SECTION 00100

INVITATION TO BID & INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

Stage Curtains – Jr./Sr High School 2020

Unified School District #358 Oxford, Kansas

Drawings and Specifications: January 2020

1. SCOPE OF PROJECT:

The Specifications and the accompanying drawings are intended to provide for all materials and labor necessary for installing stage curtains in the Auditorium at Oxford High School, including all hardware and apparatus for properly operating the curtain system. The project is named <u>Stage Curtains at Oxford Jr/SR High School</u>, <u>USD #358</u>, <u>Oxford</u>, <u>Kansas</u>.

2. CONTRACT DOCUMENTS:

2.1 The General Contractor may obtain drawings and specifications **online** from the office of the Architects; <u>www.haarchitects.com</u>, via the information on current HA Bid Packages Link.

Architect contact is as follows: **HANNEY & ASSOCIATES ARCHITECTS**, 1726 South Hillside, Wichita, Kansas 67211. Project Architect is Martin Hanney. The phone number is (316) 683-8965.

- 2.2 Contract Documents are on file and may be viewed at the office of the Architect, and;
 - A. KCNR, LLC Wichita, Kansas <u>lrobben@kcnr.net</u>
 - B. Dodge Data & Analytics Kansas City, Kansas rich.huxtable@construction.com
 - C. EPlan Columbia, Missouri amberc@eplanbidding.com

3. PROPOSAL PROCEDURE:

- 3.1 Bid Date:
 - A. Sealed proposal for this project will be received by the Owners, The Board of Education, Oxford Unified School District 358, Oxford, Kansas at the Central Office, 515 North Water, Oxford, Kansas 67119. On <u>January 31, 2020</u>, up to and until 1:30 P.M.

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- B. At which time proposals received will be opened and read publicly. Any proposals received after closing time will be returned unopened.
- 3.2 Should a proposer find discrepancies in, or omissions from the drawings or documents, or should he be in doubt as to their meaning, he shall at once notify the Architect, who will send written instructions to all proposers. Neither Owner nor Architect will be responsible for any oral instructions.
- 3.3 Proposals shall be made upon the <u>PROPOSAL FORM</u> or exact copy thereof bound into the specifications.
 - Fill in all blanks on the <u>PROPOSAL FORM</u> clearly with ink. Erasures or other changes in a proposal must be explained or noted over the signature of the proposer. Signatures shall be in longhand by a principal duly authorized to sign contracts, and if proposal is by a corporation, the signature shall be accompanied by the corporate seal impression. Proposals shall contain neither alterations nor recapitulation of work to be done.
- 3.4 Should the Contractor fail to complete all of the work required by the Contract Documents on or before the date set for substantial completion, the Contractor shall pay as liquidated damages, the sum of \$200.00 per day for each consecutive calendar day the work extends past that date, Sundays and legal holidays excluded.
- 3.5 Each proposer is required to bid all alternates included in the Proposal Form except that should he desire not to bid an alternate he may insert the words "no bid" in the space provided for prices for such alternate. In such case, if it is determined to use such alternate, the fact that the cost of the type or method bid in the proposal may be lower than that chosen shall not constitute the basis of a claim by the proposer that the contract shall be awarded to him. If an alternate price called for involves no change in price, proposer shall so indicate by writing the words "no change" in the space provided.
- 3.6 No oral or telephonic proposals or modifications will be considered. No telephonic proposals will be considered, but modification by telephone of proposals already submitted will be considered if received prior to time set for proposal opening.
- 3.7 Before submitting his proposal, each proposer shall carefully examine all documents pertaining to the work, visit the site of work, and fully inform himself as to all existing conditions under which the work will be performed. Submission of a proposal will be considered presumptive evidence that the proposer is fully aware of the Contract Documents, pertinent state and markets, and has made allowances in his proposal for all work and all contingencies.
- 3.8 Any addenda issued during the time of preparation of proposals are to be acknowledged in the Proposal Form and in closing a contract, they will become a part thereof.

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3.9 Enclose the proposal along with the required Proposal Security, in an opaque envelope: Proposal For:

Stage Curtains

Oxford Unified School District #358

515 N. Water, Oxford, Kansas 67119

Name of Bidder.

4. PROPOSAL SECURITY:

4.1 Proposal Security – bid bonds are not required for Separate Contracts.

5. PROPOSAL WITHDRAWAL:

A Proposal may be withdrawn on written or telegraphic request received from proposer prior to time for proposal opening. No proposal may be altered or withdrawn for a period of at least sixty (60) days after opening of proposals.

6. SUBSTITUTIONS:

- 6.1 The materials, products and equipment described in the bidding documents establish a standard of required function, dimension, appearance and quality to be met by any proposed substitution.
- 6.2 No substitution will be considered unless written request for approval has been submitted by the bidder and has been received by the architect at least ten (10) days prior to the date for receipt of bids. Each such request shall include the name of the material or equipment for which it is to be substituted and a completed description of the proposed substitute including drawings, cuts, performance and test data and any other information necessary for an evaluation. A statement setting forth any changed in other materials, equipment or work which incorporation of the substitute would require shall be included. The burden of proof of the merit of the proposed substitute is upon the proposer. The Architect's decision of approval disapproval of a proposed substitute shall be final.
- 6.3 If the Architect approves any proposed substitute, such approval will be set fort in an addendum. Bidders shall not rely upon approvals made in any other manner.

7. AWARD OF CONTRACT:

Contract will be awarded as soon as possible to the responsible proposer submitting the lowest acceptable proposal (i.e. combination of Base Proposal and accepted alternates, with due consideration to unit prices), provided:

- 7.1 Evidence of the experience, qualifications and financial responsibility of the bidder and his subcontractors, and the time of completion are all-acceptable to the Owner.
- 7.2 Manufacturer's Guarantee, Service Warranty and financial responsibility of manufacturer.

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- 7.3 The total of acceptable proposals is within the financial budget for the project.
- 7.4 The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, to accept or reject alternate proposals and unit prices, and to waive all technicalities concerning the proposals received when it may be in his best interest to do so.

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