NORTHWEST MS COMMUNITY COLLEGE BIDDERS INFORMATION PACKET

BID # 20-004-17, 5-AXIS VERTICAL MACHINING CENTER Proposal for Pre-Qualification



Dwayne Casey

District Dean of Workforce Solutions & Community Services

Technical Proposals Due: Friday, April 3, 2020, 3:30 p.m.

Reverse Auction Bid: Tuesday, April 7, 2020, 1:00 p.m.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the Northwest MS Community College Office of Purchasing will receive bids for the purchase of

BID # 20-004-17, 5-AXIS VERTICAL MACHINING CENTER

Pursuant to MS Code 31-7-13 and House Bill 1109, this commodity will be procured through a multi-step procurement process, including a reverse auction. In Phase One, technical proposals are evaluated for potential acceptability based upon pre-determined criteria. In Phase Two, only those bidders whose technical proposals are determined acceptable shall be invited to provide priced bids for consideration. Technical bid proposals will be accepted until 3:30 p.m. on Friday, April 3, 2020, in sealed envelopes at the Office of Purchasing, 102 Administration Circle, Senatobia, Mississippi, or by electronic bid submission. Submissions will be evaluated and vendors submitting acceptable offers will be invited to submit priced bids. Electronic bids can be submitted at www.centralbidding.com. For any questions relating to the electronic bidding process, please call Central Bidding at 225-810-4814.

Final, invited, priced bidding will be held by electronic reverse auction on Tuesday, April 7, 2020, at 1:00 p.m., closing on Tuesday, April 7, 2020, at 2:00 p.m. Bidders may come to the Office of Purchasing with a paper bid and receive technical assistance in entering their bid in the reverse auction if needed.

Specifications and procedures are available at Office of Purchasing, 2nd floor McCormick Administration Building, 102 Administration Circle, Senatobia, MS during normal business hours at no charge. Bid packages may also be downloaded from Central Bidding for a fee at www.centralbidding.com. All bids must comply with the specifications provided.

Minority and Woman Owned Business Enterprises are solicited to bid on this project as prime contractors and are encouraged to make inquiries regarding potential subcontracting opportunities, equipment, material and/or supply needs.

Northwest MS Community College is an Equal Opportunity Employer, and hereby notifies that all Bidders will be afforded the full opportunity to submit bids in response to this advertisement for bids and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, disability, sexual preference, marital or veteran status, or any other legally protected status in consideration for an award.

The successful Bidder shall comply with the Davis-Bacon Act (where applicable) which requires that all laborers and mechanics shall be paid at rates not less than those determined by the Department of Labor to be prevailing for the locality in which the project is located. No Bidder may withdraw his bid within 90 days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

This project is being funded in part by the Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) Grant #MS-19778 and the rules and regulations therein apply.

The bid will be awarded to the lowest and or best bid from a responsive, responsible bidder. Bid forms and instructions to bidders are on file in the Office of Purchasing and may be obtained upon request. The College Purchasing Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and waive informalities in the bidding.

Northwest Mississippi Community College Ruth Dunlap Purchasing Agent 662-562-3202

Submitted: The Tate Record

Publication dates: March 17th and March 24th of 2020

Northwest MS Community College Office of Purchasing - Bid Committee McCormick Administration Building, 2nd floor 102 Administration Circle Senatobia, MS 38668

INVITATION TO BID

Bid Name: BID # 20-004-17, 5-AXIS VERTICAL MACHINING CENTER

Technical Proposals Due: Friday, April 3, 2020, 3:30 p.m.

Reverse Auction Online Bid Opening: Tuesday, April 7, 2020, 1:00 p.m.

It is agreed by the undersigned bidder that this signature submission of this bid represents the bidder's acceptance and compliance of all terms, conditions, and requirements of all bid documents contained herein.

Bidders must comply with all instructions contained within this packet. Contact the Office of Purchasing with any questions or concerns. The College does not intend to prevent any vendor from qualifying for participation in the bid process.

Northwest MS Community College is seeking bids for the purchase of BID # 20-004-17 5-AXIS VERTICAL MACHINING CENTER. It is the intent of the College to award the bid to the most responsive and responsible bidder. The College reserves the right to determine the basis for award based on cost effectiveness, savings, and ability to deliver in a timely manner, specifications and other pertinent factors.

