## NOTICE OF ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS (Rev 8/2022)

DIVISION OF FACILITIES DEVELOPMENT

FOOD SERVICE TRAYLINE CONVEYOR REPLACEMENT
CENTRAL WISCONSIN CENTER
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES
MADISON, WISCONSIN

Division Project No. 22D3K

## BID SUBMISSION DUE by 1:00PM, BID OPENING at 2:00 PM: JANUARY 17, 2023

The Division of Facilities Development, hereinafter termed DFD, hereby announces that it is advertising for bids from certified contractors for the above project.

All potential bidders must become certified by DOA <u>prior</u> to submitting bids on state construction projects with budgets over \$50,000. All bids received from contractors who are not certified will be rejected. These changes take effect January 1, 2014. Contractor certification applications and instructions for completing the form may be obtained from the DOA Website. DFD Contractor Certification page:

https://doa.wi.gov/Pages/DoingBusiness/ContractorCertification.aspx or upon request from DFD--email dfdcertification@wisconsin.gov.

Sealed bids will be received as follows, before the time indicated above:

- PDF scanned file of all required bid documents, including bid and bid bond forms with original wet signatures or properly transmitted electronic signatures (only PDF files will be accepted) emailed to <a href="mailto:doadfdmbidsubmission@wisconsin.gov">doadfdmbidsubmission@wisconsin.gov</a> (this is the preferred method);
- US Mail or Third-party delivery (UPS, Fedex, or DHL) to State of Wisconsin, Administration Building, 7th Floor, 101 East Wilson Street, Madison, Wisconsin 53703; or
- Hand delivery to the drop box labeled SEALED BIDS ONLY in front of the State of Wisconsin Administration Building located at 101 East Wilson Street, Madison, Wisconsin 53703.

The bidder is responsible for the sealed bid being delivered to the indicated location or email before the time specified for the bid submission. Third party delivery is entirely at the bidder's risk.

Bid opening will be conducted via Microsoft Teams. Bidders may call the Microsoft Teams teleconference number: (608) 571-2209, conference ID: 484 588 360#, on the day of the bid to hear the bid results announced on the day bids are due. The conference line will be open at 1:45 P.M. CDT and all bids will be opened after 2:00 P.M. CDT. Bidders may also join the Microsoft Teams meeting via Microsoft Teams: Click here to join

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In general the work consists of: the demolition and replacement of the Central Wisconsin Center's Food Service Trayline Conveyor. The existing food service trayline conveyor is electrically operated. Measures overall at twenty-eight (28) feet in length. The length of the new conveyor depends on the selected manufacturer. It may be shorter in length. The replacement work entails the engineering, fabrication, electrical wiring, installation, commissioning, and personnel training of the new food service tray conveyor system.

The existing trayline conveyor shall be operational until the new equipment arrives on-site, is pre-assembled, new wiring is completed, and the replacement equipment is readied to move into installation.

A period of ten (10) days is provided for all pre-assembly, verification, and preparatory electrical wiring. The staging area is the adjacent Canteen.

The new system shall be installed and operational within a maximum period of 24 consecutive hours, from 6:00 p.m. on start day to 6:00 p.m. the next calendar day.

This is an Agency operational requirement.

Included in the installation period: decommission and removal of existing equipment; removal of outdated electrical wiring; final assembly of new equipment; activation of remaining electrical connections; commissioning of equipment; and immediate training of the operational personnel.

The 24-hour maximum time-window for Contractor demolition and removal of existing is immediately followed by the complete installation. Complete installation shall include commissioning and personnel training of the new

trayline conveyor system.

Electrical work specifics include but not limited to: the existing floor conduit poke-thru which extends from the basement ceiling to the kitchen floor level. There is a line box (LB) at the ceiling level downstairs, and a LB at the kitchen floor level upstairs. The conduit stub is a 1-1/2" ridged conduit (threaded). The new design shall dismantle the existing raceway between the panelboard and the abandoned buss plug downstairs. Continuous feed for the new conveyor from the existing panelboard. Intercept the existing raceway, suitably, to minimize cutover tie and reutilize the existing 1-1/2" conduit stub.

- Construction bidding documents (drawings, specifications and addenda) may be obtained only as downloadable electronic files (in PDF format) from the Division of Facilities Development website. Construction bidding documents may also be available at various Builders' Exchanges. Additional project bidding information, including plan holders lists are available on the Division of Facilities Development public website:
- https://doa.wi.gov/Pages/AboutDOA/FacilitiesDevelopment.aspx. After opening the web page, select Current Construction Project Bidding Opportunities at the bottom of the screen. Bidder shall identify the division of work they are bidding on when requesting Bidding Documents online. No deposit is required to obtain documents for bidding purposes.

Contract offer and construction phase records will be processed electronically on the WisBuild  $^{\text{TM}}$  DFD Information System.

The 2017-2019 Wisconsin State Budget (2017 Wisconsin Act 59) repealed Wisconsin's prevailing wage laws. Effective September 23, 2017, state prevailing wage requirements on state building projects no longer apply. These changes take effect for projects advertised for bid after September 23, 2017. This change does not affect the Federal Davis Bacon Act requirements.

- A formal pre-bid tour will not be conducted for this project; however, a site visit is encouraged.
- Please contact Seth K.Markgraf at his email <u>Seth.Markgraf@dhs.wisconsin.gov</u> with questions or to set up a time to visit the site according to Agency's scheduling availability.
- 28 Bidding Documents will be available online immediately upon the project being advertised for bid.