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ARCHITECT / ENGINEERING SERVICES

FUTURE PROJECTS FOR SPARTANBURG CO. SCHOOL DISTRICT SIX

REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS & PERFORMANCE DATA

Spartanburg County School District Six will
accept Statement of Qualifications & Per-
formance Data including a Federal Stan-
dard Form 254, Architect-Engineer & Re-
lated Services Questionnaire, from qualified
architectural firms for future projects that
may include additions, a new school, & a
fine arts center.

The deadline for submission is 10:00 am,
Wednesday, February 14, 2007. Questions
may be e-mailed to Brian Calsing at
bcalsing@spart6.org. Please submit twelve
(12) copies to:

Brian Calsing
Spartanburg School District Six
1390 Cavalier Way
Roebuck, SC 29376

NEW CONSTRUCTION & RELATED RENOVATIONS TO HISTORICAL STRUCTURES

REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS

Clarendon County is requesting Qualifica-
tion Statements from interested firms to
provide professional architectural services
for new construction & related renovations
to existing historical structures, Paxville
CDC. This project is funded through the
South Carolina Department of Commerce,
Grants Administration, under the HUD
Community Development Block Grant
(CDBG) program. The buildings must meet
all ADA/504 accessibility requirements. The
project will include design of plans & speci-
fications & development of project construc-
tion estimates. The successful firm will:

- Develop contract documents

- Advertise & secure construction bids
- Furnish recommendation to the County for award
- Monitor construction
- Review & approve pay requests
- Provide any related design services to complete the project.

A minimum of (two) meetings with the Pax-
ville CDC/Clarendon County will be held
prior to final plans being drawn. The CDBG
contract Special Provisions, Davis-Bacon
Act & Federal Labor Standards Provisions
will apply to this project. The successful firm
must document positive efforts to use small
& minority owned businesses. Clarendon
County is an equal opportunity employer.

Request For Qualification Submission Re-
quirements: Responses to this RFQ shall be
clear, comprehensive & concise. Please
submit on 8-1/2" x 11" paper in the se-
quence provided below, with each section
tabbed for ease of reference. Pages may
include optional foldouts as appropriate.
Please submit one original.

- Section 1: Executive Summary: Please include name, address, phone, fax & e-mail for primary contact
- Section 2: Management Plan: Include team composition, functional organizational chart, management plan & project approach
- Section 3: Corporate Experience: Please provide a comprehensive project list for the past 3 years. Include cost, scope, & duration of projects on the comprehensive list & a detailed description of project.
- Section 4: Personnel: Provide resumes & define roles for key personnel who would be directly involved in this project.
- Section 5: Background & References: Include proof of licensure, proof of worker's comp & liability insurance, & an audited-certified financial statement with a current balance sheet. Provide a 5 year history of litigation, arbitration, or mediation. Supply current contact information for three to five refer-

ences along with permission to
contact previous clients not on
the reference list.

As part of the selection process, the Com-
mittee will consider the following criteria,
listed in order of importance:

- Qualifications: 0-20
- Familiarity with type project & Ex-
perience: 0-15
- Ability to meet project deadlines:
0-10
- Overall management plan & pro-
ject approach: 0-5
- Maximum Points: 50

Clarendon County reserves the right to
interview all or any of the responding firms
to this solicitation. The highest scoring firms
may be requested to meet with the Commit-
tee & provide a more detailed proposal,
which will include estimate cost.

Clarendon County reserves the right to
accept or reject any, all or any part of pro-
posals received as a result of this request,
to waive any informalities or to cancel in
part or in its entirety this request, if it is in its
best interest to do so. Clarendon County will
be sole judge as to whether proposals sub-
mitted meet all requirements. All proposals
submitted shall become the property of
Clarendon County. This solicitation does not
commit Clarendon County to award a con-
tract, to pay any cost incurred in the prepa-
ration of proposals or to procure or contract
for goods or services.

Deadline To Submit: Qualification State-
ments must be received by 5:00 pm, local
time, February 6, 2007.

For additional Information, please request in
writing, via fax, mail or e-mail to:

Tamika Malone, Procurement Director
Clarendon County
Courthouse-3 West Keitt St
PO Box 486
Manning, SC 29102
Phone (803) 435-8424
Fax (803) 435-8258
clarendonbuyer@yahoo.com

CONSTRUCTION OF TWO SCHOOLS & RENOVATIONS AT THIRD FOR UNION COUNTY

Union County Schools, Union, SC, is soliciting proposals for architectural / engineering services for a new K-8th grade school, a new middle school, & renovations at an existing high school. Architects should have experience in educational design & be familiar with all pertinent codes & regulations. The architect will be employed by Union County Schools, Union, SC, & will work in conjunction with the Construction Manager.

Architects desiring to receive a RFP questionnaire must send a written request to:
M. B. Kahn Construction Co., Inc.
Construction Management Division
Attn: Robbie Brax
PO Box 1179
Columbia, SC 29202
or
101 Flintlake Road
Columbia, SC 29223

The completed RFP questionnaire must be in the construction manager's office no later than Wednesday, February 21, 2007.

Questions regarding the RFP should be addressed to the Construction Manager, M.B. Kahn Construction Co., Inc., at the address above, Attn: Robbie Brax, (803) 736-2950 or Fax (803) 736-9501.

CIVIL ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR PAVING HORRY COUNTY DIRT ROADS

RFQ #2006-07-62

Horry County intends to enter into a contract with the successful firm to provide professional civil engineering services necessary for the paving of County dirt roads identified in the Capital Local Option Sales Tax referendum. All work must comply with the applicable State professional engineering regulations.

Statements of Qualifications must be sealed & clearly identified on the outside of the envelope / package as "#2006-07-62, Civil Engineering Services for the Paving of County Dirt Roads Identified in the Capital Local Option Sales Tax Referendum" & mailed / delivered to the Horry County Procurement Department, 3230 Hwy. 319, Conway, SC 29526, PO Box 2195, Conway, SC 29528, not later than 2:00 pm, Tuesday, February 20, 2007. Statements of Qualifications received later than the specified time / date will not be accepted / considered. No facsimile or telephone response will be accepted.

MASTER PLAN FOR SEWER SERVICE AREA IN YORK COUNTY

REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS

York County Is Requesting the submission of a Request for Qualifications (RFQ) to solicit interest & credentials from qualified professional engineering firms to provide various services related to the preparation of a Master Plan for the County's Eastern Sanitary Sewer service area.

A Copy of the RFQ & any addendum will be posted on the County's web site, www.yorkcountygov.com.

The Point of Contact for information regarding this request is Mark Kettlewell, County Engineer, York County Engineering Department, PO Box 148, York, SC 29745, phone (803) 684-8571, fax (803) 684-8596, E-mail mark.kettlewell@yorkcountygov.com.

Request for Qualifications Will Be Received in the York County Purchasing Department, PO Box 180, 6 South Congress St., York, SC 29745, until 11:00 am on February 15, 2007, at which time said RFQ will be publicly opened.

CONSTRUCTION

Invitation for Construction Bids

SCBO Notes referred to in State Agency advertisements appearing in the Construction Section of SCBO can be found at the end of this issue. Please verify requirements for non-State agency advertisements by contacting the agency / owner.

