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MDG Capital Corporation vs. Florida Housing Finance Corporation; Case No.: 09-5115RX; Rule Nos.: 67ER09-3, 67ER09-4; Dismissed

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Legacy Pointe, Inc. vs. Florida Housing Finance Corporation; Case No.: 09-5117RX; Rule Nos.: 67ER09-3, 67ER09-4; Dismissed

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American Council of Life Insurance vs. Department of Financial Services; Case No.: 09-4909RP; Rule No.: 69B-162.011; Dismissed

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

NOTICE TO DESIGN/BUILD TEAMS

The Florida State University, announces that Qualifications Based Design/Build Services will be required for the project listed below.

PROJECT NUMBER: FS-268

PROJECT NAME AND LOCATION: Free Electron Laser Buildings, Florida State University, Tallahassee, Florida

The project consists of the construction of two buildings totaling approximately 38,500 sf. One building will host the Free Electron Laser (FEL), including laboratory and offices. Additionally, a separate cryogenic plant will be constructed to support the FEL. The proposed site is located adjacent to the National High Magnetic Field Laboratory within the SW Campus of FSU at Innovation Park.

The Design/Build Services contract shall be in compliance with the qualifications based Design/Build selection provisions in Section 287.055, F.S. and BOG Regulation 14.007, including design and pre-construction fees, construction related service costs and a guaranteed maximum price. The University will contract with a single contract entity whose Design/Build Team shall provide all services including, but not necessarily limited to professional services, budgeting,

construction services, labor, materials, and equipment required to design and construct the project. Blanket professional design liability insurance will be required for this project in the amount of \$1,000,000 and will be provided as a part of Basic Services.

The proposed value of this project is approximately \$26,000,000.00. The respondent must be capable of bonding at 100% of the value of the contract with a surety licensed to do business in the State of Florida with a Best rating of A, Class IX. Project development including professional services is contingent upon availability of funds.

Location will be scored as follows: Florida firms will receive a score of "1", and out of state firms will receive a score of "0".

INSTRUCTIONS:

Teams desiring to apply for consideration shall submit a letter of interest, a completed "Design/Build Services Qualification Supplement" form (DBSQS), dated March 2009, with attachments, and additional information required as described in the DBSQS. Applications submitted in any other format will not be considered. The Design/Build Services Qualifications Supplement form dated March 2009, project information and selection criteria, may be obtained on line at www.fpc.fsu.edu. For further information, contact: Jim Reynolds, Project Manager, Facilities Design and Construction, 109 Mendenhall Maintenance Building A, Florida State University, Tallahassee, Florida 32306-4152, (850)644-2843.

Each applicant must be properly licensed and registered at the time of application to practice its profession in the State of Florida. If the applicant is a corporation, or a joint venture, it must be registered by the Department of State to do business in the State of Florida at the time of application. If the applicant is the contract entity and has a consultant to perform the design or construction services, the contract entity and consultant must have an agreement at the time of application to formally contract for consulting services. Firms applying as "Associations" without a registered joint venture agreement or a contract entity and consultant without an agreement will not be considered.

Selection of finalists for interview will be made on the basis of qualifications of the proposed design/build team, including team qualifications, team related experience, and ability to provide service in meeting the project requirements. Florida State University strongly encourages the use of certified Minority and Women-owned Business Enterprises ("MBEs") in the provision of design and construction-related services by providing a fair and equal opportunity to compete for, or for participation in, design and/or construction related services.

Applications that do not comply with the above instructions may be disqualified. Submittals are part of the public record and no submittal material will be returned. The plans and specifications for The Florida State University projects are subject to reuse in accordance with the provisions of Section 287.055, F.S. As required by Section 287.133, F.S., a

consultant may not submit a proposal for this project if it is on the convicted vendor list for a public entity crime committed within the past 36 months. The selected consultant must warrant that it will neither utilize the services of, nor contract with, any supplier, subcontractor, or consultant in excess of \$50,000.00 in connection with this project for a period of 36 months from the date of their being placed on the convicted vendor list.

Five (5) bound copies of the required proposal data shall be submitted. Submittals must be received in the: FSU Facilities Design and Construction Office, 109 Mendenhall Maintenance Building A, Florida State University, Tallahassee, Florida 32306-4152, by 2:00 p.m. (Local Time), Tuesday, December 1, 2009. Facsimile (FAX) or electronic submittals will not be considered.

The University reserves the right to suspend or discontinue the selection process at any time and to return or reject any or all submissions of Design/Build proposals without obligation to the respondent. The award of this contract is subject to availability of funds. If additional funding is realized, the University has the option to incorporate additional scope/funding under this contract.

CLARIFICATION – CALL FOR QUALIFICATIONS

The University of West Florida Board of Trustees is soliciting sealed Qualifications submittals for Construction Manager at Risk services for the construction of a Maritime Museum in Pensacola, FL.

