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: Oni West Fiber Optic Conduit Installation

University Project No. FM060639S/986100

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

DESCRIPTION OF WORK: Construction is located on University of California at Santa Barbara, County of Santa Barbara, and City of Goleta property, therby requiring the selcted contractor to adhere to all appropriate construction guidelines. The Project will require the selected contractor to Furnish and Install 3" inside diameter HDPE fiber optic conduits along Storke Road to the Pacific Railroad right of way using Directional Boring method. Project also consists of pull box installations and removals where indicated to coincide with location of boring operation. Throughout construction, selected contractor will be responsible for protecting all existing utilities in place, traffic control, and removal of spoils.

Estimated Construction Cost: \$443,000.00

Bidding Documents will be available to Bidders on Wednesday, August 30, 2006 at 1:30

P.M., 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 Two (2) 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 Thursday, September 7, 2006 beginning promptly at 10:30AM. (There is no 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 that 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 Paul Gawronik at 805/893-8343.

Bid Deadline: Sealed bids must be received on or before 2:30 P.M. on Wednesday,

<u>September 27, 2006</u>

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).

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 Building	В
License	License Code

THE REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

8/29/2006 & 9/5/2006:

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