**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

The Forrest County School District Board of Education, Forrest County, Mississippi, hereby gives Public Notice, in compliance with the requirements of Section 31-7-13 Mississippi Code of 1972, Annotated, as amended, that the Board shall receive sealed proposals for a School Nutrition Food Truck.

Bid Proposals will be accepted until 2:00 pm CST on Monday, March 2, 2020, in sealed envelopes at the Office of School Nutrition at 400 Forrest Street, Hattiesburg, MS 39401 or by electronic submission. Submissions will be evaluated and vendors submitting acceptable offers will be invited electronically to submit price bids during the Notification of Invitation to Bid (based upon acceptance of Proposals) on Monday, March 9, 2020.

Bidding will be held by electronic reverse auction at 2:00 pm CST on Wednesday, March 18, 2020. The electronic reverse auction will last thirty (30) minutes and is scheduled to end at 2:30 pm CST on Wednesday, March 18, 2020.

Specifications and bid forms may be obtained by contacting Ms. Lolita Burton, School Nutrition Director in the Office of School Nutrition at (601) 545-6062 or via email lburton@fcsd.us. Bidders should request such specifications and bid forms by designating the Bid Number as shown below.

Forrest County School District now offers electronic bidding. Official documents can be downloaded from Central Bidding at [www.centralbidding.com](http://www.centralbidding.com). Electronic RFPs, bids and/or reverse auction bids can be submitted at [www.centralbidding.com](http://www.centralbidding.com). For any questions related to the electronic bidding process, please call Central Bidding at (225) 810-4814.

The Forrest County School District Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and*/*or all bids so received and also the right to waive irregularities not in violation of the law.

The following is hereby submitted for receipt of bids as specified herein:

BID *#* 01-B01  School Nutrition Food Truck

Witness my hand and official seal on this the 12 day of February, 2020.

FORREST COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION

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Brian Freeman, Superintendent

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