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Did Ya Hear the One About... Using Humor to Survive



Smart Ways
TO WORK
by Odette Pollar

Will Rogers was once asked if he used a joke writer. "Writers?" he said, "Why would I need writers when I have the whole government working for me?" The ability to see the lighter side of a situation can help you smooth troubled waters, reduce your own stress and help others lighten up. Humor does not mean you have to tell jokes or be the class clown. Take your business and your tasks seriously but yourself lightly. Particularly now when there are some days when laughing is the only alternative to tears.

What it Does for Others

If yours is like most offices there is a real mix of people. No doubt, there is one person who can only be described as deadly serious. In fact there is a rapidly growing unofficial pool, that the next decade will arrive before anyone witnesses this person laugh. On the other hand you probably have a co-worker who can always be relied upon to approach a situation with a light touch. That might be through a story, a joke, or a skewed twist on a situation. In a tense meeting doesn't a quick laugh lighten the mood and help the group move beyond the tension? Having a sense of humor can boost cohesion between groups, reduce conflict, and humanize your image. Think of the last time you were standing in a slow moving checkout line. Didn't someone make a crack or a joke to his partner and in the resultant laughter, someone else felt comfortable enough to make a crack? A quick exchange can cheer all the listeners within earshot.

An ability to find and appreciate the humor in daily life is not synonymous

with frivolousness. It is not an indication that you are less serious about your work than someone who rarely cracks a smile.

What it Does for You

Humor is a way to let people see how you view the world. Being able to laugh in the face of adversity shows a positive attitude. Poking fun at yourself can make you more approachable and can increase others trust and confidence in you. It increases your productivity by helping you reduce stress. Situations—whether that's being caught in a traffic jam, a breakdown of your printer, or a sudden onset of a problem—that can cause anger, actually offer you a choice. You make a decision about how you will respond to the challenges that spring up each day.

The ability to see the lighter side of business life can help you accomplish more. Being able to appreciate humor and humorous situations means you will increase your ability to command respect, build morale and create a more productive workplace.

Humor Cautions

Do not use humor that is directed at or against other people. What you may think of as an innocent joke could be quite offensive to the listener. Jokes and stories with highly sexual overtones, along with, of course, blatantly hostile or racial overtones are unacceptable.

Humor is not the best way to point out someone's mistakes. If you have a legitimate criticism, call the person aside in a private meeting and discuss your concerns.

Do not force yourself to tell jokes as your first foray into humor if you always forget the punch line and your timing leaves something to be desired. Your natural humor will be more effective if you just lighten up and try to see the ridiculous or silly side of things. In the meantime, did you hear the one about the traveling salesman...?

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REQUESTS FOR BIDS & SUB-BIDS

REQUESTING BIDS FROM QUALIFIED DBE SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS FOR THE FOLLOWING PROJECT:

Route 50 – Camillia City Viaduct • Caltrans Project #03-0F2304
***Revised* Bid Date: July 17, 2013 at 2:00 pm**

This is a highway project with the typical items of work associated, but not limited to: Aggregate, Rip Rap Material, Bridge Deck Overlay, CIDH Pile, Clear and Grubbing, Concrete Barrier, Concrete Crack Sealing, Construction Area Signs, Consult - Enviro Compliance, Core and Saw, Demo Bridge, Demo Minor, Earthwork and Base, Imported Borrow, Electrical H'Way, Fence & MBGR, Minor Flat Concrete, Joint Seals, K-Rail, Landscape, Erosion Control, Metal Bridge Rail, Minor Concrete Structure, Pavement Grinding, Paving PCC, Plane A C, Paving ASPH Concrete, A C Dike and Misc, Pile Drive, Pipe - Coor Steel, Precast Concrete Pipe, Prestress Concrete, Ready Mix Concrete, Rebar, Rock Slope Protect, Sign Structures, Signs Roadside, Stripe and Mark, Structure Excavate Bridge, Structure Excavate Site, Traffic Control, 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 Caltrans at: www.dot.ca.gov/hq/esc/oe.

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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Each Subcontractor shall be prepared to submit faithful performance and payment bonds equal to 100% of their quotation. The Contractor will pay standard industry rates for these bonds.

Contact C. C. Myers, Inc. for assistance with bonds, insurance, lines of credit, equipment, supplies or project plans and specifications. C.C. Myers, Inc., is a Union Contractor.

