



## **ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

Ravenna Public Schools, located in Ravenna Michigan will receive proposals from qualified contractors for the **New Early Childhood Center, located at 12335 Hts. Ravenna Road, Ravenna MI 49451.**

Proposals may be mailed to John Van Loon, Superintendent, at the Ravenna Public Schools Administration, 12322 Stafford Street, Ravenna MI 49451, or delivered in person to the Ravenna High School, 2766 S. Ravenna Road, Ravenna MI 49451 and must be received prior to **3:30 p.m. local time, on Thursday, October 8, 2009.** Proposals received after this time will not be accepted. All proposals must be sealed in envelopes, plainly labeled "**Proposal for Ravenna New Early Childhood Center Project, Bid Division: \_\_\_\_\_**". All proposals will be opened publicly and read aloud at the Ravenna High School at this time.

**A Pre-Bid Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, September 29, 3:30 PM at the Ravenna High School, 2766 S. Ravenna Road, Ravenna MI 49451.**

All proposals shall be accompanied by a sworn and notarized statement disclosing any familial relationship between the owner and any employee of the bidder and any member of the Board of Education or Superintendent. Proposals that are not accompanied by this sworn and notarized statement of disclosure will not be accepted. A form of this statement is available for use from Beckering Advisor, Inc.

A bid security in the amount of 5% of the bid, in the form of bond or certified check, is required and payable to Ravenna Public Schools. Performance, labor and material bond costs (which shall cover 100% of the value of the project) should be bid separately on the line provided on the bid form. Do not include the cost of PLM Bonds in your base bid.

Applicable Michigan use and sales tax apply to this project.  
Prevailing wages will be in effect on this project.

Bidding Documents may be examined **after September 21, 2009** at:

GMB Architects Engineers	85 East Eighth Street, Holland MI 49423	(616) 796-0200
Beckering Advisor Inc.	650 - 44th Street SE, Grand Rapids MI 49548	(616) 532-8191
Builders Exchange	4461 Cascade Rd SE, Grand Rapids MI 49546	
Builders Exchange	3431 E Kilgore, Kalamazoo MI 49002	
McGraw-Hill Dodge	401 Hall Street SW, Ste 128B, Grand Rapids, MI 49503	
Construction News Service	1773 RW Berends Dr SW, Wyoming, MI 49519	

Prospective Bidders desiring complete sets of Contract Documents may obtain them from the Construction Manager, Beckering Advisor Inc. Refundable plan deposit is required, in the amount of \$50.00.

The Owner reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and to waive any irregularities in proposals. Proposals shall remain firm for sixty (60) days from date of bid opening.