

OFFICIAL NOTICE TO BIDDERS

FOR

PROCUREMENT OF ARFF ACCESSORY EQUIPMENT

FOR

MIDAMERICA ST. LOUIS AIRPORT COUNTY OF ST. CLAIR, ILLINOIS SOLICITATION NO 2022-10

AIP 3-17-0146-xx

OWNER: St. Clair County, Illinois, through the Public Building Commission, hereby gives notice that sealed bids will be received from qualified vendors for furnishing of the following equipment: **ARFF Accessory Equipment**. St. Clair County promotes equal opportunities and encourages participation by Disadvantage Business Enterprise and Small Business firms.

TIME AND PLACE OF BID OPENING: Bids will be received until 2:00 p.m. (local time) on April 7, 2022 in the Department of Engineering and Planning, 9768 Airport Boulevard, Mascoutah, IL 62258, located at MidAmerica St. Louis Airport. Each bid must be submitted in accordance with all submission requirements set forth in the bidding documents. Facsimile submittals are not acceptable. **Late proposals will not be accepted.** Questions must be directed in writing as detailed in the Instructions to Bidders.

PRE-BID CONFERENCE: A pre-bid conference will not be held for this project.

BID SECURITY: Bid Security in the amount of not less than 5% of the Bid shall accompany each Bid in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders.

BIDDING DOCUMENTS: Bidders may request the bid documents from the Airport Department of Engineering & Planning by email (alice.tejada@flymidamerica.com). The bid documents and subsequent addenda (should there be any) will be distributed exclusively via e-mail. Bid documents will not be shipped.

QUESTIONS: Questions regarding bids shall be directed to Contract Administrator, Alice Tejada, by email at alice.tejada@flymidamerica.com. Deadline for questions is 2:30 p.m., March 31, 2022.

CONTRACT SECURITY: The Bidder to whom a Contract is awarded shall be required to furnish both a Performance Bond and Payment Bond for 100% of the Contract Price for each of the above Bonds, in accordance with the requirements of the Contract Documents.

BID REJECTION: OWNER reserves the right to reject any and all Bids, waive any informalities in Bidding, or to accept the Bid or Bids, which best serves the interests of OWNER.

TITLE VI SOLICITATION NOTICE: The OWNER in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 Stat. 252, 42 USC §§ 2000d to 2000d-4) and the Regulations, hereby notifies all bidders or offerors that it will affirmatively ensure that any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full and fair opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award.

LEGAL PROVISIONS: CONTRACTORS and Subcontractors shall conform to the "Public Works Preference" Act (30 ILCS 570/1, et. seq.)

BID WITHDRAWAL: No Bid shall be withdrawn for a period of 60 days after the scheduled opening of the Bids without the consent of OWNER.

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