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SBE NEWS ALERT

The Survey of Business Owners and Self-Employed Persons Is Key to Explaining America's Economy



John Thompson, Director, U.S. Census Bureau

Did you know that there are 27.1 million nonfarm businesses in America? The U.S. Census Bureau's Survey of Business Owners and Self-Employed Persons provides the only comprehensive source of statistics about business ownership in the U.S. The Census Bureau conducts the SBO every five years. This is the first time the SBO is being conducted primarily online.

If you own a business, such as a salon or a landscaping company, you may be one of the one million Americans selected to participate in the Survey of Business Owners. Even if you do not have employees other than yourself, we want to hear from you. By participating online now, you can help provide consistent, comparable, and comprehensive statistics on U.S. business performance. For example, the 2007 SBO showed us that 5.9 percent of responding firms reported income from e-commerce – an important insight into how the Internet is shaping our economy.

Right now we are in the process of asking respondents to fill out the Survey of Business Owners, which is part of, and benchmarked to, the 2012 Economic Census. We begin the Survey of Business Owners after the data collection phase of the Economic Census is complete. It provides information every five years on business characteristics (e.g., if a business is home-based, or how much start-up capital it received) and owner characteristics (such as gender, race and ethnicity, and veteran status) for businesses of all sizes across America.

- Businesses of all sizes are crucial to the U.S. economy and having quality statistics on businesses is critical. Some of the ways that government leaders and others use SBO statistics include:
- Business owners are able to analyze their operations in comparison to similar firms, compute their market share, and assess their growth prospects.
- Entrepreneurs can make informed decisions about what types of products and services to sell, and where to sell them. They can also use SBO data in business plans and loan applications.

- The Small Business Administration can assess business assistance needs and allocate available resources.
- Local government commissions are able to establish and evaluate contract procurement practices.
- Federal, state, and local government agencies have a framework for planning, directing, and assessing programs that promote veteran-, women-, and minority-owned businesses.
- Researchers can analyze long-term economic and demographic shifts, and differences in ownership and performance among geographic areas.

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Contact Info:

703 Market Street, Suite 1000 San Francisco, CA 94103 Email: sbe@sbeinc.com Website: www.sbeinc.com Phone: (415) 778-6250, (800) 800-8534 Fax: (415) 778-6255

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DeSilva Gates Construction, L.P. is soliciting for SBEs for the following project:

Candlestick Point Redevelopment Project Sub-Phase CP-01

(Infrastructure Improvements and Automated Waste Collection System)

City and County of San Francisco, California

OWNER: CP Development Company, LP c/o Lennar Urban

1 Sansome Street, Suite 3200, San Francisco, CA 94104

BID DATE: September 25, 2014 @ 4:00 P.M.

We hereby encourage responsible participation of Small and Local Business Enterprises, and solicit their subcontractor or materials and/or suppliers quotation for the following types of work including but not limited to:

CELLULAR CONCRETE, CLEARING AND GRUBBING/DEMOLITION, ELECTRICAL, EROSION CONTROL, FABRIC, FENCING, JOINT TRENCH, IRRIGATION, LANDSCAP-ING, MINOR CONCRETE, MINOR CONCRETE STRUCTURE, MISC. IRON AND STEEL, PCC PAVING, ROADSIDE SIGNS, STRIPING, SUR-VEY/STAKING, TEMPORARY EROSION CON-TROL, UNDERGROUND, TRUCKING, WATER TRUCKS, STREET SWEEPING, EROSION CON-TROL MATERIAL, CLASS 2 AGGREGATE BASE MATERIAL, HOT MIX ASPHALT (TYPE A) MA-TERIAL.

100% Performance and Payment Bonds may be required for full amounts of the subcontract price. Surety company will have to be approved by DeSilva Gates Construction. DeSilva Gates Construction will pay bond premium up to 2%. Subcontractors must possess current insurance and worker's compensation coverage meeting DeSilva Gates Construction's requirements. Please call if you need assistance in obtaining bonding, insurance, equipment, materials and/or supplies. Plans and specifications are available for review at our Dublin office.

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11555 Dublin Boulevard P.O. Box 2909 Dublin, CA 94568-2909 (925) 829-9220 / FAX (925) 803-4263 Estimator: Garry Day Website: www.desilvagates.com An Equal Opportunity Employer DeSilva Gates Construction, L.P. is soliciting for DBEs for the following project:

CALTRANS ROUTE 50 – CONSTRUCTION ON STATE HIGHWAY IN SACRAMENTO COUNTY AT NATOMA OVERHEAD, Contract No. 03-4F0704,

Federal Aid Project ACNH-P050(135)

OWNER: STATE OF CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION 1727 30th Street, Bidders' Exchange, MS 26, Sacramento, CA 95816

BID DATE: September 24, 2014 @ 2:00 P.M.

