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in the Announcements & Then Be Publicly
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Reserves the Right to Reject Any Or All Bids
& to Waive Technicalities.

Holiday Information

Like most State agencies, the office of
South Carolina Business Opportunities will
be closed 12/22/06 through 12/26/06 & on
1/1/07.

Because of these holidays, SCBO will not
be published on 12/25/06. The next issue
after Christmas will be published on
12/28/06.

Even though the office will be closed on
1/1/07, SCBO will be published on that
date. Internet subscribers should have access
to the January 1st issue at the usual
time for Monday editions. Mail subscribers
will receive the paper a day later than usual,
because January 1st is a postal holiday.

ARCHITECT / ENGINEERING SERVICES

YORK COUNTY TO RENOVATE COURTHOUSE

Project: Notice of a Mandatory Pre-Submittal Meeting for a Request for Qualifications.

York County Is Requesting the submission of a Request for Qualifications (RFQ) to solicit interest & credentials from qualified consultants to provide various architectural & engineering design services for the renovation of the historic courthouse.

The Point of Contact for information regarding this request is Glenn J. Ware, AIA, Ware Bonsall Architects, Inc., 10710 Sikes Place, Ste. 125, Charlotte, NC 28277, phone (704) 846-1977, fax (704) 846-2108, E-mail gware@warebonsall.com.

A Mandatory Pre-Submittal Meeting will be held at the courthouse building in the courtroom on the second floor at 11:00 am, EST, on Wednesday, January 24, 2007.

The Courthouse Building Is Located at 2 South Congress St. (at the intersection of Congress & Liberty streets) in downtown York, SC 29745.

CONSTRUCTION

SCBO Notes referred to in State Agency advertisements appearing in the Construction Section of SCBO can be found at the end of this issue. Please verify requirements for non-State agency advertisements by contacting the agency / owner.

Project Name: M.U.S.C. BEE STREET
PARKING GARAGE

Project Number: H51-9784-PG

Location: Charleston, SC

Applicable SCBO Notes: 2, 4, & 5

Bid Security Required: Yes

Performance Bond Required: Yes

Payment Bond Required: Yes

Description of Project: Project consists of an eight-story open parking garage & associated site improvements. The contractor will be subject to a performance appraisal as defined in the Manual for Planning & Execution of State Permanent Improvements, Part II

Construction Cost Range: \$30 million - \$40 million

Architect/Engineer: LS3P Associates, Ltd.

A/E Contact: Greg Soyka

A/E Address: 205-1/2 King St., Charleston, SC 29401

A/E Telephone: (843) 577-4444

A/E Fax: (843) 722-4789

A/E E-mail: gregsoyka@ls3p.com

Plans on File At:

AGC: Charleston, Columbia, Charlotte

Dodge: Charleston, Columbia, Charlotte

Other: Columbus Street Business Center, Committee of Better Racial Assurance, Hispanic Contractors Association

Plans May Be Obtained From: Architect – LS3P Associates, Ltd.

Plan Deposit: \$150.00, refundable
Pre-Bid Conf./Site Visit: Mandatory
Pre-Bid Date/Time: 1/3/07 – 2:00 pm
Place: Physical Plant Conference Room, 97 Jonathan Lucas St., Charleston

Agency/Owner: Medical University of South Carolina

Name & Title of Agency Coordinator:

John Eilerman, Project Manager

Address: 97 Jonathan Lucas St., Charleston, SC 29425

Telephone: (843) 792-7502

Fax: (843) 792-0251

E-mail: eilerma@musc.edu

Bid Due Date/Time: 1/24/07 – 1:00 pm

Place: MUSC Engineering & Facilities, 97 Jonathan Lucas St., Charleston

Hand Deliver Bids To: MUSC, Office of Physical Plant, 97 Jonathan Lucas St., Second Floor – Parking Garage, Charleston, SC 29425

Mail Bids To: MUSC, Engineering & Facilities, Attn.: John Eilerman, PO Box 250190, Charleston, SC 29425

