Invitation for Bids – Amendment 2

**DESCRIPTION**  CNC Lathe Turning Center

The Term “Offer” Means Your “Bid” or “Proposal”.

**SUBMIT OFFER BY (Opening Date/Time):**  1/31/2013 1:00 PM EST
**QUESTIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY:**  1/23/2013 3:00 PM  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:

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| Tri-County Technical College  
PO Box 587  
Pendleton, SC 29670 | 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 2/6/2013. 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)
**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.)

**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**

Instructions regarding Offeror’s name: Any award issued will be issued to, and the contract will be formed with, the entity identified as the offeror above. An offer may be submitted by only one legal entity. The entity named as the offeror must be a single and distinct legal entity. Do not use the name of a branch office or a division of a larger entity if the branch or division is not a separate legal entity, i.e., a separate corporation, partnership, sole proprietorship, etc.

**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. **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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This amendment will provide answers to additional questions received based on Amendment #1.

1. What size of collet chuck (i.e.: 5C or 3J)? **Answer:** We are planning to use up to 1” bar stock. We need a collet chuck with internal and external threads that will accommodate that diameter.

2. I'm assuming that the college will run electrical power and air to the machines, is this statement true? If yes, then you prefer the machine tool installer to make the final connections to the machine tools? **Answer:** Yes, the college will run electrical power and pneumatic power to the machine, but will expect the vendor to connect and test.

3. You stated that the roll up door is 9 feet. I need to know the opening size for both height and width. **Answer:** The rollup door is 9 feet high and 8 feet wide.

Bidders should provide quotes for both a bar feeder and a bar puller.