Any and all firms interested in submitting a response to this solicitation are required to attend a mandatory pre-submittal conference. The mandatory meeting is scheduled for November 3, 2009, 2:00 p.m. (Central Time), Bldg. 92, Room 110, The University of West Florida, 11000 University Parkway, Pensacola, FL. Submittals will be rejected from any firm not directly represented at the mandatory meeting by an employee or agent of the firm.

Sealed submittals will be received until 2:00 p.m. (Central Time), November 24, 2009, at the Department of Procurement and Contracts, Bldg. 90, Room 133, University of West Florida, 11000 University Parkway, Pensacola, FL 32514.

All potential respondents are hereby advised that the obligations of the University of West Florida to proceed with this project are subject to the availability of funds lawfully obtained through donations, State matches, Tax Exempt programs and other contract or grant programs. Some of the funding sources may not be in place at the time of the release of this solicitation.

View this solicitation and related information on UWF's Procurement and Contracts' website at: <http://uwf.edu/procurement>.

All inquiries should be submitted to: Elaine Smith at etsmith@uwf.edu.

NOTICE TO CONSTRUCTION MANAGERS

Florida Gulf Coast University Board of Trustees, announces that Construction Management Services will be required for the project listed below:

Project No. BR-1066

Project and Location: Academic Building 8
Florida Gulf Coast University
Ft. Myers, Florida

This new FGCU academic building will be utilized by the College of Health Professions, and will fulfill a campus need for additional classrooms and laboratories serving a variety of nursing, physical therapy, occupational therapy and rehabilitation programs.

The AB8 facility will be the third FGCU classroom building which will be a LEED (Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design) Building. The architect has been directed to design the building for a LEED Silver certification. The AB8 Building will be 4 stories in height and total approximately 60,000 gross square feet.

The site of AB8 will be located west of the existing Academic Building 5 and east of the Lutgert Building. The major areas of the building will include a reception/lobby area, various laboratories for the CHP programs noted above, traditional classrooms, a large lecture room, and offices for the CHP Dean, faculty and staff.

The site has been conceptually permitted with both the Corps of Engineers and South Florida Water Management District. This project will have to modify an existing construction and operation permit issued by the South Florida Water Management District.

The total project budget is \$20,000,000 and construction budget is approximately \$17,000,000. The project will be contracted through the construction management method. Due to budget restraints, there may be a delay between preconstruction services required of the CM during the design process and the actual start of construction.

Selection will be made on the basis of construction manager's qualifications, including experience and ability; past experience; bonding capacity; record-keeping/administrative ability, critical path scheduling expertise; cost estimating; cost control ability; quality control capability and qualification of the firm's personnel, staff and consultants.

The Selection Committee may reject all proposals and stop the selection process at any time. The construction manager shall have no ownership, entrepreneurial or financial affiliation with the selected architect/engineer involved with this project.

Firms desiring to provide construction management services for the project shall submit a letter of application and a completed Board of Regents "Construction Manager

Qualifications Supplement". Proposals must not exceed 80 pages, including the Construction Manager Qualifications Supplement and letter of application. Pages should be numbered consecutively. Submittals, which do not comply with these requirements or do not include the requested data, will not be considered. No submittal information will be returned.

All applicants must be licensed to practice as general contractors in the State of Florida at the time of application. Corporations must be registered to operate in the State of Florida by the Department of State, Division of Corporations, at the time of application. As required by Section 287.133, F.S., a construction management firm may not submit a proposal for this project if it is on the convicted vendor list for a public entity crime committed within the past 36 months. The selected construction management firm must warrant that it will neither utilize the services of, nor contract with, any supplier, subcontractor, or consultant in excess of \$15,000.00 in connection with this project for a period of 36 months from the date of their being placed on the convicted vendor list.

The Board of Regents Construction Manager Qualifications Supplement forms and the Project Fact Sheet may be obtained by contacting: Mr. Barrett Genson, Director of Facilities Planning, Florida Gulf Coast University, 10501 FGCU Blvd., South, Ft. Myers, Florida 33965-6565, (239)590-1503, Fax: (239)590-1505.

Five (5) bound copies of the required proposal data shall be submitted to: Mr. Barrett Genson, Director of Facilities Planning, Florida Gulf Coast University, 10501 FGCU Blvd., South, Fort Myers, Florida 33965-6565.

Submittals must be received in the Facilities Planning Office by 2:00 p.m. local time on Wednesday, December 2, 2009. Facsimile (FAX) submittals are not acceptable and will not be considered.

New College of Florida, announces that professional engineering services are required for the project listed below.

PROJECT NUMBER: NCF-06

PROJECT NAME: SEAWALL REPLACEMENT
New College of Florida
Sarasota, Florida

SERVICES TO BE PROVIDED: Architectural/Engineering Services

ESTIMATED CONSTRUCTION BUDGET: \$2,000,000

RESPONSE DUE DATE: By 4:00 p.m. (Local Time), December 2, 2009

Proposals are to be sent to: Mr. Jack Whelan, Project Manager, Facilities Planning and Construction, New College of Florida, 5800 Bay Shore Road., PHS 104, Sarasota, FL 34243-2109, (941)487-4694.

