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**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

**NOTICE TO PROFESSIONAL CONSULTANTS**

Florida International University, on behalf of the Board of Regents, announces that Professional Services in the discipline of architecture will be required for the project listed below:

Project and Location: Graham Center Renovation and Addition BR-860, Florida International University, University Park, Miami, Florida.

The project consists of construction of a multi level addition to the Graham Center, a facility conceived as the focal point of campus life to provide facilities and programs where students, faculty and staff can congregate to promote learning and social interactions that will build school spirit and a strong sense of University community. The planned expansion/renovation will offer a multitude of inviting and attractive spaces and services to increase our students' sense of belonging; to engage them in organized programs and activities that promote appreciation and greater understanding of our University's diversity. The remodeling and expansion of the north side of the Graham Center building shall include expansion of facilities for meeting rooms, conferences, seminars, retail operations, administrative offices, a computer laboratory and student activities and programs for Campus Life. Blanket professional liability insurance will be required in the amount of \$1,000,000, and will be provided as a part of Basic Services.

**INSTRUCTIONS**

Firms desiring to apply for consideration shall submit a letter of application.

The letter of application should have attached:

1. A completed Board of Regents "Professional Qualifications Supplement (SUSPQS)," dated September 1999. Applications on any other form will not be considered.
2. A copy of the applicant's current Professional Registration Certificate from the appropriate governing board.

An applicant must be properly registered at the time of application to practice its profession in the State of Florida. If the applicant is a corporation, it must be properly chartered by the Florida Department of State to operate in Florida.

Submit six (6) copies of the above requested data bound in the order listed above. Applications that do not comply with the above instructions will not be considered. Application material will not be returned.

The plans and specifications for A/E projects are subject to reuse in accordance with the provisions of Section 287.055, Florida Statutes. As required by Section 287.133, Florida Statutes, 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 \$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.

Professional Qualifications Supplement forms and the Project Fact Sheet may be obtained by contacting: Facilities Management, Florida International University, Campus Support Complex, Room 236, University Park, Miami, Florida 33199, telephone (305)348-4000, or by Faxing a request to (305)348-4010. Requests for meetings by individual firms will not be granted.

Submit qualifications to: Mary Varela Witham, Facilities Planner/Contract Administrator, Florida International University, Facilities Management, Campus Support Complex, University Park, Miami, Florida 33199, by 2:00 p.m., local time, August 7, 2000. Late submittals shall be disqualified. Facsimile (FAX) submittals are not acceptable and will not be considered.

**DEPARTMENT OF ELDER AFFAIRS**

**REQUEST FOR INFORMATION**

**STATEMENT OF PURPOSE:** The purpose of the elder abuse awareness campaign is the development and implementation of a statewide communications radio and print media campaign that increases the awareness of the signs of an abuser (target: caregivers) and influences an elder to report abuse situations (target: abused elders). The campaign will include the development of a theme, awareness announcements suitable for radio, posters, transit media, and a distribution plan for all materials.