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REQUEST FOR QUALIFIED SBE'S
 SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS
 FOR:

**Civil and Station Improvements Contract,
 Santa Clara - Alum Rock Bus Rapid Transit
 Project Contract C830 (13058)**

**Owner: SANTA CLARA VALLEY
 TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY
 3331 North First Street, Building A,
 San Jose, CA 95134**

Bid Date: July 30, 2013 @ 3:00 P.M.

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

DESILVA GATES CONSTRUCTION –
Estimator: Grant Rhodes – Phone No. 925-829-9220
Fax No: 925-803-4263:

**CLEARING AND GRUBBING/DEMOLITION,
 MINOR CONCRETE STRUCTURE, STREET
 ELECTRICAL, PCC GRINDING, CON-
 STRUCTION AREA/ROAD SIGNS, SLURRY
 SEAL, STRIPING, SWPPP, UNDERGROUND,
 QC/QA, TRUCKING, CLASS 2 AGGREGATE
 BASE MATERIAL SUPPLIER, CLASS 4 AG-
 GREGATE BASE MATERIAL SUPPLIER,
 HOT MIX ASPHALT (TYPE A) MATERIAL
 SUPPLIER, CLASS 3 AGGREGATE BASE
 MATERIAL SUPPLIER, GEOTEXTILE WRIP
 SUPPLIER, SURVEY AND COMMUNITY RE-
 LATIONS OFFICER**

ROBERT A. BOTHMAN –
Estimator: Michael Maldonado –
Phone No. 408-279-2277 Fax No: 408-279-2286:

**SAW CUTTING, DRILLING (PIERS), ELEC-
 TRICAL (STATIONS), REBAR, GUARD RAIL/
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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–Robert A. Bothman, A Joint Venture of DeSilva Gates Construction and Robert A. Bothman Inc. will pay bond premium up to 2%. Subcontractors must possess current insurance and worker's compensation coverage meeting DeSilva Gates–Robert A. Bothman 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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REQUEST FOR SUB-ESTIMATES FROM DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISES (DBES) SUBCONTRACTORS, MATERIAL CONTRACTORS, AND SUPPLIERS

OWNER: THE PORT OF LOS ANGELES
PROJECT: JOHN S. GIBSON BOULEVARD/I-110 FREEWAY ACCESS RAMP IMPROVEMENTS AND SR-47 / I-110 NORTHBOUND CONNECTOR WIDENING FEDERAL AID PROJECT NO. HPLUL-5006(757)
PROJECT LOCATION: LOS ANGELES, CA

FUNDED UNDER THE SAFE ACCOUNTABLE FLEXIBLE EFFICIENT TRANSPORTATION EQUITY ACT: STATE – FUNDED UNDER THE TRADE CORRIDOR IMPROVEMENT FUND (TCIF); AND REGIONALLY FUNDED BY THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY (LACMTA)

BID DATE: JULY 30, 2013 @ 2:45 PM

Kiewit Infrastructure West Co., a subsidiary of Kiewit Corporation (Kiewit), is bidding as a prime contractor for the construction of the project listed above and is seeking sub-estimates from disadvantaged business enterprises (DBEs) and all other business enterprises.

Kiewit is requesting estimates from interested subcontractors, material suppliers, professional services, and equipment suppliers, including, but not limited to:

Demolition, Earthwork, AC Paving, Asphalt and Concrete Paving, Concrete Flatwork, Storm Drain, Landscaping, Erosion Control, Trucking, SWPPP Monitoring, Traffic Control, Electrical, Signals, Railroad Trackwork, Masonry, Signage, Striping and Marking, Web/Robotic Camera Documentation, Field Office Rent & Setup, Fencing & Guardrail, Pile supply and Installation, Dewatering/Water Treatment

All responsive subcontractors must possess a valid California Contractor's license and provide acceptable insurance. Responsible subcontractors will be expected to provide bonding for 100% of their contract value. The subcontractor must be able to accept all terms and conditions of the project under the subcontract.

Kiewit intends to conduct itself in good faith with all disadvantaged business enterprises (DBEs) and other enterprises regarding participation on the project. All DBEs must be certified at the time of bid as a DBE by the California Unified Certification Program (CUCP) certifying agency.

To obtain more information about this bid or for assistance with the requirements of the proposal, project scheduling, insurance, bonding, lines of credit, equipment, supplies, and/or technical assistance, please contact Kiewit.