Bidders should be advised that no award will automatically result from a reverse auction, and that the College will review the results of the auction and make a determination in a timely manner.

Bidders are required to submit their completed Technical Proposal *no later than 3:30 p.m. on Friday, April 3, 2020.* This may be submitted in any of the following ways:

- Electronic submission via www.centralbidding.com at no charge.
- Or, written packet submitted in duplicate sealed envelope and clearly labeled as TECHNICAL PROPOSAL with bidder's name and address, name of bid, bid number and bid due date.

Hand delivered: Office of Purchasing, 102 Administration Circle, Senatobia, MS

OR Mailed to: Northwest MS Community College

Office of Purchasing 4975 Hwy 51 North Senatobia, MS 38668 Submission Requirements: All written technical proposals must include one original set of proposal documents along with one paper copy. Documentation submitted will not be returned.

The Office of Purchasing and the College Bid Committee will review all submissions for compliance to specifications. The College will notify each bidder regarding their status upon review. Acceptance indicates all specifications were met. Unacceptable indicates the proposal does not meet all specifications and will not be considered for the reverse auction. All bidders will be notified after proposals have been reviewed.

Acceptable bidders will be extended an invitation to participate in the reverse auction along with additional bidder's packet information. Bidders submitting non-compliant proposals will receive notification of noncompliance.

Reverse auction participants are required to submit their final priced bid at 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 7, 2020 by reverse auction in one of the following ways:

- Online reverse auction bidding with Central Bidding.

 There is no fee to our bidders to participate in the reverse auction. If you choose to download bid documents from the online bidding site, you may be charged a download fee, or presented the option for a membership. Bid documents are available for free, via email, from the Office of Purchasing.
- Or, if vendors do not have access to a computer, written pricing submissions may be brought to the Office of Purchasing no later than 30 minutes prior to the start time of the reverse auction (Tuesday, April 7, 2020, 1:00 p.m.). Bidders will be allowed access to computers and technical assistance will be available in order to participate in the required reverse auction. Contact Office of Purchasing for assistance with this option.

Prior registration with Central Bidding is required (even if Technical Proposal was submitted in written paper form). The reverse auction will be live for ONE HOUR.

The college will review all bids and award to the lowest, responsible, responsive bidder. Anticipated recommendation of award is Monday, April 13, 2020.

BID CALENDAR 5-AXIS VERTICAL MACHINING CENTER

Bid Publication	Tuesday, March 17, 2020
Bid Publication	Tuesday, March 24, 2020
Technical Proposals	Friday, April 3, 2020
Evaluation of Proposals	Monday, April 6, 2020
Notification of Invitation to Bid	Monday, April 6, 2020
Reverse Auction Bid Opening	1:00 p.m., Tuesday, April 7, 2020
Reverse Auction Bid Closing	2:00 p.m., Tuesday, April 7, 2020
Anticipated Recommendation of Award	Monday, April 13, 2020

GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

<u>Authorized Signatures</u>: The bid must be executed personally by the vendor, a duly authorized partner of the partnership, or a duly authorized officer of the corporation. If executed by an agent, a power of attorney or other evidence of authority to act on behalf of the vendor shall accompany the bid to become a valid bid.

<u>Public Bid Opening</u>: Bidders should note that prior approval of technical proposals is required to participate in the reverse auction. Bidders attending the reverse auction are required to present the Authorization of Representation for Reverse Auction Bidding form when participating in the auction using college equipment.

<u>Late Bids</u>: Bids must be received in the Office of Purchasing before the designated time of bid opening. Bids received after the submission deadline shall be rejected as non-responsive and returned unopened to the bidder.

<u>Withdrawal of Bids After Bid Opening</u>: Bidder agrees that its offer may not be withdrawn or cancelled by the vendor for a period of ninety (90) days following the date and time designated for the receipt of bids unless otherwise stated in the bid and/or specifications.

<u>Public Review of Bid Documents</u>: Bidders are encouraged to inspect all bid documents after the Office of Purchasing has completed the bid documents qualification process and prior to the auction.