INSTRUCTIONS: Submit ten (10) bound copies and one (1) PDF copy on a compact disk of the following:

1. Letter of interest.
2. The most recent version of the New College of Florida "Professional Qualifications Supplement" completed by the applicant. Applications on any other form will not be considered.
3. A copy of the applicant's current Florida Professional License renewal. (Proper registration at the time of application is required.)
4. (CORPORATIONS ONLY) Current Corporate Certification providing evidence of validation date and the designation of professional or professionals qualifying the corporation to practice Architecture and/or Engineering.
5. Completed Standard Form 330.
6. Applicants are urged to limit their submittal content to fifty (50) pages, excluding front and back covers and all section dividers. However, this is not a mandatory requirement.

The New College PQS instructions and form, and project fact sheet may be obtained by contacting: Mr. Jack Whelan, Project Manager, Facilities Planning and Construction, 5800 Bay Shore Road., PHS 104, Sarasota, FL 34243-2109, (941)487-4694, email: jwhelan@ncf.edu or they may be downloaded from New College's web site at: www.ncf.edu/facilities/.

All proposal information submitted becomes the property of New College of Florida, will be placed on file, and not returned. Applications that do not comply with the instructions set forth above and/or do not include the qualification data required will be considered improper and disqualified. Proposals submitted by qualified firms shall be evaluated in accordance with regulations of the Florida Board of Governors. **SHORTLIST SELECTION PROCESS:** From the proposals received, the College shall shortlist a minimum of three (3) firms. Evaluation criteria are explained in the Project Fact Sheet.

At the time of application, the applicant must hold a current design Professional Registration Certificate(s) from the appropriate governing board; must be properly registered to practice its profession in the State of Florida; and, if the applicant is a corporation, must be chartered by the Florida Department of State to operate in Florida. As required by Section 287.133, Florida Statutes, an applicant may not submit a proposal for this project if it is on the convicted vendor list for a public entity crime committed within the past 36 months. The selected professional must warrant that it will neither utilize the services of, nor contract with, any supplier, subcontractor or consultant in excess of \$15,000.00 in connection with this project for a period of 36 months from the date of their being placed on the convicted vendor list.

The selected firm or firms will be required to be registered with MyFloridaMarketPlace before a contract can be executed. However they will be exempt from the one percent fee.

PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT OF PROFESSIONAL SERVICES FOR ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH & SAFETY SELECTION RESULTS

The Florida School for the Deaf and the Blind announces its intention to negotiate, in accordance with the Consultants Competitive Negotiation Act, for the following:

PROJECT NAME: Continuing Contract for EH&S Services

1. Geosyntec Consultants
 2. Mactec Engineering & Consulting, Inc.
 3. Lan Associates, Inc.
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BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE INTERNAL IMPROVEMENT TRUST FUND

Notices for the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund between December 28, 2001 and June 30, 2006, go to <http://www.dep.state.fl.us/> under the link or button titled "Official Notices."

WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

R. O. Ranch Bath House RFB 08/09-010LM

The Suwannee River Water Management District is requesting bids to construct a Bathhouse. The bathhouse will be constructed at the District's R.O. Ranch Equestrian Park in Lafayette County, approximately 12 miles south of Mayo, Florida. The bathhouse will contain approximately 1,431 square feet of air-conditioned space and 610 square feet of covered porch. District will evaluate all submittals on the basis of quoted price, compliance with specifications, and quality of reference. Bidders are required to complete and submit Section II, Bid Documents". One original and five (5) copies of the Bid Documents shall be sent in one sealed envelope to: Pennie Flickinger, Business Resource Specialist II, Suwannee River Water Management District, 9225 County Road 49, Live Oak, Florida 32060. The above sealed envelope shall have the following clearly marked in large, bold and/or colored lettering: ITB No. 08/09-010LM, R. O. Ranch Bath House, Bid Opening November 12, 2009, 4:00 p.m. Bids received after this time for any reason, will be rejected. Bids must be hard copy. Fax transmittals will not be accepted. Additional bid packages may be obtained by logging on to: www.mysuwanneeriver.com or contacting: Pennie Flickinger, Business Resource Specialist II at (386)362-1001 or email: pff@srwmd.org.

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Notices for the Department of Environmental Protection between December 28, 2001 and June 30, 2006, go to <http://www.dep.state.fl.us/> under the link or button titled "Official Notices."

NOTICE OF INVITATION TO BID

BID NO. BDC 29-09/10

The Department of Environmental Protection, Division of Recreation and Parks, Bureau of Design and Construction is soliciting formal competitive bids from certified or registered contractors licensed to work in the jurisdiction for the project listed below:

PROJECT NAME: Sebastian Inlet State Park-New Concession Building

SCOPE OF WORK: The Contractor shall furnish all labor, material, equipment and supervision to construct a new two story concession building. The work will also include all associated demolition, site work and utilities.

Pursuant to Executive Order 07-126 and Section 255.252(3), F.S. the Department requires the proposed project be designed and constructed in accordance with green building standards where applicable.

