

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Bid Number: 37-15OCT13 – Boone County Walnut Office

Boone County, Missouri is accepting sealed bids for Boone County Walnut Office.

Scope of Project Construction:

Renovations to an existing office building to remediate fire damage and to adapt the building for new office use requirements. In addition to the fire renovation work the scope of the project will include construction of a separation wall on the second floor of the building located at 101 N. 7th Street.

Sealed bids will be accepted until 9:15 a.m. on October 15, 2013 at the Boone County Purchasing Office, 613 E. Ash St., Columbia, Missouri, 65201. Bids received after the above specified time for acceptance will be returned to the sender unopened.

Bids will be publicly opened after 9:30 a.m. on October 15, 2013 in the Boone County Commission Chambers, Boone County Government Center, 801 E. Walnut, Columbia, MO 65201.

The County reserves the right to select and award the bid item or items which best suit its needs, whether the price is the lowest or not; and also reserves the right to reject any and all bids or waive informalities or irregularities.

Not less than the prevailing hourly rate of wages, as found by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations of Missouri, shall be paid to all workers performing work under this Contract. The Contractor's bond shall include such provisions as will guarantee the faithful performance of the prevailing hourly wage rate as provided by the Contract.

Boone County notifies all Bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into 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, religion, creed, sex, age, ancestry, or national origin in consideration for an award. The Bidder will insure that Disadvantage Business Enterprises will have the opportunity to participate in the performance of this contract or any subcontracts.

Proposals must be on forms provided and all alternates, unit price bids, extensions, and totals provided thereon shall be completed fully.

Construction Bid Request and Plans may be obtained at <http://goo.gl/L0cM2x>. Electronic bid sets are available at no cost and may be printed as desired by the plan holders. No paper copies will be issued. If paper copies are desired, it is the responsibility of the user to print the files or have them printed.

A mandatory pre-bid conference has been scheduled for September 30, 2013 at 1:30 p.m. at the site of the work, 609 East Walnut, Columbia, Missouri. The purpose of the meeting will be to address any questions or concerns regarding the bid. All bidders are required to attend.

All questions pertaining to the project must be received by 4:00 p.m. on October 8, 2013.