

INVITATION TO BID

Owner: Dearborn Public Schools  
Dearborn Public Schools Purchasing  
10421 Haggerty  
Dearborn, Michigan 48126

Project: Flooring Renovations  
Iris Becker Elementary  
10821 Henson  
Dearborn, Michigan 48126  
Ghafari Project No. 11076.018

Architect/Engineer: Ghafari Associates, L.L.C.  
17101 Michigan Avenue  
Dearborn, Michigan 48126

Date: February 09, 2005

Proposals will be accepted by invitation only, for the construction of masonry renovation work which will be bid as a single General Contract. Bids shall be on a stipulated sum basis; segregated bids will not be accepted.

The Project is to be complete on or before August 19, 2005. Work must not begin before July 1, 2005, without written permission of the Owner.

Bids will be received in the form of sealed proposals at any time prior to 11:00 a.m. local time, Tuesday, March 08, 2005, at the offices of the Dearborn Public Schools, Purchasing Department at the above indicated address. Proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud immediately after the closing time. All interested parties are invited to attend.

Bids received after the date and time specified for bid submission will not be opened, considered or accepted.

General Contract bidders may secure copies of the proposed Contract Documents from the Dearborn Schools Purchasing Department beginning at 9:00 a.m. local time, Thursday, February 10, 2005 on the following basis:

Two sets of prints and two copies of the project manual will be furnished to each General Contract bidder. It is requested that the documents be returned within 10 days after the bid opening. A plan deposit will not be required.

Bid Security in the amount of five percent of the bid must accompany each bid in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders.

Bids shall be accompanied by a sworn and notarized statement disclosing any familial relationship that exists between the Owner or any employee of the bidder and any member of the school board, or the Superintendent of the school district. Bids that do not include the sworn, notarized statement of familial relationship will not be accepted.

Contracts for work under this bid will obligate the Contractor and subcontractors not to discriminate in employment practices.

Dearborn Public Schools reserves the right to reject any or all bids, either in whole or in part, or to waive bidding informalities/ irregularities in the bid or bid process.