## LEGAL NOTICE

## MONMOUTH COUNTY VOCATIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

The School Business Administrator/Board Secretary of the Monmouth County Vocational School District Board of Education, in the State of New Jersey, by authority of said Board, solicits sealed bid proposals for:

Building 23 Addition and Alterations at Marine Academy of Science & Technology, Fort Hancock, Sandy Hook, NJ. (305 MAST Way, Highlands, NJ 07732)

Sealed Proposals in duplicate for the Monmouth County Vocational School District's: Building 23 Addition and Alterations at Marine Academy of Science & Technology, Fort Hancock, Sandy Hook, NJ. (305 MAST Way, Highlands, NJ 07732).

The original Bid Opening Date & Time of 1:00 PM on January 17, 2024 has been revised and extended. Sealed bids will now be received at the Business Office of the Monmouth County Vocational School District, Board of Education Office, 4000 Kozloski Road (in the Agriculture Building), Freehold, NJ 07728 up to 1:00 PM (prevailing time), on Wednesday January 24, 2024, then opened and read aloud. Such proposals to receive consideration by the Monmouth County Vocational School District, are to be submitted in strict compliance with the Public School Contract Law, NJSA 18A:18A-1, et.seq.

Bids, utilizing the bid forms as prepared by the Architect, may be submitted in person, by mail or delivery service prior to that time. Any bid submitted by mail or delivery service is done so at the sole risk of the bidder. No Bids will be received by facsimile or electronic transmission. It is expressly understood that the bidder is responsible for getting the bid proposals to the Business Administrator prior to the time and date set for the bid opening. Any bid received after the closing time will be returned unopened.

Arrangements to obtain bid documents may be made by emailing Kellenyi Johnson Wagner Architects, Attn: Andrea Kunyz at akunyz@kjw.com (732-741-5270). Bidders will receive a Onehub link to view and download the online bid documents.

Bid proposals for the above Contract will be received from Bidders registered with the Division of Revenue and Department of Labor. All Bidders proposing to Bid shall be classified in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-25 et seq. as to the character and amount of public work on which they shall be qualified to submit a Bid by the Department of Treasury, Division of Property Management and Construction (DPMC).

Bidder must hold #C006-Construction Manager as Constructor and #C024 Historic Restoration Trade Classification from NJ Treasury Dept, Division of Property Management and Construction to be eligible to submit a bid for this project. Bidder must list all named Subcontractors', Name and Address for the following scopes of work on the bid form: Plumbing & Gas Fitting and Kindred Work, Electrical Work, Heating & Ventilating Systems & Equipment, and Structural Steel & Ornamental Iron Work.

Site Visits are available but must be scheduled in advance with the Architect by calling Andrea Kunyz (732-741-5270).

The Monmouth County Vocational School District reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive immaterial formalities in any bid if deemed to be in the interest of the District. The District takes no responsibility for the punctual receipt of mailed bids. All bids mailed are done so at the risk of the bidder and must be clearly marked with the bid title.

Bids must be made on the proposal form provided, as designated, and submitted with a "Bid Bond" or "Certified Check" in the sum of not less than ten (10) percent of the amount of the proposal, not to exceed \$20,000.00. Bids may not be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days after the day of the bid opening.

Bidders are required to submit with their proposal, written consent of a Surety Bond, and agree to execute the required performance bond in accordance with the specification requirements. Each Bidder shall also be registered pursuant to the Public Works Contractor Registration Act, N.J.S.A. 34:11-56, 48 et. Seq. and shall provide a valid and current registration certificate with its Bid as to the bidder and all subcontractors.

Bidders are required to comply with the requirements of N.J.S.A. 10:5-31 et. seq.

Bidding shall be in conformance with the applicable requirements of N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-1 et seq., pertaining to the "Public School Contracts Law". Bids will be considered in accordance with N.J.S. A. 18A: 18A-1 et seq. and N.J.S.A. 18A:7G-1 et seq. The board of Education reserves the right to reject all bids, to waive any immaterial defects in any bid, or to award a contract in whole or in part, in accordance with the requirements of the Public-School Contracts Law at N.J. S.A. 18A:18A-1 et seq.

The Bidder's attention is directed to the fact that all applicable federal, state, and municipal laws, and ordinances, rules and regulations, including P.L. 1975, c.127 (N.J.A.C. 17:27) of all authorities having jurisdiction over construction work in the locality of the project shall apply to the contract throughout, and they will be deemed to be included in the contract the same as though herein written out in full, including, but not limited to, those laws identified in the INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS including the requirements of the Laws Against Discrimination, N.J.S.A. 10:2-1 et seq., the Affirmative Action Regulations, N.J.S.A. 10:5-31 et seq., N.J.A.C. 17:27 et seq., and compliance with the mandatory affirmative action regulations. Bidders and all major subcontractors are required to comply with the Public Works Contractor Registration Act, Chapter 238, Public Laws of 1999 (N.J.S.A. 34:11-56.48 et seq.) and to possess current certification for the Division of Wage and Hour Compliance in the Department of Labor and Workforce Development at the time the bid is submitted. Bidders are also required to submit a Business Registration Certificate issued by the Division of Revenue in the New Jersey Department of Treasury. All Bidders are required to submit an affidavit by the Bidder that the Bidder is not, at the time of the bid, included on the New Jersey State Treasurer's List or the Federal Government List of Debarred, Suspended, or Disqualified Firms or individuals pursuant to N.J.A.C. 17:19-4 and N.J.A.C. 19:38A-4. All Bidders are required to complete and submit a Disclosure of Investment Activities in Iran Form in accordance with N.J.S.A. 52:32-58 and N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-49.4. All Bidders must submit a Political Contribution Disclosure Form with their Bid Package. All Bidders must comply with N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-20 "American Goods and Products to be used where possible."

Authorized by Monmouth County Vocational School District Kelly A. Brazelton, Business Administrator/Board Secretary