<u>Bid Amounts</u>: Bids shall show the price for the specified commodity including delivery. Any ambiguity in the bid as a result of omission, error, unintelligible wording shall be interpreted in the favor of the college.

<u>Alternates</u>: The invitation for bid and/or specifications *may* expressly allow bidder to submit an alternate bid in addition to the primary bid. Presence of such an offer shall not be considered an indication of non-responsiveness.

Bid Alterations: Bids cannot be altered or amended after submission deadline.

<u>Tax Exempt Status</u>: Northwest MS Community College is exempt from tax according to the enclosed notice. The bid price shall not include any taxes. The awarded bidder must cover all expenses in the stated bid amount.

<u>Quantities</u>: Quantities indicated are estimated quantities only and are not a commitment to purchase.

<u>Bid Award</u>: Award of contract shall be made to the most responsible, responsive bidder, whose offer is determined to be the best value, taking into consideration the relative importance of price. Northwest MS Community College reserves the right to accept or reject in part or in whole any bid submitted, and to waive any technicalities or informalities for the best interest of the college. Northwest MS Community College reserves the right to

award based upon prior usage, individual line items, sections or total bid. The college reserves the right to waive all technical errors in the bids and to accept or reject any or all bids. In addition, the bidder recognizes the right of the college to reject a proposal if the bidder failed to furnish any required submittals on the date required by the proposal documents, or if any bid is in any way incomplete or irregular. Written specifications, bid package documents, and any addenda will be the basis of the bid award in accordance with Mississippi State Laws. Any significant clarifications will be handled by addenda to all vendors.

<u>Responsible Standing of Bidder</u>: To be considered for award, bidder must at least, have the ability to obtain adequate financial resources, be able to comply with required or proposed delivery/completion schedule, have a satisfactory record of performance; have a satisfactory record of integrity and ethics, and be otherwise qualified and eligible to receive award.

<u>Proprietary Data</u>: Bidder may, by written request, indicate as confidential any portion(s) of a bid that contain proprietary information, including manufacturing and/or design processes exclusive to the vendor. The college will protect from public disclosure such portions of a bid, unless directed otherwise by legal authority, including existing Open Records Acts.

<u>Delivery Charges</u>: All delivery and freight charges, F.O.B. destination shown on the Northwest MS Community College purchase order, as necessary are to be included in the bid price. Delivery is to be made within 60 calendar days of purchase order issuance. Commodities shall be on pallets for dock delivery Senatobia Campus. NWCC will provide forklift and operator.

<u>Samples, Demonstrations and Testing</u>: At the college's request and direction, bidder shall provide product samples and/or testing of items bid to ensure compliance with specifications. Sample, demonstrations and/or testing may be requested at any point prior to or following bid award. Samples, demonstrations and/or testing may be requested upon delivery and/or any point during the term of resulting contract. All samples (including return thereof), demonstrations, and/or resting shall be at the expense of the bidder/vendor.

<u>Purchase Orders</u>: A purchase order(s) shall be generated by the Northwest MS Community College Office of Purchasing to the successful vendor. The purchase order number must appear on all itemized invoices and packing slips. The college will not be held responsible for any work orders placed and/or performed without a valid current purchase order number. Payment will be made for all services rendered and accepted by the college for which a valid invoice has been received or that are in compliance with purchase laws of the State of Mississippi. No payment will be made until an order is complete.

<u>Invoices</u>: All invoices shall reference the purchase order number. Invoices shall reference the bid item number or a detailed description for each item invoiced. Payment will be made under terms of the laws of the State of Mississippi.

<u>Contract Definition</u>: The General Conditions of Bidding, Specifications, including any addenda thereto, and any other documents made a part of this bid shall constitute the complete bid. This bid, when duly accepted by the college, shall constitute a contract equally binding between the successful bidder and Northwest MS Community College.

<u>Change Order</u>: No different or additional terms will become part of this contract with the exception of a change order. No oral statement of any person shall modify or otherwise change, or affect the terms, conditions or specifications stated in the resulting contract. All change orders to the contract will be made in writing and at the discretion and approval of the college and in accordance with the laws of the State of Mississippi.

