model)
- Reasons for Implementing DBF approach:
> Toll revenue in the early years projected to be very low
> Greenfield project with parallel free alternative considered to be high investment risk by private sector
> Creating a financial structure with the cheapest debt that does not effect the Commonwealth's debt rating
> VDOT wants to take a greater role with its increased contribution:
$\checkmark$ Setting tolls
$\checkmark$ Setting toll escalation parameters
$\checkmark$ Retaining risk/reward of traffic revenue
$\checkmark$ Shorter term


## Setting the Stage

■ Looking for the least expensive method to build full scope project (reducing total cost)
> Tax Exempt Debt (63-20 non-profit corporation)
> No equity ( reduced cost of capital)
> Using a combination of public subsidy and Tax Exempt Debt
> VDOT taking on long-term operation of facility

- New financial model developed based on new approach
- Financial and legal due diligence completed with new financial model and includes:
> Formation of 63-20 Non-profit Corporation to develop and finance the project
> Provide a line of credit through a VTIB loan to provide credit support in early years


## 63-20 Non-Profit Corporation

- Benefits - Successfully utilized on other projects in Virginia
> Delivery of full scope project
> Construction to start in early 2013
> Reduced Project term (~40 years)
> Access to the lowest cost of capital
> No high profit on equity
> Potential up-side in the event of project success
> Commonwealth controls toll rates
> No impact to debt capacity
- Approval - Request CTB Resolution in June with approvals needed under Revenue Ruling 63-20


## 63-20 Non-Profit Corporation



## Business Terms

- Financing - 63-20 Corporation issues tax-exempt bonds
- Debt Service Reserve Account - Financial proposals will include a debt service reserve account to enable proposal to receive an indicative investment grade rating.
- Ramp-up Reserve Account - Offerors may use a portion of the VDOT public subsidy to fund an account to support the payment of interest during the early years of the operating phase.
- Operations and Maintenance - VDOT will retain responsibilities for long term operations and maintenance to reduce overall upfront project costs
- Tolling Operations - 63-20 will be responsible for Tolling Operations to be paid by VDOT
- Comprehensive Agreement - three party agreement between VDOT, 63-20 Corporation and private partner
- Project Term -~40 years


## Virginia Transportation Infrastructure Bank

- An application is expected from the OTP3 for an \$80 million line of credit for the project.
- OTP3 will submit the application as a project sponsor, with intent of making the line of credit available to the Successful Offeror.
- Review of this application by staff, VRA and the VTIB Advisory Panel is expected to be completed to support CTB presentation and action in June.
- Request for Detailed Proposals Addendum
> Public Notice/Press Release
> Targeted written notice to GA members, affected jurisdictions, and MPOs
> Public posting of documents
> CTB presentation
- Selection of Successful Offeror
> Public Notice/Press Release
> Public posting of documents
> CTB presentation of major business points
- Execution of Agreement
> Public Notice/Press Release
> Public posting of documents


## Next Steps

- Ongoing - Issue RFDP in May 2012, initiate Public Outreach
- June 2012 - Formation of 63-20 Non-Profit Corporation
- June 2012 - VTIB Loan
- September 2012 - Offerors submit Detailed Proposals
- October 2012 - Evaluate proposals and select Successful Offeror
- November 2012 - CTB presentation on major business points
- December 2012 - Commercial and Financial close
- 2013 - Construction begins
- 2018 - Construction complete
- 2018 - Tolling begins