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Requests sub-bids from qualified California Department of General Services (DGS) certified Small Businesses and Micro Businesses and all other Business Enterprise Subcontractor and/or Supplier Quotes.

<http://www.dgs.ca.gov/dgs/home.aspx>

Subcontractors and Suppliers for the following project:

Rinconada Water Treatment Plant Residuals Management and Treated Water Valves Upgrade Project

Project #: 93294051 & 93294056

Owner: Santa Clara Valley Water District

Bid Date: July 24, 2013 @ 2:00 P.M.

Subcontractor and Supplier Quotes are due NO LATER THAN July 19, 2013 at 5 PM.

DGS Certified Small Businesses and Micro Businesses wanted for the following items, including, but not limited to: Aggregate Supply, Aggregate Surfacing, Asphalt Paving, Barrier Rail (MBGR), Expansion Joints, Concrete & Cement Supply, Concrete (Structural), Concrete Curb & Gutter, Concrete Pumping, CIDH Subcontractor, Concrete Reinforcement Supply & Install, Concrete Work, Demolition, Dewatering, Drainage, Drainage Culverts, Clear & Grub, Drug Testing, Electrical, Erosion Control, False Work/Scaffolding, Fencing & Gates, Fuel Supply, Geotechnical Services, Hazardous Mat Management/Remediation, Hydro Seeding, Landscaping, Lumber/Form Supply, HVAC, Materials Testing (Laboratory) /Quality Control, Mechanical Equipment, Misc. Metal Supply, Misc. Metal Installation, Noise/Vibration Monitoring, Office Equipment, Office Supplies, Pipe Supply, Precast, Quality Assurance, Safety Professionals, Safety Supplies, Sanitation Facilities, Signage, Site Security, Street Sweeping, Striping, Support of Excavation, Surveying, SWPPP, Temporary Power, Trash Service/Waste Disposal, Tree Removal, Trucking & Hauling, Utility Relocations and Water Truck.

Bonding, insurance, lines of credit and any technical assistance or information related to the plans or specification and requirements for the work will be made available to interested DGS certified small and micro business suppliers and subcontractors. Assistance with obtaining necessary equipment, supplies, materials, or related assistance or services for this project will also be offered to interested DGS certified small and micro business suppliers and subcontractors.

Plans are available for viewing at our office and on our subcontractor/supplier website, SmartBidNet. All subcontractors that are registered in our database and have a valid trade code that reflects the type of work you perform will receive an invitation to bid. Please visit <http://www.kiewit.com/districts/northern-california/overview.aspx> to register your company to be able to receive bidding information.



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4650 Business Center Drive Fairfield, CA 94534

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100% Performance Bond and Payment Bonds are required for this project.

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SBE and Micro SBE Subcontractors Contract #C0591,

Santa Clara Valley Water District, Rinconada Water Treatment Plant Residuals Management Project, Project # 93294051 and Treated Water Valves Upgrade Project, Project # 93294056,

Bids 7/24/13

Services needed: This is a treatment plant project with the typical items of work associated. Myers and Sons Construction is requesting quotes from all qualified subcontractors, trucking firms and suppliers including certified Small Business and Micro Small Business firms for the following types of work, including but not limited to: Operations and Maintenance Documents, Internet Based Project Management Work Flow System, NPDES Permit Compliance, Migratory Bird, Dusky Footed Woodrat, Environmental Training Awareness, Clearing and Grubbing, Control of Water, Booster Pumps and Discharge Valves, Clearwell Treated Water Inlet and Outlets with Valves, Clearwell Isolation with Valves Manual Operator and Couplings, Valves with Hydraulic and Electric Actuators, Filter Backwash Bypass with Electric Actuator, Plant Water Main Header Isolation Valve with Manual Operator, Magnetic Flow Meter, Chemical Storage Structure Retrofit and Shoring, Baffle Wall Demolition and Repairs, Reservoir Cleaning Washdown and disinfectant, Clearwell Stairway Entrance and Handrail, Anionic Polymer Demolition in Control Building, Gravity Thickeners, Centrifuge Feed Pump Station, Centrifuge Building and Load-Out Structure, Centrifuge and Conveyor Systems, Washwater Recovery Basin Improvements, Belt Press Building Improvements, Connector Road, Office Trailer, Concrete, Mechanical, Earthwork, Foundations, Electrical, Building Trades.

