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Notice to Contractors

Statewide Electric Vehicle Charging Stations

BGS No. 3662

The Maine Army National Guard (MEARNG) plans to install electric vehicle supply equipment (EVSE - charging stations) throughout the state of Maine to support all-electric vehicles (EV) and plug-in hybrid electric vehicles (PHEVs)..

The cost of the work is approximately \$ 500,000. The contract shall designate the Substantial Completion Date on or before *30 September 2024*, and the Contract Final Completion Date on or before *31 December 2024*.

1. Bids shall be submitted in sealed envelopes plainly marked "**Bid for Statewide Electric Vehicle Charging Stations**" and addressed to the Bid Administrator:

*Ms. Sara Thompson
Directorate of Facilities Engineering
Bldg 7, Camp Keyes
194 Winthrop Street
Augusta, Maine 04333*

The envelope shall contain a completed Contractor Bid Form, plus bid security when required, to be received no later than **2:00:00 p.m. on 24 August 2023**. Bid submissions will be opened and read aloud at *Bldg 7, Camp Keyes, 194 Winthrop Street, Augusta, Maine 04333*. *The Bid Opening shall be open to the public. You may request a Bid Abstract from Ms. Sara thompson, email - sara.thompson@maine.gov* at the time and date noted above.

Any bid submitted after the noted time will not be considered a valid bid and will remain unopened. Any bid submitted by any other means will not be considered a valid bid.

2. The bid shall be submitted on the Contractor Bid Form (section 00 41 13) provided in the Bid Documents. The Owner reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids as may best serve the interest of the Owner.
3. Bid security *is required* on this project.
If noted above as required, the Bidder shall include a satisfactory Bid Bond (section 00 43 13) or a certified or cashier's check for 5% of the bid amount with the completed bid form submitted to the Owner. The Bid Bond form is available on the BGS website.
4. Performance and Payment Bonds *are required* on this project.
If noted above as required, or if any combination of Base Bid and Alternate Bids amounts selected in the award of the contract exceeds \$125,000.00, the selected Contractor shall furnish a 100% contract Performance Bond (section 00 61 13.13) and a 100% contract Payment Bond (section 00 61 13.16) in the contract amount to cover the execution of the Work. Bond forms are available on the BGS website.
5. Filed Sub-bids *are not required* on this project.
6. There *are no* Pre-qualified General Contractors on this project.
If Pre-qualified General Contractors are identified for this project, the name of each company, with their city and state, are listed below.

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7. An on-site pre-bid conference *will* be conducted for this project. If a pre-bid conference is scheduled, it is *optional* for General Contractors and optional for Subcontractors and suppliers. Contractors who arrive late or leave early for a mandatory meeting may be prohibited from participating in this meeting and bidding. *Pre-Bid conference will be at 9 am on 17 August 2023 on site Camp Keyes, 194 Winthrop Street, Augusta, Maine. Contractors will enter through the main entrance on Winthrop Street. Observe all State of Maine mandated social distancing policies in effect on the date of this conference.*
8. Bid Documents - full sets only - will be available on or about 7 August 2023 and may be obtained from the Print Shop (Xpress Copy) for a non-refundable fee of \$80.00. A Digital Download Copy of the Plans and Specifications may be obtained from the Print Shop (Xpress Copy) for a non-refundable fee of \$75.00. from:

*Xpress Copy
17 Westfield Street
Portland, Maine 04101
Phone: (207) 775-2444, Fax: (207) 775-2481, email: orders@xcopy.com*

*Questions about this project should be addressed to:
Mr. Ralph Turner, PE
DFE Facilities Engineer/Project Manager
ralph.f.turner4.nfg@army.mil
Cell: 207-831-2182*

9. Bid Documents may be examined at:

*AGC Maine
188 Whitten Road
Augusta, ME 04330
Phone 207-622-4741 Fax 207-622-1625*

*Construction Summary
734 Chestnut Street
Manchester, NH 03104
Phone 603-627-8856 Fax 603-627-4524*