We hereby encourage responsible participation of local Disadvantaged Business Enterprises, and solicit their subcontractor or materials and/or suppliers quotation for the following types of work including but not limited to:

AC DIKE, BRIDGE, CONSTRUCTION AREA SIGN, ELECTRICAL, EROSION CONTROL, FENCING, GUARDRAILING, LANDSCAP-ING, LEAD COMPLIANCE PLAN, MINOR CONCRETE, MINOR CONCRETE STRUC-TURE, ROADSIDE SIGNS, DELINEATOR & MARKERS, STRIPING, TEMPORARY EROSION CONTROL, UNDERGROUND & ROCK SLOPE PROTECTION, VEGETA-TION CONTROL, WATER TRUCKS, STREET SWEEPING, CLASS 2 AGGREGATE BASE MATERIAL, HOT MIX ASPHALT (TYPE A) MATERIAL, RUBBERIZED HMA (OPEN GRADE) MATERIAL.

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REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS 16th St. and Owens St., (Mission Bay Block 40), San Francisco, CA

Group A Trades: 1A- Design-Build Mechanical 2A- Design-Build Electrical/Fire Alarm 3A- Design-Build Plumbing 4A- Design-Build Fire Sprinklers 5A – Design-Build Elevators

Seeking Prime Contractors and Small Business Enterprises (SBE), including local (LBE), women (WBE) and minority (MBE) enterprises.

> **Informational Meeting:** 9:00AM on September 17, 2014 at 290 Channel Street, San Francisco

RFQ Deadlines: Completed Prequalification form due September 19, 2014

Project Description: New Class A multi-story office complex of 650,000 Gross Square Feet over a 300,000 SF parking podium with associated site and infrastructure work.

Contact: Leticia Avalos for RFQ documents at either 415-912-3224 | avalos1@hdcco.com

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Sub Bids Requested From Qualified SBEs (within the 94124, 94107, & 94134 area codes), San Francisco Based SBEs, & Non- San Francisco Based SBEs

Lennar Urban - CP-01 Infrastructure Improvements Project & Automated Waste Collection System Location: San Francisco, CA

Bid Date: September 25, 2014 @ 4:00 PM

McGuire and Hester is seeking qualified subcontractors in the following trades: Electrical; Trucking; Underground Utilities; Automated Waste Collection System; Cast-In-Place Concrete; Cellular Concrete; Asphalt Concrete Pavement; Landscape & Irrigation; Earthwork & Grading; SWPPP; Site Furnishings; Cathodic Protection Misc. Metals; Concrete Pavers; Decomposed Granite; Dewatering; and Site Demolition.

We will pay up to and including one and one-half percent (1-1/2%) of your bonding cost. Certification assistance is available, as well as viewing plans and specs.

McGuire and Hester

9009 Railroad Avenue • Oakland, CA 94603 Phone: (510) 632-7676 • Fax: (510) 562-5209 **Contact: Randy Somerday** An Equal Opportunity Employer



FISK ELECTRIC COMPANY IN RESPONSE TO THE TRANSBAY JOINT POWERS AUTHORITY'S (OWNER) SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (SBE) PROGRAM. WE ARE REQUESTING SUB-BIDS FROM QUALIFIED SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISES (SBEs) FOR

> **TRANSBAY TRANSIT CENTER, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA WEBCOR/OBAYASHI JOINT VENTURE** TRADE PACKAGE #TG10.4 ELECTRICAL **CONTRACT NO. 301001004** BID DATE: OCTOBER 23, 2014 @ 3:00 PM **PROPOSALS ARE DUE TO OUR OFFICE OCTOBER 17. 2014** (818) 884-1166 (OFFICE) * (818) 367-9760 (FAX)

INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, THE FOLLOWING TRADES: LOW VOLTAGE SUBCON-TRACTORS, LOW VOLTAGE SYSTEM VENDORS, ELECTRICAL SWITCHGEAR VENDORS, LIGHT VENDORS, ELECTRICAL SUPPLY VENDORS, AND RENTAL EQUIPMENT. SECU-RITY SERVICES, ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING, TEMPORARY OFFICE PERSONNEL, OFFICE SPACE, WAREHOUSE, LAYDOWN YARD, SIESMIC SUPPORT CERTIFIED VENDORS, SUR-VEYOR, AND BIM MODELLING OPERATORS.

