

010000 - ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed bids for **UTA AWOS REPLACEMENT**, to be constructed for TUNICA AIRPORT COMMISSION, Tunica, Mississippi, will be received at the Tunica Airport's Conference Board Room until 12:00PM, Friday, **May 14, 2021**, located at 209 South Airport Blvd, Tunica, Mississippi 38676, at which time the bids shall be publicly opened and read aloud via Microsoft Teams Conference Call. Sealed bids submitted prior to the bid opening should be sent to Tunica Airport Commission, Attn: Mr. Cliff Nash. Interim Executive Director, 209 South Airport Blvd, Tunica, MS 38676.

For this project, bids will also be accepted through the QuestCDN online electronic bid interface. Electronic bids must be submitted through the QuestCDN online bidding interface. All electronic bids must be signed by an individual authorized to bind the Bidder. All electronic bids must be regular in every respect and no interlineations, exclusions, or special conditions shall be made or included in the Proposal by the Bidder.

The project includes, but is not limited to, replacement of the AWOS equipment as shown on the plans and indicated in the specifications.

Digital copies of the bid documents are available at <http://Planroom.GarverUSA.com> for a fee of \$30. These documents may be downloaded by selecting this project from the "Plan Room" link, and by entering Quest Project Number 7758451 on the "Browse Projects" page. For assistance and free membership registration, contact QuestCDN at 952.233.1632 or info@questcdn.com. Addendums to the bid package will be issued through the online Garver Plan Holders List; therefore, all prime bidders shall be responsible for downloading the bid documents from the Garver online plan room in order to be included in the Plan Holders List. Bidders must enter the addenda numbers in the Proposal to verify receipt.

Proposals shall be accompanied by a cashier's or certified check upon a national or state bank in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the total maximum bid price payable without recourse to the Owner, or a bid bond in the same amount from a reliable surety company, as a guarantee that the Bidder will enter into a contract and execute performance and payment bonds within ten (10) days after notice of award of Contract to him. Such bid guarantee shall be made payable to TUNICA AIRPORT COMMISSION.

The successful bidder must furnish a performance and payment bond upon the form provided in the amount of one hundred per cent (100%) of the contract price from an approved surety company holding a permit from the State of Mississippi to act as surety, or other surety or sureties acceptable to the Owner.

Bidders must be qualified under Mississippi Law and show a current Certificate of Responsibility issued by the Mississippi Board of Public Contractors establishing classification as to the value and type of construction work on which he/she is authorized to bid.

Certain mandatory federal requirements apply to this solicitation and will be made a part of any contract awarded:

1. Buy American Preferences (Title 49 U.S.C. Chapter 501)
2. Foreign Trade Restrictions (49 CFR 30.17)
3. Davis Bacon Labor Provisions (29 CFR Parts 1, 3, and 5)
4. Requirement for Affirmative Action (41 CFR Part 60-4)
5. Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility, and Voluntary Exclusion
6. Requirements for Drug-free Workplace

Davis Bacon Act wage rules shall apply. The Department of Labor provides all pertinent information related to compliance with labor standards, including prevailing wage rates and instructions for reporting. For more information please refer to www.wdol.gov.

All Bidders shall make good faith efforts, as defined by Appendix A of 49 CFR Part 26, Regulations of the Office of the Secretary of Transportation, to subcontract a minimum of 10.2% of the dollar value of the prime contract to small business concerns owned and controlled by socially and economically disadvantaged individuals DBE).

Tunica Airport Commission reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive irregularities in the bids and bidding deemed to be in the best interests of Tunica Airport Commission, and to reject nonconforming, nonresponsive, or conditional bids.

Bids must remain in effect for 60 days after the bid opening date.

Tunica Airport Commission