Project Name: HUBBARD HALL H.V.A.C. RENOVATIONS

Project Number: H37-9507

Location: Lancaster, SC

Applicable SCBO Notes: 2, 4, & 5

Bid Security Required: Yes

Performance Bond Required: Yes

Payment Bond Required: Yes

Description of Project: Replace HVAC system in Hubbard Hall at USC Lancaster. Scope will include electrical modifications. The contractor will be subject to a performance appraisal as defined in the Manual for Planning & Execution of State Permanent Improvements, Part II

Construction Cost Range: \$550,000 - \$750,000

Architect/Engineer: Swygert & Associates

A/E Contact: Bill Livingston

A/E Address: PO Box 11686, Columbia, SC 29211

A/E Telephone: (803) 791-9300

A/E Fax: (803) 791-0830

Plans May Be Obtained From: Swygert & Associates

Plan Deposit: \$50.00, refundable

Pre-Bid Conf./Site Visit: Mandatory

Pre-Bid Date/Time: 1/25/07 - 11:00 am

Place: USC Lancaster, Conference Room, 476 Hubbard Dr., Lancaster, SC 29720

Agency/Owner: University of South Carolina

Name & Title of Agency Coordinator: Pete Holland, Project Manager

Address: 743 Greene St., Columbia, SC 29208

Telephone: (803) 777-5815

Fax: (803) 777-8739

Bid Due Date/Time: 2/22/07 - 11:00 am

Place: USC Lancaster, Conference Room, 476 Hubbard Dr., Lancaster, SC 29720

Hand Deliver Bids To: USC Lancaster, 476 Hubbard Dr., Lancaster, SC 29720, Attn.: Thomas Fox or Lind Jackson

Mail Bids To: USC Lancaster, 476 Hubbard Dr., Lancaster, SC 29720, Attn.: Thomas Fox or Lind Jackson

Project Name: CAMPUS WIDE BUILDING MISCELLANEOUS REPAIRS - STEAM VAULT EVALUATION & REPAIR

Project Number: H24-9577-AC-NA-S

Location: SC State University, Orangeburg

Applicable SCBO Notes: 2, 4, & 5

Bid Security Required: Yes

Performance Bond Required: Yes

Payment Bond Required: Yes

Description of Project: Construction work includes repairs & modifications to 10 steam manholes & one steam drip in the main boiler house. Work includes replacing steam trap stations, replacing gate valves, replacing injector pumps with steam powered sump pumps, replacing some of the steam & condensate piping, replacing pipe insulation & adding concrete to the top cover of one of the manholes. The contractor will be subject to a performance appraisal as defined in the Manual for Planning & Execution of State Permanent Improvements, Part II

Architect/Engineer: Zach McGhee & Associates

A/E Contact: Zach McGhee, Jr., PE

A/E Address: 2500 Devine St., Ste. J, Columbia, SC 29205

A/E Telephone: (803) 252-6915

A/E Fax: (803) 252-6923

A/E E-mail: zma1@bellsouth.net

Plans on File At:

AGC: Columbia

Dodge: Columbia

Plans May Be Obtained From: Zach McGhee & Associates

Plan Deposit: \$50.00, refundable
Pre-Bid Conf./Site Visit: Mandatory
Pre-Bid Date/Time: 2/13/07 – 10:00 am
Place: Room 107, Crawford-Zimmerman Building, 300 College St. NE, Orangeburg
Agency/Owner: SC State University
Agency Coordinator: Thomas E. Sinclair III
Address: 300 College St. NE, Orangeburg, SC 29117
Telephone: (803) 536-8756
Fax: (803) 516-4739
E-mail: tsinclair@scsu.edu
Bid Closing Date/Time: 2/27/07 – 3:00 pm
Place: Room 107, Crawford-Zimmerman Building, 300 College St., Orangeburg
Hand Deliver Bids To: SC State University, Crawford-Zimmerman Building, Room 107, 300 College St. NE, Orangeburg, SC 29117
Mail Bids To: SC State University, Crawford-Zimmerman Building, Room 107, 300 College St. NE, Orangeburg, SC 29117

Description: PROVIDE ALL MATERIALS, EQUIPMENT & LABOR FOR THE PREPARATION & RESURFACING OF 47 ASPHALT SURFACED ROADS & THREE CONCRETE ROADS FOR THE COUNTY OF LEXINGTON, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE SPECIFICATIONS, CONDITIONS & PROVISIONS AS APPLICABLE TO THIS SOLICITATION

Details: All prices are to include all applicable shipping costs. Bid may be awarded to one or more vendors, whichever is most advantageous to the County

Solicitation Number: B07020 – 01/30/07B
Pre-Bid Conf.: Mandatory. 1/23/07 – 11:00 am at the County of Lexington Administration Building, 212 South Lake Dr., Conference Room B, Lexington, SC 29072

Delivery Point: Lexington County
Opening Date/Time: 1/30/07 – 3:00 pm
Opening Location: Lexington County Administration Building, Conference Room B, 212 South Lake Dr., Lexington, SC

Direct Inquiries To: Janice Bell, CPPB
Telephone: (803) 785-8385
E-mail: jbelle@lex-co.com
Web Site: www.lex-co.com

Project Name: COOPERS LOOP, SCENIC DRIVE & SMOKE RIDGE DRIVE
Project Number: 06-12-037
Location: Edgefield County
Bid Security Required: Yes
Performance Bond Required: Yes
Payment Bond Required: N/A

Description of Project: Fine grade, base, pave & grass
Architect/Engineer: N/A
Pre-Bid Conf./Site Visit: N/A
Agency/Owner: Edgefield County
Agency Coordinator: Howard Gibson
Address: 211 Norris St., Edgefield, SC 29824
Telephone: (803) 637-4073
Bid Due Date/Time: 2/7/07 – 11:00 am
Place: 211 Norris St., Edgefield, SC 29824

Project Name: RED BANK RECREATION COMPLEX

Project Number: 05-034

Location: Lexington

Bid Security Required: Yes

Performance Bond Required: Yes

Payment Bond Required: Yes

Description of Project: Construction of two baseball fields, two soccer fields, two bathroom / concessions buildings, picnic shelter, lighting & irrigation for ball fields, domestic & fire lines, sewer collection & lift station, & storm drainage systems

Architect/Engineer: R. B. Todd & Associates

A/E Address: 1370 Browning Rd., Ste. 130B, Columbia, SC 29210

A/E Telephone: (803) 798-8939

Plans on File At:

AGC: Columbia

Dodge: Columbia

Plans May Be Obtained From: R. B. Todd & Associates

Plan Deposit: \$150.00, non-refundable

Pre-Bid Conf./Site Visit: Thursday, 2/1/07 – 2:00 pm

Place: Near the intersection of Nazareth Road & Buck Corley Road. The site is the old Lexington County sand pit

Agency/Owner: Lexington County Recreation & Aging Commission (LCRAC)

Name & Title of Agency Coordinator: John J. Criscione, Executive Director

Address: 563 South Lake Dr., Lexington, SC 29072

Telephone: (803) 359-9961

Bid Due Date/Time: Thursday, 2/15/07 – 3:00 pm

Place: Lexington County Recreation & Aging Commission, 563 South Lake Dr., Lexington, SC 29072

PREQUALIFICATION SUBMITTALS REQUESTED FOR DOCK STREET THEATRE RENOVATION

Project: CP0247C1 – Dock Street Theatre Renovation

Location: 135 Church Street, Corner of Church & Queen Street, Charleston, SC

Purpose: Due to the historical significance of this building & the complexity of the renova-

tions, the City of Charleston is pre-qualifying contractors for this project. Only those contractors, subcontractors, & supervisory personnel demonstrating significant experience with historical structures & high quality construction will be allowed to bid on the project. Potential bidders shall also have considerable experience on confined urban sites with limited access & regimented construction schedules. In order to be considered, projects submitted by a contractor must be of similar historic nature, size, & scope to the Dock Street Theatre Renovation Project. At least one of these projects must have been completed in the City of Charleston, SC. The project will be released for bid in the spring of 2007.

Description: This project consists of the renovation of the City of Charleston's Dock Street Theatre. This historic building is a site for the Charleston Stage Company, Spoleto Festival USA, & MOJA Arts Festival performances, houses private & public theatre operation office & areas, & is an active tourist attraction in the historic French Quarter of the city. Specific elements of work include:

- Structural Upgrades
- Complete interior & exterior renovation
- Replacement of all mechanical, electrical, & plumbing systems
- Installation of life safety systems
- New passenger elevators
- Masonry repointing
- Selective replacement and/or repair to exterior masonry & stonework
- Repairs & selective replacement of historic windows & doors
- Interior & exterior painting
- Asbestos & lead abatement
- Replacement/refurbishment of theatre specific equipment & furnishings
- Repair/replacement of historic roofing systems

Architect: Evans & Schmidt Architects, 284 Meeting Street, Charleston, SC 29401, (843) 723-5495, Fax 843-723-5706, evans-schmidt@bellsouth.net

Budget: Construction costs for this project are expected to be over \$10,000,000.