Requirements: 100% Performance and payment bonds may be required for the full amount of the subcontract price. Subcontractors must possess a valid contractor's license, current insurance and worker's compensation coverage meeting Myers and Sons Construction's requirements. Subcontractors will be required to sign the standard Myers and Sons Construction Subcontract Agreement. Quotations must be valid for the one hundred and twenty (120) days after the specified Contract Award Date by the Owner. Plans and Specifications are available for viewing at our Sacramento office. Please call if you need assistance in obtaining bonding, insurance, equipment, materials and/or supplies or visit our website at www.myers-sons.com for more information. Myers and Sons Construction intends to work cooperatively with all qualified firms seeking work on this project. Myers and Sons Construction is signatory to the Laborers, Carpenters, Cement Masons and Operating Engineers. Myers and Sons Construction is an equal opportunity employer

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BIDDING OPPORTUNITY

DBE'S CERTIFIED BY

THE CALIFORNIA UNIFIED CERTIFICATION PROGRAM (CUCP)

In response to the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transit Authority's DBE requirements, we are inviting qualified contractors, specifically DBE's certified by the California Unified Certification Program (CUCP) to contact us regarding subcontracting opportunities in connection with the following project.

Regional Connector Transit Corridor Design/Build Project Contract C0980

Construction of the underground stations, guideways and tunnels from Alameda and First Streets in Little Tokyo to the existing Metro Center Station located at 7th and South Flower Streets in Los Angeles.

BID DATE: JULY 29, 2013 AT 2:00 PM

Opportunities to participate exist in the following specific areas of: soil and rock excavation, hauling, excavation support systems, structural steel, engineering, survey, instrumentation and monitoring services, materials testing, demolition and site preparation, environmental investigation, utility relocation, paving, curb and sidewalk, fencing, landscaping, geotechnical and structural instrumentation, asbestos and hazardous materials handling and disposal, secant piles, soldier piles, shoring, traffic decking, traffic control, cast-in-place concrete structures, reinforcing steel, ground stabilization, tunnel construction, crosspassage construction, directional grout hole drilling, soil-nails, rock-bolts, steel dowels, steel arch support, shotcrete fiber and non-fiber, concrete pumping, placing and finishing, concrete sealants, masonry, waterproofing, service utilities, grouting, electrical services, mechanical, plumbing and fire protection, architectural finishes, doors and hardware, track works, signals, pest control, IT Services, waste disposal and cleaning services.

Any business seeking to participate as a DBE for this Contract must be DBE certified by the California Unified Certification Program (CUCP) or by a certifying agency in the CUCP in accordance with 49 CFR Part 26-Subpart D Certification Standards as followed by the CUCP. DBE certification status of listed DBE may be verified by contacting Metro Certification Unit via email at CertificationUnit@Metro.net or by calling the DEOD hotline at (213) 922-2600. A copy of the current active DBE certification letter must be provided for each DBE firm listed in the Proposal. **All DBE bids/proposals should be sent to Shea/Walsh/PTG Joint Venture no later than July 10, 2013.**

The Joint Venture has established an FTP site where interested firms can view all plans and specifications for their convenience. Please contact Candice Gill at (909) 594-0990 or Jim Honeycutt at (909) 444-4260 to receive instructions on accessing the FTP Site.

Shea/Walsh/PTG Joint Venture

will provide an equal opportunity to DBEs and will conduct dealings with DBE firms in Good Faith.
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Please visit our website: <http://www.shea-walsh-ptg-regionalconnector.com>

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

State Highway in San Joaquin County Near Bellota from 0.3 Mile West of Sandstone Creek Bridge to Shelly Road Caltrans Contract No. 10-0T1604

DBE Goal: 13%

Engineer Estimate: \$2,470,000 - 100 Working Days

Bid Date: July 23, 2013 at 2:00pm

Requesting Sub-quotes for (including but not limited to): Hydroseeding, Rebar, Striping/Markers, Trucking & Sweepers, Demolition/Bridge Removal, Tack Coat, MBGR, Clear & Grub, Signs-Roadside and Erosion Control.

Scope of Work: Curve realignment and replace bridge.

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 from the Caltrans website: http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/esc/oe/contractor_info/. Contact Derrick Woods 925-606-2400 for any questions, including bonding, lines of credit, insurance, equipment or material suppliers. Subcontractors should be prepared to submit payment and performance bonds equal to 100% of their quotation.

