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Notice of Public Meeting for Proposed Alternate Bids for Preferred Products

Sealed proposals will be received until 3:00 PM on July 9th in conference room 101, Administrative Services III Building 2701 Sullivan Drive, Raleigh, NC 27695 and immediately thereafter publicly opened and read for the furnishing of labor, material and equipment for the construction of:

North Carolina State University **Centennial Campus Substation Expansion** SCO# 12-10317-01A NC State# 201320005

Bids will be received for **single prime bid** contracts. All Proposals will be lump sum. **The following** General Contractors have been pre-qualified to bid this job:

- Aubrey Silvey Enterprises, Bremen, GA.
- Crowder Construction Company, Apex, NC.
- Freedom Industries, Inc, Goldsboro, NC.
- Power Secure, Inc., Wake Forest, NC.

Bid documents are available for examination in the plan rooms of Associated General Contractors, Reed Construction Data, McGraw Hill Construction Dodge, the offices of the Designer: Jacobs Engineering, 333 Fayetteville St Suite 1100, Raleigh NC, NC Institute of Minority Economic Development, Inc., 114 W. Parrish St., 5th Floor, Durham, NC; Hispanic Contractors Association of the Carolinas, Winston-Salem, Charlotte and Raleigh Areas – 877-227-1680; NC State Plan Room 2701 Sullivan Drive, Third Floor, Room 324 Raleigh, NC 27695.

Complete plans and specifications for this project can be obtained from Tom Davey (919-334-3114) at Jacobs Engineering, beginning on 6/15/15 for a deposit of 100.00. Full or partial sets of plans and specifications can be purchased at Document Imaging Systems, 231 E. Johnson Street, Units E, F, G, Cary, NC, 27513-4010. Partial sets shall be purchased at contractor's expense and will not be refunded. The State reserves the unqualified right to reject any and all proposals. The plan deposit will be refunded to all bidders and non-bidders, provided the plans are returned bound, in order, and in good condition no later than 10 days following the bid date.

North Carolina State University has an affirmative policy of fostering, promoting and conducting business with minority owned enterprises. Minority contractors are encouraged to participate in the bidding process.

The bidder must include completed minority business subcontractor documentation form(s) with their proposal or the bid may be considered non-responsive and invalid.

Pre-Bid Meeting

A public meeting and site visit will be held for all interested bidders on June 23rd at 3:00 in room 101 of Administrative Services III Building at 2701 Sullivan Drive, Raleigh, NC 27695. The meeting will address project specific questions.

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A second public meeting will be held on June 23rd at 3:00 PM in Room 101 of Administrative Services III Building at 2701 Sullivan Drive, Raleigh, NC 27695. The meeting is to identify preferred brand alternates and their performance standards pertinent to this project.

In accordance with GS133-3, Section 64. (C) and State Construction Office procedures the following preferred brand items are being considered as Alternates by the owner for this project:

- 1. Provide Protective Relays throughout as Schweitzer Engineering Laboratories, Inc (SEL) as indicated within Specification 16345.
- 2. Digital Feeder Meters (DFM), Model: Nexus 1272

A copy of pertinent sections of the performance standards may be obtained by contacting the designer at the address or phone number noted above.

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