Please refer all comments to: Janis Sue Richardson, Chief Assistant General Counsel, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Florida Condominiums, Timeshares, and Mobile Homes, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee. Florida 32399-2202.

### DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Department of Financial Services, Division of State Fire Marshal has received the petition for declaratory statement from Steve Smith on July 5, 2012, Case #126886-12-FM. The petition seeks the agency's opinion as to the applicability of 633.025 Minimum firesafety standards, section (9), 2010 NFPA 101, section 30.3.5.1 and A.3.3.170.2 as it applies to the petitioner.

Petitioner applied for a permit to construct a six unit town home project. The AHJ, specifically the Pasco County Fire Marshal has rejected the permit and has added a requirement of a supervised automatic sprinkler system or a separation wall of three hours, with no penetrations.

A copy of the Petition for Declaratory Statement may be obtained by contacting: Mandy O'Callaghan, 200 E. Gaines St., Tallahassee, FL 32399-0333, (850)413-4150.

Please refer all comments to: Mandy O'Callaghan, 200 E. Gaines St., Tallahassee, FL 32399-0333, (850)413-4150.

# Section VIII Notices of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding the Validity of Rules

Notice of Petition for Administrative Determination has been filed with the Division of Administrative Hearings on the following rules:

## NONE

Notice of Disposition of Petition for Administrative Determination have been filed by the Division of Administrative Hearings on the following rules:

## **NONE**

Section IX Notices of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Non-rule Policy Challenges

#### NONE

# Section X Announcements and Objection Reports of the Joint Administrative Procedures Committee

### NONE

# Section XI Notices Regarding Bids, Proposals and **Purchasing**

### DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES

#### Invitation to Bid

As a Contractor, you are invited to submit a bid to the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Aquaculture, hereinafter referred to as Owner, for the Renovation of Building Facilities at the Apalachicola Shellfish Center located at 260 Dr. Frederick S. Humphries Street, Apalachicola, Florida. The Project Budget is estimated to be \$880,000.

The contractor shall provide all materials, labor, equipment and inspection fees necessary for the Renovation of Building Facilities at the Apalachicola Shellfish Center in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Invitation to Bid.

PROJECT NAME & LOCATION: Renovation of Building Facilities at the Apalachicola Shellfish Center located at 260 Dr. Frederick S. Humphries Street, Apalachicola, Florida.

SOLICITATION DOCUMENT: The entire solicitation document, which includes specifications, may be viewed and downloaded from the Vendor Bid System http://myflorida.com, click on Business, Doing Business with the State of Florida, Everything for Vendors and Customers, Vendor Bid System, Search Advertisements, Bid Number ITB/AQ-12/13-12, or by calling: The Purchasing Office, (850)617-7181.

PLANS AND DRAWINGS: Plans and Drawings can be purchased for a fee not to exceed \$125.00 at Tallahassee Seminole Blueprint, Inc., 2915-1 East Park Avenue, Tallahassee, FL 32301, (850)671-2714 and Panama City Emerald Coast Blueprint, 213 W. 6th Street, Panama City, FL 32401, (850)785-0233.

MANDATORY PRE-BID CONFERENCE/SITE VISIT: Each bidder must, before submitting a bid, attend the mandatory pre-bid conference/site visit. The pre-bid conference/site visit will be held on September 6, 2012, 10:00 a.m. (EST), at the Apalachicola Shellfish Center located at 260 Dr. Frederick S. Humphries Street, Apalachicola, Florida. During the pre-bid conference, a site visit will be held for prospective bidders. It is

the bidders' responsibility to consider any and all site conditions or requirements for the project. Specifications will be available at the mandatory pre-bid conference/site visit.

PUBLIC ENTITY CRIME INFORMATION STATEMENT: A person or affiliate who has been placed on the convicted vendor list following a conviction for a public entity crime may not submit a bid on a contract to provide any goods or services to a public entity, may not submit a bid on a contract with a public entity for the construction or repair of a public building or public work, may not submit bids on leases of real property to a public entity, may not be awarded or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or consultant under a contract with any public entity, and may not transact business with any public entity in excess of the threshold amount provided in Section 287.017, Florida Statutes, for Category Two for a period of 36 months from the date of being placed on the convicted vendor list.

DISCRIMINATION, DENIAL OR REVOCATION FOR THE RIGHT TO TRANSACT BUSINESS WITH PUBLIC ENTITIES: An entity or affiliate who had been placed on the discriminatory vendor list may not submit a bid on a contract to provide any goods or services to a public entity, may not submit a bid on a contract with a public entity for the construction or repair of a public building or public work, may not submit bids on leases of real property to a public entity, may not be awarded or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or consultant under a contract with any public entity, and may not transact business with any public entity.