COPIES OF PLANS AND SPECIFICATION CAN BE OBTAINED FROM FISK ELECTRIC COMPANY, ATTN: DAVID ALLENBRAND. PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS MAY ALSO BE VIEWED AT CERTAIN PUBLIC, PRIVATE, AND MINORITY PLAN ROOMS OR AT FISK ELECTRIC COMPANY'S OFFICE AT 15870 OLDEN STREET, SYLMAR, CA., 91342; CONTACT DAVID ALLENBRAND @ (818) 884-1166

FISK ELECTRIC COMPANY INTENDS TO CONDUCT ITSELF IN GOOD FAITH WITH SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISES REGARDING PARTICIPATION ON THIS PROJECT.

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Project Name: Alice Griffith Block 2 & 4-Piles Only Location: San Francisco. California Bid Date: October 6, 2014 @2:00 PM

Nibbi Brothers has been selected as the General Contractor for the Alice Griffith Block 2 & 4 housing project in San Francisco, CA. We are in receipt of the Foundation Plan Check Set and are currently requesting bid proposals from qualified subcontractors and suppliers including those certified with the Office of Community Investment and Infrastructure (OCII)/Successor to SFRA for Piles Only. OCII has established a subcontracting participation goal for this project at 50% SBE/LBE goal with first consideration for San Franciscobased MBEs, WBEs and SBEs. This project is a 5-story residential development consisting of (4) levels of Type VA residential structure above a (1) level Type IA ground floor podium structure with covered parking at grade & residential units both at grade and above the podium arranged around an open courtyard. Block 4 is a separate 3 level Type VB structure adjacent to the main building & connected at grade.

To be added to Nibbi's new bidding software, Building Connected, in order to access/download documents and provide a bid to Nibbi electronically online, please email Kristin Medwick in the Precon & Estimating Department, kristinm@ nibbi.com.

Bid proposals shall be submitted no later than 2:00 PM on Monday, October 6, 2014 online via BuildingConnected.com, or faxed to (415) 241-2951.

For specific questions regarding this project, please email Logan Daniels, Precon PM, logand@nibbi.com.

RGW Construction Inc. is seeking all qualified DBE (Disadvantaged Business Enterprises) for the following project:

State Highway in Alameda County in Ashland From 0.1 Mile East of 164th Ave. **Undercrossing to 0.2 Mile West of** 164th Ave. Undercrossing Contract No. 04-1SS044 Federal Aid Project No. ACNHPI-580-1(063)E Engineer Estimate: \$1,210,000 - 140 Working Days Goal: DBE 14%

Bids: September 17, 2014 @ 2:00 PM

Requesting Sub-quotes for (including but not limited to) Construction Area Signs, Clear & Grub, Landscaping, Hydroseeding, Erosion Control, AC Dike, CIDH Piles, Reinforcing Steel, Signs Roadside, Concrete Curb & Sidewalk-Misc., Fencing, Object Marker, MBGR, Metal Railing, Concrete Barrier, Thermoplastic & Painted Traffic Stripe & Marking, Pavement Marking, SWPPP Planning, Water Truck, Sweeper, Painting Structures, Commercial Electrical. Scope of Work: Construct soldier pile wall & repair

concrete pavement and shoulder.

RGW is willing to breakout any portion of work to encourage DBE participation. Contact us for a specific item list

Plans and Specs are available to view and copy at our office or the Caltrans website www.dot.ca.gov/hq/esc/oe/. Contact Dan Schultz 925-606-2400 dan.schultz@rgwconstruction.com for any questions, including bonding, lines of credit, or insurance or equipment or material suppliers. Subcontractors should be prepared to submit payment and performance bonds equal to 100% of their quotation. For bonding and other assistance, please call.

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Pacific States Environmental Contractors, Inc. is soliciting for all **Disadvantaged Business** Enterprise (DBE) small, minority and women owned businesses. For the following project:

ALTA VISTA TANK NO. 2 PROJECT - REBID Location: 700 ALTA VISTA ROAD, **MONTARA, CA**

Owner: MONTARA WATER AND SANITARY DISTRICT, 8888 CABRILLO HIGHWAY, MONTARA, CA 94037 BID DATE: September 22, 2014 @ 2:00 P.M.

We hereby encourage responsible participation of all (DBE) Enterprises and solicit their subcontractor or material quotation for the following types of work including but not limited to:

UG UTILITIES, PLANTING AND LANDSCAPING, HYDROSEEDING, CONCRETE - RETAINING WALLS, ELECTRICAL, FENCING, SURVEY, PAINTING, WELL DRILLING

100% Performance and Payment Bonds may be required for full amounts of the subcontract price. Surety Company will have to be approved by Pacific States Environmental Contractors, Inc. Pacific States Environmental Contractors, Inc. will pay bond premium up to 2%. Subcontractors must possess current insurance and worker's compensation coverage meeting Pacific States Environmental Contractors, Inc.'s requirements. Please call if you need assistance in obtaining bonding, insurance, equipment, materials and/or supplies. Plans and specifications are available for review at our Dublin office and on file in the office of said District. This is a prevailing wage job.

