

ADVERTISEMENTS FOR BIDDERS/CONTRACTORS

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

OFFICE OF GENERAL
SERVICES

Procurement Services Group
38th Fl., Corning Tower
Empire State Plaza
Albany, NY

The following advance bid opening dates have been scheduled by the Procurement Services Group. The following listing is for information purposes only. Interested companies are encouraged to register for online notification of OGS bid opportunities by contacting <http://www.ogs.state.ny.us/ovr>.

April 14—Hydraulic oil, high performance, returnable drums, 11:00 a.m.

April 14—Snow blowers, self-propelled, walk behind, 11:00 a.m.

Additional bid openings for the remainder of April will be scheduled necessarily following the date of this publication.

The right is reserved to make any additional change in dates and to schedule additional bid openings at any time without publication.

SEALED BIDS

REPAIR

CRACKING CONCRETE WALLS AND CEILINGS

Staten Island Armory, Staten Island
Richmond County

SEALED bids for Project No(s). M2451-C and M2451-E, comprising separate contracts for Construction and Electrical Work, Repair Cracking Concrete Walls and Ceilings, Rifle Range, Staten Island Armory, 321 Manor Rd., Staten Island, NY, will be received by the Office of General Services, Design and Construction Group, Division of Contract Administration, 35th Fl., Corning Tower, Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12242, on behalf of the Division of Military and Naval Affairs, until 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, April 20, 2005, when they will be publicly opened and read. Each bid must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the instructions to bidders and must be accompanied by a certified check, bank check or bid bond in the amount of \$9,600 for C, and \$1,200 for E.

All successful bidders on a multiple trade project or the successful bidder with a bid over \$200,000 on a single trade project, will be

required to furnish a performance bond and a labor and material bond in the statutory form of public bonds required by sections 136 and 137 of the State Finance Law, each for 100 percent of the amount of the contract estimated to be between \$100,000 and \$250,000 for C, and under \$25,000 for E. The requirement for labor and material and performance bonds may be waived on a bid under \$200,000 on a single trade project.

As a condition of award, within 48 hours of receipt of the proposed contract agreement from the State, the low bidder shall return the contract agreement to the State, properly executed, along with the bonds if required by said agreement. Low bidders who cannot meet these provisions may be subject to disqualification and forfeiture of the bid security.

The State intends to expedite award of this contract and the contractor shall be prepared to proceed with the work accordingly. Bidders are warned that time is of the essence of the contract and completion of the work must be within 120 days after the agreement is approved by the Comptroller. Due to the tightness of the construction schedule, bidders should consider the necessity for an increased work force and shift operations.

The only time prospective bidders will be allowed to visit the job site to take field measurements and examine existing conditions of the project area will be at 10:30 a.m. on April 12, 2005 at the Main Entrance, Staten Island Armory, 321 Manor Ave., Staten Island, NY. Prospective bidders or their representatives attending the pre-bid site visit will not be admitted on facility grounds without proper photo identification. Note that parking restrictions, and security provisions will apply and all vehicles will be subject to search.

Phone the office of Jill Knight, (914) 948-0343, ext. 0 a minimum of 24 hours in advance of the date to provide the names of those who will attend the pre-bid site visit.

It is the policy of the State and the Office of General Services to encourage minority business enterprise participation in this project by contractors, subcontractors and suppliers, and all bidders are expected to cooperate in implementing this policy.

The Office of General Services reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

The bidding and contract documents may be obtained for \$8 deposit per set, plus \$2 per set shipping and handling fee, by calling the following toll free number (877) OGS-PLAN (647-7526) or by mail from the Plan Sales Unit, 35th Fl., Corning Tower, Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12242 (deposits less than \$50 are nonrefundable). Make check payable to the Office of General Services and write Fed. ID # and phone # on check.

By William F. O'Connor, AIA
Deputy Commissioner

PROVIDE

SHORING IN STEAM TUNNEL
 Sheridan Avenue Steam Plant, Albany
 Albany County

SEALED bids for Project No(s). M2462-C, Construction Work, Provide Shoring in Steam Tunnel, Sheridan Avenue Steam Plant, 79 Sheridan Ave., Albany, NY, will be received by the Office of General Services, Design and Construction Group, Division of Contract Administration, 35th Fl., Corning Tower, Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12242, on behalf of the Office of General Services, until 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, April 20, 2005, when they will be publicly opened and read. Each bid must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the instructions to bidders and must be accompanied by a certified check, bank check or bid bond in the amount of \$3,400.

