**BID ADVERTISEMENT**

**R. H. BEARDEN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

**Interior Repairs and Upgrades of RH Bearden**

The West Tallahatchie School District is seeking bids for construction services at the R. H. Bearden School. The construction services are interior repairs and upgrades at R.H. Bearden School. The project Specifications and Scope of work are available at the West Tallahatchie School District Office, 6470 Friendship Road West Sumner, Mississippi 38957*.* Specifications and Scope of work are available on behalf of the West Tallahatchie School District at Triage Facility Consultants, LLC, 660 Katherine Drive Suite 304 Flowood, MS 39232. Specifications and Scope of work may be picked up and/or provided electronically. Copies of the Specifications and Scope can be obtained by contacting Kemmery Hill, kehill@wtsd.k12.ms.us, or from the address above.

Pre-bid conference shall be on October 5, 2023 at 10:00 A.M. at the West Tallahatchie School District Office, 6470 Friendship Road West Sumner, Mississippi 38957.

Sealed Bids, in duplicate, will be received by the West Tallahatchie School Board Representative until 10:00 A.M. local time on October 23, 2023, in the Board Room at the West Tallahatchie School District Office, located at 6470 West Friendship Road, Sumner, MS 38957. Bids will be publicly opened and read at 11:00 A.M. on October 23, 2023 for construction of the project

The bid bond shall be payable unconditionally to West Tallahatchie School District, Bids on the project must be received on or before the period scheduled for the project and no bid may be withdrawn after the scheduled closing time for the project, for a period of 45 days. All bids submitted must comply with the requirements of Chapter 3, Title 31 (Section 31-3-1 et seq.) of the Mississippi Code of 1972 as amended.

The West Tallahatchie School District is an equal opportunity employer and hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that, in any contract entered unto pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex, age, disability, or national origin in consideration for an award.

The West Tallahatchie School District reserves the right to reject any and/or all submittals, waive technicalities, informalities, or irregularities in the submittals received, solicit new submittals, or choose that submittal which is deemed to be in the best interest of the district.

Dr. Sherry Ellington

Superintendent of Education