NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received:
By: Valparaiso Community Schools
Attention: Sharon Qualkenbush
3801 North Campbell Street
Valparaiso, IN 46385
For:Asbestos Abatement - Four (4) Elementary Schools
-Parkview Elementary School, 1405 Wood St, Valparaiso, IN 46383
-Northview Elementary School, 257 Northview Dr, Valparaiso, IN 46383
-Central Elementary School, 305 Franklin St, Valparaiso, IN 46383
-Thomas Jefferson Elementary School, 1700 Roosevelt Rd, Valparaiso, IN 46383
At: 3801 North Campbell Street
Valparaiso, IN 46385
Until: 10:00AM (CST) on January 31, 2017 for Parkview Elementary School;
10:00AM (CST) on February 7, 2017 for Northview Elementary School;
10:00AM (CST) on February 14, 2017 for Central Elementary School; and,
10:00AM (CST) on February 21, 2017 for Thomas Jefferson Elementary School
Bid Opening: Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at 10:00AM (CST), on the aforementioned dates in the Valparaiso Community School Administration Building Board Room.
All work for the complete Asbestos Abatement Project may be under one or more contracts with the Owner based on bids received and on combinations awarded. The Environmental Consultant will manage the Asbestos Abatement Project.
Abatement shall be in full accordance with the Bidding Documents which are on file with the Owner and may be examined by prospective bidders at the following locations:
Office of the Environmental Consultant
Amereco Engineering
204 E. Jefferson Street
Valparaiso, IN 46383
Office of the Owner
Valparaiso Community Schools
3801 North Campbell Street
Valparaiso, IN 46385
Plans and Specifications may be downloaded for free using Amereco's online ftp site. Call Amereco at 219-531-0531 to be added to the Plan Holder List and receive the ftp site address and password, or request a printed bound copy. Printed bound copies may be secured by prospective bidders upon request to Amereco. A Seventy-Five Dollar ($75.00) non-refundable deposit is required for the Plans and Specifications. The check should be made payable to Amereco.
A Pre-Bid Conference will be held on January 16, 2017 at 9:00AM (CST), at Valparaiso Community Schools, Administration Building, 3801 North Campbell St, Valparaiso, IN 46385. Attendance by bidders is optional, but recommended, in order to clarify or answer questions concerning the Drawings and Project Manual for the Project.
Bid security in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the Bid must accompany each Bid in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders. The successful Bidders will be required to furnish Performance and Payment Bonds for one hundred percent (100%) of their Contract amount prior to execution of Contracts.
Contractors submitting bids for the performance of any Work as specified in this asbestos abatement project should make such Bids to Valparaiso Community Schools. Contractors are advised that the Contract as finally entered into with any successful Bidder(s) may be entered into with either the School Corporation or the Building Corporation or certain portions of the Contract may be entered into by both the School Corporation and the Building Corporation.
The Owner reserves the right to accept or reject any Bid (or combination of Bids) and to waive any irregularities in bidding. All Bids may be held for a period not to exceed 60 days before awarding contracts.
BY ORDER OF THE VALPARAISO COMMUNITY SCHOOLS, BOARD OF EDUCATION, this 15th Day of December, 2016

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Dr. E. Ric Frataccia, Superintendent of Schools
12/30, 1/6/17 - hspaxlp