

Site differences: Bidx.com[®] vs. Bidexpress.com

This document is provided as a quick overview of the differences between the Infotech[®] services offered on the www.bidx.com and www.bidexpress.com web sites.

	www.bidx.com	www.bidexpress.com
Use	State road, highway, bridge, and construction projects.	RFP postings, RFQs, RFI, procurement, non-state road, highway, and construction projects
By	DOTs and turnpike authorities throughout the United States and some of Canada.	Purchasing departments, municipalities, local agencies, and some DOTs.
Bidding	<p>Conducted via the AASHTOWare Project Bids™ Bid software, which contractors must download locally to their bidding computers.</p> <p>Contractors must apply for an Infotech Digital ID following the steps on the www.bidx.com website. This Digital ID must be used with Microsoft Edge. This Digital ID may only be used with bidding on the www.bidx.com website.</p> <p>Proposal completion and submission occurs via the above software and the proposal documents are downloaded directly from www.bidx.com.</p>	<p>Bid submission is done either with an Infotech Digital ID or an electronic signature, at the discretion of the owner-agency.</p> <p>Vendors bidding with owner-agencies using Infotech Digital IDs must apply for a Digital ID. The Digital ID can be used in most modern browsers, like Chrome, Firefox, and Microsoft Edge. This Digital ID may only be used with bidding on the www.bidexpress.com web site.</p> <p>Bids are submitted through the www.bidexpress.com web site.</p>
Bid bond verification	<p>Submit contract ID/proposal number and contractor ID/vendor /bidder number to bonding agent.</p> <p>Electronic bond verification may be used with a surety partner.</p> <p>The contractor ID/vendor /bidder number is provided by the DOT that the contractor is bidding to.</p>	<p>Submit contract ID/solicitation number and contractor ID/business number to bonding agent.</p> <p>Electronic bond verification may be used with a surety partner.</p> <p>Upon registration, the unique business number is assigned to the vendor’s business account on www.bidexpress.com.</p>