<u>Termination of Default</u>: The college reserves the right to enforce the performance of this contract in any manner prescribed by law or deemed to be the best interest of the college in the event of breach or default of this contract. The college reserves the right to terminate the contract immediately in the event the vendor fails to perform to the terms of specifications or fails to comply with the terms of this contract. Breach of contract or default authorizes the college to award to another vendor.

Sale, Assignment, or Transfer of Contract: The successful vendor shall not sell, assign, transfer or convey this contract, in whole or in part, without the prior written consent of the college.

Signature on all bid documents certifies:

- The submission of the offer did not involve collusion or other anti-competitive practices.
- The bidder has not given, offered to give, nor intends to give at any time here-after any economic opportunity, future employment, gift, loan, gratuity, special discount, trip favor, or service to any public servant in connection with the submitted offer.
- The bidder hereby certifies that the individual signing the bid is an authorized agent for the bidder and has the authority to bind the bidder to the contract.

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

In 2017 Mississippi passed legislation requiring government bidding to be conducted by reverse auction and to allow any bid to be submitted by electronic means. Northwest MS Community College is required to follow these laws. Vendors are welcome to continue to submit "paper" bids in sealed envelopes, but are encouraged to participate in the reverse auction process.

<u>ELECTRONIC SUBMITTALS DEFINITION</u>: Secure electronic system for submittal of bids. Electronic submission provides a way for bidders to submit their proposals without the need for printing, mailing or hand delivery of bid packets to the college. All documents are uploaded to <u>www.centralbidding.com</u> and transmitted to the college. The college accepts no responsibility for any expenses incurred by any bidder in the participation of this process.

<u>REVERSE AUCTION DEFINITION</u>: Process allowing several vendors to compete for the right to sell goods or services to a buyer. Competing vendors can see the price of (unidentified) competitors and lower their price to compete for the sale.

The process is two-fold.

- 1. Bidders will submit their "technical" proposal by the deadline given with a quote for the scope of the project. This proposal will be used to determine auction bidders. The Office of Purchasing and the College Bid Committee will review all submissions for compliance to specifications. By pre-qualifying the technical submissions, all bidders will have the assurance that they are competing with other qualified submissions. The College will notify each bidder regarding their status upon review. Acceptance indicates all specifications were met. Unacceptable indicates the proposal does not meet all specifications and will not be considered for the reverse auction. All bidders will be notified after proposals have been reviewed.
- 2. Acceptable bidders will be extended an invitation to participate in the reverse auction along with additional bidder's packet information. Bidders submitting non-compliant proposals will receive notification of noncompliance. Bidders who submit their proposals in a written delivery method may still participate in the reverse auction bid by attending the auction and submitting their pricing during the auction period. Contact the Office of Purchasing for assistance.

The reverse auction is conducted online through www.centralbidding.com. This company trains all vendors on how to use their website to submit their pricing upon registration of the bid and prior to the start of the auction process. This bidding technique offers bidders the opportunity to understand their bidding position in real time and allows them the ability to adjust their pricing accordingly. Adjustments can continue to be made until the end of the auction period. The college reserves the right to utilize anti-sniping procedures for reverse auctions. Anti-sniping is a tool that automatically extends the bid time for a reverse auction by five (5) minutes if a vendor places a bid in the final five (5) minutes of

the reverse auction. The anti-sniping effect will automatically extend the reverse auction bid time any time a bid is placed in the last five (5) minutes of the reverse auction and can automatically extend the reverse auction multiple times until the bidding on the reverse auction ends.

Vendors are encouraged to read all information contained in this bid packet. All bidders are required to complete and return the provided bid documents. **Do not leave any request unanswered**. Failure to comply with instructions contained herein may be cause for the college to reject your bid. Only the format and documents included with this bid packet will be accepted as compliant for the submitted bid. Failure to complete all required attachments may result in disqualification. Each bidder, by submitting a bid, represents that he/she has read and understand the bid documents and specifications.

Bidders are encouraged to make the Office of Purchasing aware of any concerns regarding the specification requirements. <u>Bidders are encouraged to investigate this bid and ask questions within the first week of receiving the bid.</u> Any bidder finding discrepancies in or omissions from this bid packet, or in doubt as to the true meaning of a particular requirement, shall request clarification or correction in writing.

