NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS CALLING FOR BIDS

Notice is hereby given that the RIO HONDO COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT ("District") of Los Angeles County, California, acting by and through its Governing Board ("Board"), will receive up to, but not later than 10:00 AM April 21, 2016 in the Purchasing Office, sealed bids for the award of a contract for the procurement of the following:

Bid # 2045
Bookstore and Print shop Renovation Project

The project consists of renovations to existing office space to accommodate for a new Bookstore and Print shop. The Project consist of demolition of existing walls and flooring in existing office space, remodeling of existing Men's & Women's restrooms, installation of new Fire Alarm System. Work to be performed on a college site during the summer break when student population is minimal, but occupied by staff.

Bids received after the time specified above or after any extensions due to material changes shall be returned unopened. All bids shall be made and presented on a form furnished by the District. Bids shall be received in the office of the Director, Contract Management and Vendor Services, and shall be opened publicly read aloud at the above stated time and place.

Each bid must conform with and be responsive to the contract documents, copies of which are on file and may be obtained at the Mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting and Job Walk or on line at: http://www.riohondo.edu/finance-and-business/doing-business-with-rhc/current-or-recent-bids-and-rfps/. Each bid shall be accompanied by (1) the security referred to in the contract documents; (2) the list of proposed subcontractors; (3) the Non-collusion Affidavit; and (4) a list of three similar jobs the contractor has completed in the last three years.

A Mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting and Job Walk will be conducted on April 07, 2016 at 10:00 AM beginning at the Rio Hondo College – District Board Room, Administration Building Room A102, 3600 Workman Mill Rd., Whittier, CA 90601. Because the Mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting and Job Walk is mandatory, the Bid Proposal submitted by a Bidder whose representative(s) did not attend the entirety of the Mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting and Job Walk will be rejected by the District as being non-responsive. Parking permits are required for parking in campus parking lots. Doors to the meeting will be shut 10 minutes after the published time of the Mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting and Job Walk and any bidder arriving later than this time will be rejected by the District as being non-responsive.

The District has obtained from the Department of Industrial Relations the general prevailing rate of per diem wages and the general prevailing rate for holiday and overtime work for the Los Angeles County Area for each trade, craft, classification, or type of work needed to execute the contract. Holiday rates shall be paid as specified in the collective bargaining agreement applicable to each particular trade, craft, classification, or type of work employed on the project.

Copies of schedules of rates so determined are available on the Internet at: http://www.dir.ca.gov/dir/s&r/statistics_research.html and are on file and available at the District Office noted above. In accordance with Section 1773.2 of the California Labor Code, the Contractor shall post a copy of the determination of prevailing rate of wages at each jobsite. The schedule of per diem wages is based upon a working day of (8) eight hours. The rate for holiday and overtime work shall be at time plus one-half. The Contractor and any subcontractor(s) shall pay not less than the specified prevailing rates of wages to all workers employed by them in the execution of the contract. In accordance with provisions of the Public Contract Code Section 22300, substitution of eligible and equivalent securities for any monies withheld to ensure performance under this contract will be permitted at the request and expense of the Contractor.

No bidder may withdraw their bid for a period of (90) ninety days after the date set for the opening of bids.

The District reserves the right to reject any and all bids or to waive irregularities in any bid.

Rio Hondo Community College District is an “Equal Opportunity” employer. Qualified Disabled Veteran Business Enterprises (DVBE), Minority Business Enterprises (MBE), and Woman Owned Business Enterprises (WBE) are encouraged to participate in this project.

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