

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

THE TRUSTEES OF THE CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY SAN MARCOS

Traffic Signal Project # B-1072

The Trustees of the California State University, California State University San Marcos, will receive sealed bid proposals marked to the attention of Procurement & Support Services, at 441 La Moree, San Marcos, CA 92078-0001. Contractor is to provide all labor, material, transportation, and services necessary for traffic signal installation, including traffic and pedestrian control during construction, all traffic signal equipment, poles, bases, wires, new curb cuts and ramps, and miscellaneous materials required for completion of the installation on the California State University San Marcos Campus.

Bid proposals will be received at the above mentioned location until **2:00 p.m. on November 17, 2009**, in accordance with the contract documents. Bids will be publicly opened and read. Contractors must obtain a temporary parking permit from the machine in lot K (see campus map). Place permit on dashboard in vehicle.

Contact the California Department of Industrial Relations (www.dir.ca.gov/DLSR/statistics_research.html) to obtain latest prevailing wage information for this area.

License requirement: A, B, or C-10

The construction period is 150 calendar days from issuance of Notice to Proceed

The construction budget for this project is: \$180,000.00

Each bidder offering a proposal must comply with bidding provisions of Article 2.00 et seq. of the Contract General Conditions. The bidder should familiarize himself with all the provisions of the Contract General Conditions.

A **NON MANDATORY** pre-bid walkthrough is scheduled for **November 3, 2009 at 10:00A.M.** All participants are requested to meet at parking lot T located adjacent to Campus Way Circle (See Campus Map). Contractors must obtain a temporary parking permit from the machine in the lot. Place permit on dashboard in vehicle.

This will be the only scheduled time in which the bidders can review the project site and ask questions of the Project Manager. The General Conditions, Section 2.02, establish that prospective bidders be familiar with the site conditions. It is highly recommended that bidders attend the walk.

Any questions regarding this Bid Package must be emailed bsainz@csusm.edu or faxed (760-750-3286) no later than Close of Business 5:00PM, November 9, 2009.

The State of California requires agencies to provide a 5% preference when awarding contracts to small businesses. Only small businesses certified by the Office of Small Business and DVBE Services (OSDS) are eligible to receive the preference. bidders wishing to claim the Small Business Preference must comply with and complete the Small Business Form provided in the bidding documents.

The requirements of this Bid are such that the opportunity to subcontract is, at best, limited. Therefore the Bid is being exempted from Public Contract Code 10115, et seq.

Contractors **MUST REGISTER** with CSUSM On-Line Bidding System: Planet Bids. All written communication from CSUSM to prospective bidders will take place via Planet Bids. Please visit the following website to gain access to Vendor registration and/or Bid/Contract Opportunities.

<http://www.csusm.edu/procurement/Procurement/VendorInfo.htm>