Bidders needing clarifications should fax or email questions as soon as possible. All questions must be sent prior to 9:00 a.m. on Friday, March 27, 2020 unless unavoidable to avoid changing the bid response date according to MS State Code 31-3. Only questions which change the scope of the bid documents will be considered for addendum. Addenda will be sent to all bidders, if or when necessary until two working days prior to the bid openings. Any addenda necessary within two working days of the bid opening will require the bid date to be set back to a date not less than five (5) working days after the date of the last addendum, according to Mississippi Code 31-7-13. All addenda are to be acknowledged with the bid response.

For that reason, bidders are encouraged to investigate this bid and ask questions within the first week of receiving the bid.

Refer all questions regarding specifications in writing to:

Dwayne Casey, District Dean of Workforce Solutions & Community Services

Ph: 662-562-3486 Fax: 662-562-3951

Email: dcasey@northwestms.edu

BID SPECIFICATIONS FOR 5-AXIS VERTICAL MACHINING CENTER

One (1) 5-Axis Vertical Machining Center.

Overview of 5-Axis Vertical Machining Center:

One (1) 5-axis vertical machining center with 30 in. x 20 in. x 20 in. (762 mm x 508 mm x 508 mm) travels with accessories.

For the purpose of establishing minimum specifications, Northwest Mississippi Community College's District Dean of Workforce Solutions & Community Services and instructors from the Precision Manufacturing and Machining Technology program have reviewed specifications from numerous manufacturers and sought out brands and models to meet the needs of the College. The products specified below meet all the requirements and were used as a template for preparing these minimum specifications. The products indicated below have been submitted for technical review by the manufacturers to assure minimum specifications in regard to performance, function, operation, and warranty within the budget set up for this purchase. Other manufacturers/ models may be submitted for approval no later than Friday, February 14, 2020, prior to bid, however substitutions are discouraged for the purposes of this project timeframe. Substitution submittals must include: manufacturer literature, performance documentation, manufacturer representative visit to Northwest Mississippi Community College for demonstrations. This submittal process must be completed no later than Friday, February 21, 2020 prior to bid.

One (1) 5-axis vertical machining center with 30 in. x 20 in. x 20 in. (762 mm x 508 mm x 508 mm) travels with accessories.

Haas UMC-750 5-axis vertical machining center with accessories

5-axis machining center must include:

Travels: X axis 762 mm / 30.0 in, Y axis 508 mm / 20.0 in, Z axis 508 mm / 20.0 in. Spindle nose to platter (~ max) 610 mm / 24.0 in.

Spindle nose to platter (~ min) 102 mm / 4.0 in.

Standard program memory of 1 GB of onboard memory for program storage and backup.

8100-rpm spindle, 40 taper, 30 hp (22.4kW) vector drive, inline direct-drive; to provide a good combination of low speed torque and high rpm for all-purpose machining work. Dynamic work offsets and tool center point control; software features that simplify job setup for 4- and 5-axis machining. Must include the rotary axis calibration tool. Early power failure detection module to sense a power failure or severe drop in incoming line voltage and to quickly bring all axis motion to a safe and controlled stop. Ethernet interface to allow the user to easily transfer files to and from the machine over a local wired network.

HaasConnect to remotely monitor the machining center.

Second home position to allow the operator to quickly send the machine's axes to a user-defined home position.

Media Display M-Code; M130 to use within an NC program to call up media files (images, videos, PDF files) from memory and display them on the control screen as the program runs. Must include NextGen Control only.

Remote jog handle with touchscreen display to allow the user to get up-close to the machine's work area for part setup, changeover, and inspection, while still having control of the machine.

Precision scale feedback on the B and C rotary axes, to improve accuracy and repeatability.

Rigid tapping; synchronized tapping, with built-in tap cycles and up to 8X retract speed. Side-mount 30 tool changer.

Top cover to effectively prevent chip and coolant egress from the top of the machine during machining.

Built-in mist extraction provision to allow the use of an enclosure exhaust or mist extraction system to remove mist and smoke from the enclosure.

Wi-Fi connection for the Haas Control to provide wireless connectivity between the Haas control and a local area network.

Wireless Intuitive Probing System; Renishaw to includes the Haas Visual Programming System, macros, spindle orientation, and coordinate rotation and scaling.