The value of the contract is estimated to be between \$25,000 and \$50,000.

As a condition of award, within 48 hours of receipt of the proposed contract agreement from the State, the low bidder shall return the contract agreement to the State, properly executed, along with the bonds if required by said agreement. Low bidders who cannot meet these provisions may be subject to disqualification and forfeiture of the bid security.

The State intends to expedite award of this contract and the contractor shall be prepared to proceed with the work accordingly. Bidders are warned that time is of the essence of the contract and completion of the work must be within 60 days after the agreement is approved by the Comptroller. Due to the tightness of the construction schedule, bidders should consider the necessity for an increased work force and shift operations.

The only time prospective bidders will be allowed to visit the job site to take field measurements and examine existing conditions of the project area will be at 10:30 a.m. on April 11, 2005, OGS Elk Street Parking Lot, Corner of Elk and Hawk Streets. Prospective bidders are urged to visit the site at this time. Prospective bidders or their representatives attending the pre-bid site visit will not be admitted on facility grounds without proper photo identification. Note that parking restrictions, and security provisions will apply and all vehicles will be subject to search.

For assistance pertaining to the site visit only, please phone Maria Keefe at (518) 474-7544.

It is the policy of the State and the Office of General Services to encourage minority business enterprise participation in this project by contractors, subcontractors and suppliers, and all bidders are expected to cooperate in implementing this policy.

The Office of General Services reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

The bidding and contract documents may be obtained for \$8 deposit per set, plus \$2 per set shipping and handling fee, by calling the following toll free number (877) OGS-PLAN (647-7526) or by mail from the Plan Sales Unit, 35th Fl., Corning Tower, Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12242 (deposits less than \$50 are nonrefundable). Make check payable to the Office of General Services and write Fed. ID # and phone # on check.

By William F. O'Connor, AIA
 Deputy Commissioner

REPLACE

VEHICLE AND PEDESTRIAN GATES
 Gouverneur Correctional Facility, Gouverneur
 St. Lawrence County

SEALED bids for Project No(s). Q1028-C and Q1028-E, comprising separate contracts for Construction and Electrical Work, Replace Vehicle and Pedestrian Gates, Gouverneur Correctional Facility, Scotch Settlement Rd., Gouverneur, NY, will be received by the Office of General Services, Design and Construction Group, Division of Contract Administration, 35th Fl., Corning Tower, Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12242, on behalf of the Department of Correctional Services, until 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, April 20, 2005, when they will be publicly opened and read. Each bid must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the instructions to bidders and must be accompanied by a certified check, bank check or bid bond in the amount of \$24,200 for C and \$5,700 for E.

All successful bidders on a multiple trade project or the successful bidder with a bid over \$200,000 on a single trade project, will be required to furnish a performance bond and a labor and material bond in the statutory form of public bonds required by sections 136 and 137 of the State Finance Law, each for 100 percent of the amount of the contract estimated to be between \$250,000 and \$500,000 for C, and between \$50,000 and \$100,000 for E. The requirement for labor and material and performance bonds may be waived on a bid under \$200,000 on a single trade project.

The completion date for this project is 270 days after the agreement is approved by the Comptroller.

The only time prospective bidders will be allowed to visit the job site to take field measurements and examine existing conditions of the project area will be at 10:00 a.m. on April 14, 2005, meet at the Administration Building Conference Room, Gouverneur Correctional Facility. Prospective bidders are urged to visit the site at this time. Prospective bidders or their representatives attending the pre-bid site visit will not be admitted on facility grounds without proper photo identification. Note that parking restrictions, and security provisions will apply and all vehicles will be subject to search.

Phone the office of Rich Rulfes, (315) 393-6898, a minimum of 48 hours in advance of the date to provide the names of those who will attend the pre-bid site visit.

It is the policy of the State and the Office of General Services to encourage minority business enterprise participation in this project by contractors, subcontractors and suppliers, and all bidders are expected to cooperate in implementing this policy.

The Office of General Services reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

The bidding and contract documents may be obtained for \$8 deposit per set, plus \$2 per set shipping and handling fee, by calling the following toll free number (877) OGS-PLAN (647-7526) or by mail from the Plan Sales Unit, 35th Fl., Corning Tower, Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12242 (deposits less than \$50 are nonrefundable). Make check payable to the Office of General Services and write Fed. ID # and phone # on check.

