ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Subject to conditions prescribed by the University of California, Santa Barbara, sealed bids for a Lump Sum Contract are invited for the following Work:

Project Name: Rec-Cen Aquatics Complex Renewal

University Project No. FM080741L/981560

Facilities Management Building 439 University of California, Santa Barbara Santa Barbara, California 93106

DESCRIPTION OF WORK:

The project includes selected demolition and construction located at the existing UCSB Rec-Cen Aquatics Complex as follows:

Remove and replace pool decking; Remove and replace pool tile as required; Remove and replace pool plaster and gutter waterproofing; Replacement of various items of pool fittings, anchors and deck equipment; Replacement of various pieces of electrical equipment, boxes, conduit and wiring; Replacement of chemical piping from remote room to mechanical room; Replacement of various items of mechanical equipment/piping and valving; Installation of variable speed drives for pool circulation pump(s).

Estimated Construction Cost: \$1,800,000.00

Bidding Documents will be available to Bidders on <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>August 20, 2008</u> at <u>1:30PM</u>, and will be issued at:

Tri-Co Blue Print & Supply 513 Laguna Street Santa Barbara, California 93101 Ph: (805) 966-1701 Fax: (805) 966-9484

FAX your request for Contract Documents to Stephanie at Tri-Co (805) 966-9484. Prospective bidders will receive three (3) sets at no charge. Additional sets will require a non-refundable fee of the actual cost of reproduction per set of Bidding Documents. Arrangements for payment and receipt of all sets should be made directly to Tri-Co.

NOTE: It is the sole responsibility of prime contractors to register with Tri-Co Blue Print & Supply or Contracting Services at Facilities Management, University of California, Santa Barbara to acknowledge receipt of the Bidding Documents for the Project.

A **mandatory** Pre-Bid Conference and **mandatory** Pre-Bid Job Walk will be conducted on <u>Thursday</u>, <u>August 28</u>, <u>2008</u> beginning promptly at <u>1:30 PM</u>. (There is <u>no</u> grace period.) Participants shall meet at

Facilities Management, Building 437, Room 131 University of California, Santa Barbara Santa Barbara, California

Only bidders who participate in both the Conference and the Job Walk in their entirety, will be allowed to bid on the Project as prime contractors.

Please note: Bidders are advised that there may be traffic congestion and parking may be difficult. Bidders should allow ample time to drive to the above location in heavy traffic, find a parking space, walk to the building, and arrive in the designated Meeting Room prior to the required time. Any prospective Bidder arriving after the above designated starting time shall be disqualified from submitting a bid for this project.

For further information, contact University's Representative Deedee Ciancola at 805/893-2661 ext. 2209.

Bid Deadline: Sealed bids must be received on or before 2:30 P.M. on Thursday, September 18, 2008.

Sealed Bids will be received only at:

Contracting Services
Facilities Management, Building #439
Door #E, Reception Counter
University of California, Santa Barbara
Santa Barbara, California 93106-1030

Bid Security in the amount of 10% of the Lump Sum Base Bid shall accompany each Bid. The Surety issuing the Bid Bond shall be, on the Bid Deadline, an admitted surety insurer (as defined in California Code of Civil Procedure Section 995.120).

Bidder Qualifications: To be allowed to submit a bid, Bidders must have the minimum experience set forth in the Prequalification Questionnaire contained in the Bidding Documents and posted on the website listed below. Bidder shall submit their qualifications on the form provided by the University as an attachment to the Bid Form.

The successful Bidder and its Subcontractors will be required to follow the nondiscrimination requirements set forth in the Bidding Documents and to pay prevailing wage rates at the location of the Work.

The successful Bidder will be required to have the following California current and active contractor's license at the time of submission of the Bid:

General Engineering		A
License	_	License Code
	OR	
General Building	<u></u>	B
License		License Code

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