Forms: You may obtain forms from, & submit them to, the City project manager. Submit forms in a sealed envelope with the firm's name clearly legible on the front, along with the project title "CP0247C1 Dock Street Theatre Renovations." Completed forms must be received by 2:00 pm, March 01, 2007, to be considered.

Carl Tarpley, Project Manager
 City of Charleston Department of Parks
 823 Meeting Street
 Charleston, SC 29403
 Phone: 843-965-4178
 Fax: 843-724-7300
 E-mail: tarpleyc@ci.charleston.sc.us

**SLUDGE DEWATERING
& HANDLING FACILITY
FOR CITY OF LANCASTER**

Sealed Bids Will Be Received by The City of Lancaster, at 216 S. Catawba St, Lancaster, SC 29721 until 2:00 pm, EST, on February 22, 2007, for the Sludge Dewatering & Handling Facility, at which time they will be publicly opened & read aloud.

The Work Will Consist Of one (1) 1,344 S.F. Sludge Dewatering Building, one (1) 3,000 S.F. covered storage pad, & all necessary appurtenances.

Each Proposal Shall Be Accompanied by a cash deposit or certified check drawn on some bank or trust company insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, of an amount equal to not less than 5 percent of the proposal, or in lieu thereof a bidder may offer a bid bond of 5 percent of the bid prepared on the form of bid bond contained within the contract documents or a surety company's standard bid bond form, duly executed by the bidder as principal, & executed by a surety company licensed under the laws of South Carolina to execute such bonds & listed in the latest issue of U. S. Treasury Circular 570, conditioned that the surety will upon demand forthwith make payment to the obligee upon said bond if the bidder fails to execute the contract in accordance with the bid bond. Said deposit shall be retained by the owner as liquidated damages in event of failure of the successful bidder to execute the contract within ten days after the award or to give satisfactory surety as required by law.

Plans & Specifications & Contract Documents may be examined at the following locations:

- W.K. Dickson & Co., Inc. 401 4th Street SW, Suite 201 Hickory, NC 28655
- AGC & F. W. Dodge in Charlotte, NC

Plans & Specifications & Contract Documents are available on request from the engineer at a cost (non-refundable) of \$150.00 Checks are to be made payable to W.K. Dickson & Co., Inc.

No Bid May Be Withdrawn after the scheduled closing time for the receipt of bids for a period of 90 days.

The Contractor Shall Comply with the Department of Labor Safety & Health Regulations for construction promulgated under the Occupational Safety & Health Act of 1970 (PL91-596) & under Section 107 of the Contract Work Hours & Safety Standards Act (PL91-54), or latest revisions.

All Qualification Packages, per Number 10 of the Instructions to Bidders, must be

submitted at least ten (10) days prior to the advertised bid date.

The Owner Reserves The Right to reject any or all bids & to waive informalities & technicalities.

**REPAIR / REPLACE
VARSITY LOCKERS
AT BATTERY CREEK HIGH SCHOOL**

INVITATION TO BID

Sealed bids to Repair / Replace the Varsity Lockers at Battery Creek High School will be received from qualified bidders by the owner, opened & read aloud at the office of the Beaufort County School District Purchasing Agent at the Beaufort County Board of Education Central Office, Beaufort, South Carolina on Thursday, February 8, 2007, at 2:00 pm.

Project Name: Repair / Replace Varsity Lockers at Battery Creek High School

Address: Battery Creek High School, 1 Blue Dolphin Drive, Beaufort, SC 29906

Owner: Beaufort County Board of Education, P.O. Drawer 309, Beaufort, South Carolina, 29901

Architect: Goforth, Brown & Associates, PO Box 5748, Florence, SC 29501, (843) 665-5868, Fax (843) 669-7596, Project Architect: Robbie Quick

Construction Manager: GMK Associates, Inc., Construction Services Division, 1201 Main Street, Suite 2100, Columbia, South Carolina 29201, (803) 256-0000, Fax: (803) 256-3618, Project Manager: Doug Shealy

Scope of Work: Repair / replace the varsity lockers at Battery Creek High School

Bidding documents are available by contracting the Construction Manager.

Bids will be binding for a period of sixty (60) calendar days from the date bids are opened. All bids are to be accompanied with a bid bond or certified check of not less than five percent (5%) of the base bid. All bids must comply with the laws of the state of South Carolina.

The owner reserves the right to reject any & all bids, & to award the contract in the best interest of the owner.

Beaufort County Board of Education
PO Drawer 309
Beaufort, South Carolina 29901-0309

EQUIPMENT

Description: FURNISH, DELIVER & INSTALL NEW FITNESS EQUIPMENT – TO INCLUDE SERVICE / MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT

Solicitation Number: 07-S7399

Delivery Point: Winthrop University, Lois Rhame West Health, Physical Education & Wellness Center, Rock Hill, SC 29733

Opening Date/Time: 2/1/07 – 11:00 am

Opening Location: 1201 Main St., Ste. 600, Columbia, SC 29201

Buyer: Cooper Marlowe

Bid Request: (803) 737-0643

For Electronic Copy of This Solicitation, See Web Site:

http://www.state.sc.us/cgi-bin/mmo/MMO_DocumentIndex?spo_solicitations Or Hard Copy Bid Request Via E-Mail: scbo@mmo.state.sc.us

Description: MODULAR WALL SYSTEM

Solicitation Number: 5836

Site Visit: Mandatory. Call for appointment

Delivery Point: Tillman Hall, Clemson University, Clemson, SC 29634

Bid Opening Date: 2/6/07

Bid Opening Location: Clemson University, Administrative Services Building, Silas N. Pearman Boulevard, Clemson, SC 29634

Direct Inquiries To: Rhoda Moore, (864) 656-1139 or E-mail her at

rhodam@clemson.edu

Web Site to Download Bid:

www.clemson.edu/procurement

Buyer: Kylene B. Holbrook, CPPB, (864) 656-2392 or E-mail

kgravle@clemson.edu

Description: OFFICE CUBICLE / WORKSPACE STATIONS FOR THE VOTER SERVICES DIVISION OF THE STATE ELECTION COMMISSION

Solicitation Number: 06-001

Site Visit: 1/25/07

Delivery Point: 2221 Devine St., Ste. 105, Columbia, SC 29205

Opening Date/Time: 2/5/07 – 10:00 am

Opening Location: 2221 Devine St., Ste. 105, Columbia, SC 29205

Direct Inquiries To: Donna Royson, Deputy Director

Buyer: SC State Election Commission

Telephone: (803) 734-9060

Description: STEAM STERILIZER

Solicitation Number: 4755-01/31/07-2503G

Delivery Point: Charleston, SC

Opening Date/Time: 1/31/07 – 3:00 pm, local time

Opening Location: Medical University of SC, Purchasing Dept., 19 Hagood Ave., Charleston, SC
Direct Inquiries to Buyer: Jerry Redmon, (843) 792-9815

RE-BID

Description: ONE FACTORY REFURBISHED COORDINATE MEASURING MACHINE, WITH PC-DMIS PRO SOFTWARE, TRAINING & INSTALLATION
Solicitation Number: SCC-159 (Re-Bid) – Visit web site for specific items & details
Delivery Point: Spartanburg Technical College
Opening Date/Time: 2/2/07 – 11:00 am
Opening Location: Spartanburg Technical College, Room 243, Ledbetter Building, Business I-85 & New Cut Road, Spartanburg, SC 29304
Direct Inquiries To: www.stcsc.edu/purchasing/solicit.asp
Buyer: Stephen Steese
Telephone: (864) 592-4670

Description: DIGITAL COPIER & MAINTENANCE
Solicitation Number: BT2007-4
Delivery Point: Lexington, SC
Opening Date/Time: 2/1/07 – 3:00 pm
Opening Location: Lexington School District One, Procurement Office, Conference Room, 100 Tarrar Springs Rd., Lexington, SC 29072
Bid Request: (803) 808-4766 or E-mail request to cadkins@lexington1.net & include company name, contact name, street address, city, state, zip, phone number, E-mail address, & solicitation name & number
Buyer: Tracy Lucas

