

DATE: <u>February 13, 2019</u>

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

Sealed Bids will be received by Russell Construction along with Black Hawk College, on or before March 7, 2019 at 2:00 p.m. prevailing time, for the Black Hawk College Bridge and Tunnel Upgrades. Bids shall be submitted on or before the specified closing time in an opaque sealed envelope addressed to: Mike Meleg, Finance Office; Quad Cities Campus, Building 1 room 244A, Black Hawk College, 6600 34th Avenue, Moline, Illinois 61265. The Bids shall be clearly marked on the outside of the sealed envelope "RFP 06-19" and shall also be marked with the Bid Category. The Bid Categories are as follows:

1. Concrete, 2. Roofing, 3. Interior Assemblies, 4. Painting, 5. Mechanical, 6. Electrical, 7. Landscaping.

Bids must be submitted for a complete Bid Category of work only. No other bids will be considered for partial scopes of work.

Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud shortly after the 2:00 p.m. deadline in Building 1, room 255 (Black Hawk Room).

All work for the complete construction of the Project will be under subcontracts with the Construction Manager – Russell Construction - based on responsible bids received. The Construction Manager will manage the construction of the Project.

Bid security in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the Bid must accompany each Bid in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders.

A Pre-Bid Conference will be held on Thursday, February 27, 2019, at 2:00 p.m. at the Black Hawk College Quad City Campus, 6600 34th Ave., Moline, IL, 61265, Room 255 (Black Hawk Room). Attendance by bidders is optional, but strongly recommended, in order to clarify or answer questions concerning the Drawings and Project Manuals for the Project.

Black Hawk College is open to the public for additional site visits but, restricted areas will need to be scheduled in advance.

The Owner reserves the right to accept or reject any Bid (or combination of Bids) and to waive any irregularities in bidding. All Bids may be held for a period not to exceed 90 days before awarding contracts.

Contractors submitting bids for the performance of any Work as specified in this building Project should make such Bids to Russell Construction Company. Contractors are advised that the Contract as finally entered into with any successful Bidder will be entered into with Russell Construction Company.

Construction shall be in full accordance with the Bidding Documents which are on file and may be examined by prospective bidders at the following locations:

Russell Project SharePoint:

BHC Tunnel & Bridge Upgrades Bidding Documents

Office of the Construction Manager Russell Construction 4600 E. 53^{rd.} St., Davenport, IA

City Blue Technologies 4605 – 3rd Street, Moline, IL Published electronically on iSqFt

Bidders can obtain Bidding Documents electronically at iSqFt (www.isqft.com) or from the Russell project cloud. Hard copies may be obtained from City Blue Technologies $4605 - 3^{rd}$. Street, Moline, IL, <u>www.citybluetechnologies.com</u> at your own expense.

Addenda will also be posted and available as they are issued.

Sub-Contractor Bidders will NOT include sales tax. This is a Tax Exempt project.

All bidders must comply with applicable Illinois Law requiring the payment of prevailing wages by all contractors working on public projects. Bidders must comply with the Illinois Statutory requirements regarding labor, including Equal Employment Opportunity Laws.

The College has entered into an agreement with the Illowa Construction Labor and Management Council to construct the facility in abidance with the terms and conditions of the IMPACT Memorandum of Understanding. All bidders will submit bids based upon these terms and shall require all sub-bidders to adhere to the same. Copies of the IMPACT Agreement are available from the Illowa Construction Labor and Management Council, 2112 53rd Street, Moline, Illinois, 61265. Phone: 309-736-3460.

Article XVI Administrative Procedures "In the event that the bidding contractors, after contacting suggested specialty contractors, are unable to receive at least two competitive bids, the bidding contractors, after notifying the respective trade representative, will be allowed to use the service of any bidder that is willing to sign a project specific agreement with the respective craft."

Minority and Women Owned Businesses are highly encouraged to participate.

Mike Meleg Purchasing Manager Black Hawk College