Project Name: CALHOUN COURTS –
CHILLED WATER
REPLACEMENT – PHASE III

Project Number: H12-9784-NA

Location: Clemson University

Applicable SCBO Notes: 2, 4, & 5

Bid Security Required: Yes

Performance Bond Required: Yes

Payment Bond Required: Yes

Description of Project: This project will consist of two phases – a South Phase & a North Phase, which will be bid independently. The scope of work, for both phases, consists of upgrading the two-pipe HVAC system to a four-pipe system in the Calhoun Courts Apartments on the campus at Clemson University. This includes replacing the HVAC piping as well as the air handling units in each apartment. The pre-bid conference for both the South Phase & the North Phase will be held on January 9, 2007, at 10:00 am at Gentry Hall. The bid openings will occur on January 23, 2007, at Gentry Hall. The South Phase will

open at 10:00 am & the North Phase will open at 2:00 pm at Gentry Hall. The contractor(s) will be subject to a performance appraisal as defined in the Manual for Planning & Execution of State Permanent Improvements, Part II
Construction Cost Range: \$500,000 - \$2,000,000

Architect/Engineer: RMF Engineering, Inc.
A/E Contact: David Crutchfield, PE
A/E Address: 474 Wando Park Blvd., Mount Pleasant, SC 29464

A/E Telephone: (843) 971-9639

A/E Fax: (843) 971-9641

A/E E-mail: dcrutchf@rmf.com

Plans on File At:

AGC: Greenville, Columbia, Charleston
Dodge: Greenville, Columbia, Charleston
Plans May Be Obtained From: RMF Engineering, Inc.

Plan Deposit: \$250.00, refundable

Pre-Bid Conf./Site Visit: Mandatory

Pre-Bid Date/Time: 1/9/07 – 10:00 am

Place: Gentry Hall, Clemson University

Agency/Owner: Clemson University

Name & Title of Agency Coordinator:
 Mike Parker, Project Manager

Address: 191 Old Greenville Hwy., Clemson, SC 29634

Telephone: (864) 656-4410

Fax: (864) 656-0167

E-mail: pmichae@clemson.edu

Bid Due Date/Time: 1/23/07 – South Phase at 10:00 am & North Phase at 2:00 pm

Place: Gentry Hall, Clemson University

Hand Deliver Bids To: Clemson University, Gentry Hall, 191 Old Greenville Hwy., Clemson, SC 29634

Mail Bids To: Clemson University, Gentry Hall, 191 Old Greenville Hwy., Clemson, SC 29634

Project Name: MYRTLE BEACH STATE PARK CAMPGROUND IMPROVEMENTS – CAMPGROUND ROAD PAVING

Project Number: P28-9639-PG-E

Location: Myrtle Beach State Park

Applicable SCBO Notes: 2, 4, & 5

Bid Security Required: Yes

Performance Bond Required: Yes

Payment Bond Required: Yes

Description of Project: Asphalt overlay of existing pavement & blading, re-compaction, & placement of new asphalt pavement on existing macadam roads

Construction Cost Range: \$100,000 - \$500,000

Architect/Engineer: SC Dept. of Parks, Recreation & Tourism

A/E Contact: Brian D. Klauk, PE

A/E Address: 1205 Pendleton St., Columbia, SC 29201

A/E Telephone: (803) 734-0482

A/E Fax: (803) 734-1042

A/E E-mail: bklausk@scprt.com

Plans on File At:

AGC: Columbia, Charleston

Dodge: Columbia, Charleston

Plans May Be Obtained From: SC Dept. of Parks, Recreation & Tourism

Plan Deposit: \$30.00, non-refundable

Pre-Bid Conf./Site Visit: None

Agency/Owner: SC Dept. of Parks, Recreation & Tourism

Name & Title of Agency Coordinator:
 Brian D. Klauk, PE, Design Engineer

Address: 1205 Pendleton St., Columbia, SC 29201

Telephone: (803) 734-0482

Fax: (803) 734-1042

E-mail: bklausk@scprt.com

Bid Due Date/Time: 1/10/07 – 2:00 pm

Place: Room 237, Edgar Brown Building, 1205 Pendleton St., Columbia

Hand Deliver Bids To: SCPR, Room 246, Edgar A. Brown Building, 1205 Pendleton St., Columbia, SC 29201

Mail Bids To: SCPR, Attn.: Brian Klauk, Ste. 246, 1205 Pendleton St., Columbia, SC 29201