Pacific States Environmental Contractors, Inc. CAL LIC. NO. 723241 11555 Dublin Boulevard • Dublin, CA 94568-2909 Phone: (925) 803-4333 • FAX: (925) 803-4334 **ESTIMATOR: Keith Donahue** EMAIL: kdonahue@pacificstates.net An Equal Opportunity Employer





RGW Construction Inc. is seeking all qualified DBE (Disadvantaged Business Enterprises) for the following project:

State Highway in Sacramento County at Natoma Overhead Contract No. 03-4F0704 Federal Aid Project No. ACNH-P050(135) Engineer Estimate: \$5,700,000 - 260 Working Days Goal: DBE 11% Bids: September 24, 2014 @ 2:00 PM

Requesting Sub-quotes for (including but not limited to): Fabric and Oils, Electrical Material, Construction Area Signs, Traffic Control, Cold Plane, Demolition/Bridge Removal, Landscaping, Hydroseeding, Erosion Control, Irrigation, AC Dike, Grinding, Pile Driving, Joint Seal, Reinforcing Steel, Signs Roadside, Concrete Curb & Sidewalk-Misc., Fencing, Object Marker, MBGR, Thermoplastic & Painted Traffic Stripe & Marking, Pavement Marking, Signal and Lighting, Ramp Metering Systems, SWPPP Planning, Water Truck, Sweeper, Hazardous Substance Removal, & Trucker.

Scope of Work: Widen structure, extend weave lane, and add ramp metering

RGW is willing to breakout any portion of work to encourage DBE participation. Contact us for a specific item list.

Plans and Specs are available to view and copy at our office or the Caltrans website www.dot.ca.gov/hq/esc/oe/. Dave Czech 925-606-2400 david.czech@rgwconstruction.com for any questions, including bonding, lines of credit, or insurance or equipment or material suppliers Subcontractors should be prepared to submit payment and performance bonds equal to 100% of their quotation. For bonding and other assistance, please call.

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RGW Construction Inc. is seeking all qualified DBE (Disadvantaged Business Enterprises) for the following project:

State Highway in Alameda County in San Leandro at Bendict Drive Off-Ramp Contract No. 04-2G8604 Federal Aid Project No. ACNHI-580-1(059)E Engineer Estimate: \$1,850,000 - 180 Working Days Goal: DBE 13% Bids: September 24, 2014 @ 2:00 PM

Requesting Sub-quotes for (including but not limited to): Construction Area Signs, Landscaping, Hydroseeding, Erosion Control, Irrigation, AC Dike, CIDH Piles, Reinforcing Steel, Signs Roadside, Concrete Curb & Sidewalk-Misc., Fencing, Object Marker, MBGR, Metal Railing, Concrete Barrier, Thermoplastic & Painted Traffic Stripe & Marking, Pavement Marking, SWPPP Planning, Water Truck, Sweeper, Painting Structures, Commercial Electrical.

Scope of Work: Construct retaining wall, planting, and modify lighting.

RGW is willing to breakout any portion of work to encourage DBE participation. Contact us for a specific item list.

Plans and Specs are available to view and copy at our office or the Caltrans website www.dot.ca.gov/hq/esc/oe/. Dan Schultz 925-606-2400 dan.schultz@rgwconstruction.com for any questions, including bonding, lines of credit, or insurance or equipment or material suppliers. Subcontractors should be prepared to submit payment and performance bonds equal to 100% of their quotation. For bonding and other assistance, please call.

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San Leandro Contractors Are Encouraged to Respond Cannon Constructors Requests Sub Bids on All Trades

from Qualified Subcontractors for: Cornerstone Family Housing

1460 San Leandro Blvd. San Leandro, CA

Description: New Construction of 115 unit Residential Building.

Please note, this is a **California prevailing** wage project.

BID DATE: BID DATE: October 10, 2014 @ 4:00 pm

Trades Requested (but not limited to) Sub bids for: SURVEYING, DEMOLITION, EARTH-WORK, UNDERGROUND UTILITIES, ERO-SION CONTROL, ASPHALT PAVING, STRIP-ING, SITE CONCRETE, LANDSCAPING & IRRIGATION, BUILDING CONCRETE, REIN-FORCING MASONRY, STRUCTURAL & MISC. STEEL, CARPENTRY, INSULATION, ROOF-ING, WATERPROOFING, SHEET METAL, AR-CHITECTURAL METAL, DOORS, FRAMES & HARDWARE, GLASS & GLAZING, TILING, LATH & PLASTER, DRYWALL, ACOUSTICAL CEILINGS, FLOORING, PAINTING & WALL COVERING, SIGNAGE, TOILET ACCESSO-RIES, FIRE EXTINGUISHERS, PLUMBING, HVAC, ELECTRICAL

> Interested bidders only, please contact Mia Lee at (415) 546-5500 x239 or email mlee@cannongroup.com

with "Cornerstone" + your trade in the subject line.

