Invitation for Bids - Amendment 1

DESCRIPTION

Outdoor Sign for Easley Campus

Solicitation Number: TCTC-12-EasleySign
Date Issued: 10/26/2011
Procurement Officer: Kristal Doherty
Phone: (864) 646-1795
E-Mail Address: kdoherty@tctc.edu

The Term "Offer" Means Your "Bid" or "Proposal".

SUBMIT OFFER BY (Opening Date/Time): 10/28/2011 10:00 AM EST
QUESTIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY: 10/25/2011 11:00 AM See "Questions From Offerors" provision
NUMBER OF COPIES TO BE SUBMITTED: One Original and One Copy

Offers must be submitted in a sealed package. Solicitation Number & Opening Date must appear on package exterior.

SUBMIT YOUR SEALED OFFER TO EITHER OF THE FOLLOWING ADDRESSES:

MAILING ADDRESS: Tri-County Technical College
PO Box 587
Pendleton, SC 29670

PHYSICAL ADDRESS: 7900 Highway 76
Ruby Hicks Library/Administration Bldg., Room 114
Pendleton, SC 29670

See "Submitting Your Offer" provision

CONFERENCE TYPE: N/A
DATE & TIME: N/A
LOCATION: N/A
As appropriate, see "Conferences - Pre-Bid/Proposal" & "Site Visit" provisions

AWARD & AMENDMENTS
Award notification will be posted at the Physical Address stated above on or about 11/01/2011. The award, this solicitation, and any amendments will be posted at the following web address:
http://www.tctc.edu/Content/About_TCTC/PurchasingSolicitation/Solicitation.xml

You must submit a signed copy of this form with Your Offer. By submitting a bid or proposal, You agree to be bound by the terms of the Solicitation. You agree to hold Your Offer open for a minimum of thirty (30) calendar days after the Opening Date.

NAME OF OFFEROR (Full legal name of business submitting the offer)

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE
(Person signing must be authorized to submit binding offer to enter contract on behalf of Offeror named above.)

TITLE (Business title of person signing above)

PRINTED NAME (Printed name of person signing above)

DATE SIGNED

OFFEROR'S TYPE OF ENTITY: (Check one)
☐ Sole Proprietorship
☐ Partnership
☐ Corporation (tax-exempt)
☐ Corporate entity (not tax-exempt)
☐ Government entity (federal, state, or local)
☐ Other _________________________

(See "Signing Your Offer" provision.)

STATE OF INCORPORATION (If offeror is a corporation, identify the state of Incorporation.)

TAXPAYER IDENTIFICATION NO. (See "Taxpayer Identification Number" provision)
STATE VENDOR NO. (Register to Obtain S.C. Vendor No. at www.procurement.sc.gov)

COVER PAGE CIO (JAN. 2006)
**HOME OFFICE ADDRESS** (Address for offeror's home office / principal place of business)

**NOTICE ADDRESS** (Address to which all procurement and contract related notices should be sent.) (See "Notice" clause)

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E-mail Address

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**PAYMENT ADDRESS** (Address to which payments will be sent.)

(See "Payment" clause)

**ORDER ADDRESS** (Address to which purchase orders will be sent)

(See "Purchase Orders and "Contract Documents" clauses)

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**ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF AMENDMENTS**

Offerors acknowledges receipt of amendments by indicating amendment number and its date of issue. (See "Amendments to Solicitation" Provision)

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**DISCOUNT FOR PROMPT PAYMENT**

(See "Discount for Prompt Payment" clause)

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**PREFERENCES - A NOTICE TO VENDORS (SEP. 2009):** On June 16, 2009, the South Carolina General Assembly rewrote the law governing preferences available to in-state vendors, vendors using in-state subcontractors, and vendors selling in-state or US end products. This law appears in Section 11-35-1524 of the South Carolina Code of Laws. A summary of the new preferences is available at [www.procurement.sc.gov/preferences](http://www.procurement.sc.gov/preferences). **ALL THE PREFERENCES MUST BE CLAIMED AND ARE APPLIED BY LINE ITEM, REGARDLESS OF WHETHER AWARD IS MADE BY ITEM OR LOT. VENDORS ARE CAUTIONED TO CAREFULLY REVIEW THE STATUTE BEFORE CLAIMING ANY PREFERENCES. THE REQUIREMENTS TO QUALIFY HAVE CHANGED. IF YOU REQUEST A PREFERENCE, YOU ARE CERTIFYING THAT YOUR OFFER QUALIFIES FOR THE PREFERENCE YOU'VE CLAIMED. IMPROPERLY REQUESTING A PREFERENCE CAN HAVE SERIOUS CONSEQUENCES. [11-35-1524(E)(4)&(6)]**

**PREFERENCES - ADDRESS AND PHONE OF IN-STATE OFFICE:** Please provide the address and phone number for your in-state office in the space provided below. An in-state office is necessary to claim either the Resident Vendor Preference (11-35-1524(C)(1)(i)&(ii)) or the Resident Contractor Preference (11-35-1524(C)(1)(iii)). Accordingly, you must provide this information to qualify for the preference. An in-state office is not required, but can be beneficial, if you are claiming the Resident Subcontractor Preference (11-35-1524(D)).

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The bid specifications specify 1” solid aluminum for letters and logo on the sign. Offerors must submit a bid for these specifications, but may also submit a cost for using 1” deep fabricated brushed stainless steel letters and logo as an alternate to 1” thick brushed aluminum. The College will consider both options when determining the bid award. If the College determines it is most advantageous to go with aluminum, the lowest responsible bidder offering aluminum will be awarded. If stainless steel is determined to be more advantageous, the lowest responsible bidder offering stainless steel will be awarded.