Project Name: HERITAGE PARK AMPHITHEATER

Project Number: 3

Location: Heritage Park, S.E. Main Street, Simpsonville

Bid Security Required: No

Performance Bond Required: No

Payment Bond Required: No

Description of Project: Construct 15,000-seat grassed amphitheater, to include grading of amphitheater, service roads & pedestrian corridors & parking areas, storm drainage installation & erosion control, grassing & paving and / or graveling of the service road & parking area, & any required utility services

Architect/Engineer: Gray Engineering

A/E Contact: Jeremy Ritchie

A/E Address: 132 Pilgrim Rd., Greenville, SC 29607

A/E Telephone: (864) 297-3027

Plans May Be Obtained From: Gray Engineering

Pre-Bid Conf./Site Visit: None

Agency/Owner: City of Simpsonville

Agency Coordinator: Jay Crawford or Johnny Sanders

Address: 110 Woodside Park Dr., Simpsonville, SC 29681

Telephone: (864) 967-9531

Bid Due Date: 1/8/07

Place: 110 Woodside Park Dr., Simpsonville, SC 29681

Project Name: IRRIGATION SYSTEM FOR FOUR T-LEAGUE BASEBALL FIELDS

Location: Kershaw County

Description of Project: Kershaw County is seeking bids on providing an irri-

gation system for four T-league baseball fields at the River View Recreation Complex in Camden. The project is expected to encompass 5 HP pump, 3" main line to baseball fields (200' fields), head-to-head coverage on the four baseball fields, 12-station controller, one-year warranty on all labor & materials. Installation must be complete & billed by January 31, 2007

Plans May Be Obtained From: Brenda Wilhite, Assistant County Administrator, (803) 425-1500, Ext. 5306

Plan Deposit: N/A

Pre-Bid Conf./Site Visit: Optional

Pre-Bid Date/Time: 12/28/06 – 10:00 am

Place: On site at the T-league fields. Go past the soccer fields on Old River Road, take a right onto Competition Lane

Agency/Owner: County of Kershaw

Name & Title of Agency Coordinator:
 Brenda Wilhite, Assistant County Administrator

Address: 515 Walnut St., Camden, SC 29020

Telephone: (803) 425-1500, Ext. 5306

Fax: (803) 425-1546

Bid Due Date/Time: 1/4/07 – 2:00 pm

Place: Kershaw County Government Center, Room 207, 515 Walnut St., Camden, SC 29020

SIDEWALK CONSTRUCTION IN JEFFERSON

Sealed Bids for construction of a concrete sidewalk, the distance being approximately 420 LF, will be received by the Town of Jefferson at 223 North Main St., Jefferson, SC until 12:00 noon, January 9, 2007. At that time & place, bids will be opened & read aloud in public.

The Work Consists of construction of 420 LF of 5 ft. wide sidewalk with 4" reinforced concrete, SCDOT compliant, on the north side of SC 265 (Elizabeth Street) from Main Street to Lee Street.

The Project Drawings & technical specifications at on file for examination at the offices of the Town of Jefferson, 223 North Main St., PO Box 306, Jefferson, SC 29718. For a copy of the drawings & specifications, contact the Town at (843) 658-7600.

The Town of Jefferson Reserves the Right to refuse any & all bids as deemed in the public interest.

ASPHALT REPAIR AT GEORGETOWN FOR PORTS AUTHORITY

On Or About Monday, January 8, 2007, plans and specifications for the CIF-07E-009 Repair to asphalt sections for truck scale and turn around area, at SC Ports Authority Georgetown Terminal, State, Pier 31, Georgetown, South Carolina will be available for distribution to qualified contractors by

the SC State Ports Authority Maintenance Department.

A Mandatory Pre-Bid Conference will be held on Thursday, January 18, 2007, at 11:00 a.m. at the Port of Georgetown Office, Building 711, 1324 Dock Street, Georgetown, South Carolina. State Pier 31, Georgetown Terminal. Contractors must attend Pre-Bid to be qualified to Bid on the above project.

The Work Consists Of Repairing Asphalt in the area of existing truck scale by removing existing asphalt and replacing with 10" of 4000 psi concrete or repairing broken asphalt and overlaying with 1 1/2" Type II surface mix. Areas are shown on the plans. All dimensions are approximate on drawings.

