



**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
Professional Services Division**

Paul A. Fillebrown
Director

345 West 7th Street
Merced, CA 95341
(209) 385-7601
(209) 722-7690
www.co.merced.ca.us

Equal Opportunity Employer

April 13, 2009

Pacific - Sierra Publishing, Inc. (Merced Sun-Star)
P.O. Box 739
Merced, CA 95341

**SUBJECT: NOTICE OF LEGAL ADVERTISING – CASTLE AIRPORT RUNWAY
REHABILITATION AND PAVEMENT MARKING PROJECT**

Please publish the enclosed Invitation to Bid for the Castle Airport Runway Rehabilitation and Pavement Marking Project, Atwater, California.

The notice is to be published two times, with the first appearance being on Wednesday, April 15, 2009 and the second publication being on Wednesday, April 22, 2009, in the Merced Sun-Star.

Please provide two (2) Proofs of Publication and bill us in triplicate to Merced County Department of Public Works, Professional Services Division.

This advertisement is NOT to be published on the internet.

Very truly yours,

Randy Bardini, P.E.
Project Engineer

RPB:jl原因

Enclosure

J:\WP\ADVERTISEMENTS\Castle Airport .doc

INVITATION TO BID

SEALED BIDS will be received until 3:00 O'Clock P.M. Pacific Standard Time on May 7, 2009, at the Administrative Office for Public Works (located at 715 Martin Luther King Jr. Way, Merced, California) at which approximate time thereafter they will be publicly opened and their contents made known for the Castle Airport Runway Rehabilitation and Pavement Marking Project located north of the City of Atwater, County of Merced, California in accordance with the issued Drawings, Specifications and other Documents together with such Addenda thereto as may be issued prior to the bid opening.

In general, this project comprises furnishing all labor, materials, tools, equipment transportation and incidentals necessary to remove rubber from the runway, remove paint on blast pads, place seal coat on the porous friction course runway, asphalt concrete shoulders and blast pad and place pavement markings on the Castle Airport runway located north of the City of Atwater.

Bidders are advised that a non-mandatory pre-bid job walk will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, April 28, 2009, at the Merced County Office, Castle Airport, 2507 Heritage Drive, Atwater, CA 95301. Bidders are encouraged to attend.

Drawings, Specifications, and other Documents are on file at the office of Department of Public Works, 345 West 7th Street, Merced, and at other designated locations, where copies may be examined free of charge. Documents may be obtained from the Department of Public Works, Professional Services Division Offices, 345 West 7th Street, Building A, Merced, CA by intending Bidders for the Contract, who are licensed according to law, upon receipt of the non-refundable amount of \$25.00 per set on a company check, made payable to County of Merced. (CASH, PERSONAL CHECKS, OR MONEY ORDERS ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE).

No bid will be received unless it is made on a proposal form furnished by the MERCED COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS. Copies or facsimiles of the bidder's completed and executed proposal forms submitted as a bid will be rejected. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check, cashier's check, or bidder's bond made payable to the COUNTY OF MERCED for an amount equal to at least five percent (5%) of the amount of bid, such guaranty to be forfeited to the COUNTY OF MERCED should the bidder to whom the contract is awarded fail to enter into the contract.

Bids, in order to receive consideration, shall be made and submitted in accordance with the requirements and conditions set forth in the Instructions to Bidders and in the aforesaid Drawings, Specifications and other Documents. Neither partial nor contingent Bids will be considered.

The Contractor shall possess either a Class A license or a Class C-12 license at the time this contract is awarded.

This project does not have a goal for Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) participation. However, obtaining DBE Participation is encouraged.

The Bid of any Contractor who has previously violated the terms of the Federal Labor Laws, and who has not been cleared of such violations, will not be honored. Also, any Sub-Contractor under him under the same circumstance will not be accepted for this project.

Pursuant to Section 1773, inclusive, of the Labor Code the general prevailing rates in the county, or counties, in which work is to be done have been determined by the Director of California Department of Industrial Relations. These wages are set forth in the General Prevailing Wage Rates for this project, available from the California Department of Industrial Relations' Internet Web Site: www.dir.ca.gov/dlsr. The Federal Minimum wage rates from this project as predetermined by the United States Secretary of Labor are set forth in the books issued for bidding purposes entitled "Proposal and Contract," and in copies of this book that may be examined at the offices described above where project plans, special provisions and proposal forms may be seen. Addenda to modify Federal Minimum Wage Rates, if necessary, will be

issued to holders of "Proposal and Contract" books. Future effective general prevailing wage rates which have been predetermined and are on file with the California Department of Industrial Relations are referenced but not printed in the general prevailing wage rates.

Attention is directed to the Federal minimum wage rate requirements in said books entitled "Proposal and Contract." If there is a difference between the minimum wage rates predetermined by the Secretary of Labor and the general prevailing wage rates determined by the Director of the California Department of Industrial Relations for similar classifications or labor, the Contractor and subcontractor shall pay not less than the higher wage rate. The County will not accept lower State wage rates not specifically included in the Federal minimum wage determinations do not contain the State wage rate determination otherwise available for use by the Contractor and subcontractors shall pay not less than the Federal minimum wage rate which most closely approximates the duties of the employees in question.