Through-spindle coolant, 300 psi (21 bar) to provide high-pressure coolant directly through the cutting tool.

Belt-type chip conveyor to provide quick, high-volume chip removal for increased productivity. Conveyor shall discharge chips at standard 55-gallon barrel height.

Programmable coolant nozzle; a multi-position nozzle that automatically directs coolant precisely at the cutting tool.

Through-tool air blast to supply high-pressure / high-flow air through the tool, directly to the cutting edge.

High-speed machining to allow faster feed rates and more complex toolpaths, without hesitation or starving the machine.

Auxiliary coolant filter system to include a bag-style filtration system that keeps the coolant free of particulates down to 5 microns.

Work table light to include a magnetic mount LED to provide bright illumination for the work table.

Machine control simulator for training and toolpath verification purposes.

Kennametal Tooling Voucher: \$10,000 Tooling Voucher to provide customized tooling options.

Bid shall include freight, rigging, assembly, installation, set up, leveling, connecting transformer (when applicable), and toll-free technical support. The 5-Axis Vertical Machining Center shall include a minimum of one-year parts and workmanship warranty.

THE SPECIFICATIONS LISTED FOR One (1) 5-Axis Vertical Machining Center ARE MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS NEEDED. ITEMS THAT ARE BID MUST MEET OR EXCEED THESE SPECIFICATIONS.

Northwest MS Community College Office of Purchasing - Bid Committee McCormick Administration Building, 2nd floor 102 Administration Circle Senatobia, MS 38668

TECHNICAL PROPOSAL FOR PRE-QUALIFICATION

Bid Name: BID # 20-004-17, 5-AXIS VERTICAL MACHINING CENTER **Technical Proposals Due:** Friday, April 3, 2020, 3:30 p.m. Reverse Auction Online Bid Opening: Tuesday, April 7, 2020, 1:00 p.m. NAME OF BIDDER:_____ CITY, STATE, ZIP: PHONE: CONTACT PERSON FOR THIS BID:_____ EMAIL:_____PHONE:____ It is agreed by the undersigned bidder that this signature submission of this bid represents the bidder's acceptance and compliance of all terms, conditions, specifications, and requirements of all bid documents. Where does your company intend to participate in the reverse auction? Location of my choosing Office of Purchasing Does your company intend to use college computers during the auction? _____YES _____NO Bidders participating in the reverse auction at the Office of Purchasing are required to complete and return the Authorization of Representation for Reverse Auction Bidding. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ADDENDUMS: ADDENDUM 1:____ ADDENDUM 2:____ ADDENDUM 3:____

Printed Name

Signature

Date

VENDOR CHECKLIST OF REQUIRED INFORMATION

NOTE: Bidders are required to initial below to insure all information has been read, understood and all pertinent information is enclosed. This page <u>must be submitted</u> with the Technical Proposal request information whether submitted via online, mail, or hand delivered.

INITI	AL TO ACKNOWLEI	OGE:		
_	All bid documents hav	ve been read and understood.		
	The completed Techn	nical Proposal for Prequalification Form (pg.15).		
	Current publis each item in the Initial Response	sposal submittal are the following documents: shed manufacturer specification submittal documents for the above specifications ase Quote Bid Form (next four pages)		
	Registration has been	completed with Central Bidding.		
	chnical Proposal docum. Friday, April 3, 20	uments indicated above must be submitted prior to 20, by:		
1.	electronic means as in	nstructed within the bid packet to www.centralbidding.com		
<u>OR</u>				
2.	2. in a double sealed envelope labeled with bid name, bid opening date, time name			
	Hand deliver to:	Office of Purchasing 102 Administration Circle Senatobia, MS		
	OR Mail to:	Northwest MS Community College Office of Purchasing 4975 Hwy 51 North		

Failure to comply with the above requirements may result in rejection of your bid.

Senatobia, MS 38668

MISSISSIPPI DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY DIVISION OF COMMUNITY SERVICES

DATE:

SUBJECT: MISSISSIPPI EMPLOYMENT PROTECTION ACT

To verify compliance with the "Mississippi Employment Protection Act" Bidders/Contractors/Subcontractors are to complete the following Contractor EEV Certification and agreement form given below.

