

SECTION 00100
Advertisement to Bid

1. Almont Community Schools requests Bid Proposals on behalf of Almont Community Schools for the construction of the Almont Community Schools for Bid Package No. 02-05A work. Bid Proposals will be received by Almont Community Schools, 401 Church Street, Almont, MI 48003 delivery or mail, to the attention of Steven Zott, Superintendent of Schools by ***1 p.m. local time on Tuesday February 21, 2006***. Proposals must be sealed with Bidder's name on the outside of the envelope and designated as follows:
 - Sealed Proposal
 - Almont Community Schools
 - Bid Package No. 02-05A
 - Bid Category: _____
 - Contractor Name, Address, Phone Number
2. Proposals shall be based on the requirements set forth in the Project Manual by Barton Malow Company and contract and construction documents prepared by French Associates dated January 27, 2006 for:

BID PACKAGE NO. 02-05A (Central Office Remodeling)

BID CATEGORY NO. 04300 (Masonry Work)
BID CATEGORY NO. 05510 (Steel Work)
BID CATEGORY NO. 06150 (Carpentry Work)
BID CATEGORY NO. 07500 (Roofing Work)
BID CATEGORY NO. 09620 (Resilient Flooring & Carpet Work)
BID CATEGORY NO. 09910 (Painting Work)
BID CATEGORY NO. 15000 (Mechanical Work)
BID CATEGORY NO. 16000 (Electrical Work)

3. Accepted Bidders will be required, as a condition precedent to award of Contract, to furnish in the amount of 100% of the contract price, satisfactory Performance Bond and Payment Bond and Certificates of Insurance as required in the Project Manual.
4. Unless otherwise specifically set forth in Section 00880 of the Project Manual, this Project is subject to state sales and/or use taxes and Bidder is required to include such taxes in its Bid Proposal.
5. Barton Malow Company has been contracted by the Owner in the capacity of Construction Manager for the Project, and as such has the rights and obligations set forth in its contract with the Owner for those services, and shall act as representative of the Owner to the extent required/allowed under its Owner contract.
6. Bid Proposals will be publicly opened February 21, 2006 by Owner, evaluated by Barton Malow Company, Owner and the Architect, with recommended awards subsequently made by Barton Malow Company.

The Owner shall not open, consider, or accept a Bid Proposal that is received after the date and time specified for bid submission in this Advertisement for Bids.

7. Bidding Documents will be available for examination and distribution after February 3, 2006. Distribution will be made at:

Entire Reproductions
2950 Technology Drive
Rochester Hills, MI 48309
(248) 299-8900

Barton Malow Company
(Fraser Public Schools Office)
33500 Garfield Road
Fraser, MI 48026
(586)879-2175

Documents can be examined at:

F.W. Dodge Plan Room
10 Oak Hollow, Ste 300
Southfield, MI 48034
(248) 799-3300

C.A.M.
1625 S. Woodward Ave.
Bloomfield Hills, MI 48302
(248) 972-1000

Barton Malow Company
26500 American Center Dr.
Southfield, MI 48034
(248) 436-5000

Construction Market Data Group
40000 Grand River Ave., Ste 404
Novi, MI 48375
248) 471-5407

Tri-City Builders Exchange
334 S. Water St.
Saginaw, MI 48607
(989) 754-4872

Lansing Builders Exchange
1240 E. Saginaw
Lansing, MI 58906
(517) 372-8930

Grand Rapids Builders Exchange
4461 Cascade Road
Grand Rapids, MI 49564
616) 949-8650

Construction News Service of Michigan, Inc.
1793 R.W. Berends Dr. SW
Wyoming, MI 49519
(616)530-3940

8. A pre-bid conference and site visit/tour will be held for all trades on **Thursday February 9, 2006 at 1:00 pm at the Almont Elementary School located at 401 Church Street, Almont, MI 48003-0427**. All Bidders are responsible for attendance at the pre-bid conference. Pre-bid conference minutes will be distributed to all who are known by Barton Malow Company to have received contract documents, but the Barton Malow Company, Architect and Owner will not be responsible for providing information to those not attending the pre-bid conference. Information disclosed in the prebid conference minutes will be considered part of the Bidding and Contract Documents.
9. Bid Proposals shall be on forms furnished by Barton Malow Company in Section 00400. Bidders will be required to submit with their Bid Proposals a Bid Security by a qualified surety authorized to do business in the state where the Project is located, an OSHA Form 300 for the most recent completed year, their worker's compensation Experience Modification Rate (EMR) factor, and any other information required in the Instructions to Bidders. Bidders shall not withdraw Bid Proposals for a period of 90 Days after date for receipt of Bid Proposals.
10. The successful Bidder(s) will be required to enter into an agreement with Almont Community Schools on the Agreement Form identified in Section 00500 of the Project Manual.
11. The right to reject any or all Bid Proposals, either in whole or in part, or to waive any informalities or irregularities therein is reserved by Almont Community Schools.
12. All Bid Proposals shall be accompanied by the sworn statement included in Section 00410 of the Project Manual , in accordance with MCL 380.1267, disclosing any familial relationship that exists between the owner(s) or any employee of the Bidder and any member of the school board or the superintendent of Almont Community Schools. Bid Proposals that do not include this sworn and notarized disclosure statement shall not be accepted.

BARTON MALOW COMPANY

Dan Worek
Field Engineer

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