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## WCS LEGAL NOTICE REQUEST FOR BIDS

WCS RFB #1233 Roof Replacements at Walnut Grove Elementary, Chapmans Retreat Elementary and Centennial High Schools

Williamson County Schools, (WCS) owner, is currently accepting electronic bids for a re-roofing project at WGES, CRES and CHS. This bid opportunity is only open to the roofing contractors that participated and were accepted in WCS-RFQ #1055, December 2016. Due to the current Covid-19 Pandemic, WCS has changed how "public" bid openings are conducted. Therefore, this RFB opening will be conducted electronically. This electronic format will continue to ensure that the sealed bid process is conducted while safeguarding the participants and avoiding physical & social contact. All electronic bids should be competitive, complete with all details and will remain secure and confidential until they are opened, read aloud and a bid tabulation is compiled. RFB submittals will be received electronically via email only. Each participating bidder shall complete the bid cover sheets, add any required documents, scan, and send their completed electronic bids to the following email addresses ONLY: Joan Breeding joanb1@wcs.edu and Jason@Rinks-Consulting.com. DO NOT copy anyone on the emailed bid submittal.

Electronic bid submittals will be received on Tuesday, March 30, 2021 from 11:00 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. (ONLY). Bids received after the 2:30 p.m. deadline will be rejected. After all bids have been received and opened, they will be read aloud during an *open zoom meeting* at 3:00 p.m. Any participating bidder may log onto the zoom meeting to hear the bid results. It is not mandatory that the participants attend the zoom meeting. A 30-minute time period between the bid submittal deadline and the zoom meeting is to give WCS staff time to open the emails, print, collate and have them ready to be read out loud. Details on the zoom meeting and instructions on how to join the zoom meeting will be included in the bid documents.

A pre-bid meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 16, 2021 at 1:00 p.m. beginning at Walnut Grove Elementary School. Visitors must check in at the school office. Although attendance at the pre-bid meeting is not mandatory, it is highly encouraged as details of all the projects will be discussed.

Beginning on or around Tuesday, March 9, 2021, Richard C. Rinks & Associates, Inc., 30 North Jefferson, Cookeville, TN (931) 528-5543 will have project instructions, plans, specifications and requirements available to all qualified/accepted roofing contractors. There is no charge for electronic documents and hard copy documents will be a non-refundable fee of \$100 for each set.

This legal advertisement is extended and continued in full and appropriate detail in the WCS RFB #1233 Invitation to Bid Document, which will be posted in the public domain on the WCS website <u>www.wcs.edu</u> by clicking on the Purchasing Department link. Nothing contained in the commissioned engineer's RFB documents or amendments thereto shall eliminate or reduce the requirements contained in the extended legal advertisement. All WCS bids are subject to funding.

Please print one time in the Public Notice Section of the Tennessean on Tuesday, March 9, 2021