By William F. O'Connor, AIA
 Deputy Commissioner

**RENOVATE
BATHROOMS**

Camp Georgetown, Georgetown, Madison County

SEALED bids for Project No(s). Q1108-C, Q1108-P and Q1108-E, comprising separate contracts for Construction, Plumbing and Electrical Work, Renovate Bathrooms, Bldg. No. 5, Camp Georgetown, 3191 Crumb Hill Rd., Georgetown, NY, will be received by the Office of General Services, Design and Construction Group, Division of Contract Administration, 35th Fl., Corning Tower, Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12242, on behalf of the Department of Correctional Services, until 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, April 20, 2005, when they will be publicly opened and read. Each bid must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the instructions to bidders and must be accompanied by a certified check, bank check or bid bond in the amount of \$15,200 for C, \$7,700 for P, and \$2,400 for E.

All successful bidders on a multiple trade project or the successful bidder with a bid over \$200,000 on a single trade project, will be required to furnish a performance bond and a labor and material bond in the statutory form of public bonds required by sections 136 and 137 of the State Finance Law, each for 100 percent of the amount of the contract estimated to be between \$100,000 and \$250,000 for C, between \$50,000 and \$100,000 for P, and between \$25,000 and \$50,000 for E. The requirement for labor and material and performance bonds may be waived on a bid under \$200,000 on a single trade project.

The completion date for this project is 210 days after the agreement is approved by the Comptroller.

The only time prospective bidders will be allowed to visit the job site to take field measurements and examine existing conditions of the project area will be at 10:00 a.m. on April 14, 2005, meet at the Administration Building, Camp Georgetown. Prospective bidders are urged to visit the site at this time. Prospective bidders or their representatives attending the pre-bid site visit will not be admitted on facility grounds without proper photo identification. Note that parking restrictions, and security provisions will apply and all vehicles will be subject to search.

Phone the office of Phil Price, (315) 837-4446 a minimum of 48 hours in advance of the date to provide the names of those who will attend the pre-bid site visit.

It is the policy of the State and the Office of General Services to encourage minority business enterprise participation in this project by contractors, subcontractors and suppliers, and all bidders are expected to cooperate in implementing this policy.

The Office of General Services reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

The bidding and contract documents may be obtained for \$8 deposit per set, plus \$2 per set shipping and handling fee, by calling the following toll free number (877) OGS-PLAN (647-7526) or by mail from the Plan Sales Unit, 35th Fl., Corning Tower, Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12242 (deposits less than \$50 are nonrefundable). Make check payable to the Office of General Services and write Fed. ID # and phone # on check.

By William F. O'Connor, AIA
Deputy Commissioner

IMPROVE

GREAT WESTERN STAIRCASE
State Capitol, Albany, Albany County

SEALED bids for Project No(s). 41288-C and 41288-E, comprising separate contracts for Construction and Electrical Work, Improvements

to Great Western Staircase, State Capitol, Albany, NY, will be received by the Office of General Services, Design and Construction Group, Division of Contract Administration, 35th Fl., Corning Tower, Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12242, on behalf of the Office of General Services, until 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 4, 2005, when they will be publicly opened and read. Each bid must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the instructions to bidders and must be accompanied by a certified check, bank check or bid bond in the amount of \$70,900 for C, and \$22,100 for E.

All successful bidders on a multiple trade project or the successful bidder with a bid over \$200,000 on a single trade project, will be required to furnish a performance bond and a labor and material bond in the statutory form of public bonds required by sections 136 and 137 of the State Finance Law, each for 100 percent of the amount of the contract estimated to be between \$2,000,000 and \$3,000,000 for C, and between \$250,000 and \$500,000 for E. The requirement for labor and material and performance bonds may be waived on a bid under \$200,000 on a single trade project.

The completion date for this project is 365 days after the agreement is approved by the Comptroller.

The only time prospective bidders will be allowed to visit the job site to take field measurements and examine existing conditions of the project area will be at 10:30 a.m. on April 13, 2005, at the Office of the Engineer-in-Charge, Fifth Fl., Rm. 546, State Capitol, Albany, NY. Prospective bidders are urged to visit the site at this time. Prospective bidders or their representatives attending the pre-bid site visit will not be admitted on facility grounds without proper photo identification. Note that parking restrictions, and security provisions will apply and all vehicles will be subject to search.

For assistance pertaining to the site visit only, please phone Jim Jamieson at (518) 474-6184.

