
INVITATION TO BID
3RD AVENUE & WELTY HALL PARKING LOT IMPROVEMENTS
SANITARY & STORM SEWER – PHASE I
MISSISSIPPI UNIVERSITY FOR WOMEN

Sealed bids will be received by Mississippi University for Women (MUW) at The Resource Management Office (on the first floor of Whitfield Hall), located at 1100 College Street Columbus, MS 39701 until 10:00 A.M., Local Time, on April 22, 2015 for supplying all labor and materials (as specified) necessary for the “3rd Avenue and Welty Hall Parking Lot Improvements Sanitary & Storm Sewer – Phase I”.

The work generally consists of installing a new concrete storm water inlet, a sanitary sewer manhole, gravity sewer line, and installing an HDPE storm water pipe at the Mississippi University for Women (MUW) campus.

The above general outline of features of the work does not in any way limit the responsibility of the Contractor to perform all work and furnish all labor, equipment and materials required by the specifications and/or the drawings referred to therein.

The Contract Time is sixty (60) calendar days. Liquidated damages will be assessed in the amount of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) for each calendar day the Work has not achieved Final Completion.

Special Damages – In addition to the amounts provided for liquidated damages, contractor, in the event of such default, shall pay the Owner the actual costs reasonably incurred by Owner for engineering and inspection forces employed on the work after the time stipulated for completion of the work.

CERTIFICATE OF RESPONSIBILITY: Each contractor submitting a bid in *excess of \$50,000.00 must show on his bid and on the face of the envelope containing the bid, his Certificate of Responsibility Number*, as required by Section 31-3-21 and 21-3-15, Mississippi Code of 1972. *If the bid does not exceed \$50,000.00, a notation so stating must appear on the face of the envelope.*

EVIDENCE: No bid will be opened, considered or accepted unless the above information is given as specified.

Proposals shall be sealed and deposited with MUW prior to the hour and date herein before designated. No bidder may withdraw his bid within sixty (60) days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

Awarding public contracts to non-resident Bidders will be on the same basis as the non-resident bidder’s state awards contracts to Mississippi Contractors bidding under similar circumstances. In order to ensure that Mississippi’s Golden Rule is followed, state law requires a non-resident bidder to attach to his/her bid, a copy of his/her resident state’s current laws pertaining to such state’s treatment of non-resident contractors.

Each Bidder must deposit with his proposal, a Bid Bond or Certified Check in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of his bid, payable to MUW, as bid security. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a Payment Bond and Performance Bond each in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the contract amount.

Copies of the Instruction to Bidders, Bid Forms and Contract Specifications may be procured at the office of Neel-Schaffer, Inc., P. O. Box 2100 / 39704, 2310 Martin Luther King, Jr. Drive / 39705, Columbus, MS, 662-328-4547, between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M., Local Time, Monday through Friday, upon payment of \$100.00 for each set, which will not be refunded. Checks are made payable to the Engineer.

