

## ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

### Van Dyke Public Schools - Video Surveillance Package

The Van Dyke Public Schools Board of Education will receive sealed bids for the Video Surveillance Package, on or before November 7, 2006 at 2:00 p.m. Bids received after this date and time or bids received via facsimile will not be accepted. Bids shall be submitted to Van Dyke Public Schools, attention: Kay Dankovich, Assistant Superintendent for Business and Operations, which is located at 23500 MacArthur Blvd., Warren, MI 48089. Submit two (2) complete copies of bid submittal. Bids received will be publicly opened and read aloud starting at 2:05pm on November 7, 2006.

The project consists of the installation of a video surveillance system at Lincoln High School, Lincoln Middle School and Lincoln Elementary School. All labor and material (including minor electrical work) for a complete installation is to be provided as part of this project.

Bid documents will be available on or about October 17, 2006. Contact the Architect's Office for availability. The Architect will provide up to two (2) complete bid sets for cost of \$25.00 (non-refundable) per set. Additional bid sets are available at direct cost to the bidder. Checks shall be made payable to Van Dyke Public Schools.

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 Van Dyke Public Schools, 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. Due to the funding for this project, it is a non-prevailing wage project.

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 Van Dyke Board of Education or the Superintendent of Schools. **A bid that does not include this document will not be accepted.**

Bids may not be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days after the scheduled time of opening bids, without the consent of the Owner. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids received and to waive any formalities in regard thereto. In addition, the Board reserves the right to evaluate bids on any basis determined by the Board to be in the best interest of the Board and to consider alternate bids if the low bidder(s) do not meet the specifications or are otherwise determined to be unqualified.

All prime contractors wishing to submit a bid must attend one **Mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting**. There are two meetings scheduled for the convenience of the bidders, which are to be held on **October 24<sup>th</sup> and October 30<sup>th</sup>, at 3:00pm**. The meetings will start in the Main Entry Lobby of the Lincoln High School which is located at 22900 Federal Avenue, Warren, MI 48089. The Bidders are encouraged to evaluate the existing conditions of the buildings during these times, as additional site visits outside of these dates will not be permitted.

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 586.468.3607).