ADVERTISEMENT FOR PREQUALIFICATION (Prime Contractor)

Subject to conditions prescribed by the University of California, Los Angeles, responses to the University's prequalification documents for a series of lump sum contracts are sought from prospective prime contractor bidders (hereafter "bidders") for the following project:

HEALTH SYSTEM MEDICAL FACILITIES OSHPD PREQUALIFIED BID POOL – PRIME CONTRACTOR
Project Number 19RR058-CP1108
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES

<u>PREQUALIFICATION OF PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS:</u> The University has determined that bidders who submit bids on this series of projects must be prequalified.

Prequalified bidders will be required to have the following California contractor's license(s):

B License (General Building)

GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF WORK: University is seeking to prequalify a pool of general contractors who, once successfully prequalified, will be the only contractors allowed to bid as prime contractors on a series of construction projects for a period of (1) year. Each project covered by this prequalification shall:

- 1. Be managed by the UCLA Health-Planning, Design & Construction department; and
- 2. Consist of construction work involving one or more building trades; and
- 3. Have a per project construction value of between \$50,000.00 and \$640,000.00; and
- 4. Be performed at the Ronald Reagan UCLA Medical Center and the Santa Monica UCLA Medical Center in patient care areas regulated by OSHPD.

University will also be separately prequalifying subcontractors to perform the mechanical, electrical and/or plumbing (MEP) work for said projects. Prequalified prime contractor bidders shall be required to use only successfully prequalified MEP subcontractors to perform said work on each project. Any prequalified prime contractor wishing to self-perform said MEP work must have also successfully prequalified with University for said trade work.

PREQUALIFICATION SCHEDULE: On June 12, 2019, prequalification documents will be available to intending bidders online at https://www.uclaplanroom.com and will be issued at no cost at:

Contracts Administration
University of California, Los Angeles
1060 Veteran Avenue, Suite 125
Box 951395
Los Angeles, California 90095-1395
310-825-7015

MANDATORY PREQUALIFICATION CONFERENCE: A Mandatory Prequalification Conference will be conducted on June 19, 2019 beginning promptly at 10:00 a.m. Only bidders who participate in the Conference in its entirety will be allowed to submit prequalification documents and, if prequalification is achieved, participate in bidding on said pool of projects. Participants must arrive at or before the above-specified time. Persons arriving later than said time will not be allowed to submit prequalification documents or submit bids as prime contractor bidders. Participants shall meet at Capital Programs Building, 1060 Veteran Avenue (follow signs to the meeting room), UCLA campus (refer to the online UCLA Campus Map at www.ucla.edu/map). For further information, contact University's Project Manager Thomas Born at (310) 267-1226.

NOTES:

- 1. Attendee shall be a staff member of the prime contractor bidder's firm who will be actively involved in responding to this Prequalification, and who is highly knowledgeable of the firm's potential response to the prequalification criteria.
- 2. Attendees are advised that parking may be difficult. Attendees must allow ample time to drive to the above location in heavy traffic, find a parking space, walk to the building, and arrive in the designated Meeting Room prior to the required time. It is currently anticipated that the Conference will last at least 2 hours.

<u>SUBMITTAL DEADLINE:</u> Each Bidder's completed Prequalification Questionnaire (consisting of Base Qualification Questionnaire, Supplemental Prequalification Questionnaire, and associated documents, hereinafter "Prequalification Questionnaire") must be received at the above-listed University Contracts Administration office in a sealed envelope, or uploaded to the UCLA Planroom website. no later than:

3:00 p.m., June 28, 2019

NOTE: Only hard copy submittals or submittals uploaded to the UCLA Planroom website will be accepted. Oral, telephonic, electronic mail (e-mail), facsimile, or telegraphic Prequalification Questionnaires are invalid and will not be accepted. Only University's Prequalification Questionnaire (and associated documents) will be accepted. University reserves the right (but is not obligated) to request, receive, and evaluate supplemental information after the above time and date at its sole determination.

Any person or entity not satisfied with the outcome of the prequalification must file a writ challenging the outcome within 10 calendar days from the date of the University's written notice regarding prequalification determination. Any assertion that the outcome of the prequalification process was improper will not be a ground for a bid protest.

The dates, times, and location set for receiving and opening of bids will be set forth in an Advertisement for Bids for each applicable project.

The University reserves the right to reject any or all responses to Prequalification Questionnaires and to waive non-material irregularities in any response received.

All information submitted for prequalification evaluation will be considered official information acquired in confidence, and the University will maintain its confidentiality to the extent permitted by law.

Every effort will be made to ensure that all persons have equal access to contracts and other business opportunities with the University within the limits imposed by law or University policy. Each Bidder may be required to show evidence of its equal employment opportunity policy. The successful Bidder and its subcontractors will be required to follow the nondiscrimination requirements set forth in the Bidding Documents and to pay prevailing wage at the location of the work.

The work described in the contract is a public work subject to section 1771 of the California Labor Code.

No contractor or subcontractor, regardless of tier, may be listed on a Bid for, or engage in the performance of, any portion of this project, unless registered with the Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to Labor Code section 1725.5 and 1771.1.

These projects are subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the Department of Industrial Relations.

The successful Prequalified Bidder shall pay all persons providing construction services and/or any labor on site, including any University location, no less than the UC Fair Wage (defined as \$13 per hour as of 10/1/15,

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14 per hour as of 10/1/16, and 15 per hour as of 10/1/17) and shall comply with all applicable federal, state and local working condition requirements.

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