## **INVITATION FOR BIDS**

Sealed Proposals for furnishing all labor and materials as required by the drawings and specifications for the New Rankin County Courthouse Facilities located in Brandon, Mississippi, will be received at the Rankin County Board of Supervisors Office, Suite A, 211 East Government Street, Brandon, Mississippi 39042, attention Janice Dendy on the 31st day of January, 2017 until 2:00 p.m. Central Standard Time, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Bidders must be qualified under Mississippi Law and shall hold current Certificates of Responsibility as issued by law.

Contract Documents are available in the office of the Architect, JH&H Architects/ Planners/Interiors, PA, 1047 North Flowood Drive, Flowood, MS 39232 upon deposit of \$250.00 per set. Deposits will be refunded to bona fide bidders on return of the Bid Documents in good condition within 15 calendar days after opening of Bids.

Copies of the Contract Documents may be examined at the office of the Architect, JH&H Architects/Planners/Interiors, PA.

A pre-bid conference will be held January 19, 2017 at 2:00 p.m. in the boardroom of the Rankin County Board of Supervisors, 211 East Government Street, Suite A, Brandon, Mississippi 39042.

Proposals must be submitted on the form as shown in the specifications and must be accompanied by a Bid Security in the form of a Bid Bond, Certified Check or Cashier's Check in an amount equal to 5% of the Bid and as required by the Contract Documents.

Performance and Payment Bond, in the full amount of the contract, will be required for contract security.

The Contract or Contracts will be awarded to the lowest acceptable bidder, except that the Owner reserves the right to waive any informalities and the Owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids. The Owner reserves the right to hold all bids for examination for a period not to exceed Sixty (60) days and to award the Contract based on the best bid. All Bids shall comply and be subject to Sections 31-3-15 and 31-3-21 of the Mississippi Code of 1972 as annotated and amended, and in all case law pertaining thereto.

Advertisement dates: December 7, 2016 and December 14, 2016