



ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

FROM:

The Owner (hereinafter referred to as Owner):

Traverse City Area Public School (TCAPS) System,
Maintenance Building
1212 Cass Road
Traverse City, MI 49685-0032
Contact Person: Paul Mahon, Director of Capital Projects

And the Engineer:

Nealis Engineering
122 S. Union Street, Suite 200
Traverse City, MI 49684
Phone: 231.933.0510
Contact Person: Jason VanBrocklin, PE

DATE: May 13, 2009

TO: POTENTIAL BIDDERS

Notice is given that the Owner will receive sealed bids from Electrical Contract Bidders for a site lighting project located at West Senior High School, 5376 North Long Lake Road, Traverse City, Michigan 49684.

Bids will be opened at a public bid opening on Friday, May 29, 2009 at 2:30 pm at the TCAPS Maintenance Building, at 1212 Cass Road, Traverse City, Michigan. Bids will be publicly opened at that time and any bids received after the specified date and time will not be considered.

Any bidders unable to attend the public opening may drop their bids off at the Maintenance Building Reception Desk, at 1212 Cass Road, Traverse City, Michigan, prior to 2:00 pm, Friday, May 29, 2009.

Project Description:

Electrical work including the following:
Furnishing and installing four (4) new 70' poles with cross arms, twenty-eight (28) 1500W metal halide fixtures and other electrical devices as shown on the plans to illuminate the east competition soccer field at the West Senior High School campus.

Bidding Documents:

Complete sets of Bid Documents, limited to Three (3), can be obtained by Electrical bidders (acting as General Contractor for this project) upon receipt of a refundable deposit, by check (made out to Traverse City Area Public Schools), in the amount of \$15.00 for each set. All bid sets will be distributed from Traverse Reproduction and Supply, 1373 Barlow Street, Traverse City, MI, beginning Monday, May 18, 2009. Call the business (231.947.6284) prior to picking up sets to confirm availability.

Additional sets, or sets for Non-General Contract bidders, may be purchased through Traverse Reproduction and Supply, 1373 Barlow Street, Traverse City, MI. Bidding documents may be reviewed online through Traverse Reproduction. Bidding documents may also be reviewed at the Builders Exchange at 1373 Barlow Street, Traverse City, MI.

Pre-Bid Meeting and Walk-Through:

A Pre-Bid walk through is scheduled for Wednesday, May 20, 2009 at 2:30 PM at the project site. All participants will meet in the Maintenance Building on the North side of the school building (between the soccer fields and the school). Attendance is **mandatory** for General Contract bidders.

Bidding:

Bidders are required to provide Bid security in the form of a Bid Bond of a sum no less than 5 percent of the Bid Amount.

Submit your offer on the Proposal Form provided in the Project Manual. Bidders may supplement this form as appropriate.

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 Traverse City Area Public School administration personnel.

Your offer will be required to be submitted under a condition of irrevocability for a period of 30 days after submission.

The Owner reserves the right to accept or reject any or all offers, waive irregularities, and to accept the bid that in their opinion is in the best interest of the school district.

For Traverse City Area Public Schools

Megan M. Crandall, Secretary of the Board of Education