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: Robertson Field Renovation
University Project No. FM120270L/150-07

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

DESCRIPTION OF WORK: Provide all labor, materials, equipment, tools, transportation, insurance and services for the Robertson Field #4 conversions to Artificial Turf and replacement of the synthetic turf at Robertson Field #1-3. The work shall include those items required to complete the construction of all infrastructure, permeable base, and synthetic athletic field surfaces.

Estimated Construction Cost: $3,260,000.00

Bidding Documents will be available to Bidders on February 3, 2012 at 1:30 PM 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 Elisa at Tri-Co (805)966-9484. Prospective bidders will receive one (1) set 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.

Minimum Bidder Qualifications: To be eligible for consideration of award, bidders must satisfy the minimum requirements summarized below and set forth in the Supplementary Instructions To Bidders included in the Bid Documents. Bidders must submit the University-provided qualification documents as an attachment to its Bid Form.

Qualification Procedure(s): Qualification Questionnaire will be available as part of the Bidding Documents on the date above. The evaluation is solely for the purpose of determining bidders who are deemed qualified for successful performance of the type of work included in this project. The contract will be awarded to the qualified bidder submitting the lowest responsive bid.

University of California reserves the right to reject any or all responses to Qualification Questionnaires and any or all bids and to waive non-material irregularities in any response or bid received. All information submitted for qualification evaluation will be considered official information acquired in confidence, and the University will maintain its confidentiality to the extent permitted by law.

Minimum Qualifications for Turf System Installer and Manufacturer: The manufacturer of the synthetic turf system must have produced a minimum of thirty-five (35) in-filled fields of full size and outdoors within the past two (2) years. The manufacturer (including fiber extrusion, tufting, and coating) shall be the same corporate entity that provides the warranty for the synthetic turf system to the University.
The synthetic turf manufacturer shall have produced and installed a minimum of thirty-five (35) outdoor in-filled fields of full size within the past two (2) years with the same layered sand and rubber infill composition as required under the Bidding Documents.

The Installer of the synthetic turf system must have installed a either: (1) a minimum of ten (10) in-filled synthetic turf football or soccer fields of full size within the past two (2) years; or (2) a minimum of twenty (20) in-filled synthetic turf football or soccer fields of full size within the past five (5) years. The installer shall have installed a minimum of five (5) successful in-filled synthetic turf football or soccer fields of full size for the product manufacturer.

The synthetic turf surfacing system vendor shall have a designated employed representative available for service based in the State of California.

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:

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A mandatory Pre-Bid Conference and mandatory Pre-Bid Job Walk will be conducted on Wednesday, February 8, 2012 beginning promptly at 1:30 PM. (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: 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, Croft Yjader, at 805/893-2661 x 2206.

Bid Deadline: Sealed bids must be received on or before 2:30 P.M. on Tuesday, February 28, 2012

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.

Every effort will be made to ensure that all persons shall have equal access to contracts and other business opportunities with the University within the limits imposed by law or University's policy. Each Bidder may be required to show evidence of its equal employment opportunity policy.

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