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Requesting sub-bids from qualified MBE/WBE/SBE/DVBE Subcontractors and Suppliers

J.F. Shea Construction, Inc. is bidding this project and solicits your participation in preparation of this bid. We are particularly interested in bids from subcontractors/suppliers for the following work items: DEMOLITION, CLEARING & GRUBBING, FENCING, HYDROSEEDING & REVEGETATION, DEWATERING, SHORING, READY-MIX CONCRETE, REINFORCING STEEL, STEEL PIPE, STEEL LINER, WELDING, GROUTING, FIELD APPLIED CEMENT MORTAR LINING, PAINTING & COATINGS, ELECTRICAL, CATHODIC PROTECTION, AND ACOUSTIC FIBER OPTIC MONITORING SYSTEM MODIFICATIONS

Pipeline 3 Relining Sweetwater to Lower Otay, Specification 613

Location: South of Sweetwater Reservoir, proceeding in southeastern direction along SDCWA's Aqueduct through the City of Chula Vista to the lower Otay Reservoir

**Owner: San Diego County Water Authority (SDCWA)
Estimated Cost: \$36,000,000 - \$44,000,000**

Bid Date: July 17, 2013 @ 2:00 P.M.

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Contact: Lori Olivas, lori.olivas@jfshea.com

Plans are available from: SDCWA, 4677 Overland Avenue, San Diego, CA 92123-1233,

Contract Documents - \$16, Full Size Plans - \$9, Half Size Plans - \$40, \$5 per document for mailing.

Contact: Ilene Story, Phone: (858) 522-6829, Fax: (858) 268-7802 or email: istory@sdewa.org.

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Bidders are required to read and understand owner's requirements including warranty requirements. Bidder's or manufacturer's standard warranties will not be accepted unless they comply fully with owner's requirements.

J.F. Shea Construction, Inc. is an equal opportunity employer and intends to negotiate in good faith with interested DBE firms and intends to utilize the lowest responsive bidder.

Requesting Sub-bids from Qualified SBE/DVBE/MBE/WBE/OBE

Subcontractors for:

LADWP Complete Title and Escrow Services Glendale, California

Project No. 90097, 90104

Bid Date/Time: August 1, 2013 @ 2:00 PM

For information on the availability of plans and specifications and the bidder's policy, please contact our office.

Stewart Title

Contact: Claudia Queen

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Sub-Bids Requested From Qualified DBE Subcontractors & Suppliers

Rehabilitate Pavement and Widen Median Shoulders on Route 62 in Riverside County near Desert Hot Springs from Route 10/62 Separation to North Indian Canyon Drive

District 08 on Route 62

Contract No.: 08-491804

DBE Goal: 7%

Bid Date: July 18, 2013 – 2:00PM

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

Quotes requested from Contractors, Suppliers and Service Providers include, but are not limited to:

Construction Site Management, Storm Water Pollution Plan, Street Sweeping, Construction Area Signs, Traffic Control System, Erosion Control, Temporary Pavement Marking, Temporary Traffic Stripe, Temporary Railing, Portable Changeable Message Signs, Temporary Crash Cushion Module, Metal Beam Guard Railing, Roadside Signs, Cold Place Concrete Pavement, Clearing and Grubbing, Roadway Excavation, Develop Water Supply, Erosion Control, Fiber Rolls, Class 2 Aggregate Base, Lean Concrete Base, Hot Mix Asphalt, Place Hot Mix Asphalt Dike, Tack Coat, Concrete Pavement, Seal Pavement Joint, Bar Reinforcing Steel (epoxy coated), Furnish Single Sheet Aluminum Sign, Rock Slope Protection, Transition Railing, Terminal System, Crash Cushion, Thermoplastic Pavement Marking, Thermoplastic Traffic Stripe, Paint Traffic Stripe, Pavement Marker, Furnish & Place Polyester Concrete Overlay, Rumble Strip, Maintain Existing Traffic Management System, Inductive Loop Detector, Piezo-Electric Axle Sensors, Street Sweeping, Water Trucks

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.

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. Subcontractor scope (including any conditions or exceptions) is required 24 hours prior to bid deadline to allow proper evaluation.