Requesting Sub-bids from Qualified SBE/DVBE/ MBE/WBE/OBE Subcontractors/Vendors for:

Los Angeles Department of Water & Power Request for Proposal No. 597 FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TRANSFORMERS, OVERHEAD, AND PADMOUNT, SINGLE-PHASE <u>Bid Deadline: September 18th, 2014</u>

Subcontracting Opportunities include: Shipping and Trucking

WENCO, LLC, is hereby looking for qualified SBE/ DVBE/MBE/WBE/OBE shipping and trucking companies for transportation of overhead and padmount single-phase transformers and delivery to LADWP in Los Angeles, CA.

For information on the availability of plans and specifications and the bidder's policy concerning assistance to subcontractors in obtaining bonds, lines of credit, and/or insurance, please visit www.ladwp.com/ersp or www.labavn.org

The responsive successful company to this RFQ will be required to demonstrate experience and technical qualifications regarding work in electric utility environment. All proposals must be submitted no later than September 18th, 2014 to the following address. For further information please contact:

WENCO, LLC

Mr. Frederick Melikian P.O. Box 157, Montrose, CA 91021 Phone: 818-538-6189 • corporate@wencogroup.com

REQUESTING BIDS FROM QUALIFIED DBE SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS FOR THE FOLLOWING PROJECT: Rt. 74 – Hurkey Creek Bridge Project

Riverside County, Caltrans Project No. 08-383504, Bid Date: September 17th, 2014 at 2:00 pm

We hereby encourage responsible participation of local Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (8% Goal), and solicit their subcontractor or material quotation for the following types of work. This is a highway project with the typical items of work associated, but not limited to: Lead Compliance Plan, Construction Area Signs, Traffic Control, Striping and Markers, Channelizers, Portable Changeable Message Signs, K-Rail, SWPPP, Temp Soil Binder, Temp Fiber Roll, Temp Concrete Washout, Temp Fence, Remove Guardrail, Remove Roadside Sign, Cold Plane Asphalt Concrete Pavement, Bridge Removal, Clear and Grub, Structure Excavation, Structure Backfill, Fiber Rolls, Hydroseed, Class 2 Aggregate Base, Hot Mix Asphalt, Tack Coat, Structural Concrete, Precast Prestressed Concrete Slab, Joint Seal, Rebar, Aluminum Sign, Roadside Sign, Prep and Stain Concrete, Rock Slope Protection, Delineator, Vegetation Control, Concrete Barrier, Marker, Guardrail System, Construction Equipment and Rentals, Trucking.

C.C. Myers, Inc. is willing to break down items of work into economically feasible units to encourage DBE participation. If you are interested in any of this work, please provide us with a scope letter or contact us immediately. Plans and Specifications are available from the Caltrans website at http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/esc/oe/ contractor_info/.

Conditions or exceptions in Subcontractor's quote are expressly rejected unless expressly accepted in writing. Subcontractor and Supplier quotes are required 24 hours prior to the bid date to enable thorough evaluation.

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REQUESTING BIDS FROM QUALIFIED DBE SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS FOR THE FOLLOWING PROJECT: Rt. 50 – Widening Natoma OH Bridge Project

Sacramento County, Caltrans Project No. 03-4F0704, Bid Date: September 24th, 2014 at 2:00 pm

We hereby encourage responsible participation of local Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (11% Goal), and solicit their subcontractor or material quotation for the following types of work. This is a highway project with the typical items of work associated, but not limited to: Lead Compliance Plan, Construction Area Signs, Traffic Control, Striping and Markers, Barricades, Channelizers, Portable Changeable Message Signs, K-Rail, SWPPP, Temp Erosion Control Blanket, Temporary Cover, Temporary Fiber Roll, Temporary Silt Fence, Street Sweeping, Temporary Concrete Washout, Asbestos Compliance Plan, Temporary Fence, Abandon Culvert, Remove Fence/Guardrail, Remove Roadside Sign, Remove Culvert, Cold Plane Asphalt Concrete Pavement, Refinish Bridge Deck, Bridge Removal, Roadway Excavation, Shoulder Backing, Structure Excavation, Structure Backfill, Imported Borrow, Wood Mulch, Landscaping, Erosion Control, Class 2 Aggregate Base, Hot Mix Asphalt, Tack Coat, Steel Pile, Structural Concrete, Minor Concrete, Drill and Bond Dowel, Rebar, Joint Seal, Aluminum Sign, Rock Slope Protection, Bridge Deck Drainage System, Delineator, Object Marker, Vegetation Control, Concrete Barrier, Stripe and Markers, Signal And Lighting, Ramp Metering System, Construction Equipment and Rentals, Trucking.