PROJECT BUDGET: \$1,100,000.00

PARK LOCATION: Sebastian Inlet, 9700 South A1A, Melbourne Beach, Florida in Brevard County

PROJECT MANAGER: Hubert Baxter, Architect, Bureau of Design and Construction, Alfred B. Maclay Gardens State Park, 3540 Thomasville Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32309, (850)488-5372, Fax: (850)488-3537.

MINORITY BUSINESS REQUIREMENT: The Department of Environmental Protection supports diversity in its Procurement Program and requests that all sub-contracting opportunities afforded by this bid embrace diversity enthusiastically. The award of sub-contracts should reflect the full diversity of the citizens of the State of Florida. The Department will be glad to furnish a list of Minority Owned Firms that could be offered sub-contracting opportunities.

PREQUALIFICATION: When the total Bid including Alternates exceeds \$200,000, each Bidder whose field is governed by Chapter 399, 455, 489 or 633, Florida Statutes, for licensure or certification, must submit the following prequalification data of their eligibility to submit bids 240 hours (10 days) PRIOR TO the Bid Opening date, unless the Bidder has been previously qualified by the Department of Environmental Protection for the current biennium (July 1 – June 30) of odd numbered years in accordance with subsection 60D-5.004(2), F.A.C., as evidenced by a letter from DEP to the Bidder, which letter shall be presented to DEP upon request. If the Department requires clarification or additional information,

Bidder shall submit such information by 120 hours (5 days) prior to Bid Opening. Material submitted after those deadlines shall disqualify the Bidder.

INSTRUCTIONS: Any firm desiring a Project Manual for this project may obtain a copy by writing to the address or calling the telephone number below. A Compact Disk (CD) containing the plans and specifications will be available on October 30, 2009, at: Sebastian Inlet State Park, 9700 South A1A, Melbourne Beach, Florida 32951, Attention: Terence Coulliette, Park Manager at (321)984-4852, Fax: (321)984-4854.

ADA REQUIREMENTS: Any person with a qualified disability shall not be denied equal access and effective communication regarding any bid/proposal documents or the attendance at any related meeting or bid/proposal opening. If accommodations are needed because of disability, please contact: Michael Renard, Bureau of Design and Construction, (850)488-5372 at least five (5) workdays prior to openings. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the Florida Relay Services by calling 1(800)955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800)955-8770 (Voice).

BID SUBMITTAL DUE DATE: No later than 2:00 p.m. (ET), Tuesday, December 1, 2009, to the below address: Florida Department of Environmental Protection, Bureau of Design and Construction, 3540 Thomasville Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32309, Attention: Michael Renard, Construction Projects Administrator, Bureau of Design and Construction at (850)488-5372. The Department reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

BID POSTING DATE: No later than 2:00 p.m. (ET), Tuesday, December 8, 2009, unless extended by the Department for good cause.

NOTICE OF RIGHTS: Notice of Intent to Protest the Bid Specifications must be filed with (received by) the Agency Clerk, Lea Crandall, Department of Environmental Protection, Office of General Counsel, MS #35, 3900 Commonwealth Blvd., Tallahassee FL 32399-3000, (850)245-2242, Fax: (850)245-2303, Lea.Crandall@dep.state.fl.us during the 72-hour period after Bid Specifications are posted on the Vendor Bid System. Failure to file a Notice of Intent to Protest or a formal, written Protest in accordance with Chapter 28-110, F.A.C., within ten days after the 72-hour period ends, as prescribed in Section 120.57(3), Florida Statutes, shall constitute a waiver of your right to an administrative hearing on the Bid Specifications under Chapter 120, Florida Statutes. Rules for bid protests can be found in Sections 120.569 and 120.57, F.S., and Chapter 28-110, Florida Administrative Code. A bid protester shall comply with these statutes and rules.

DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES

**NOTICE TO MECHANICAL CONTRACTORS
INVITATION TO BID**

Proposals are requested from qualified mechanical contractors by the Department of Children and Family Services, hereinafter referred to as Owner, for the construction of:

PROJECT NUMBER: DCF 09265100
PROJECT: REPLACEMENT OF EXIT LIGHTS,
 REPLACEMENT OF FIRE ALARM SYSTEM AND RETROFIT OF HVAC EQUIPMENT
 WEST FLORIDA COMMUNITY CARE CENTER
 MILTON, FLORIDA

PREQUALIFICATION: The Owner accepts bids from those contractors who demonstrate current licensed status with the Department of Business and Professional Regulations. The Instructions to Bidders "Bidder Qualification Requirements and Procedures" are included in the specifications under Article B-2.

PERFORMANCE BOND AND LABOR AND MATERIAL BOND: A performance bond and labor and material payment bond is required.

DATE AND TIME: Sealed bids will be received at the architect's office on November 24, 2009 until 2:00 p.m. (Local Time) (CST), at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

MANDATORY PRE-BID INSPECTION: We will conduct a mandatory prebid inspection with the architect at the project site on Tuesday, November 17, 2009, 1:00 p.m. (CST), for all interested contractors.

