SECTION 2-A

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS SHORT FORM PUBLIC SCHOOL PROJECT (Advertisement)

Sealed proposals in envelopes plainly marked, Proposal For: Fire Alarm System Upgrade at Stevens Brook Elementary School Lake Region Schools / MSAD #61 Bridgton, Maine

Project Description: The Work involves the upgrade of the existing fire alarm system.

Addressed to: Lake Region Schools / MSAD #61 900 Portland Rd. Bridgton, Maine 04009 Attn: Al Smith, Superintendent of Schools

Bids will be opened and read aloud at 2 p.m. at the Superintendent's Office (address above), on Thursday, December 1, 2022. Bids received after 2 p.m. will not be considered and will be returned unopened.

Proposals must be accompanied by certified or cashiers check for 5% of the proposal, or a satisfactory bid bond in a similar amount. The owner reserves the right to waive all formalities, and reject any and all proposals, or to accept any proposal. Proposals shall be submitted upon the letterhead of the bidder.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish a 100% contract performance bond and a 100% contract payment bond to cover the execution of the work which shall be in conformity with the form of bonds contained in section 2-C of the specifications and for the contract amount.

Any proposal that contains an escalation clause will be invalid.

Printed Procurement and Contracting Documents: On or about November 2, 2022, Contractors may obtain Plans, Specifications and Addenda (if any), which will be made a part of the Contract, from the Xpress Copy plan room at <u>www.xpressplanroom.com</u>. Parties may order PDF downloads for \$50.00. Full printed sets are available for \$50.00. Shipping charges will be additional. No partial sets will be issued. All monies must be in U.S. Dollars, whether in the form of cash, check or credit card. Additional arrangements for shipments to Canadian addresses must be made directly with Xpress Copy. Payment must be received by Xpress copy either by mail or hand delivery prior to release of documents. Documents will be available only at Xpress Copy, 17 Westfield Street, Portland Maine 04102 (207-775-2444) Attn: Todd Kent after 12:00 noon on November 2, 2022. No other printers are authorized to print or reproduce documents. These documents are copyrighted. Copies of addenda will be emailed.

STEVENS BROOK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL BRIDGTON, MAINE MSAD #61

A mandatory Pre-Bid Conference will be held at Stevens Brook Elementary School at 8:00 a.m. on Friday, November 11, 2022 for all Bidders. Other interested Subcontractors and suppliers are encouraged, but not required, to attend.

All telephone calls and correspondence in connection with this Project will be addressed to the office of the Architect, Attention: Doug Breer, Stephen Blatt Architects, P.O. Box 583, Portland, Maine 04112-0583. Telephone 207-761-5911, E-MAIL dbreer@sbarchitects.com.

Procurement and Contracting Documents may be examined at the locations below:

- 1. Construction Summary; 734 Chestnut Street, Manchester, NH 03104. Phone 603-627-8856 Fax 603-627-4524.
- 2. AGC of Maine, Inc.; Whitten Road P.O. Box 5519, Augusta, ME 04332-5519. *Phone* 207-622-4741 Fax 207-622-1625.
- 3. F.W. Dodge Company, 224 Gorham Road, Scarborough, ME 04074