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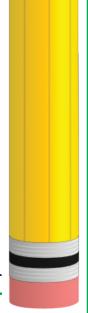
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SKANSKA Replace Genesee Ave. Bridge at Route 5 Caltrans District 11

Contract No.: 11-0223U4

DBE Goal: 10 % Bid Date: October 9, 2014 – 2:00 PM

Skanska is interested in soliciting in Good Faith all subcontractors as well as certified DBE companies for this project. All interested subcontractors, please indicate all lower tier DBE participation offered on your quotation as it will be evaluated with your price. Please call if we can assist you in obtaining bonding, lines of credit, insurance, necessary equipment, materials and/or supplies. Skanska will also review breaking out scope packages and adjusting schedules to help permit maximum participation.

Plans and Specifications are available for view at our main office in Riverside or on the Caltrans website: http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/esc/oe/weekly_ads/index.php

Ouotes requested from Subcontractors, Suppliers and Service Providers include, but are not limited to: Job Site Management, Storm Water Pollution Plan, Street Sweeping, Construction Area Signs, Traffic Control System, Type III Barricade, Fencing, Temporary Pavement Marking, Temporary Traffic Stripe, Temporary Railing, Portable Changeable Message Signs, Temporary Crash Cushion Module, Metal Beam Guard Railing, Roadside Signs, Abandon Culvert, Cold Plane Asphalt Pavement, Concrete Barrier, Bridge Removal, Clearing and Grubbing, Roadway Excavation, Develop Water Supply, Structure Excavation (Bridge), Structure Excavation (Retaining Wall), Structure Backfill, Sand Backfill, Rock Blanket, Soil Nail, Erosion Control, Fiber Rolls, Class 2 Aggregate Base, Hot Mix Asphalt, Place Hot Mix Asphalt Dike, Tack Coat, Concrete Pavement, Seal Pavement Joint, Furnish & Drive Steel Pile, CIDH Concrete Piling, Prestressing CIP Concrete, Structural Concrete (Bridge), Structural Concrete (Retaining Wall), Structure Concrete (Box Culvert), Minor Concrete, Shotcrete, Treat Bridge Deck, Joint Seal Assembly, Joint Seal, Bar Reinforcing Steel (Bridge), Bar Reinforcing Steel (Retaining Wall), Furnish & Install Sign Structure, Furnish Laminated Panel, Furnish Single Sheet Aluminum Sign, Roadside Sign, Alternative Pipe Culvert, Reinforced Concrete Pipe, Welded Steel Pipe Casing, Alternative Flared End Section, Rock Slope Protection, Slope Paving, Rock Slope Protection Fabric, Miscellaneous Metal, Miscellaneous Iron and Steel, Bridge Deck Drainage System, Chain Link Fence, Pipe Handrail, Cable Railing, Transition Railing, Terminal System, Crash Cushion, Concrete Barrier, Thermoplastic Pavement Marking, Thermoplastic Traffic Stripe, Paint Traffic Stripe, Pavement Marker, Signal & Lighting, Lighting & Sign Illumination, Electric Service (Irrigation) Closed Circuit TV System, Ramp Metering System, Slope Inclinometer, Landscape and Irrigation, Dust Palliative, Ground Anchor, Rock Staining, and Water Line.

Subcontractor scope (incl. any conditions or exceptions) is requested 3 days prior to bid deadline to allow for proper evaluation.

Subcontracting Requirements: Skanska's insurance requirements are Commercial General Liability (GL): \$1M ea. occ., \$1M personal injury, \$2M products & completed operations agg. and general agg.; \$1M Auto Liability; \$5M Excess/Umbrella and \$1M Workers Comp. Endorsements and waivers required are the Additional Insured End., Primary Wording End., and a Waiver of Subrogation (GL & WC). Other insurance requirements may be necessary per scope. Subcontractors may be required to furnish performance and payment bonds in the full amount of their subcontract by an admitted surety and subject to approval by Skanska. Skanska will pay bond premium up to 1%. Quotations must be valid for the same duration as specified by the Owner for contract award. Conditions or exceptions in Subcontractor's quote are expressly rejected unless accepted in writing. Skanska is signatory to the Operating Engineers, Laborers, Cement Masons, Carpenters Unions and Teamsters. Subcontractors must provide weekly, one original and one copy of all certified payrolls, including non-performance and fringe benefit statements if required by law or by the Prime Contract.

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Candlestick Point in San Francisco Opportunity to Perform CANDLESTICK CP-01 INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENTS during the development of CANDLESTICK POINT in San Francisco.

Lennar Urban is requesting qualified, interested construction firms to respond to a public request for proposals to perform **CANDLESTICK CP-01 INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENTS** services for Candlestick Point Redevelopment.