It is the policy of the State and the Office of General Services to encourage minority business enterprise participation in this project by contractors, subcontractors and suppliers, and all bidders are expected to cooperate in implementing this policy.

The Office of General Services reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

The bidding and contract documents may be obtained for \$8 deposit per set, plus \$2 per set shipping and handling fee, by calling the following toll free number (877) OGS-PLAN (647-7526) or by mail from the Plan Sales Unit, 35th Fl., Corning Tower, Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12242 (deposits less than \$50 are nonrefundable). Make check payable to the Office of General Services and write Fed. ID # and phone # on check.

By William F. O'Connor, AIA
Deputy Commissioner

**REHABILITATE
RESTROOMS**

State Capitol, Albany, Albany County

SEALED bids for Project No(s). 42063-C, 42063-H, 42063-P and 42063-E, comprising separate contracts for Construction, HVAC, Plumbing and Electrical Work, Rehabilitate Restrooms, First Floor, State Capitol, Albany, NY, will be received by the Office of General Services, Design and Construction Group, Division of Contract Administration, 35th Fl., Corning Tower, Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12242, on behalf of the Office of General Services, until 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, April 27, 2005, when they will be publicly opened and read. Each bid must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the

instructions to bidders and must be accompanied by a certified check, bank check or bid bond in the amount of \$6,500 for C, \$900 for H, \$2,700 for P, and \$3,000 for E.

All successful bidders on a multiple trade project or the successful bidder with a bid over \$200,000 on a single trade project, will be required to furnish a performance bond and a labor and material bond in the statutory form of public bonds required by sections 136 and 137 of the State Finance Law, each for 100 percent of the amount of the contract estimated to be between \$50,000 and \$100,000 for C, under \$25,000 for H, between \$25,000 and \$50,000 for P, and between \$25,000 and \$50,000 for E. The requirement for labor and material and performance bonds may be waived on a bid under \$200,000 on a single trade project.

The completion date for this project is 180 days after the agreement is approved by the Comptroller.

The only time prospective bidders will be allowed to visit the job site to take field measurements and examine existing conditions of the project area will be at 10:00 a.m. on April 12, 2005, at the Office of the Engineer-in-Charge, Rm. 546, State Capitol, Albany, NY. Prospective bidders are urged to visit the site at this time. Prospective bidders or their representatives attending the pre-bid site visit will not be admitted on facility grounds without proper photo identification. Note that parking restrictions, and security provisions will apply and all vehicles will be subject to search.

For assistance pertaining to the site visit only, please phone Jim Jamieson at (518) 474-6184.

It is the policy of the State and the Office of General Services to encourage minority business enterprise participation in this project by contractors, subcontractors and suppliers, and all bidders are expected to cooperate in implementing this policy.

The Office of General Services reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

The bidding and contract documents may be obtained for \$8 deposit per set, plus \$2 per set shipping and handling fee, by calling the following toll free number (877) OGS-PLAN (647-7526) or by mail from the Plan Sales Unit, 35th Fl., Corning Tower, Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12242 (deposits less than \$50 are nonrefundable). Make check payable to the Office of General Services and write Fed. ID # and phone # on check.

By William F. O'Connor, AIA
Deputy Commissioner

REPLACE

WINDOWS, DOORS AND OVERHEAD DOOR

Various Department of Transportation Region 8 Facilities
Putnam, Rockland, Dutchess and Westchester Counties

SEALED bids for Project No(s). 42103-C and 42103-E, comprising separate contracts for Construction and Electrical Work, Replace Windows, Doors and Overhead Door, Various Department of Transportation Region 8 Facilities, Lake Carmel Maintenance Headquarters, Ludingtonville Rd., Lake Carmel, NY, White Plains Maintenance Subheadquarters, 51 Purdy Ave., White Plains, NY, Yonkers Maintenance Subheadquarters, Grassy Sprain Rd., Yonkers, NY, New City Maintenance Headquarters, 275 Ridge Rd., New City, NY, Fairview Residence Engineer Building No. 1, 334 Violet Ave., Poughkeepsie, NY, will be received by the Office of General Services, Design and Construction Group, Division of Contract Administration, 35th Fl., Corning Tower, Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12242, on behalf of

the Department of Transportation, until 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, April 20, 2005, when they will be publicly opened and read. Each bid must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the instructions to bidders and must be accompanied by a certified check, bank check or bid bond in the amount of \$16,700 for C, and \$700 for E.

