



County of Santa Cruz

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, OPEN SPACE & CULTURAL SERVICES

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

FLORAL COUNTY PARK PLAYGROUND AREA – SITE WORK PROJECT #2024-RP0055

Sealed proposals shall be e-mailed to Alexis Rodriguez-Rocha at alexis.rodriguez-rocha@santacruzcountyca.gov of the Santa Cruz County Parks Department no later than **9:00 A.M. on Thursday, June 27th, 2024**. This project is for licensed contractors with a Type A, General Engineering Contractors License to perform demolition and disposal of existing play structure and swings. Footings to be cut at base and remain unless they land in footprint of new equipment, removal of 12" of existing sand from play area; sand to be transported to another county site (95018) where it will be dumped in a single location accessible by dump truck, drainage modifications, and installation of aggregate base in accordance with the plans and specifications prepared by Bowman & Williams. The Contractor shall complete all or any designated portions of the work called for under the contract in all parts and requirements within 30 calendar days (except as modified in the technical specifications). The County of Santa Cruz reserves the right to reject any or all bids received as the public good may require.

Plans and Specifications have been prepared by Bowman & Williams to be used for bidding on this project and are attached to this Notice.

Each contractor shall include in their bid all labor, tools, and materials for a complete and working project for each trade component in conformance with the intent shown on the plans and specifications and specified herein.

Prospective bidders must be fully qualified, licensed, certified, and insured to perform the work requested. All work performed must meet all current applicable laws and regulations.

Prior to bidding, interested contractors are encouraged to visit the site at 656 38th Avenue, Santa Cruz, CA 95062.

In accordance with SB854:

- 1) No contractor or subcontractor may be listed on a bid proposal for a public works project (submitted on or after March 1, 2015) unless registered with the Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to Labor Code section 1725.5 (with limited exceptions from this requirement for bid purposes only under Labor Code section 1771.1(a).
- 2) No contractor or subcontractor may be awarded a contract for public work on a public works project (awarded on or after April 1, 2015) unless registered with the Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to Labor Code section 1725.5.
- 3) This project is subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the Department of Industrial Relations.

All pre-bid questions should be directed to Mariana Colibri-Urgo at Mariana.Colibri-Urgo@santacruzcountyca.gov prior to Monday, June 24th, 2024, at 5:00pm.

Each bidder must submit a bid proposal for the project for which they intend to bid to Alexis Rodriguez-Rocha at alexis.rodriguez-rocha@santacruzcountyca.gov.

Pursuant to Section 1700, and following, of the California Labor Code, the Contractor shall pay not less than the prevailing rate of per diem wages as determined by the Director of the California Department of Industrial Relations. Copies of such prevailing rate of per diem wages are available at the following web site: http://www.dir.ca.gov/DLSR/statistics_research.html#PWD.

Those copies shall be made available to any interested party upon request. The Contractor shall forfeit, as penalty, to the County of Santa Cruz, fifty dollars (\$50.00) for each calendar day or portion thereof, for each workman paid less than the stipulated prevailing rates for any work done under the contract by it or by any subcontractor under it, in violation of the provisions of such Labor Code.

County will be the sole judge as to the technical acceptability of any proposals and any award will be as determined most advantageous to the County considering such factors as completeness and responsiveness to Request for Proposal, experience, references, and anticipated costs. The County reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or parts thereof and to waive any informality or irregularity in any proposal.

Pursuant to Santa Cruz County Code Chapter 2.33, Contractors and Subcontractors must make good faith efforts to hire Monterey Bay area residents in sufficient numbers so that no less than 50 per cent (50%) of the Contractor's total construction work force, including any subcontractor's workforce, measured in labor work hours is comprised of Monterey Bay area residents. This public works construction project is covered by Chapter 2.33 of the Santa Cruz County Code, and the entire chapter, as amended, is incorporated by reference into the project's specifications and conditions.

Any bid proposal, or other response to a solicitation for bid or proposal which proposes or calls for the use of any tropical hardwood or tropical wood products in performance of the contract shall be deemed nonresponsive pursuant to County Code Section 2.37.107.