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REQUEST FOR SBE SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS FOR:

Civil and Station Improvements, San Jose

Santa Clara-Alum Rock Bus Rapid Transit Project

Contract C830(13058)

Santa Clara Valley Transit Authority

REVISED BID DATE: July 30, 2013 @ 3:00 PM

We are soliciting quotes for (including but not limited to): Trucking, Traffic Control, SWPPP, Cold Plane AC, Roadside Signs, Electrical, Import Borrow, Geotextile Wrap, Minor Concrete, Striping & Marking, Object Marker, Paint Curb, Fencing, Cobble Median, King Road Decorative Concrete Pavement, Import Topsoil, Landscaping & Irrigation, Underground, Adjust Utilities, Ticket Vending Machine, Card Reader, Concrete Grinding, Adjust Manhole & Valves, QC/QA Material Testing, Tree Removal, Concrete Demolition, Slurry Seal, Fencing & Railings and Construction Materials

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Sub-Bids Requested From Qualified DBE Subcontractors & Suppliers

Regional Connector Transit Corridor Design-Build Project

Owner: LACMTA

RFP No.: C09080

DBE Goal: 20% Design & 18% Construction
Subcontractor Proposal Due Date: July 18, 2013, 2:00PM

Website: www.teamrcc.com

Team RCC (Skanska Traylor Kiewit JV) is interested in soliciting in Good Faith all subcontractors as well as certified DBE companies for the Regional Connector Transit Corridor Project. Quotes will be requested from Subcontractors, Vendors, Professional Service and Trucking companies. A list of available scopes of work will be available on our website listed above as well as RFP documents, Subcontracting Requirements, Sample Contracting Documents, Project Announcements, Outreach and Contact Information. If you are interested in joining our team for this project, please visit our website, fill out and return the Invitation to Bid form.

Team RCC will assist qualified subcontractors, vendors, and suppliers in obtaining bonding, lines of credit, insurance, necessary equipment, materials and/or supplies. If you are a DBE Company, please provide your certification letter with your proposal. If you are a non-DBE, please indicate all lower-tier participation on your quotation as it will be evaluated with your price. In order to assist DBE subcontractors and suppliers, we will divide total requirements into smaller packages, tasks or quantities and establish delivery and construction schedules which will permit maximum participation when feasible. Please visit our website listed above for detailed contracting requirements

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DPR CONSTRUCTION, INC.

RE-ADVERTISEMENT FOR SUBCONTRACTOR PREQUALIFICATION & BID Radiation Shielding

Prequalification and sealed bids for a Lump Sum contract not to exceed the Maximum Acceptance Cost are requested only from prospective Subcontractors under the CM @ Risk Fixed Fee Cost Plus with GMP Contract awarded to DPR Construction, Inc. (CA License # 599846) for the following project:

UCSF MEDICAL CENTER AT MISSION BAY
University of California San Francisco Medical Center,

BP #	Description	Maximum Acceptance Cost	License Class
1. 13D-HO Radiation Shielding	Furnish and Install all Radiation Shielding to meet code and project requirements for the Hospital.	\$1,247,000	D20 – Lead Burning and Fabrication or D64 – Non-Specialized Contractor or B – General Contractor

All interested subcontractors **MUST attend a mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting in order to submit a bid. Documents, Mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting & Due Dates:**

1. **The mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting for 13D-HO Radiation Shielding on Thursday, July 18, 2013 at 10:30AM at UCSF MC ICDC at 601 16th Street, San Francisco, CA 94158.** Subcontractors must attend the pre-bid meeting in person or via video conference call. Subcontractors, who previously attended, need not attend or call. Conference call information is as follows: Call in number: 1-888-298-1692. Room number: 8263908. Please contact Steve Sheahan for additional details regarding the video conference. Ph: 415-241-5041 or Cell: 650-862-2063.

2. Subcontractors attending the Pre-Bid Meeting will receive Prequalification Forms. After subcontractors have been notified that they are prequalified, approximately the week of July 29th, they will receive the Bid Form, Instruction to Bidders and Bidding Documents, as well as DVD-R of the current set of Plans & Specifications. **Subcontractors that have previously been prequalified for this scope of work under Bid Package 13D-HO Radiation Shielding – Hospital do not need to attend the pre-bid meeting but will be sent/mailed a modified Prequalification form to update previously provided information. Final list of prequalified bidders will be posted upon completion of evaluation process on the following website: <http://transfer.bps.com/ucsf>.**

3. Prequalified Subcontractors will have to complete two (2) separate submittals – the 1st is the Prequalification, the 2nd is the Bid. The bid package is to be submitted per the instructions set forth in the Instructions to Bidders addressed attn. to: Lanisha Miller, DPR Construction, Inc., 601 16th Street, San Francisco, CA 94158.