Description: THE TOWN OF CHERAW IS SEEKING A QUALIFIED FIRM TO PROVIDE SIGN MATERIALS FOR A WAY FINDING SIGNAGE PROJECT
Details: The Town of Cheraw has received a grant from the SC Department of Commerce & one element of the grant involves installing directional signage at approximately 39 locations
Site Visit: Cheraw, SC
Opening Date/Time: Friday, 2/23/07 – 4:00 pm
Opening Location: Cheraw Town Hall, 200 Market St., Cheraw, SC 29520 (PO Box 219, Cheraw, SC 29520)
Contact: Phil Powell at (843) 537-8420 for a bid package

Buyer: Town of Cheraw
Telephone: (843) 537-8420

Description: P.A.R.D. PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT FOR NORTH SANTEE PARK
Details: The contractor must provide all materials & hardware necessary for the complete installation of this equipment by Georgetown County Facilities Services
Solicitation Number: 07-006
Delivery Point: Georgetown, SC
Opening Date/Time: Wednesday, 2/7/07 – 3:30 pm
Opening Location: Georgetown County Courthouse, Room 209, Small Conference Room, 129 Screven St., Georgetown, SC 29440
Direct Inquiries To: Kyle Prufer, Purchasing Officer, at E-mail kprufer@georgetowncountysc.org or fax (843) 545-3292. Inquiries must be in writing.
Buyer: Kyle Prufer, (843) 545-3082
Download Solicitation From: <http://www.georgetowncountysc.org> – select “administrative services,” “purchasing,” then “current bids”

Description: SLUDGE HANDLING EQUIPMENT – ONE ROTARY FAN PRESS OR PRE-APPROVED EQUAL & ONE CONVEYOR SYSTEM
Solicitation Number: WKD1
Delivery Point: Lancaster, SC
Opening Date/Time: 2/22/07 – 2:30 pm
Opening Location: City of Lancaster, 216 South Catawba St., Lancaster, SC 29721
Direct Inquiries to Engineer: Brian L. Tripp, PE, DEE
Telephone: (828) 327-6911
E-mail: btripp@wkdickson.com

RE-BID

Description: NEW TRACTOR & MOWER
Details: Chester County is seeking bids for a tractor for the Airport Commission. The type being sought is a New Holland Model TN85 or equivalent, with cab, heat & air, & two rear remote valves. The County is also seeking bids for a 15' rotary cutter. To request a bid package, please contact George Thomas, phone (803) 581-2829, fax (803) 581-3527 or E-mail gthomas@chestercounty.org
Solicitation Number: Chester County IFB 0607-11 Re-bid
Delivery Point: Chester, SC
Opening Date/Time: 2/1/07 – 2:00 pm

Opening Location: Chester County Courthouse, 140 Main St., Chester, SC 29706
Direct Inquiries To: George Thomas, (803) 581-2928
Buyer: Ken Davis
Telephone: (803) 581-6268

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY MANAGEMENT

Description: CITRIX PRESENTATION SERVER 4.0 ENTERPRISE
Solicitation Number: RFQ.07.32.DC.Q
Delivery Point: Charleston, SC
Opening Date/Time: 1/25/07 – 2:00 pm. Not a public bid opening
Opening Location: College of Charleston, Procurement Office, Room B53, 160 Calhoun St., Charleston, SC
Direct Inquiries to Buyer: Debra Cannon
Telephone: (843) 953-3041
Download Solicitation From: <http://www.cofc.edu/~procure/Solicitations.htm>

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

Description: E-ROI (ELECTRONIC RELEASE OF INFORMATION) SYSTEM FOR MEDICAL RECORDS AT THE MEDICAL UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL AUTHORITY
Solicitation Number: 458-BR
Delivery Point: Charleston, SC
Opening Date/Time: 2/9/07 – 4:00 pm
Opening Location: MUSC Hospital Authority, Charleston, SC
To Receive RFP Package: E-mail RedB@musc.edu - include your contact information, description & solicitation number
Buyer: Bert S. Red, CPPO, CPPB, Procurement Manager

Description: CENTRALIZED LIBRARY MANAGEMENT SYSTEM
Solicitation Number: PT2007-5
Deadline for Questions: 1/31/07 – 4:30 pm. Questions must be submitted in writing to Lexington School District One, Procurement Office, Attn.: Tracy Lucas, 100 Tarrar Springs Rd., Lexington, SC 29072
Delivery Point: Lexington School District One
Opening Date/Time: 2/8/07 – 3:00 pm
Opening Location: Lexington School District One, Procurement Office, Conference Room, 100 Tarrar Springs Rd., Lexington, SC 29072

Bid Request: (803) 808-4766 or E-mail request to cadkins@lexington1.net – & include company name, contact name, street address, city, state, zip, phone number, E-mail address & solicitation name & number

Buyer: Tracy Lucas

MAINTENANCE / REPAIR

GREAT GLEN DETENTION POND CLEANUP FOR GREENVILLE COUNTY

Invitation for Bids will be received until 3:00 pm, January 29, 2007, & will be opened in the office of the Greenville County Purchasing & Contracts Division, Greenville County Square, 301 University Ridge, Suite 100, Greenville, SC 29601-3660, for the following:

Greenville County is seeking bids from vendors for the Great Glen Detention Pond Cleanup Project for the Greenville County Public Works Department.

Bid notices may be obtained at the above stated address, Greenville County web site, www.greenvillecounty.org, or by calling (864) 467-7200.

MINOR CONSTRUCTION

Description: FURNISH ALL LABOR & MATERIALS TO REMOVE NINE EXISTING SLIDING DOORS & TRIM IN THREE COTTAGES AT BARUCH INSTITUTE & INSTALL NINE NEW SLIDING DOORS, SCREENS & TRIM AT SAME LOCATION

Solicitation Number: USC-RFQ-0962-CWP

Site Visit: Mandatory. 1/29/07 – 10:00 am to 11:30 am at the Belle W. Baruch Institute, Highway 17 North, Hobcaw Barony, Georgetown, SC 29440

Delivery Point: Georgetown County

Bid Opening Date/Time: 2/5/07 – 11:00 am

Bid Opening Location: USC Purchasing, 6th Floor, 1600 Hampton St., Columbia, SC 29208

Bid Request: The bid package is available through the USC Purchasing web site, <http://purchasing.sc.edu> or call the USC bid line at (803) 777-0255

Buyer: Charles W. Parker

Description: COVERED SHELTER – INCLUDING LABOR, MATERIALS, FLOOR, FOUNDATION, ETC.

Solicitation Number: 5837

Site Visit: Mandatory. 2/1/07 – 2:00 pm at W.W. Long Leadership Center, Aiken, SC. Call Bill Box at (864) 878-5985 for directions

Delivery Point: Aiken, SC

Opening Date/Time: 2/8/07 – 1:30 pm

Opening Location: Clemson University, Administrative Services Building, corner of Silas N. Pearman Boulevard & Old Stadium Road, Clemson, SC 29634

Direct Inquiries To: Rhoda Moore, (864) 656-1139 or E-mail her at rhodam@clemson.edu

Web Site to Download Bid: www.clemson.edu/procurement

Buyer: Ellen S. Gideon, (864) 656-4035 or E-mail egideon@clemson.edu

Project Name: TREE PRUNING – WHITE POINT GARDEN

Project Number: CP0245C1

Location: Charleston, SC

Bid Security Required: No

Performance Bond Required: No

Payment Bond Required: No

Description of Project: Prune trees at White Point Garden

Construction Cost Range: \$40,000 - \$50,000 approximately

Architect/Engineer: City of Charleston, Department of Parks

A/E Contact: John Ransom, Project Manager

A/E Address: 823 Meeting St., Charleston, SC 29403

A/E Telephone: (843) 579-7552

A/E Fax: (843) 724-7300

A/E E-mail: ransomj@ci.charleston.sc.us

Plans on File At: Department of Parks, 823 Meeting St., Charleston, SC 29403

Plans May Be Obtained From: City of Charleston, Department of Parks

Plan Deposit: None

Pre-Bid Conf./Site Visit: Mandatory. 1/24/07 – 2:00 pm

Place: White Point Garden, at Gazebo

Bid Due Date/Time: 2/1/07 – 2:00 pm

Place: Department of Parks

Bid Delivery Address: Department of Parks, 823 Meeting St., Charleston, SC 29403

DILL TRACT EARTHWORKS TREE REMOVAL

CP0210C2

The City of Charleston, Department of Parks, will be receiving bids for hazardous

tree removal on the Dill Tract Civil War Earthworks on James Island, SC. The project will consist of removing trees that may cause damage to the earthen berms while preserving the surrounding tree canopy. Extreme caution & care must be taken to preserve the earthworks, & all work will be done by hand.