PERFORMANCE BOND AND LABOR AND MATERIAL PAYMENT BOND: Each bid shall be accompanied by a Performance Bond in the amount of one-hundred percent (100%) of the Base Bid Price.

BID BOND: Each bid shall be accompanied by a Bid Bond Guarantee payable to the Department in the amount of five percent (5%) of the Base Bid Price.

Sealed bids will be received, publicly opened and read aloud on:

DATE AND TIME: September 27, 2012, 2:00 p.m.

PLACE: Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, 407 S. Calhoun Street, SB-8, Mayo Building, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0800, (850)617-7181.

CONTRACT AWARD: The official Notice of Award Recommendation will be by electronic posting at: http://fcn.state.fl.us/owa\_vbs/owa/vbs\_www.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, the contract will be awarded to the qualified, responsive low bidder in accordance with Chapter 60D-5, F.A.C., by the Owner.

#### DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

### **CALL FOR BIDS**

The University of West Florida Board of Trustees is soliciting sealed bids for the following:

Building 10, Rooms 102, 103, 104 Convert to Offices A Mandatory Pre-Bid Conference will be held on August 30, 2012, 2:00 p.m. (Central Time), Building 92, Room 110 Training Room. The University of West Florida, 11000 University Parkway, Pensacola, FL 32514.

All bidders are required to attend the pre-bid conference to participate in this solicitation. Failure of a representative from the principal firm to attend and sign in on the UWF official log as documented proof of attendance, shall result in immediate disqualification from this competitive solicitation process.

Potential subcontractors are invited to attend to become familiar with the project specifications and to become acquainted with contractors who may bid the project.

Sealed bids will be received until September 25, 2012, 2:00 p.m. (Central Time), at the Office of Procurement and Contracts, Bldg. 20E, Room 101, The University of West Florida, 11000 University Parkway, Pensacola, FL 32514.

Bid number 12ITBCI-01JJ must be marked on outside of bid package. Bids must be submitted in full and in accordance with the requirements of all terms and conditions of the Invitation to Bid.

View this solicitation and related information on the Office of Procurement and Contracts' website: http://uwf.edu/procurement. All plans and specifications may be downloaded from this site. All questions should be directed to: Judy Jasmyn, email: jjasmyn@uwf.edu.

## METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATIONS

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS
"ANNUAL FINANCIAL AUDITING CONSULTANT
SERVICES"

Proposals for this service must be received by the Lee County Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO), via delivery to 815 Nicholas Parkway East, Cape Coral, Florida or via mail: P. O. Box 150045, Cape Coral, Florida 33915, by 3:00 p.m. (Local Time), Friday, September 7, 2012. Lee County MPO reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

SCOPE OF SERVICES: The Lee MPO is an independent entity formed by Interlocal agreement made up of the following local jurisdictions; Lee County, City of Fort Myers, Bonita Springs, Sanibel, Cape Coral and the Town of Fort Myers Beach. Any MPO that expends \$500,000 or more in federal assistance in a fiscal year is required to have a single audit conducted by an independent CPA for that year in accordance with OMB Circular A-133. For the Fiscal Year 2011/2012 ending on June 30, 2012, the Lee MPO was attached to the Southwest Regional Planning Council until January 31, 2012, conducting business through a staff services

agreement. The MPO is in need of an auditor to conduct an audit on the remaining portion of the fiscal year from February 1st through June 30th 2012, with a possible renewal option for the next two years (fiscal years ending for 2013 and 2014), subject to the review and approval by the MPO's Executive Committee.

INVITATION TO PROPOSE: The program hereby solicits proposals for selection as on-call consultant for financial auditing services to the Lee County MPO. Awards will be made to respondents whose proposals are deemed by the Program to be most beneficial, all factors considered.

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP) INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTION:

(HOW TO APPLY): A Request for Proposals document may be obtained by contacting: Ms. Meghan Marion, Lee MPO Designee, P. O. Box 150045, Cape Coral, Florida 33915, (239)244-2220, Fax: (239)790-2695 or by email: mmarion@leempo.com. Materials will be sent by regular mail or email to the requester within two business days. All requests for clarification or additional information on the RFP must be submitted in writing to the same address as above by no later than 5:00 p.m., August 27, 2012. Proposals must then be received by the Lee County MPO, via delivery at 815 Nicholas Parkway East, Cape Coral, FL 33990 or via mail: P. O. Box 150045, Cape Coral, FL 33915, by 3:00 p.m. (Local Time), Friday, September 7, 2012.

This public notice was posted in the lobby of the offices of the Lee County MPO at 815 Nicholas Parkway East, Cape Coral, Florida 33990, Friday, August 3, 2012. The Lee County MPO does not discriminate based on age, race, color, sex, religion, national origin, disability or marital status. Qualified minority-owned, women-owned or disadvantaged business enterprises are encouraged to apply.

### DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES

PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT REQUESTING BIDS FROM QUALIFIED ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS PROPOSALS ARE REQUESTED FROM QUALIFIED ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS BY THE DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES.

PROJECT NUMBER: MSFM-12003470

PROJECT NAME: Electrical Breaker Panel Replacement, Twin Towers

PROJECT LOCATION: Twin Towers Building (Bob Martinez Center), 2600 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399

MANDATORY PRE-BID MEETING: September 7, 2012, 9:30 a.m., Twin Towers Building, Room 184

BID OPENING: September 27, 2012

ESTIMATED BASE BID CONSTRUCTION BUDGET: \$200,000.00

PREQUALIFIED BIDDERS: Refer to DMS website (below) for further details.

The award will be made in accordance with Section 255.29, F.S., and the procedures and criteria of the Departments Division of Real Estate Development and Management.

Please visit the Department's website http://www.myflorida.com/apps/vbs/vbs\_www.main\_menu and click on "Search Advertisements" – "Division of Real Estate Development and Management" Look for "Opportunities for Design and Construction Firms" and click on link.

### DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

## NOTICE OF INVITATION TO BID BID NO. BDC 09-12/13

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: Kenwood Recreation Area – Floating Dock and Site Improvements

SCOPE OF WORK: The Contractor shall provide the necessary labor, materials, equipment, and supervision required to permit, install and construct a new floating modular ADA dock with aluminum gangway, ADA concrete sidewalks, protective bollards, and concrete revetment mattress at the Kenwood Boat Ramp Site located on the Marjorie Harris Carr Cross Florida Greenway in Putnam County, Florida in accordance with the plans and specifications. 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: \$85,000.00

LOCATION: Kenwood Boat Ramp Road, Interlachen, FL 32148, Approximately 9 miles south of Interlachen, Florida off of South County Rd. 315 – Mickey Thomason, Trail Manager, Phone: (352)235-7143

PROJECT MANAGER: James Glenn, Bureau of Design & Construction, 3540 Thomasville Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32309, Telephone Number: (850)488-5372.

NOTE: Kenwood Recreation Area is open to the public during regular business hours.

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 August 24, 2012, at the Bureau of Design & Construction, 3540 Thomasville Road, Tallahassee FL 32309. Attention: James Glenn, Project Manager, Telephone: (850)488-5372, Fax: (850)488-3665, email: James.L.Glenn@dep.state.fl.us or Susan.Maynard@dep.state.fl.us.

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.

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 with the 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).

E-VERIFY: Vendor/Contractor shall utilize the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's E-Verify system to confirm the employment eligibility of all persons employed by the Vendor/Contractor during the term of the Contract to perform employment duties within Florida and all persons, including subcontractors, assigned by the Vendor/Contractor to perform work pursuant to the contract with the Department.

BID SUBMITTAL DUE DATE: No later than 3:30 p.m. (ET), September 18, 2012, 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, (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, September 25, 2012, 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 Florida 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.

# Section XII Miscellaneous

### DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAY SAFETY AND MOTOR **VEHICLES**

Notice of Publication for a New Point Franchise Motor Vehicle Dealer in a County of More than 300,000 Population

Pursuant to Section 320.642, Florida Statutes, notice is given that Subaru of America, Inc., intends to allow the establishment of Boyland Auto Center, LLC, d/b/a Subaru of South Orlando as a dealership for the sale of Subaru vehicles manufactured by Subaru (line-make SUBA) at 9951 South Orange Blossom Trail, Orlando (Orange County), Florida 32837, on or after September 24, 2012.

The name and address of the dealer operator(s) and principal investor(s) of Boyland Auto Center, LLC, d/b/a Subaru of South Orlando are dealer operator(s): Dorian Boyland, 4301 Millenia Boulevard, Orlando, Florida 32839; principal investor(s): Dorian Boyland, 4301 Millenia Boulevard, Orlando, Florida 32839.

The notice indicates intent to establish the new point location in a county of more than 300,000 population, according to the latest population estimates of the University of Florida, Bureau of Economic and Business Research.

Certain dealerships of the same line-make may have standing, pursuant to Section 320.642, Florida Statutes, to file a petition or complaint protesting the application.

Written petitions or complaints must be received by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles within 30 days of the date of publication of this notice and must be submitted to: Nalini Vinayak, Administrator, Dealer License Section, Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles, Room A-312, MS #65, Neil Kirkman Building, 2900 Apalachee Parkway, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0635.

A copy of such petition or complaint must also be sent by U.S. Mail to: Ron May, Subaru of America, Inc., 7380 Sand Lake Road, Suite 500, Orlando, Florida 32819.