

## **ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

### **BID PROPOSAL**

Sealed bids, in triplicate, for Additions and Renovations to Hopkins Elementary and High School, will be received at Hopkins Public Schools Administration Building, 400 Clark Street, Hopkins, Michigan on Thursday, January 24, 2008 at 1:00 p.m.

All proposals received (mailed and delivered) will be opened and read publicly shortly after 1:00 p.m. local time in Hopkins Elementary School Cafeteria 400 Clark Street, Hopkins, MI.

Bids may be mailed to the Hopkins Public Schools, 400 Clark Street, Hopkins, Michigan 49328. Mailed bids must be received prior to bid opening.

Accordance to Section 1267 of the Revised School Code the bid must be accompanied with a sworn and notarized statement disclosing any familial relationship between the owner or an employee of the bidder and any member of the district's board or superintendent of the district

### **SITE INSPECTION**

A construction pre-bid meeting will be held at the Hopkins Elementary School, 400 Clark Street, Hopkins, MI on Tuesday, January 8, 2008 at 2:00 p.m. All bidders are encouraged to attend.

### **BID DOCUMENTS**

The Bidding Documents may be obtained at Owen-Ames-Kimball Co., 300 Ionia N.W. Grand Rapids, MI 49503 starting Wednesday, December 26, 2007. A non-refundable charge of \$20.00 will be required for mailing documents.

The Bidding Documents may be examined at the following locations:

- The offices of Owen-Ames-Kimball Co., Construction Manager, 300 Ionia N.W., Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503
- Builders Exchange in Grand Rapids, Lansing, Traverse City and Kalamazoo.
- Dodge McGraw Hill plan rooms in Grand Rapids, Lansing and Southfield.
- Reed Construction Data and Construction Association of Michigan, Detroit.
- CNS of West Michigan.

### **BIDDER QUALIFICATIONS**

Bidders submitting a Bid for this Project shall have qualifications as follows:

- a. Shall be a reputable, recognized organization, with at least five (5) years successful experience on work of this type and scope of this project.
- b. Shall have a license where required by public authorities having jurisdiction.
- c. Shall have ample financial resources for work of this magnitude.

### **BID SECURITY - PERFORMANCE BONDS**

Each bid shall be accompanied by good and sufficient bid security or bid bond in an amount not less than 5% of the Bid amount and shall secure the Owner from loss or damage by reason of the withdrawal of the Bid by a Bidder or by failure of the successful Bidder to enter into a Contract with the Owner if his Bid is accepted by the Owner.

The successful Bidder will be required to secure Performance, Labor and Material bonds for all contracts exceeding \$50,000, from a surety company having a rating of A- or better, for the full amount of the Contract.