For more information, please visit:

http://mission.sfgov.org/OCABidPublication/BidDetail.aspx?K=8485

The Successor to the San Francisco Redevelopment Agency (SFRA) has established the 50% Small Business Enterprise (SBE) Participation goal for Construction Subcontracting. Respondents are encouraged to check this website regularly for updates.

Pre-Bid Coordination Meeting and Job Walk: August 27, 2014 @ 10:00 AM Hunters Point Shipyard • 101 Horne Avenue • San Francisco, California 94124

LENNAR URBAN

One Sansome Street, Suite 3200 • San Francisco, CA 94104 Proposals must be submitted by September 18, 2014 @ 4:00 PM (PST).

SKANSKA

Fairway Drive Grade Separation Project City of Industry, CA Alameda Corridor East (ACE) Construction Authority ACE Contract/IFB No.: 1401 State Project No. TCIF 6303(041) SBE Goal: 6% Bid Date: October 1, 2014 – 2:00PM

Skanska is interested in soliciting in Good Faith all subcontractors as well as certified SBE companies for this project. All interested subcontractors, please indicate all lower tier SBE participation offered on your quotation as it will be evaluated with your price. Please call if we can assist you in obtaining bonding, lines of credit, insurance, necessary equipment, materials and/or supplies. Skanska will also review breaking out scope packages and adjusting schedules to help permit maximum participation.

Plans and Specifications are available for view at our main office in Riverside or on the ACE website: http://www.theaceproject.org/contract.php

Ouotes requested for contractors, suppliers and service providers include, but are not limited to: SWPPP, Street Sweeping, Fencing, Construction Area Signs, Traffic Control Sys., Portable Delineator, Temp. Pavement Marking & Traffic Stripe, Portable Changeable Message Signs, Temp. Crash Cushion Module, Roadside Signs, Cold Plane Asphalt Concrete Pavement, Concrete Barrier, Clearing & Grubbing, Roadway Excavation, Structure Excavation (Bridge & Retaining Wall), Structure Backfill, Fiber Rolls, Class 2 Aggregate Base, Hot Mix Asphalt, Tack Coat, Concrete Pavement, Seal Pavement Joint, Develop Water Supply, Furnish & Drive Steel Pile, CIDH Concrete Piling, Structural Concrete (Bridge, Retaining Wall, Box Culvert) Minor Concrete, Joint Seal, Bar Reinforcing Steel (Bridge, Retaining Wall), Relocate Sign Structure, RCP, Misc. Metals, Misc. Iron & Steel, Paint Traffic Stripe, Pavement Marker, Signal Lighting, Ramp Metering System, Landscape & Irr., Survey, Track Install & Remove, Water & Sewer Line, Lime Treated Sub Base, Lean Concrete Base, Masonry, Pump Station, Jack & Bore, Tubular Railing, Waterproofing.

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Public Legal Notices

UC IRVINE

NOTICE INVITING GENERAL CONTRAC-TOR PREQUALIFICATION

Prequalification Questionnaires will be received by the University of California, Irvine (UCI) from General Contractors (GC) wishing to submit DESIGN BUILD proposals for the BSL-3 LAB-ORATORY TRAINING FACILITY (RE-BID), PROJECT NO. 997493.

Prequalification questionnaires will be accepted from contractors teamed with architects that have completed comparably sized design-build projects as described in the questionnaire.

DESCRIPTION:

Tenant improvements for a new training facility within the EH&S building will include minor demolition; gypsum board wall construction; installation of new doors and frames; creation of an air-lock entrance to the new laboratory suite; modifications to the HVAC, plumbing, electrical, and fire/life safety systems; and installation of laboratory equipment.

Project completion time: 6 Months

PROJECT DELIVERY: Design Build

MAXIMUM ACCEPTANCE COST (MAC): \$443,000

PROCEDURES:

Prequalification questionnaires will be available electronically at **2 PM on 9/11/14** from UCI Design & Construction Services.

Mandatory Prequalification Conference begins promptly at 10:00 AM on 9/17/14 at UCI Design & Construction Services, Wright Workroom, 101 Academy, Suite 200, Irvine, CA 92697.

Prequalification questionnaires must be received by **2:00 PM on 9/26/14** only at UCI Design & Construction Services, 101 Academy, Ste. 200, Irvine, CA 92697.

UCI reserves the right to reject any or all responses to this notice, to waive non-material irregularities, and to deem Contractors prequalified to submit proposals for the project. To prequalify, Contractors must agree to comply with all proposal conditions including state prevailing wages, Federal/ NIH policies, 10% bid bond, 100% payment and performance bonds, and insurance reqs. A contract will be awarded to the contractor/architect team ("design builder") who offers UCI the best value. General Building "B" California Contractors License req'd.