It shall be mandatory upon the Contractor to whom the Contract is awarded, and upon all Sub-Contractors under him, to ascertain and pay not less than the latest general prevailing rate of wages and to pay not less than the general prevailing hourly rates for Saturday, Sunday, Holiday and overtime work for each Workman or Mechanic employed in the execution of the work of this project.

Contractors may substitute an Escrow Agreement for performance retention in accordance with the State of California Public Contract Code Section 22300.

It shall also be mandatory upon the Contractor to whom the Contract is awarded, and upon all Sub-Contractors under him, to pay not less than the wage rates determined by the United States Department of Labor, Decision No. CA20080029.

This contract is subject to state contract nondiscrimination and compliance requirements pursuant to Government Code, Section 12990.

Pursuant to Section 2300 of the Public Contract Code of the State of California, the contract will contain provisions permitting the successful bidder to substitute securities for any moneys withheld by the County of Merced to ensure performance under the contract.

Plans and Specifications may be examined at the MERCED COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS Office and at:

Fresno Builders Exchange
1244 North Mariposa Street
Fresno, CA 93703
(559) 237-1831/Fax (559) 264-2532

Merced-Mariposa Builders Exchange
For UPS: 410 West Main Street, Suite C
Merced, CA 95340
Mailing is: P.O. Box 2224
Merced, CA 95344
(209) 722-3612/Fax (209) 722-0207

Peninsula Builders Exchange
735 Industrial Road, Suite 100
San Carlos, CA 94070
(650) 591-4486/Fax (650) 591-8108

San Francisco Builders Exchange
850 South Van Ness Avenue
San Francisco, CA 94110
(415) 282-8220/Fax (415) 821-0363

Builders' Exchange of Stockton
7500 West Lane
Stockton, CA 95210
(209) 478-1000 / Fax (209) 478-2132

Placer County Bldrs Exchange & Contractors Assoc.
10656 Industrial Avenue, Suite 160
Roseville, CA 95678
(916) 771-7229 / Fax (916) 771-0556

Construction Bid Board
4420 Hotel Circle Court, Suite 215
San Diego, CA 92108
(800) 479-5314 x 6591/Fax (619) 688-0585

Valley Builders Exchange, Inc.
1118 Kansas Avenue
Modesto, CA 95351
P.O. Box 4307
Modesto, CA 95352
(209) 522-9031/Fax (209) 522-0616

McGraw Hill Construction-Dodge Plan Room
4020 Lennane Drive, Suite 104
Sacramento, CA 95834-1978
(916) 419-2287/Fax (916) 419-7299

Sacramento Builders Exchange
1331 "T" Street, P.O. Box 1462
Sacramento, CA 95814
(916) 442-8991/Fax (916) 446-3117

Contra Costa Builders Exchange
2440 Stanwell Drive, Suite B
Concord, CA 94520
(925) 685-8630/Fax (925) 685-3424

Sacramento Builders Exchange - Roseville Office
1 Sierragate, Suite 120-A
Roseville, CA 95678
(916) 782-4762 / Fax (916) 782-4792

Revised 1/22/09

Technical questions should be directed to:

Randy Bardini, P.E.
County of Merced
Department of Public Works
345 West 7th Street
Merced, CA 95340
Phone: (209) 385-7601 / Fax: (209) 722-7690
E-Mail Address: rbardini@co.merced.ca.us

The successful bidder will be required to furnish a Performance Bond and a Payment Bond, each in the full amount of the Contract price.

The COUNTY OF MERCED hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, Disadvantaged Business Enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation.

NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE FEDERALLY ASSISTED CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS

A Certification of Nonsegregated Facilities must be submitted prior to the award of a federally-assisted construction contract exceeding \$10,000 which is not exempt from the provisions of the Equal Opportunity Clause.

Contractors receiving federally-assisted construction contract awards exceeding \$10,000 which are not exempt from the provisions of the Equal Opportunity Clause will be required to provide for the forwarding of the following notice to prospective subcontractors for supplies and construction contracts where the subcontracts exceed \$10,000 and are not exempt from the provisions of the Equal Opportunity Clause. NOTE: the penalty for making statements in offers is prescribed in 18 U.S.C. 1001.

**NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE SUBCONTRACTORS OF REQUIREMENT FOR CERTIFICATION OF
NONSEGREGATED FACILITIES**

A Certification of Nonsegregated Facilities must be submitted prior to the award of a subcontract exceeding \$10,000 which is not exempt from the provisions of the Equal Opportunity Clause.

Contractors receiving subcontract awards exceeding \$10,000 which are not exempt from the provisions of the Equal Opportunity Clause will be required to provide for the forwarding of this notice to prospective subcontractors for supplies and construction contracts where the subcontracts exceed \$10,000 and are not exempt from the provisions of the Equal Opportunity Clause. NOTE: The penalty for making false statements in offers is prescribed in 18 U.S.C. 1001.

The Board of Supervisors of Merced County reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to waive any informalities or irregularities in any Bid or in the Bidding.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of Merced County, Merced, California.

PAUL A. FILLEBROWN, DIRECTOR
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS