

NOTICE INVITING BIDS

Your company is listed in Perris Union High School District's Contractor's database to bid Public Projects pursuant to the provisions of Public Contract Code Section 22030-22040, the Uniform Public Construction Cost Accounting Act. **NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Perris Union High School District ("District") is seeking sealed bids from qualified contractors for construction of the following public-works project ("Project"): **Bid #031416 California Military Institute HVAC Upgrades.**

DESCRIPTION OF JOB: Provide all labor, equipment, and materials to complete the project per Construction Documents. **The project will start on March 21, 2016 and must be completed no later than June 24, 2016.** Please see the Construction Documents for details.

PLACE FOR SUBMITTING SEALED BIDS: Sealed Bids must be submitted to the District at the following location ("Place for Submitting Sealed Bids"):

Perris Union High School District,
Purchasing: Nick Newkirk
155 East 4th Street, 2nd floor
Perris, CA 92570

BID DEADLINE: Bids must be received at the Place for Submitting Bids no later than **Monday, March 14, 2016 at 2:00 p.m.** ("Bid Deadline"), at which time the District will publicly open and read all bids. The District shall return, unopened, each bid received after the Bid Deadline.

BID DOCUMENTS: Bidders may obtain the documents necessary to submit a bid ("Bid Documents") **via email from Nick Newkirk at nick.newkirk@puhsd.org or via the District website at <http://www.puhsd.org/blogs/contracting-opportunities>.**

CONTRACTOR LICENSE: The class of California contractor license required to bid on and perform the Work is Class C10/C20 *and/or* B license classification.

MANDATORY PRE-BID CONFERENCE: The District will conduct a mandatory pre-bid conference and site visit on **Monday, March 7, 2016, at 9:00 a.m.,** and will commence at: **California Military Institute, 755 North A Street, Perris, CA 92570.** Attendance at the pre-bid conference and site visit is mandatory. Any bidder that does not attend the entire conference and/or does not arrive on-time shall be deemed non-responsive.

QUESTIONS REGARDING THE BID DOCUMENTS, SCOPE OF WORK, AND/OR SPECS OF THE PROJECT: All questions concerning this Bid shall be submitted in writing by e-mail to the Director of Purchasing, Nick Newkirk at nick.newkirk@puhsd.org on or before March 9, 2016 at 4:30pm. Please indicate the Bid title in the subject line. Contact with District personnel shall be made only through e-mail; telephone calls will not be accepted. Answers to questions will be posted on the District Website as RFIs.

All notices, clarifications, and addenda to this Bid shall be posted on the District website at <http://www.puhsd.org/blogs/contracting-opportunities>. The District shall not be responsible for sending individual notification of changes or updates to any respondents. **It is the sole responsibility of the bidders to remain apprised of changes to this Bid as shown on the District website.**

REQUIRED BID SECURITY: Each bid must be submitted with security in an amount equal to 10% of the maximum bid, in one of the following forms: (i) a cashier's or certified check payable to the District; or (ii) a bid bond. The security must be submitted with a completed copy of the "Bid Security" form included as one of the Required Bidding Forms. Each bid bond must be an executed copy of the "Bid Bond" form included as one of the Required Bidding Forms and must be issued by a California-admitted surety as defined in Code of Civil Procedure Section 995.120. Unless forfeited, the District will return security to the bidders within a reasonable time, but not more than sixty days after award of the Contract for the Work.

SURETY BONDS: The successful bidder must provide a Performance Bond and a separate Payment Bond, in the forms included as Required Contract Forms, each in an amount equal to 100% of the total Contract Price, and each issued by a California-admitted surety as defined in Code of Civil Procedure Section 995.120.

LABOR LAW: The Project is a "public work" project that is subject, among other provisions, to Labor Code Sections 1720 through 1861, inclusive. As described in the Instructions For Bidders, each contractor (including subcontractors) must be registered with the California Department of Industrial Relations ("DIR") in accordance with Labor Code Section 1725.5, and bidders must provide evidence of registration for themselves and their subcontractors. Each worker on the Project must be paid not less than the applicable prevailing rates of per-diem wages in the locality in which the Work is to be performed for each craft or type of worker needed to execute the Contract ("Prevailing Wages"). A copy of the applicable rates of Prevailing Wages is on file and available for review at the Place for Submitting Bids, and a copy will be posted at the Project Site. The Project is subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the DIR. The successful bidder will be required to post all job-site notices required by DIR regulations and other applicable law. If so specified in the Special Provisions, the District will conduct a mandatory conference for the purpose of describing labor-law requirements.

RETENTION: Substitution of securities in lieu of retention, pursuant to Public Contract Code Section 22300, will be permitted as provided in the General Provisions.

DEFINED TERMS: Capitalized terms used, but not defined, in this Notice Inviting Bids shall have the meanings ascribed to such terms in other of the Bid Documents.