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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

NOTICE TO CONSTRUCTION MANAGERS

The University of Florida Board of Trustees announces that construction management services will be required for the project listed below:

Project No.: UF-196

Project and Location: Pharmacy Wing Remodeling, Phase II. Health Science Center

The project consists of the remodeling and renovation of 30,000 gross square feet of existing research laboratory and office space, on 3 floors, at the University of Florida Health Science Center, Medical Sciences Building to house research programs for the College of Pharmacy. The proposed project will consist of research laboratories, research support and faculty offices.

The estimated construction cost is \$5,460,000.00.

The contract for construction management services will consist of two phases. Phase one is pre-construction services, for which the construction manager will be paid a fixed fee. Phase one services include value engineering, constructability analyses, development of a cost model, estimating, and the development of a Guaranteed Maximum Price (GMP) at 50% Construction Document phase. If the GMP is accepted, phase two, the construction phase, will be implemented. In phase two of the contract, the construction manager becomes the single point of responsibility for performance of the construction of the project and shall publicly bid trade contracts, ensuring the inclusion of Minority Business Enterprises (MBEs). Failure to negotiate an acceptable fixed fee for phase one of the contract, or to arrive at an acceptable GMP within the time provided in the agreement may result in the termination of the construction

manager's contract. Selection of finalists for interviews will be made on the basis of construction manager 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; qualification of the firm's personnel, staff and consultants; and ability to meet the minority business enterprise participation requirements. Finalists will be provided with a copy of the building program and the latest documentation prepared by the project architect/engineer, a description of the final interview requirements and a copy of the standard University of Florida construction management agreement. 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 "Construction completed project specific Qualifications Supplement" available from the website: www.facilities.ufl.edu. Proposals must not exceed 80 pages, including the Construction Manager **Oualifications** Supplement and letter of application. Pages must be numbered consecutively. Submittals which do not comply with these requirements or do not include the requested data will not be considered. No submittal material 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, Florida Statutes, 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 Construction Manager Qualifications Supplement forms, the Construction Manager Project Fact Sheet and instructions for registering as an applicant may be obtained by contacting FCP website listed below or by contacting:

Al Dompe, Project Manager Facilities Planning and Construction 232 Stadium, P. O. Box 115050 Gainesville, FL 32611-5050 Telephone: (352)392-1256. FAX: (352)392-6378

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