References are required. The estimated construction cost is less than \$25,000. Bid documents will be available for review at:

- City of Charleston Department of Parks, 823 Meeting Street, Charleston, SC
- AGC Plan Room
- Dodge Room

A mandatory pre-bid conference will be held near the site in the parking lot behind Gold's Gym on January 23, at 2:00 pm. The address for Gold's Gym is 1291 Folly Road, James Island, SC 29412.

Sealed bids will be accepted until 2:00 pm on January 25th, at 823 Meeting Street.

Interested parties please contact Dustin Clemens, Project Manager, at 843-724-7322, or clemensd@ci.charleston.sc.us

RESURFACING OF RUNNING TRACK AT LADY'S ISLAND MIDDLE SCHOOL

Proposals to resurface the running track at Lady's Island Middle School, Beaufort County Schools, will be received from qualified bidders. Bids may be delivered, mailed or faxed to:

Mr. Wes Slice
GMK Associates, Inc.,
1201 Main Street, Suite 2100
Columbia, South Carolina 29201
Tel: (803) 256-0000
Fax: (803) 256-3618

Bids must be received by Thursday, February 1, 2007, at 2:00 pm.

Bidders are responsible for ensuring their bids are received prior to the deadline time & date above.

Project Name: Resurface Running Track at Lady's Island Middle School

Owner: Beaufort County Board of Education, PO Drawer 309, Beaufort, SC 29901

Scope of Work: Excavation of existing soil, compaction, base course placement & placement of new asphalt in place of existing gravel track

Bid Documents may be obtained from the office of the Construction Manager, GMK Associates by contacting Wes Slice at (803) 256-0000, or by faxing a request to (803) 256-3618.

The owner reserves the right to reject any & all bids, & to award the contract in the best interest of the owner.

Beaufort County Board of Education
PO Drawer 309
Beaufort, South Carolina 29901-0309

**LOCKER REPAIRS
AT LADY'S ISLAND MIDDLE SCHOOL**

Proposals to provide locker repairs at Lady's Island Middle School. Beaufort County Schools, will be received from qualified bidders. Bids may be delivered, mailed or faxed to:

Mr. Wes Slice
GMK Associates, Inc.,
1201 Main Street, Suite 2100
Columbia, South Carolina 29201
Tel: (803) 256-0000
Fax: (803) 256-3618

Bids must be received by: Thursday, February 1, 2007, at 2:00 pm.

Bidders are responsible for ensuring their bids are received prior to the deadline time & date above.

Project Name: Locker Repairs at Lady's Island Middle School

Owner: Beaufort County Board of Education, PO Drawer 309, Beaufort, SC 29901

Scope of Work: Repair of approximately 1,462 lockers located throughout Lady's Island Middle School

Bid Documents may be obtained from the office of the Construction Manager, GMK Associates by contacting Wes Slice at (803) 256-0000, or by faxing a request to (803) 256-3618.

The owner reserves the right to reject any & all bids, & to award the contract in the best interest of the owner.

Beaufort County Board of Education
PO Drawer 309
Beaufort, South Carolina 29901-0309

**REPLACEMENT
OF INSULATED GLASS UNITS
AT LADY'S ISLAND MIDDLE SCHOOL**

Proposals for the replacement of insulated glass units in exterior storefront & windows in various locations throughout Lady's Island Middle School, Beaufort County Schools will be received from qualified bidders. Bids may be delivered, mailed or faxed to:

Mr. Wes Slice
GMK Associates, Inc.,
1201 Main Street, Suite 2100
Columbia, South Carolina 29201

Tel: (803) 256-0000
Fax: (803) 256-3618

Bids must be received by: Thursday, February 1, 2007, at 2:00 pm.

Bidders are responsible for ensuring their bids are received prior to the deadline time & date above.

Project Name: Fogged Glass Replacement at Lady's Island Middle School

Owner: Beaufort County Board of Education, PO Drawer 309, Beaufort, SC 29901

Scope of Work: Replacement of insulated glass units in exterior storefront & windows located in various locations throughout the school

Bid Documents may be obtained from the office of the Construction Manager, GMK Associates by contacting Wes Slice at (803) 256-0000, or by faxing a request to (803) 256-3618.

The owner reserves the right to reject any & all bids, & to award the contract in the best interest of the owner.

Beaufort County Board of Education
PO Drawer 309
Beaufort, South Carolina 29901-0309

Opening Location: Clemson University, Administrative Services Building, corner of Silas N. Pearman Boulevard & Old Stadium Road, Clemson, SC 29634

Direct Inquiries To: Rhoda Moore, (864) 656-1139 or E-mail her at rhodam@clemson.edu

Web Site to Download Bid: www.clemson.edu/procurement

Buyer: Ellen S. Gideon, (864) 656-4035 or E-mail egideon@clemson.edu

**COPY SERVICES
FOR YORK COUNTY**

NOTICE OF PRE-PROPOSAL MEETING
RFP#1698

York County is seeking sealed proposals for copy services, a cost-per-copy. The Purchasing Department is soliciting the marketplace, through this RFP format, to contract with a qualified firm, who can provide copying services that are, at a minimum, comparable to the County's current program. Before proposals are received, for clarity, fairness, & a full understanding of the scope of work, the Director of Purchasing is requesting that interested proposers participate in a pre-proposal meeting. This meeting is schedule for 10:00 am, on Tuesday, January 30, 2007 in the Agricultural Building, Conference Room 108, 6 South Congress Street, York, SC 29745.

This RFP will be posted on the York County's Web Site, www.yorkcountygov.com. Please contact W. F. White, Director of Purchasing, bill.white@yorkcountygov.com or (803) 684-6850 with any questions pertaining to this RFP.

SERVICES

Description: PROVIDE A CHARTER AIRCRAFT TO ACCOMMODATE 170 PASSENGERS TO MADISON, WISCONSIN, FOR THE CITADEL'S FOOTBALL TEAM TRAVEL

Solicitation Number: M7028-RE-02/14/2007

Delivery Point: From Charleston, SC
Bid Opening Date/Time: 2/14/07 – 3:00 pm

Bid Opening Location: Procurement Dept., Central Supply Warehouse, the Citadel, 171 Moultrie St., Charleston, SC 29409

Direct Inquiries to Buyer: Richard Edmondson, (843) 953-5109

Download Solicitation From: <http://citadel.edu/proc/purchasing/solicitations.html>

Description: GRIND TREES & BRUSH INTO MULCH – LABOR ONLY

Solicitation Number: 5835
Site Visit: Mandatory. 1/30/07 – 10:00 am. Call James Arnold, (864) 650-1076, for directions

Delivery Point: Clemson, SC
Opening Date/Time: 2/7/07 – 3:30 pm, ET

SUPPLIES

Description: COFFEE CART SERVICE IN THE COLLEGE OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS BUILDING

Solicitation Number: G7-00050-02/02/07-2327-G

Delivery Point: Charleston, SC
Opening Date: 2/2/07

Opening Location: Medical University of SC, 19 Hagood Ave., Ste. 408, Charleston, SC

Direct Inquiries to Buyer: Robin McNeal
Telephone: (843) 792-6609

Description: PROVIDE ANTI-HEMOPHILIC BLOOD FACTOR PRODUCTS

Solicitation No.: IFB.HEMO.02/20/07-MAR
Delivery Point: South Carolina

Closing Date/Time: 2/20/07 – 2:30 pm
Closing Location: SC Department of Health & Environmental Control,

Business Management, 2600 Bull St., Columbia, SC 29201

Direct Inquiries To Web Site:

www.scdhec.net/procurement

Buyer: Michelle Robinson, CPPB, (803) 898-3469

HOLIDAY LIGHT BULBS & MINI-LIGHTS FOR CHARLESTON COUNTY PARK & RECREATION COMMISSION

Charleston County Park & Recreation Commission (PRC) is seeking proposals from qualified vendors to provide Holiday Light Bulbs & Mini-Lights for PRC's annual Holiday Festival of Lights. This event is listed as one of the nation's top ten holiday light shows & is one of the top 20 events in the southeast by the Southeastern Tourism Society.

