

SECTION 00 11 00 INVITATION TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received by Tri-County School Corporation (herein referred to as the "School Corporation") at the Superintendents Office, 105 N. 2nd Street, Wolcott, IN 47995, until 2:00 PM, local time, July 7, 2021 for **Tri-County 2021 Projects – Improvements to Primary, Intermediate, and Jr/Sr High School**. Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at the above time and place. Bids received later than such hour will be returned unopened.

Complete and detailed Drawings and Specifications for this work, including but not limited to the Instructions to Bidders, General Conditions, and General Requirements are on file and may be examined at the following places:

McGraw-Hill Construction Dodge
www.dodge.construction.com

BX Indiana/Construction League
1200 South Madison Avenue, Suite LL20
Indianapolis, Indiana 46225

CMD Group (Reed Construction Data)
30 Technology Pkwy 5, Suite 100
Norcross, GA 30092

ConstructConnect
www.constructconnect.com

Gibraltar Design
9102 North Meridian Street, Suite 300
Indianapolis, Indiana 46260

Tri-County School Corporation
105 N. 2nd Street
Wolcott, IN 47995

Obtaining Drawings and Specifications: Drawings and Specifications may be obtained from Eastern Engineering Supply at telephone 317-598-0661.

The successful bidder(s) shall, upon acceptance of his bid, be required to procure and pay for a Contractor's Bond for Construction (Form 86A or AIA Form A312) in an amount equal to his contract price. Such bonds shall comply with all laws of the State of Indiana governing public contracts let by governmental units. Bids should be enclosed in a sealed envelope, addressed to the School Corporation, with the name and place of business of the bidder and the project name to which the bid relates on the envelope, all as more particularly set forth in the Instructions to Bidders. Bids submitted by mail should be addressed to Mr. Partick Culp, Superintendent, Tri-County School Corporation, 105 N. 2nd Street, Wolcott, IN 47995.

Bids should be made on the form included in the Project Manual which is based on the Indiana State Board of Accounts Form 96 (Revised 2013), and shall be accompanied by an acceptable certified check, cashier's check, or bid bond, executed by the bidder and an acceptable surety company, payable to the order of the School Corporation, in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the total bid.

In the event any bidder withdraws his bid or fails to execute a satisfactory contract or contracts and furnish a satisfactory performance bond or bonds within ten (10) days after a contract or contracts has been awarded to such bidder by the School Corporation, said School Corporation may declare his certified check or cashier's check or bid bond forfeited to said School Corporation as liquidated damages.

The School Corporation shall have the right:

to accept any Bid within thirty (30) days after the time of opening of the Bids, during which time no Bids shall be withdrawn;

at any time to reject any and all Bids; and

to waive all formalities or irregularities in the bidding.

Contractors will be required to complete their work within a certain specified period as provided in Section 01 11 00 of the specifications.

A Pre-bid meeting is scheduled for 2:00 P.M. local time on June 25, 2021. Although not mandatory, it is strongly recommended that all interested parties attend the Pre-Bid Meeting. Please report to the main office of the Junior-Senior High School upon arrival at the School located at 11298 W 100 S, Wolcott, Indiana 47995.

Dated: June 9, 2021

TRI-COUNTY SCHOOL CORPORATION

By: Jason Kilmer, Secretary of Its School Board

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