PROPOSAL: Bids must be submitted in full accordance with the requirements of the drawings, specifications, bidding conditions and contractual conditions, and with a copy of the contractor's license. The contract documents may be examined and obtained from the Architect/Engineer:

STOA ARCHITECTS
 121 E. GOVERNMENT STREET
 PENSACOLA, FL 32502
 TELEPHONE: (850)432-1912

CONTRACT AWARD: The bid tabulation and Notice of Award Recommendation will be posted by 5:00 p.m. (Local Time), November 25, 2009, at the architect's office. In the event that the bid tabulation and Notice of Award Recommendation cannot be posted in this manner, then all bidders will be notified by Certified United States mail, Return Receipt requested. Any protests of the bid must be made within 72 hours of posting of the results. "Failure to file a protest within the time prescribed in Section 120.53(5), Florida Statutes, shall constitute a waiver of proceedings under Chapter 120, Florida Statutes." "If no protest is filed per Section

B-21 of the Instructions to Bidders, "Notice and Protest Procedures", the contract will be awarded to the qualified, responsive low bidder by the Owner.

FLORIDA HOUSING FINANCE CORPORATION

The Florida Housing Finance Corporation invites all qualified Public Housing Authorities to submit proposals for consideration in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in this Request for Proposals (RFP) 2009-07. During the 2009 Legislative Session, Florida lawmakers appropriated \$1,000,000 to be allocated to Public Housing Authorities (PHAs) to serve as a match to the funds that they received through the American Reinvestment and Recovery Act. This funding, to be administered by Florida Housing, is to be used to address the rehabilitation needs of the aging public housing stock.

Proposals shall be accepted until 2:00 p.m. (Eastern Time), Wednesday, December 2, 2009, to the Attention: Sherry Green, Contracts Administrator, Florida Housing Finance Corporation, 227 North Bronough Street, Suite 5000, Tallahassee, Florida 32301-1329.

For questions or additional information, please contact: Sherry Green at (850)488-4197 or sherry.green@floridahousing.org. To obtain a copy of the Request for Proposals, which outlines selection criteria and applicant's responsibilities, please submit your request to the attention of Sherry Green, or you can download the Request for Proposals from the Florida Housing Finance Corporation web site at: http://apps.floridahousing.org/StandAlone/FHFC_ECM/AppPage_LegalRFPs.aspx. The proposal will be published on Monday, November 2, 2009.

Any modifications that occur to the Request for Proposals will be posted at the web site and may result in an extension of the deadline.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AFFAIRS

REQUESTING QUALIFICATIONS FOR DESIGN FOR PN 120188, CONVOY LIVE FIRE/ENTRY CONTROL, PN 120192, LIVE FIRE SHOOT HOUSE & PN 120213, MULTI-PURPOSE MACHINE GUN RANGE

The State of Florida, Department of Military Affairs (DMA), Construction & Facility Management Office (CFMO) requests qualifications from State of Florida registered licensed Architect/Engineer (A/E) for Design Services for Project Number 120188, New Convoy Live Fire/Entry Control, Project Number 120192, New Live Fire Shoot House, and Project Number 120213, New Multi-Purpose Machine Gun Range located at Camp Blanding Joint Training Center, Starke, Florida.

FOR COMPLETE INFORMATION AND SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS YOU MUST GO TO THE MYFLORIDA.COM VENDOR BID SYSTEM AT http://vbs.dms.state.fl.us/vbs/main_menu.

The Scope of Work for these projects may be obtained from the MyFlorida Vendor Bid System site at http://vbs.dms.state.fl.us/vbs/main_menu.

The Department reserves the right to reject any and all submissions or accept minor irregularities in the best interest of the DMA. The State of Florida's performance and obligation to pay under any contract is contingent upon availability of funding and an annual appropriation by the Legislature.

SERVICES TO BE PROVIDED: The CFMO will contract with a single entity who shall provide all services per National Guard Regulation (NGR) 415-5 Architect/Engineer Services Title I – Type A and B and Title II – Type C, including but not necessarily limited to site investigation, topographical and utility survey, soils report, user design conferences to finalize the design, determine and prioritize project components/additive bid items, programming, schematic and preliminary designs, preconstruction, constructability reviews, complete design and engineering, life cycle cost analysis, construction documents (plans & specifications), detailed line-item construction cost estimates, Florida Department of Environmental Protection (FDEP) wastewater permit, FDEP water main extension permit, St. Johns River Water Management District (SJRWMD) general storm water permit, and construction administration required to provide a complete facility. The A/E will also need to provide technical assistance and signed/sealed documents to aid the General Contractor to secure the required building permits and the Florida State Fire Marshal plan review stamped set.