To receive a copy of the Request for Proposal, contact Ms. Elaine Richter, Charleston County Park & Recreation Commission, 871 Riverland Drive, Charleston, SC 29412, (843) 795-9885. Proposals should be submitted no later than, Tuesday, February 6, 2007.

AUDITING SERVICES

HORRY-GEORGETOWN TECHNICAL COLLEGE

Description: Provide financial & compliance audits for Horry-Georgetown Technical College for a period of five years, starting July 1, 2007.

Solicitation Number: RFP 0007-06.

Pre-Bid Conference: 2/27/07 – 2:00 pm, Conway Campus, Building 100, Board Room 109.

Questions: All questions concerning bid package must be addressed in writing & received no later than 2/26/07 – 2:00 pm. Questions should be electronically submitted to sybelia.harley@hgtc.edu or mailed to Sybelia Harley, Procurement Manager, HGTC, PO Box 261966, Conway, SC 29528-6066, & clearly marked on the outside of the envelope – "Questions: RFP 0007-06."

Return Sealed Bids To: Horry-Georgetown Technical College, Procurement Office, Building 100, Room 123, Conway Campus, 2050 Hwy. 501E, Conway, SC 29526.

Bid Opening Date/Time: Tuesday, 3/20/07 – 2:00 pm. Any bid received after that date / time will not be accepted.

Opening Location: Conway Campus, Building 100, Board Room 109.

To Request Bid Packet: E-mail sybelia.harley@hgtc.edu or download solicitation from www.hgtc.edu/purchasing/rfq.htm.

Buyer: Sybelia Harley, (843) 349-5207

SPARTANBURG SCHOOL DISTRICT THREE

Spartanburg School District Three is requesting proposals from qualified professional firms to conduct a financial audit of the District in accordance to written specifications outlined in the Request for Proposal package. The engagement must be performed in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America & Government Auditing Standards issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Proposals shall remain firm for at least the period of ninety (90) calendar days.

Spartanburg School District Three reserves the right to accept or reject any & all proposals, to negotiate with all qualified firms, or to cancel in part or in its entirety this solicitation, if it is in the best interest of the District to do so.

Proposals will be accepted in the District Office until 4:00 pm, February 15, 2007.

Anyone interested should obtain an RFP package by contacting Kelly Richardson, Chief Financial Officer, at:
Spartanburg School District Three
PO Box 267
3535 Clifton Glendale Road
Glendale, SC 29346

(864) 279-6011

Packages may also be obtained by email to krichardson@spa3.k12.sc.us

G.L.E.A.M.N.S. – H.R.C.

GLEAMNS HRC, Greenwood, SC, seeks proposals for an OMB Circular A-133 audit.

Proposers Conference: 2/6/07.

RFP Due: 2/23/07 – 5:00 pm.

Contact: Charles Vaughn, (864) 223-8434 or E-mail cvaughn@gleamnsrhc.org.

Description: FINANCIAL AUDIT SERVICES FOR COLLEGE OF CHARLESTON

Solicitation Number: 07.31.CW.P.T5
Pre-Proposal Conf.: 1/25/07 – 10:00 am, EST, at College of Charleston, Lightsey Center Conference

Room, 160 Calhoun St., Charleston, SC

Delivery Point: College of Charleston, Controller's Office, 66 George St., Charleston, SC

Opening Date/Time: 2/12/07 – 2:00 pm, EST

Opening Location: College of Charleston Lightsey Center Conference Room, 160 Calhoun St., Charleston, SC

Direct Inquiries to Buyer: Cynthia M. Washington, (843) 953-5511

Download Solicitation From: <http://www.cofc.edu/~procure/Solicitations.htm>

CHARLESTON COUNTY PARK & RECREATION COMMISSION

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

Agency: Charleston County Parks & Recreation Commission, 861 Riverland Dr., Charleston, SC 29412.

Charleston County Park & Recreation Commission (PRC) is seeking proposals from qualified certified public accounting firms to audit its financial statements for the fiscal year ending on June 30, 2007, with options of auditing the Commission's financial statement for up to four additional years.

To receive a copy of the Request for Proposal, contact Jack Wilson, Charleston County Park & Recreation Commission, 861 Riverland Dr., Charleston, SC 29412, (843) 762-8063. Proposals should be submitted no later than February 20, 2007, at outlined in the proposal documents.

Tom O'Rourke
Executive Director
Charleston County
Park & Recreation Commission

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF FAIRFIELD COUNTY

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL # 255-2007

The School District of Fairfield County, Winnsboro, SC., is soliciting sealed competitive proposals from qualified professional firms for providing auditing services.

Sealed proposals for the above defined services will be received by the Director of Purchasing, C/O The Schools District of Fairfield County 1226 U.S. Highway 321 By Pass South Winnsboro 29180, until 11:00am, (local time) Friday, February 2, 2007.

Copies of the RFP may be obtained by e-mailing Eddie Nelson at ejnelson@fairfield.k12.sc.us. Requestors must include, the following information: Company name, address, fax, & telephone number. The deadline for requesting copies of the solicitation is January 26, 2007.

Envelopes containing the proposals must be sealed & must bear the following information on the lower left side of the envelop "Audit Services, RFP # 255-2007, 11:00 am, February 2, 2007."

Mail to Fairfield County School District Purchasing Department, PO Drawer 622, Winnsboro, SC.29180, Attention: Eddie Nelson, M.A., CPPB

Hand Deliver to Fairfield County School District Purchasing Department, 1226 U.S. Hwy 321 South Winnsboro, SC.29180 Attention: Eddie Nelson, M.A., CPPB

Proposals shall remain firm for at least the period of (60) calendar days. The School District of Fairfield County reserves the right to accept or reject any/all proposals, to negotiate with all qualified offerers, or to cancel in part, or in its entirety this solicitation & waive any informalities if it is in the best interest of the District.

Description: PROVIDE FINANCIAL AUDIT SERVICES

Solicitation Number: RFP-1920

Delivery Point: Florence, SC

Pre-Proposal Conf.: 1/17/07 – 2:00 pm

Opening Date/Time: 2/2/07 – 2:00 pm

Location: Francis Marion University, Room 102, Stokes Administration Building, Florence, SC

Direct Inquiries/ Bid Request to Buyer: Ron Flowers, (843) 661-1161 or rflowers@fmarion.edu

GREENVILLE HOUSING AUTHORITY

The Housing Authority of the City of Greenville, South Carolina (GHA) is seeking written proposals from responsible, independent public accountants / firms who have experience in auditing public housing agencies. The independent public accountant / firm will be expected to perform the annual audit of the books & records of the GHA in accordance with OMB – Circular A-133 & the Public & Indian Housing (PIH) Compliance Supplement issued May 29, 1996 (PIH 96-32).

Written proposals are due on or before 4:00 pm, local time, February 9, 2007. To request the invitation for Proposal contact Amanda Lingerfelt at (864) 467-4976 or make your request via facsimile to (864) 467-4228, Monday thru Friday, 9:00 am until 4:30 pm.

The GHA reserves the right to waive irregularities, to reject any or all proposals submitted, & to award the contract in the best interest of the Housing Authority.

EEO/AA

TOWN OF HILTON HEAD ISLAND & HILTON HEAD ISLAND RECREATION ASSOCIATION

RFP 2007-2

The Town of Hilton Head Island (Town) in conjunction with the Hilton Head Island Recreation Association, Inc. (Island Recreation) are soliciting sealed proposals from qualified vendors for financial auditing services for the fiscal periods ending June 30, 2007, 2008, & 2009. Sealed proposals are due by 1:00 pm, February 9, 2007. Sealed proposals should be hand carried or delivered by traceable means to the Town Receptionist at One Town Center Court, Hilton Head Island SC 29928. All proposals should be clearly marked "RFP 2007-2 Financial Audit Services."

