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: Events Center Sound System Replacement
University Project No. FM080412S/421-63

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

DESCRIPTION OF WORK: The new sound system for the UCSB Events Center will be comprised of distributed speaker clusters in zones to cover the main seating areas and floor. A total of 20 speaker clusters will be mounted to structural beams, each cluster will be comprised of either two or three two-way speaker cabinets. Amplifiers will be mounted in an existing equipment rack in the equipment room with speaker cabling run in new conduit out to speaker locations. A portable equipment rack will contain wireless microphone receivers, program sources and a mixer. The scope of work for the installation of the system will include all structural work, rigging, new conduit, junction boxes and AC power as needed.

Estimated Construction Cost: $240,000.00

Bidding Documents will be available to Bidders on Thursday, April 17, 2008 at 1:30PM, 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, April 24, 2008 beginning promptly at 1:30 PM. (There is a 10 minute grace period.) Participants shall meet at

Facilities Management, Building 594 – Learning Center
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 Croft Yjader at 805/893-2661 X2206.

Bid Deadline: Sealed bids must be received on or before 2:30 P.M. on Wednesday, May 7, 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).

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.

**Bidder Qualifications**: Bidder shall submit their qualifications on the form provided by the University as an attachment to the Bid Form. The Bidder shall provide a minimum of one (1) reference for projects similar in scope and size to this Project that have been successfully completed during the past five (5) years, carry either a C-10 OR C-7 license and submit a letter from their insurance carrier affirming the acceptance of the terms and conditions contained in the Certificate of Insurance as described in the General Conditions, Supplementary Conditions to the General Conditions, and the Certificate of Insurance Exhibit.

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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