CONTRACTOR EEV CERTIFICATION AND AGREEMENT

Project No: County:

By executing this Certification and Agreement, the undersigned verifies its compliance with Senate Bill 2988 from the 2008 Mississippi Legislative Session, "Mississippi Employment Protection Act," as published in Laws, 2008 and codified in the Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended, and any rules or regulations promulgated by Mississippi Development Authority, Department of Employment Security, State Tax Commission, Secretary of State, and Department of Human Services in accordance with the Mississippi Administrative Procedures Law (Section 25-43-1 et seq., Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended), stating affirmatively that the individual, firm, or corporation which is contracting with the recipient and the Mississippi Development Authority has registered with and is participating in a federal work authorization program* operated by the United States Department of Homeland Security to electronically verify information of newly hired employees pursuant to the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986, Pub.L. 99-603, 100 Stat 3359, as amended. The undersigned agrees to inform the Mississippi Development Authority if the undersigned is no longer registered or participating in the program.

The undersigned agrees that, should it employ or contract with any subconsultant(s) and/or subcontractor(s) in connection with the performance of this Contract, the undersigned will secure from such subconsultant(s) and/or subcontractor(s) verification of compliance with the Mississippi Employment Protection Act. The undersigned further agrees to maintain records of such compliance and provide a copy of each such verification to the Mississippi Development Authority, if requested, for the benefit of the recipient and the Mississippi Development Authority or this Contract.

EEV* Company Identifi	cation Number [Requ	ired]:	

The undersigned certifies that the above information is complete, true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. The undersigned acknowledges that any violation may be subject to the cancellation of the contract, ineligibility for any state or public contract for up to three (3) years, the loss of any license, permit, certificate or other document granted by any agency, department or government entity for the right to do business in Mississippi for up to one (1) year, or both, any and all additional costs incurred because of the contract cancellation or the loss of any license or permit, and may be subject to additional felony prosecution for knowingly or recklessly accepting employment for compensation from an unauthorized alien as defined by 8 U.S.C §1324a(h)(3), said action punishable by imprisonment for not less than one (1) year nor more than five (5) years, a fine

By:

Authorized Officer or Agent of Contractor

SWORN To AND SUBSCRIBED before me on this the day of 20

NOTARY PUBLIC

of not less than One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) nor more than Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00),

My Commission Expires:

^{*} As of the effective date of the Mississippi Employment Protection Act, the applicable federal work authorization program is 3-Verify operated by the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services of the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, in conjunction with the Social Security Administration.

PROPOSED SUBCONTRACT BREAKDOWN

Column 1	Column 2	n of the CDBG-Assiste	Column 4	Column 5
Type of Contract (Business or Profession)	Total Number of Contracts	Total Approximate Dollar Amount	Estimated Number of Contracts to Project Area Businesses	Estimated Dollar Amount to Projec Area Businesses
ompany:		1		

* The project area is coextensive with the (City, Town, or County)'s boundaries.

ESTIMATED PROJECT WORKFORCE BREAKDOWN TABLE B

	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5	
Job Category	Number of Estimated Positions	Number of Positions Currently Occupied by Permanent Em	Number of Positions Not Currently Occupied	Positions to be filled with L.I.P .A.R.*	
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Officers/Supervisors Professionals Technicians Housing Sales/RentaVMgmt. Office Clerical					
Service Workers Others					
TRADE:					
Journeyman Helpers					
Apprentices Maximum No. of Trainees Others		<u> </u>			
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Journeyman Helpers					
Apprentices Maximum No. of Trainees Others					
TOTAL					

Company:

*Lower Income Pr	roject Area F	Residents.	Individuals	residing	within the	e (City/Tow	n or Co	unty)
W	hose family	income do	es not exc	eed 90% c	of the me	dian income	in the	SMSA.

THIS SECTION COMPLETES DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR STEP 1: TECHNICAL PROPOSAL PRE-QUALIFICATION

YOU WILL BE NOTIFIED VIA EMAIL IF THE PROPOSAL IS ACCETABLE AND INVITED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE REVERSE AUCTION BID.

Prior registration with Central Bidding is required (even if Technical Proposal was submitted in written paper form). The reverse auction will be live for ONE HOUR.