All successful bidders on a multiple trade project or the successful bidder with a bid over \$200,000 on a single trade project, will be required to furnish a performance bond and a labor and material bond in the statutory form of public bonds required by sections 136 and 137 of the State Finance Law, each for 100 percent of the amount of the contract estimated to be between \$100,000 and \$250,000 for C, and under \$25,000 for E. The requirement for labor and material and performance bonds may be waived on a bid under \$200,000 on a single trade project.

The completion date for this project is 240 days after the agreement is approved by the Comptroller.

The only time prospective bidders will be allowed to visit the job site to take field measurements and examine existing conditions of the project area will be at 10:30 a.m. on April 14, 2005 at the front entrance of White Plains Maintenance Subheadquarters, 51 Purdy Ave., White Plains, NY. Prospective bidders are urged to visit the site at this time. Prospective bidders or their representatives attending the pre-bid site visit will not be admitted on facility grounds without proper photo identification. Note that parking restrictions, and security provisions will apply and all vehicles will be subject to search.

For assistance pertaining to the site visit only, please phone Shannon Landolfa at (845) 831-3111.

It is the policy of the State and the Office of General Services to encourage minority business enterprise participation in this project by contractors, subcontractors and suppliers, and all bidders are expected to cooperate in implementing this policy.

The Office of General Services reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

The bidding and contract documents may be obtained for \$8 deposit per set, plus \$2 per set shipping and handling fee, by calling the following toll free number (877) OGS-PLAN (647-7526) or by mail from the Plan Sales Unit, 35th Fl., Corning Tower, Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12242 (deposits less than \$50 are nonrefundable). Make check payable to the Office of General Services and write Fed. ID # and phone # on check.

By William F. O'Connor, AIA
Deputy Commissioner

REHABILITATE

ELEVATOR

Department of Transportation Region 10, Central Islip
Suffolk County

SEALED bids for Project No(s). 42279-U, Elevator Work, Rehabilitate Elevator, Equipment Maintenance Shop, Department of Transportation Region 10, 375 North Carleton Ave., Central Islip, NY, will be received by the Office of General Services, Design and Construction Group, Division of Contract Administration, 35th Fl., Corning Tower, Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12242, on behalf of the Department of Transportation, until 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, April 20, 2005, when they will be publicly opened and read. Each bid must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the instructions to bidders and must be accompanied by a certified check, bank check or bid bond in the amount of \$4,500.

The value of the contract is estimated to be between \$25,000 and \$75,000.

The completion date for this project is 180 days after the agreement is approved by the Comptroller.

The only time prospective bidders will be allowed to visit the job site to take field measurements and examine existing conditions of the project area will be at 10:30 a.m. on April 15, 2005 at the front entrance of the Equipment Maintenance Shop, DOT Region 10, 375 North Carleton Ave., Central Islip, NY. Prospective bidders are urged to visit the site at this time. Prospective bidders or their representatives attending the pre-bid site visit will not be admitted on facility grounds without proper photo identification. Note that parking restrictions, and security provisions will apply and all vehicles will be subject to search.

For assistance pertaining to the site visit only, please phone Ida Colon at (518) 951-0248.

It is the policy of the State and the Office of General Services to encourage minority business enterprise participation in this project by contractors, subcontractors and suppliers, and all bidders are expected to cooperate in implementing this policy.

The Office of General Services reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

The bidding and contract documents may be obtained for \$8 deposit per set, plus \$2 per set shipping and handling fee, by calling the following toll free number (877) OGS-PLAN (647-7526) or by mail from the Plan Sales Unit, 35th Fl., Corning Tower, Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12242 (deposits less than \$50 are nonrefundable). Make check payable to the Office of General Services and write Fed. ID # and phone # on check.

By William F. O'Connor, AIA
Deputy Commissioner

**REHABILITATE
ELEVATORS—PHASE II**
Rockland Psychiatric Center, Orangeburg
Rockland County

SEALED bids for Project No(s). 42427-H, 42427-E and 42427-U, comprising separate contracts for HVAC, Electrical and Elevator Work, Rehabilitate Elevators—Phase II, Bldg. Nos. 57-60, Rockland Psychiatric Center, 140 Old Orangeburg Rd., Orangeburg, NY, will be received by the Office of General Services, Design and Construction Group, Division of Contract Administration, 35th Fl., Corning Tower, Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12242, on behalf of the Office of Mental Health, until 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, April 20, 2005, when they will be publicly opened and read. Each bid must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the instructions to bidders and must be accompanied by a certified check, bank check or bid bond in the amount of \$3,000 for H, \$10,600 for E, and \$24,800 for U.