SELECTION INFORMATION: Selection of applicants for consideration will be made on the basis of Design successful relative experience of the Architect-Engineer firm and their ability to perform based on, but not limited to the information submitted on DBC Form 5112 for licensed and/or professional personnel; professional services qualifications, financial capability, recent, current, and projected workloads of the Design team members, and location of their office in relation to the project site. A minimum requirement of two successfully completed projects within the previous three years of similar size, scope, and complexity shall apply. The qualifications packages will be reviewed and three semi-finalists will be interviewed to determine the best qualified Design team for this project. The three semi-finalists may be required to participate in formal presentations or telephone interviews. The selection committee may reject all submissions and stop the selection process at any time. Additional building requirements and information will be provided to short-listed firms at the Mandatory Site Visit. Order of Negotiations for the selected shortlisted firms will be made on the basis of past performance references, knowledge of site and local conditions, proposed project staff, ability to meet budget, ability to meet project schedule, understanding program and requirements, and approach and methodology.

CONTRACT AWARD: The short list for interviews and the final order of negotiations will be posted on the MyFlorida.com website http://vbs.dms.state.fl.us/vbs/main_menu. Failure to file a protest within the time prescribed in Section 120.57(3), Florida Statutes, shall constitute a waiver of proceedings under Chapter 120, Florida Statutes. If no protest is filed, a contract will be negotiated with the firm which the Department considers the most qualified for the intended project. If an agreement, for compensation which the Department determines is fair, competitive, and reasonable, cannot be reached and the Department is unable to negotiate a satisfactory contract, negotiations will be formally ceased and negotiations shall be undertaken with the firm the Department has determined is the second most qualified after Departmental review of the submissions.

One original and four copies of each submission documents are required. Form must be electronically obtained in Microsoft Word software format (file extension “.doc”-document format) from CFMO-Contracting Branch, telephone: (904)823-0252 or (904)823-0255 or e-mail: cfmocontracting@fl.ngb.army.mil. Form is available in Adobe Acrobat software (file extension “.pdf”-portable document format) with the original solicitation on the Vendor Bid System on MyFlorida.com. CFMO issued form must be used. No other form or format will be accepted.

POINT OF CONTACT: Department of Military Affairs, Construction & Facility Management Office, Contracting Branch (904)823-0255 or 0252 or e-mail cfmocontracting@fl.ngb.army.mil.

Submittals received after the due date will not be considered. However, submittals may be sent to the CFMO-Contracting Branch any time prior to the final due date.

Submittals are to be sent to Department of Military Affairs, Construction & Facility Management Office (CFMO), Attention: Contracting Branch, Robert F. Ensslin, Jr., National Guard Armory, 2305 State Road 207, St. Augustine, Florida 32086.

Faxed or e-mailed submittals are not acceptable and will not be considered. All instructions must be complied with and requested data must be included in order for your firm to be considered for this project. All information received will be maintained with the Department and will not be returned.

Request for private meetings by individual firms will not be granted. No individual verbal communication shall take place between any applicants and the Owners, or Owner's representatives. Request for any additional information, clarifications, or technical questions must be requested in writing.

Respondents to this solicitation or persons acting on their behalf may not contact, between the release of the solicitation and the end of the 72-hour period following the agency posting the notice of intended award, excluding Saturdays, Sundays, and state holidays, any employee or officer of the executive or legislative branch concerning any aspect of this solicitation,

except in writing to the procurement officer or as provided in the solicitation documents. Violation of this provision may be grounds for rejecting a response.

**REQUESTING QUALIFICATIONS FOR DESIGN – BUILD
TEAMS FOR PROJECT NUMBER 207006,
PRE-ENGINEERED METAL STORAGE BUILDING**

The State of Florida, Department of Military Affairs (DMA), Construction and Facility Management Office (CFMO) requests qualifications from State of Florida registered licensed General/Building Contractors (GC) and Architect/Engineering (A/E) Teams for Design – Build Services for the following project located at: Robert F. Ensslin, Jr., National Guard Armory, Saint Augustine, Florida.

FOR COMPLETE INFORMATION AND SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS YOU MUST GO TO THE WWW.MYFLORIDA.COM VENDOR BID SYSTEM AT: http://vbs.dms.state.fl.us/vbs/main_menu.

The Scope of Work for Project Number 207006, Pre-Engineered Metal Storage Building may be obtained from the MyFlorida Vendor Bid System site at: http://vbs.dms.state.fl.us/vbs/main_menu.

The Department reserves the right to reject any and all submissions or accept minor irregularities in the best interest of the DMA. The State of Florida's performance and obligation to pay under any contract is contingent upon availability of funding and an annual appropriation by the Legislature.

SERVICES TO BE PROVIDED: CFMO will contract with a single contract entity, for the project listed above, whose Design-Build team shall provide all services including, but not necessarily limited to site investigation, preconstruction, schematic and preliminary designs, constructability reviews, complete design and engineering, construction documents, specifications, detailed line-item construction cost estimates, procurement, permitting and permits, bidding, labor, materials, equipment, construction management, and construction required to provide upgrades and repair to code.

Blanket professional design liability insurance will be required for the project in the amount of \$250,000.00 and will be provided as a part of the services. The respondent must be capable of bonding at 100% of the value of the contract with a surety licensed to do business in the State of Florida with a Best Rating of A, Class VIII.