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

Contact Brenda Duenas (949) 824-9586, blduenas@uci.edu for the questionnaire. For other opportunities: www.designandconstruction.uci.edu



CITY & COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Contract No. 2264J (ID No. FCE15018) PAVEMENT RENOVATION, SEWER REPLACEMENT, AND WATERMAIN INSTALLATION -HAIGHT STREET AND HAYES STREET

Sealed bids will be received at 1155 Market Street, 4th Floor, San Francisco, California 94103 until 2:30 p.m. on October 1, 2014, after which they will be publicly opened and read. Digital files of Bid Documents, Plan Holders Lists, and Addenda may be downloaded at no cost from the Department of Public Works (DPW) Electronic Bid Documents Download site at www.sfdpw.org/biddocs, or purchased on a CD format from 1155 Market Street, 4th Floor, San Francisco, California 94103, telephone 415-554-6229, for a non-refundable \$15.00 fee paid by cash or check to "Department of Public Works". Please visit the DPW's Contracts, Bid Opportunities and Payments webpage at www.sfdpw.org for more information. Notices regarding Addenda and other bid changes will be distributed by email to Plan Holders.

The Work is located on Haight St, from Ashbury St to Laguna St, and on Hayes St from Clayton St to Market St / Larkin St and consists of demolition, pavement renovation, curb ramp construction, sewer replacement and drainage work, watermain installation, AWSS relocation traffic signal conduits, audible pedestrian signal installation, traffic control, and all associated work. The time allowed for completion is 490 consecutive calendar days. The Engineer's estimate is approximately \$13,000,000. For more information, contact the Project Manager, Ramon Kong at 415-554-8280.

This Project shall incorporate the required partnering elements for **Partnering Level 2**. Refer to Section 01 31 33 for more details.

Pursuant to San Francisco Administrative Code (SFAC) Section 6.25, "Clean Construction" is required for the performance of all work.

The Specifications include liquidated damages. Contract will be on a Lump Sum Bid Items With Unit Prices basis. Progressive payments will be made. Bid discounts may be applied as per SFAC Chapter 14B. Subcontracting goal is 25% LBE. Call Selormey Dzikunu at 415-558-4059 for details. In accordance with SFAC Chapter 14B requirements, all bidders, except those who meet the exception noted below, shall submit documented good faith efforts with their bids and must achieve 80 out of 100 points to be deemed responsive. Bidders will receive 15 points for attending the pre-bid conference. Refer to CMD Form 2B for more details. Exception: Bidders who demonstrate that their total LBE participation exceeds the above subcontracting goal by 35% will not be required to meet the good faith efforts requirements.

A pre-bid conference will be held on **September 17**, **2014; 1:30 p.m.**, at 1680 Mission Street, 3rd Floor.

For information on the City's Surety Bond Program, call Jennifer Elmore at (415) 217-6578.

A corporate surety bond or certified check for ten percent (10%) of the amount bid must accompany each bid. SFAC Sec. 6.22(A) requires all construction greater than \$25,000 to include performance and payment bonds for 100% of the contract award.

Class "A" license required to bid.

In accordance with San Francisco Administrative Code Chapter 6, no bid is accepted and no contract in excess of \$400,000 is awarded by the City and County of San Francisco until such time as the Mayor or the Mayor's designee approves the contract for award, and the Director of Public Works then issues an order of award. Pursuant to Charter Section 3.105, all contract awards are subject to certification by the Controller as to the availability of funds.

Minimum wage rates for this project must comply with the current General Prevailing Wage as determined by the State Department of Industrial Relations. Minimum wage rates other than applicable to General Prevailing Wage must comply with SFAC Chapter 12P, Minimum Compensation Ordinance.

This Project is subject to the requirements of the San Francisco Local Hiring Policy for Construction (''Policy'') as set forth in Section 6.22(G) of the SFAC. Bidders are hereby advised that the requirements of the Policy will be incorporated as a material term of any contract awarded for the Project. Refer to Section 00 73 30 of the Project Manual for more information.

Right reserved to reject any or all bids and waive any minor irregularities.

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The Survey of Business Owners

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Although some Census Bureau surveys have given respondents the option to reply via the Internet, the 2012 SBO is the first to utilize the Internet as the primary form of response. I'm pleased that the Census Bureau has embraced the use of technology to make responding to surveys, like the SBO, easier for you.

If you received a letter about Survey of Business Owners and Self-Employed Persons, it included instructions for filling it out online. If you have questions, I encourage you to call 1-888-824-9954, Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Eastern Time, for more information. Our staff can answer any questions about the survey you may have. Visit our website to learn more:https://econhelp.census.gov/sbo.

Source: The Minority Business Development Agency (MBDA)