All successful bidders on a multiple trade project or the successful bidder with a bid over \$200,000 on a single trade project, will be required to furnish a performance bond and a labor and material bond in the statutory form of public bonds required by sections 136 and 137 of the State Finance Law, each for 100 percent of the amount of the contract estimated to be between \$25,000 and \$50,000 for H, between \$100,000 and \$250,000 for E, and between \$500,000 and \$1,000,00 for U. The requirement for labor and material and performance bonds may be waived on a bid under \$200,000 on a single trade project.

The completion date for this project is 400 days after the agreement is approved by the Comptroller.

The only time prospective bidders will be allowed to visit the job site to take field measurements and examine existing conditions of the project area will be at 10:30 a.m. on April 14, 2005, at the OGS Trailer, Rockland Psychiatric Center, 140 Old Orangeburg Rd., Orangeburg, NY. Prospective bidders are urged to visit the site at this time. Prospective bidders or their representatives attending the pre-bid site visit will not be admitted on facility grounds without proper photo identification. Note that parking restrictions, and security provisions will apply and all vehicles will be subject to search.

For assistance pertaining to the site visit only, please phone Jill Knight at (914) 948-0343, ext. 0.

It is the policy of the State and the Office of General Services to encourage minority business enterprise participation in this project by contractors, subcontractors and suppliers, and all bidders are expected to cooperate in implementing this policy.

The Office of General Services reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

The bidding and contract documents may be obtained for \$8 deposit per set, plus \$2 per set shipping and handling fee, by calling the following toll free number (877) OGS-PLAN (647-7526) or by mail from the Plan Sales Unit, 35th Fl., Corning Tower, Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12242 (deposits less than \$50 are nonrefundable). Make check payable to the Office of General Services and write Fed. ID # and phone # on check.

By William F. O'Connor, AIA
Deputy Commissioner

**PROVIDE
EPDM ROOF SYSTEM**
Sullivan Correctional Facility, Fallsburg
Sullivan County

SEALED bids for Project No(s). 42663-C, Construction Work, Provide EPDM Roof System, Entire Complex, Sullivan Correctional Facility, 325 Riverside Dr., Fallsburg, NY, will be received by the Office of General Services, Design and Construction Group, Division of Contract Administration, 35th Fl., Corning Tower, Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12242, on behalf of the Department of Correctional Services, until 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, April 13, 2005, when they will be publicly opened and read. Each bid must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the instructions to bidders and must be accompanied by a certified check, bank check or bid bond in the amount of \$81,200.

All successful bidders on a multiple trade project or the successful bidder with a bid over \$200,000 on a single trade project, will be required to furnish a performance bond and a labor and material bond in the statutory form of public bonds required by sections 136 and 137 of the State Finance Law, each for 100 percent of the amount of the contract estimated to be between \$2,000,000 and \$3,000,000. The requirement for labor and material and performance bonds may be waived on a bid under \$200,000 on a single trade project.

As a condition of award, within 48 hours of receipt of the proposed contract agreement from the State, the low bidder shall return the contract agreement to the State, properly executed, along with the bonds if required by said agreement. Low bidders who cannot meet these provisions may be subject to disqualification and forfeiture of the bid security.

The State intends to expedite award of this contract and the contractor shall be prepared to proceed with the work accordingly. Bidders are warned that time is of the essence of the contract and completion of the work must be within 300 days after the agreement is approved by the Comptroller. Due to the tightness of the construction schedule, bidders should consider the necessity for an increased work force and shift operations.

The only time prospective bidders will be allowed to visit the job site to take field measurements and examine existing conditions of the project area will be at 10:00 a.m. on April 7, 2005, meet at the front entrance to Sullivan Correctional Facility. Prospective bidders are urged to visit the site at this time. Prospective bidders or their representatives attending the pre-bid site visit will not be admitted on facility grounds without proper photo identification. Note that parking restrictions, and security provisions will apply and all vehicles will be subject to search.

Phone the office of Joan Raymondo, (845) 895-3170 a minimum of 72 hours in advance of the date to provide the names of those who will attend the pre-bid site visit.

It is the policy of the State and the Office of General Services to encourage minority business enterprise participation in this project by contractors, subcontractors and suppliers, and all bidders are expected to cooperate in implementing this policy.

The Office of General Services reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

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Deputy Commissioner