The proposal evaluation process will be completed within sixty days of receipt of proposals, & the prospective provider of this service will be identified. The pricing data reflected in your proposal must be good through April 30, 2007.

All offerors may submit questions or requests for clarification in writing by no later than January 26, 2007. After that date, no more questions or requests will be accepted.

The Town & Island Recreation reserve the right to accept or reject any or all proposals received as a result of this request for proposals or to negotiate with all qualified offerors, or to cancel, in part or in its entirety, this request for proposals if it is in the Town & Island Recreation's best interest to do so.

This solicitation does not commit the Town or Island Recreation to award a contract or to pay for any costs incurred in the preparation of your proposal or to procure or contract for any goods or services.

Your proposal must be signed by an official of your company authorized to commit to & enter into a formal contract for goods & services.

The Town & Island Recreation do not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or disability in employment or in the provision of goods & services.

Description: PROVIDE AUDIT SERVICES FOR THE DARLINGTON COUNTY DISABILITIES & SPECIAL NEEDS BOARD & HARTSVILLE SPECIAL HOUSING, INC., COLLECTIVELY REFERRED TO AS D.C.D.S.N.B.

Return Sealed Bid To: Darlington County Disabilities & Special Needs Board, 201 North Damascus Church Rd., Hartsville, SC 29550

Questions: All questions concerning bid packet must be addressed in writing & received no later than 1/19/07 – 4:00 pm & addressed to Ruth Thomas, Executive Director, Audit Services, 201 North Damascus Church Rd., Hartsville, SC 29550

Bid Opening Date/Time: Friday, 2/2/07 – 2:30 pm. Any bids received after that date / time will not be accepted

To Receive Bid Packet: Call Paula Jordan at (843) 322-7252, Ext. 104, or E-mail pjordan@dcdsnb.org

FOR SALE

VEHICLES, OTHER SURPLUS

Public Auction Number: 704.

A public auction will be held at 10:00 am on Wednesday, January 24, 2007.

Property in lots, including vehicles, will be auctioned. Other lots may be added or withdrawn.

Location: SC Surplus Property, 1441 Boston Ave., West Columbia, SC 29170.

Contact: Customer Service, (803) 896-6880.

Inspection: Tuesday, January 23, 2007, from 8:30 am to 3:30 pm & Wednesday, January 24, 2007, from 8:30 am to 9:45 am.

SURPLUS AUCTION BY SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PICKENS COUNTY

10:00 am
Saturday, January, 20, 2007

Partial Listing of Equipment: Bobcat Trencher, Propane Hyster Fork Lift, Small Equipment Trailer, Aluminum Car Shed, Miller Welder, Bench Grinder, Rockwell/Delta Radial Arm Saw. Parts Washer, Craftsman Radial Arm Saw, Reel Mowers, Engine Stand, Educational Equip.: Stackable Chairs, Piano, File & Storage Cabinets, Student Lockers, Kidney Shape Activity Tables, Oak Teachers Desk, Student Desk, Oak Student Chairs, VCR's, Overhead Projectors, Cafeteria Items: Ice Machine, SS Dry Racks, Fat Fryer, Warming Cabinet,

Double Door Oven, Items of Interest: Trash Dumpster, Play Ground Equipment, Aluminum Cover for Pickup Truck, Score Board, Chain Link Fencing, Concrete Steps, Wooden Beach's, Stage Curtains, Floor Buffers & Scrubbers, Drafting Tables, Metal Shelving, & More!

Some items could be added or deleted should the need arise.

All items will sell to the last & final bid!

Sale Site
Operation Facility
415 Ann Street
Pickens, SC

Directions
From Easley, turn left at McDonalds onto East Main Street. Ann Street will be on the right. Sale on Left. Watch for signs.

Terms
Cash, Approved Check, MC or Visa
Payment Immediately Following Sale
All items sold "As is" "Where is"
Without Warranty expressed or implied
10% Buyer's Premium

Southeastern Auction Sales
Chris Easley SCAL #2702
(864) 578-5045

**FIRE TOWER SITE
IN BAMBERG COUNTY**

The State of South Carolina will accept sealed bids for the sale of a 10-acre parcel known as the Edisto Fire Tower Site located on Edisto River Road in Bamberg, SC, until 3:00 pm, February 13, 2007.

Interested parties may contact Bruce Taylor, Budget & Control Board, at (803) 737-0003, or download the Invitation to Bid from the State web site at www.gs.sc.gov/bids.

NOTICES

INTENT TO SOLE SOURCE

The South Carolina Department of Public Safety (SCDPS) is seeking qualified vendors to provide preventive maintenance services on its Mettler Toledo weigh-in-motion systems located at the I-26 East & West-bound weigh stations in Harleyville, SC.

One qualified vendor must be an authorized SC distributor for Mettler Toledo & have available certified scale technicians to perform the required quarterly maintenance functions to keep the equipment working within manufacturer's standards.

Qualified vendors should contact Steve Pullie at (803) 896-8040 prior to January 29, 2007.

**S.C.D.O.T. SEEKS
SUPPLIERS OF PRESTRESSED
CONCRETE BRIDGE SPANS**

The South Carolina Department of Transportation (SCDOT) is seeking qualified vendors who are interested in supplying prestressed concrete bridge spans of various sizes to be delivered to various SCDOT locations.

The manufacturing sites must be inspected & certified by the appropriate SCDOT personnel. An engineer from SCDOT must inspect & approve all products at the manufacturing site.

If you are qualified & are interested in supplying this product, please respond with a letter of interest to Mike Burk, Director of Procurement, PO Box 191, Columbia, SC 29202, (803) 737-1488, on or before 3:00 pm, January 26, 2007.

**FUNDS AVAILABLE
FOR WORKER TRAINING
IN MIDLANDS COUNTIES**

The Midlands Workforce Development Board is now accepting applications for Incumbent Worker Training Projects (IWT). IWT funds are being made available to business & industry to upgrade the skills of employed workers. IWT funds available are estimated to be \$30,000 for this solicitation.

To be eligible for these funds, applicants must meet the following criteria:

- (1) Be private for profit or private non-profit businesses;
- (2) Have been in operation in South Carolina for at least one year prior to the application date;
- (3) Be current on all tax obligations;
- (4) Have at least one full-time employee (excluding the business owner) & have no more than four hundred (400) full-time employees in Fairfield, Lexington & Richland counties;
- (5) Use IWT funds to train only employees who live or work in Richland, Lexington or Fairfield counties.

Funding priority is to businesses whose applications indicate one or more of the following: (1) A significant upgrade in employee skills & / or wage increases as a result of training; & / or (2) Reflect a significant layoff avoidance strategy & retention opportunities; & / or (3) Contribute cash or shared costs to the total project budget; & / or (4) Provide a portable credential to the individual upon successful completion of training; & / or (5) Use the Midlands' Work-Keys job profiling & assessment services; & / or (6) Use the staffing resources of, or otherwise partner with, the Midlands One Stop system.

Applications will be evaluated on the following criteria:

- Eligibility for Funds (see second paragraph above), 10 points;
- Priority (see third paragraph), 35 points;
- Budget (reasonableness of costs), 20 points;
- Proposed Performance (clear goals & objectives), 10 points;
- Training Provider Considerations (qualifications of trainer), 5 points;
- Other Considerations (minority-owned business, training for targeted groups, creating entry jobs, training in demand occupations, completeness of proposal), 20 points.

More detailed information on evaluation criteria is included in application packages.

We will be accepting applications through February 16, 2007. Applicants should plan training to begin no sooner than March 5, 2007, & all training must be completed by June 30, 2007. Applicants should plan IWT funded training to begin as soon as practicable after final approval of agreements.

One original & six copies of applications for these funds must be received in the Midlands Workforce Investment Area office at 100 Executive Center Dr., Ste. 218, Columbia, SC 29210, by 3:00 pm, ET, on February 16, 2007.