SELECTION INFORMATION: Selection of applicants for consideration will be made on the basis of Design-Build successful relative experience of the Architect-Engineer firm and the General/Building Contractor and their ability to perform based on, but not limited to the information submitted on DBC Forms 5085 and 5112 for licensed and/or professional personnel; professional services qualifications, financial capability, recent, current, and projected workloads of the Design-Build team members, and location of their office in relation to the project site. A minimum requirement of two

successfully completed projects within the previous three years of similar size, scope and complexity shall apply. The qualifications packages will be reviewed and three semi-finalists will be interviewed to determine the best qualified Design-Build team for this project. The three semi-finalists may be required to participate in formal presentations or telephone interviews. The selection committee may reject all submissions and stop the selection process at any time. Additional building requirements and information will be provided to short-listed firms at the Mandatory Site Visit. Order of Negotiations for the selected shortlisted firms will be made on the basis of past performance references, knowledge of site and local conditions, proposed project staff, ability to meet budget, ability to meet project schedule, understanding program and requirements, and approach and methodology.

CONTRACT AWARD: The short list for interviews and the final order of negotiations will be posted on the MyFlorida.com website http://vbs.dms.state.fl.us/vbs/main_menu. Failure to file a protest within the time prescribed in Section 120.57(3), Florida Statutes, shall constitute a waiver of proceedings under Chapter 120, Florida Statutes. If no protest is filed, a contract will be negotiated with the firm which the Department considers the most qualified for the intended project. If an agreement, for compensation which the Department determines is fair, competitive, and reasonable, cannot be reached and the Department is unable to negotiate a satisfactory contract, negotiations will be formally ceased and negotiations shall be undertaken with the firm the Department has determined is the second most qualified after Departmental review of the submissions.

One original and four copies of each submission documents are required. Forms must be electronically obtained in Microsoft Word software format (file extension “.doc”-document format) from CFMO-Contracting Branch, telephone: (904)823-0252 or (904)823-0255 or e-mail: cfmocontracting@fl.ngb.army.mil. Forms are available in Adobe Acrobat software (file extension “.pdf”-portable document format) with the original solicitation on the Vendor Bid System on MyFlorida.com. CFMO issued forms must be used. No other forms or format will be accepted.

POINT OF CONTACT: Department of Military Affairs, Construction and Facility Management Office, Contracting Branch at (904)823-0255 or 0252, e-mail: cfmocontracting@fl.ngb.army.mil.

Submittals received after the due date will not be considered. However, submittals may be sent to the CFMO-Contracting Branch any time prior to the final due date. Submittal date may be obtained from the MyFlorida Vendor Bid System site at: http://vbs.dms.state.fl.us/vbs/main_menu.

Submittals are to be sent to Department of Military Affairs, Construction and Facility Management Office (CFMO), Attention: Contracting Branch, Robert F. Ensslin, Jr., National Guard Armory, 2305 State Road 207, St. Augustine, Florida 32086.

Faxed or e-mailed submittals are not acceptable and will not be considered. All instructions must be complied with and requested data must be included in order for your firm to be considered for this project. All information received will be maintained with the Department and will not be returned.

Request for private meetings by individual firms will not be granted. No individual verbal communication shall take place between any applicants and the Owners, or Owner's representatives. Request for any additional information, clarifications, or technical questions must be requested in writing.

BALFOUR BEATTY CONSTRUCTION LLC

INVITATION TO BID

Lowell Correctional Institution Phase II – Ancillary Buildings Construction of Food Service and Visitors Center Buildings, Renovation of Security Offices.

Balfour Beatty Construction LLC (BBC) is accepting bids for the above referenced project no later than Tuesday, November 10, 2009, 2:00 p.m., Churchill Ballroom, The Hilton of Ocala, 3600 S. W. 36th Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34474. The bids will be opened immediately following the 2:00 p.m., bid close at the same location.

Bids will be accepted for the following Bid Packages at this time:

For the following scopes contract Watson Rogers:

3A – Cast-In-Place Concrete

4A – Masonry

8A – Detention Equipment, Security Controls, Doors, Windows and Glass, and Misc. Specialties

9A – Trusses, Walls and Ceilings

15A – HVAC

15B – Plumbing & Natural Gas Piping

For the following scopes contact Mike Miller:

2B – Security Fencing and Gates

5A – Structural Steel/Misc Metals

7A – Caulking & Sealants

7B – Roofing, Siding and Metal Panels

9E – Paint & Wall Coverings

11A – Food Service Equipment

16 A – Electrical

For the following scopes contact Marcus Niceley:

8B – Overhead Doors

9B – Carpet, Ceramic tile and Resilient Flooring

10A – Covered Walkways

12A – Millwork & Casework

13A – Metal Buildings (Alternate)

All of the above can be reached at (352)369-6183:

Bid Packages will be available at: NGI, Monday, October 19, 2009.

SEALED BIDS AND PREQUALIFICATION FORMS RECEIVED PRIOR TO BID DAY ARE TO BE SENT TO:

Attn: Mike Miller/Project Manager

Balfour Beatty Construction LLC.

