

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Cairns Field Community Center OSP Fiber / ISP Equipment Cabling

The Mount Clemens Community School District will receive single prime sealed bids for the Mount Clemens Cairns Field Community Center Project (located on the south side of Clemens Street, between Orchard Street and North Walnut Street), on or before May 21, 2008 at 10:00 a.m. Bids received after this date and time or bids received via facsimile or electronic transmission will not be considered or accepted. Bids shall be submitted to the Mount Clemens Community School District, attention Karen Donahue, Director of Financial Services, 167 Cass Avenue, Mount Clemens, MI 48043. Submit two (2) complete copies of bid submittal. Bids received will be publicly opened and read aloud starting at 10:15 a.m. on May 21, 2008.

The project includes both outside plant building to building fiber optic back bone cabling and inside plant technology equipment and cabling.

Bid documents will be available on or about May 7, 2008. Contact the Architect's Office for availability. The Architect will provide up to two (2) complete bid sets for cost of \$15.00 (non-refundable) per set. Additional bid sets are available at direct cost to the bidder. Checks shall be made payable to: Mount Clemens Community Schools.

There is a non-mandatory pre-bid meeting at the Mount Clemens Cairns Field Community Center located at 58 Orchard Street, Mount Clemens, 48043 on May 13, 2008 @ 10:00 a.m. The meeting will start in the Main Entry Lobby and end at the Lincoln Elementary School located at 91 Welts, Mount Clemens, 48043.

Make proposals on the bid form supplied in the specifications manual. No oral or telegraphic proposals or modifications will be considered. Submit with each bid, a certified check or acceptable bid bond payable to Mount Clemens Community School District, in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the total bid. For bids in excess of \$50,000, a Labor and Material Payment Bond and a Performance Bond will be required.

All bids shall be accompanied by a sworn and notarized statement disclosing any familial relationship that exists between the owner(s) or any employee of the bidder and any member of the Board of Education or the Superintendent of the Mount Clemens Community School District. **A bid that does not include this document will not be accepted.**

Bids may not be withdrawn for a period of ninety (90) days after the scheduled time of opening bids. The Board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids received, either in whole or in part and to waive any irregularities or informalities therein or to award the bid to other than the low bidder, in its sole discretion.

Questions regarding contract documents, including availability, may be directed to PARTNERS in Architecture, PLC, 96 Macomb Place, Mount Clemens, MI., 48043 (Phone: 586.469.3600; Fax 586.469.3607).

Steven Gravlin, Secretary of the Board of Education