To request an application package, including guidelines, by E-mail or regular mail, you may contact us as follows:

Midlands Workforce Department Board, 100 Executive Center Dr., Ste. 218, Columbia, SC 29210, attention of
Chris White, cwhite@mwdb.org, phone (803) 744-1680, fax (803) 744-1671; or
Mike Caulder, mcaulder@mwdb.org, phone (803) 744-1670, Ext. 105, fax (803) 744-1671.

**VENDOR OPPORTUNITY:
SOUTH CAROLINA
TECHNICAL EDUCATION ASSOCIATION**

2007 ANNUAL CONFERENCE
FEBRUARY 22-23, 2007

Hilton Myrtle Beach Resort
Myrtle Beach, SC

Vendor Display: February 22-23, 2007 – 500-plus attendees.

Representatives from all 16 technical colleges in South Carolina, as well as the State System Office, will be in attendance. Make valuable contacts. Free advertisement on web site www.sctea.org for one year. \$400 to reserve one booth; other options also available.

Booth Reservation Deadline: 1/18/07.

To Reserve a Booth: Mail a check in the amount of \$400.00 made out to SCTEA. Include your name, company name, address & phone number to:

Elaine Hodges
SCTEA Vendor Relations Coordinator
Florence-Darlington Technical College
PO Box 100548
Florence, SC 29501
Phone (843) 661-8020
Fax (843) 676-8535
E-mail Elaine.Hodges@FDTC.edu

Visit our web site at www.sctea.org.

SCBO NOTES

Note 1: Resumes from persons or firms interested in providing professional services for the following project shall be received by the Agency Coordinator until the deadline & at the address indicated below. To be considered for selection, persons or firms must be properly licensed, at the time of resume submission, in accordance with the requirements of Chapter 3, Title 40 of the SC Code of Laws, as amended. Resumes shall include a current Federal Standard Form 254 & 255 & shall include the offeror's response to the Selection Criteria listed below.

In accordance with Section 11-35-3215 A business responding to this invitation shall submit a certification with its response stating whether the business is a resident of South Carolina.

The Agency Selection Committee shall evaluate each of the persons or firms interviewed in view of their (a) past performance; (b) the ability of professional personnel; (c) demonstrated ability to meet time & budget requirements; (d) location & knowledge of locality of the project; (e) recent, current & projected work load of the person or firm; (f) creativity & insight related to the project; (g) related experience on similar projects; (h) volume of work awarded by the using agency to the person or firm during the previous five years, with the objective of effectuating an equitable distribution of contracts by the State among qualified firms including Minority Business Enterprises certified by the South Carolina Office of Small & Minority Business Assistance & firms that have not had previous state work; & (i) any other special qualification required pursuant to the solicitation of the using agency, in accordance with the South Carolina Consolidated Procurement Code & Regulations.

In accordance with SC Law Section 11-35-3245, no member of the design team se-

lected for this project will be allowed to perform work as a contractor or subcontractor on this project.

Any actual bidder, offeror, contractor or subcontractor who is aggrieved in connection with the intended award or award of this Contract may protest to the State Engineer in accordance with Section 11-35-4210 of the SC Code of Laws at: CPO, Office of State Engineer, 1201 Main Street, Suite 600, Columbia, SC 29201, EMAIL: protest-ose@mmo.state.sc.us.

Note 2: The Bidding Documents for this Project shall be a part of this Invitation for Construction Bids, the same as if incorporated herein. Bid Security & Performance & Labor & Material Payment Bonds shall be as stated in the Bidding Documents. Failure of the bidder to include proper bid security inside the sealed bid envelope will cause the bid to be non-responsive & not subject to correction. Contractors & Subcontractors shall be licensed at the time of bidding in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 11, Title 40, & applicable regulations of the SC Code of Laws. All questions & correspondence concerning this Invitation shall be addressed to the A/E listed.

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Note 3: The Bidding Documents for this Project shall be a part of this Request for Construction Quotes, the same as if incorporated herein. Bid Security & Performance & Labor & Material Payment Bonds shall be as stated in the Bidding Documents. Contractors & Subcontractors shall be licensed at the time of bidding in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 11, Title 40, & applicable regulations of the SC Code of Laws. All questions & correspondence concerning this Request shall be addressed to the A/E listed.

Note 4: South Carolina Business Opportunities (SCBO) is the official state government publication for State of South Carolina solicitations authorized by the Office of General Services. Any information on State agency solicitations that is obtained from any other source is unofficial & any reliance placed on such information is at the bidder's sole risk & is without recourse under the South Carolina Consolidated Procurement Code. Prospective bidders or offerors are encouraged to contact the Materials Management Office for information on subscriptions to SCBO.

Note 5: SUBMITTING CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION: For every document Of-

feror submits in response to or with regard to this solicitation or request, Offeror must separately mark with the word "CONFIDENTIAL" every page, or portion thereof, that Offeror contends contains information that is exempt from public disclosure because it is either (a) a trade secret as defined in Section 30-4-40(a)(1), or (b) privileged & confidential, as that phrase is used in Section 11-35-410. For every document Offeror submits in response to or with regard to this solicitation or request, Offeror must separately mark with the words "TRADE SECRET" every page, or portion thereof, that Offeror contends contains a trade secret as that term is defined by Section 39-8-20 of the Trade Secrets Act. For every document Offeror submits in response to or with regard to this solicitation or request, Offeror must separately mark with the word "PROTECTED" every page, or portion thereof, that Offeror contends is protected by Section 11-35-1810. All markings must be conspicuous; use color, bold, underlining, or some other method in order to conspicuously distinguish the mark from the other text. Do not mark your entire response (bid, proposal, quote, etc.) as confidential, trade secret, or protected! If your response, or any part thereof, is improperly marked as confidential or trade secret or protected, the State may, in its sole discretion, determine it nonresponsive. If only portions of a page are subject to some protection, do not mark the entire page. By submitting a response to this solicitation or request, Offeror (1) agrees to the public disclosure of every page of every document regarding this solicitation or request that was submitted at any time prior to entering into a contract (including, but not limited to, documents contained in a response, documents submitted to clarify a response, & documents submitted during negotiations), unless the page is conspicuously marked "TRADE SECRET" or "CONFIDENTIAL" or "PROTECTED", (2) agrees that any information not marked, as required by these bidding instructions, as a "Trade Secret" is not a trade secret as defined by the Trade Secrets Act, & (3) agrees that, notwithstanding any claims or markings otherwise, any prices, commissions, discounts, or other financial figures used to determine the award, as well as the final contract amount, are subject to public disclosure. In determining whether to release documents, the State will detrimentally rely on Offeror's marking of documents, as required by these bidding instructions, as being either "Confidential" or "Trade Secret" or "PROTECTED". By submitting a response, Offeror agrees to defend, indemnify & hold harmless the State of South Carolina, its officers & employees, from every claim, demand, loss, expense, cost, damage or injury, including attorney's fees, arising out of or resulting from the State withholding information that Offeror marked as "confidential" or "trade secret" or "PROTECTED".

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 Effective January 16, 2007 Through January 22, 2007
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GASOLINE

Transport (7,500 Gallons or More)	PETROLEUM TRADERS	
	Zone 1	Zone 2
Unleaded Regular (87 Octane)	\$1.6855	\$1.7696
Unleaded Mid Grade (89 Octane)	\$1.7498	\$1.8246
Unleaded Premium (93 Octane)	\$1.8527	\$1.9217
Tankwagon (less than 7,500 Gallons)	UNITED ENERGY DIST.	
	Zone 1	Zone 2
Unleaded Regular (87 Octane)	\$1.7472	\$1.8263
Unleaded Mid Grade (89 Octane)	\$1.8115	\$1.8812
Unleaded Premium (93 Octane)	\$1.9145	\$1.9784

#2 FUEL OIL / DIESEL FUEL

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	Zone 1	Zone 2
	Low Sulfur	Low Sulfur
	\$1.8752	\$1.9318
Tankwagon (less than 7,500 Gallons)	UNITED ENERGY DIST.	
	Zone 1	Zone 2
	Low Sulfur	Low Sulfur
	\$1.9293	\$1.9814

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