*11650 N. W. Gainesville Road

Ocala, Florida 34482

(352)369-6183

*Bids will only be accepted at this address up to the day prior to bid day. All bids being submitted on bid day must be hand delivered to the Churchill Ballroom located in the Hilton of Ocala as listed above.

Interested parties can obtain plans, specifications, bid package and prequalification forms at the following location. Estimated cost of a full set of Bidding Documents is \$300. CD's with bidding documents will also be available. All bidders must follow the bidding requirements listed in the instructions to bidders available at:

NGI

304A S. W. Broadway St.

Ocala, FL 34474

(352)622-5039

A pre bid conference will be held at:

The Hilton of Ocala

3600 S. W. 36th Ave.

Ocala, FL 34474

Ph: (352)854-1400

On October 29, 2009, 9:00 a.m.

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LICENSE CGC 05623.

Mayo Correctional Institution – Construction of the Annex adjacent to and the Future Expansion/Renovation of the Main Unit at the Mayo Correctional Institution

Water Treatment Equipment and Installation For Treating Ground Water To Potable Water From a 650GPM Well

Balfour Beatty Construction LLC (BBC) will be accepting Sealed bids for all or part of the WTP Work from qualified Subcontractors/Suppliers for the above referenced project no later than 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, November 24, 2009, at the address provided below: Bids will be opened publicly immediately following the 2:00 p.m. cut off.

All questions will be addressed by: Kevin Gray, Balfour Beatty at (386)294-3100, email: kgray@balfourbeattyus.com. The test results from the well are available immediately upon request.

Bid Package will be available at NGI on Tuesday, November 17, 2009. Interested parties can obtain plans, specifications, bid package and prequalification forms at the following location. The estimated cost for the documents is less than \$100.

NGI (Ocala)
(352)622-5039
304A Southwest Broadway Street
Ocala, FL 34474

SEALED BIDS AND PREQUALIFICATION FORMS ARE TO BE SENT TO:

Attention Kevin Gray
Balfour Beatty Construction
804 N. W. Jackson Bluff Road
Mayo, FL 32066

Please note that the project is located in a remote location and each bidder is encouraged to contact their shipping company regarding delivery times to avoid missing the bid cut off.

A pre bid conference will be held at 9:00 a.m., Thursday, November 19, 2009, at:

Jobsite Construction Trailer
804 N. W. Jackson Bluff Road
Mayo, FL 32066

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HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY AVIATION AUTHORITY

NOTICE TO DESIGN-BUILD FIRMS

The Hillsborough County Aviation Authority hereby requests, pursuant to the Consultants Competitive Negotiation Act, Section 287.055, Florida Statutes, letters of interest design-build firms desiring to render design-build services on the following Project:

**CCTV ENHANCEMENT AND EXPANSION
TAMPA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT
HCAA PROJECT NO. 5230 09**

This project will enhance the airports existing video surveillance system of critical security areas by installing additional cameras to public, sterile, secure, passenger checkpoint and baggage screening areas. The project will also replace the existing analog recording system with digital network video recorders, increase the video storage capabilities and improve video quality.

Significant Dates:

Letters of interest due: By 5:00 p.m., October 30, 2009
RFQ posted on web site: After 12:00 Noon, November 4, 2009

Mandatory pre-qualification conference: At 2:00 p.m., November 18, 2009

Qualification Proposals Due: By 5:00 p.m., December 3, 2009
For additional information on submitting letters of interest, location of meeting and other Project details, go to the Authority website at: www.tampaairport.com, Quick Links, Airport Business, Notice of Solicitation.

**Section XII
Miscellaneous**

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES

The Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services announces a referendum on the proposed Amended Citrus Research Order in which all producers of citrus in Florida are invited to participate.

TIME PERIOD FOR REFERENDUM: Ballots and copies of the proposed order will be mailed to all citrus producers affected who are in the state and whose names and addresses are known on November 16, 2009. Ballots and copies of the proposed order may be obtained from county extension offices in Desoto, Polk, Hardee, Hendry, Highlands, Indian River, and St. Lucie. counties by producers not receiving them by mail, or by calling: Marshall Wiseheart at (850)488-4366 or Sarah Oglesby at (850)488-3022.

The date by which ballots must be returned to the Department is: **WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 9, 2009.**

GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT THE REFERENDUM: The Department has received an application from representatives of over 10 percent of the affected producers to conduct a referendum on reenacting the order. The current order expires on July 31, 2010.

On October 13, 2009, the Department held a public meeting concerning the continuation of the marketing order.

The proposed order raises the assessment cap from 1 cent to 3 cents per box of citrus sold and designates the Citrus Research and Development Foundation, Inc. to administer the box tax funds.

If you have any questions, please call: Marshall Wiseheart at (850)488-4366.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this referendum is asked to advise the Department by contacting: Marshall Wiseheart at (850)488-4366. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800)955-8771 (TTY) or 1(800) 955-8770 (Voice).