4. **For the bid package listed above, the completed Prequalification Form and associated documents are due Thursday, July 25th 2013. The sealed bids must be received on or before 3PM, Friday, August 23, 2013 and will be opened promptly thereafter at UCSF MC ICDC, 601 16th Street, San Francisco CA 94158.**

5. Any person or entity not satisfied with the outcome of the prequalification must file a writ challenging

San Francisco, California

Project No. 05-307 | DPR Project No. 08-28026-01

General Description of the Work:

Construction includes 42,000SF of Energy Center (EC), 212,000SF of OSHPD 3 Outpatient Building (OPB), and a 633,000SF, 289-bed, 6-story OSHPD 1 Hospital on a surrounding 14.5 acre site at UCSF Campus at Mission Bay.

The following bid package is currently being solicited: Subcontractors bidding for the following bid package must be prequalified and will be required to have the California current and active contractor's license for their specific trade(s) as listed below at the time of submission of the Bid.

the outcome within 10 calendar days from the date of DPR's written notice regarding prequalification determination. Any assertion that the outcome of the prequalification process was improper will not be a ground for a bid protest. However, the University reserves the right to accept late submissions and to request, receive, and evaluate supplemental information after the above time and date at its sole determination.

6. The University reserves the right to reject any or all responses to Prequalification Forms and to waive non-material irregularities in any response received.

7. All information submitted for prequalification evaluation will be considered official information acquired in confidence, and the University will maintain its confidentiality to the extent permitted by law.

If no responsive and responsible bids are received in response to this solicitation, the University after consultation with DPR Construction may establish a new Bid Deadline no earlier than 24 hours from the prior Bid Deadline if no material changes are made to the bidding documents and no earlier than 72 hours if material changes are made. In such event DPR Construction will, at a minimum, notify all persons or entities known by DPR Construction to have received a complete set of Bidding Documents and who has provided a street address or facsimile number for receipt of any written pre-bid communications.

The deadline for receipt of requests for products, materials or equipment specified by name may be required prior to the Bid Deadline. The Bidding Documents should be reviewed for further details.

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

The work described in the contract is a public work subject to section 1771 of the California Labor Code.

Note: Advertisement is also posted on the following website: <http://transfer.bps.com/ucsf>.



CITY & COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS CONSTRUCTION MANAGER / GENERAL CONTRACTOR SERVICES OFFICE OF CHIEF MEDICAL EXAMINER FACILITY

The Department of Public Works (DPW) announces a Request for Qualifications (RFQ) for a Construction Manager/General Contractor to provide General Contracting and construction Services (CM/GC) for the Office of Chief Medical Examiner (OCME) Facility located at One Newhall Street in the India Basin Industrial Park, San Francisco, CA. The new facility will house about 50 employees who are organized into the four units of the OCME: Field Investigations, Medical/Autopsy, Laboratory, and Administration. One Newhall Street is an existing 28,000 gsf industrial warehouse which will be renovated to add a second floor within the existing footprint of the building, resulting in a seismically safe 42,600 gsf facility. The Construction Cost for this project is estimated at \$38.1 million.

Digital files of the RFQ Package may be downloaded at no cost at www.sfdpw.org/biddocs. Please visit the DPW's Contracts, Bid Opportunities and Payments webpage at www.sfdpw.org for more information. Notices regarding Addenda and other proposal changes will be distributed by email to Plan Holders.

An RFQ Informational Conference will be held at **3:00 PM on July 16, 2013** at DPW 4th floor Main Conference Room, 30 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA. Written questions regarding the RFQ shall be directed to Ms. Magdalena Ryor at OCME@sfdpw.org, no later than July 23, 2013. Building tours of 1 Newhall are available by appointment only from 8 am – 3 pm, Monday through Friday, starting July 16, 2013. Contact Brian O'Connor with Real Estate at (415) 554-9877 to schedule an appointment.

Candidates shall submit their Qualifications Package as specified in the RFQ no later than **4:00 PM on August 12, 2013** and addressed to:

**Department of Public Works
Project Management Division
30 Van Ness Avenue, 4th floor
San Francisco, CA 94102
Attn: Ms. Magdalena Ryor,
DPW Project Manager
Re: CM/GC - Office
of Chief Medical Examiner**

Note that late submissions will not be considered.

