

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS CALLING FOR BIDS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that County of Madera, California, will receive up to, but not later than **2:00 p.m. on Friday, July 15th, 2016**, sealed bids for the award of a contract for:

Project: Proposed Installation of a 10 Kilowatt Solar Power Generation System at the County of Madera - Oakhurst Branch Library.

Bids shall be received in the office of the County of Madera – Administrative Management Office, 200 West Fourth St., 4th Floor, Madera, California 93637.

Each bid must conform and be responsive to the Contract Documents, specifications and any other documents pertaining to the Project, copies of which are now on file and may be obtained after **Friday, June 24, 2016**, at the County of Madera Administrative Management Office, 200 West Fourth St., 4th Floor, Madera, California 93637.

Location: 49044 Civic Circle Drive, Oakhurst CA., 93644

Site Inspection

Bidders are encouraged to visit the site and inspect the location for the construction of the Solar Power System.

Bid Documents

Each bid shall be accompanied by the non-collusion affidavit, the list of proposed subcontractors, and all additional documentation required by the request for bids.

The County reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any irregularities or informalities in any bids.

It shall be the responsibility of the successful bidder to file and secure all require County, State or Federal Permits associated with Construction Activities.

Project Funding

This is funded by the United States Department of Rural Development – Community Facilities Program and is classified as a Public Works Project subject to the rate of prevailing wage as established by the California Department of Industrial Relations. Bidders are herein notified that the State prevailing wage rates shall apply for all labor categories.

Bidders shall certify that they have registered with the State Department of Industrial Relations(DIR). Representative for general prevailing rate of per diem wages in the locality in which this work is to be performed for each craft or type of worker needed to execute the Contract. A copy of these rates shall be posted at the job site.

Bidders and their subcontractors are required to verify wage rates with the State of California Department of Industrial Relations for all job classifications that will provide labor on this Project.

In accordance with the provisions of the Labor Code, contractors or subcontractors may not perform work on a public works project with a subcontractor who is ineligible to perform work on a public project pursuant to Section 1777.1 or Section 1777.7 of the Labor Code. Any contract on a public works project entered into between a contractor and a debarred subcontractor is void as a matter of law. A debarred subcontractor may not receive any public money for performing work as a subcontractor on a public works contract. Any public money that is paid, or may have been paid to a debarred subcontractor by a contractor on the Project shall be returned to the County. The Contractor shall be responsible for the payment of wages to workers of a debarred subcontractor who has been allowed to work on the Project.

It shall be mandatory upon the bidder to whom the Contract is awarded, and upon any subcontractor under him, to comply with all Labor Code provisions, which include, but are not limited to, the payment of not less than the said specified rates to all workers employed by them in the execution of the Contract, employment of apprentices, hours of labor and debarment of contractors and subcontractors.

Each bidder shall be a licensed contractor pursuant to the Business and Professions Code and shall be licensed in the appropriate classification(s) of contractor's license(s), for the work bid upon, and must maintain the license throughout the duration of the Contract.

License requirements for this bid shall be as follows: (B)General Building Contractor or (C-46) Solar Contractor.

Award of Contract

The County shall award the Contract for the Project to the bidder submitting the lowest bid as determined from the base bid, and is deemed responsive and responsible by the County.

No bidder may withdraw his bid for a period ninety (60) calendar days after the date set for the opening of bids.

Dated this 24th day of June, 2016.



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County Administrative Management Office
County of Madera, California