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UC SAN FRANCISCO MEDICAL CENTER

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Subject to conditions prescribed by the University of California, San Francisco Medical Center, sealed bids for a lump-sum contract are invited for the following work:

Moffitt Long (M/L) 4th Floor Operating Room (OR) Lights Replacement
Project No.: 13-754 / Contract No.: L00157

Description of Work: Remove and replace the overhead mounted surgical light fixtures and monitor arms in Moffitt Hospital Operating Rooms (OR's) 14, 17, 20, 21 and 22 as well as Long Hospital ORs 2, 24, 25, 26, 27, and 28. Contractor will complete work necessary for University's equipment manufacturer to install fixtures. Contractor's work shall include all infection control measures, demolition of legacy electrical systems, completing all new electrical connections, installing all new ceiling access panels, painting and clean up. Work requires closely coordinated scheduling on weekends and nights only when the ORs are off line and as they become available. Work in each OR must be completed before Sunday at 1 PM so the University's hi-cleans teams can prepare ORs for surgical cases. Work will be performed in a Group 4 sterile environment.

Estimated construction cost: \$150,000 - \$170,000

BIDDER QUALIFICATIONS: To be allowed to submit a bid, Bidders must have the minimum experi-

ence and certify their firm has not been cited by the Medical Center for health, safety, infection control, or interim life safety violations set forth in the Supplementary Instructions To Bidders.

Bidders must submit qualification documents in a sealed envelope by **Wednesday July 24, 2013 at 2:00 PM**, at: Office of Design and Construction, University of California, San Francisco, Medical Center, 3333 California Street, Suite 115, San Francisco, CA 94118. Phone: (415) 885-7257. Bidders will be notified whether or not they are allowed to submit a bid for this project within five (5) business days of the due date of the Contractor's Statement of Experience (Exhibit 13).

Procedures: Bidding documents will be available at **11:00 AM, Thursday, July 11, 2013**, and will be issued only at:

UCSF Documents, Media & Mail (UCSF-DMM)
 1855 Folsom Street, Room 135
 San Francisco, CA 94103
 Contact Persons: Ben La (415) 476-5030 (9AM - 5PM)
 Lisa Gee (415) 502-4523
 Fax No. (415) 476-8278

Bidding Documents and complete advertisement can be viewed and may be ordered on line at the following website address: <http://www.ucsfplans.com/>

Bidders must attend a **mandatory** pre-bid conference on **Saturday, July 20, 2013**, beginning promptly at

8:00 AM. For details, see above website address.

Bids will be received only at Office of Design and Construction, University of California, San Francisco, Medical Center, 3333 California Street, Suite 115, San Francisco, CA 94118. Phone: (415) 885-7257.

Bid Deadline: Sealed bids must be received on or before **2:00 PM, Thursday August 1, 2013**. And Bids will be opened after **2:05 P.M.**

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. 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 at the location of the work.

The work described in the contract is a public work subject to section 1771 of the California Labor Code.

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: **GENERAL BUILDING CONTRACTOR, B**

THE REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA
 University of California,
 San Francisco Medical Center
 July, 2013



CITY & COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
Contract No. 1452J
(ID No. FCE13072)
SOMA WEST SKATE
PARK AND DOG PARK

Sealed bids will be received at 1155 Market Street, 4th Floor, San Francisco, California 94103 until **2:30 p.m. on July 31, 2013**, 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/biddoes, 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 to be done under this contract is located below the Central Freeway Viaduct between Stevenson and Otis along Duboce for the Skate Park; between Stevenson and Valencia for the Dog Park and on Duboce Ave between Stevenson and Mission for Storm Drain Work. The Work includes traffic routing work; hazmat

abatement; demolition; grading and drainage; sewer; electrical; concrete and asphalt paving; concrete pile driving and masonry work and all other related work in accordance with the drawings and specifications. The time allowed for completion is 210 consecutive calendar days. The Landscape Architect's Estimate is in excess of \$2,900,000. For more information, contact the Project Manager, Frank Filice at (415) 558-4011.

This Project shall incorporate the required partnering elements for Partnering Level 1, refer to Section 01 31 33 Partnering Requirements.

A pre-bid conference will be held on July 19, 2013, 10:30 a.m. in the Main Conference Room, 5th Floor, 30 Van Ness Ave, SF CA..

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 basis. Progressive payments will be made.

Bid discounts may be applied as per SFAC Chapter 14B. Subcontracting goal is **12% LBE**. Call Bayard Fong at (415) 554-3103 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.

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 contracts awarded by the City and County of San Francisco 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.

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

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