Bids Will Be Received at the Maintenance Department, Building 160, Columbus Street Terminal, 838 Morrison Drive, Charleston, SC, until 2:00 pm, Tuesday, January 30, 2007, at which time there will be a public opening of bids at the Port of Charleston Operation Center Office, Building 160, Columbus Street Terminal. Bids may be mailed to SC State Ports Authority, PO Box 22287 Charleston, SC 29413-2287, Attn: Edward W. (Rusty) Piggott. It is the sole responsibility of contractor to insure bids are in hand by opening date and time.

Requests For Contract Documents from parties interested in bidding on this work should be filed promptly with the Maintenance Department of the SC State Ports Authority, PO Box 22287, Charleston, SC 29413-2287, Attn.: Edward W. (Rusty) Piggott, Maintenance Contract Manager, (843) 577-8703 or (843) 577-8660, or Fax (843) 577-8690. Cost for contract documents, plans and specifications is \$75.00 per set. Make check payable to SC State Ports Authority. Bidding materials will be forwarded as soon as possible.

A Certified Check Or Bid Bond for twenty percent (20%) of the base bid must accompany bids. One hundred percent (100%) labor and material bond and one hundred percent (100%) performance bond will be required. The bidder shall have a current contractor's license for the state of South Carolina

The SC State Ports Authority Reserves The Right to reject any or all bids or to accept any bid if considered best for its interest.

PARKING LOT CONSTRUCTION FOR GREENWOOD BALLPARK

INVITATION-TO-BID #16-06/07

Written Sealed Bids For The Construction of a parking lot at Greenwood Ballpark will be opened by Florence County (hereinafter called the Owner) at 180 N. Irby Street, City-County Complex, Room B-5 Procurement Offices, Florence, South Carolina at 11:00 am, ET, Tuesday, January 16, 2007. At that time and place, sealed bids will be publicly opened and bids read aloud in public.

The Project Documents And Drawings, may be obtained from the office of Florence county Procurement at the address listed below. When requesting contract documents, provide the following information about your company: Mailing address, street (UPS) address, telephone number, and Fax number (if applicable).

Sealed Bids Must Be Received by Florence County Procurement at the following address:
Florence County Procurement

City-County Complex, MSC-R
180 N. Irby Street; Room B-5
Florence, SC 29501
(843) 665-3018

Sealed Bids Must Be Received at the above address no later than 11:00 am, ET, on Tuesday, January 16, 2007, and submitted in a sealed envelope and clearly marked "Invitation-To-Bid #16-06/07 – Construction of a Parking Lot."

Sealed Bids Must Be In The Physical Possession of the Florence County Procurement Department on or before the exact time and date indicated above. Bids received after the published time and date shall not be opened and shall be disqualified.

Sealed Bids Submitted By Mail And/Or Carrier must meet the same requirements as above and should be addressed to the same address listed above. Florence County shall not be responsible for late delivery of bids. No facsimiles or emails will be accepted.

No Bid Will Be Considered unless the responder is legally qualified under the provisions of the South Carolina Code. All bids must be completed typed or printed in ink and comply with all the terms and conditions of this Invitation-To-Bid and associated Project Documents.

Each Responder, By Submission Of A Bid, agrees to each and every term and condition set forth within this Invitation-To-Bid and associated project documents, including any addendum that may be issued, and to be bound thereby.

All Bids And Supporting Documents will be retained by Florence County for a period of sixty (60) days from the date the bids are opened, and no bid shall be received nor shall any responder be allowed to withdraw a bid after the opening hour commences. Florence County reserves the right to accept or reject, in whole or in part, any and all responses as appears in its judgment to be in the best interests of the County, or to waive any and all technicalities and informalities in determining the action of each proposal.

STORAGE BUILDING FOR FLORENCE COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

INVITATION-TO-BID #15-06/07

Written Sealed Bids for the construction of a storage building will be opened by Florence County (hereinafter called the Owner) at 180 N. Irby Street, City-County Complex, Room B-5 Procurement Offices, Florence, South Carolina at 11:00 am, ET, Tuesday, January 23, 2007. At that time and place, sealed bids will be publicly opened and bids read aloud in public.

The Project Documents And Drawings, may be obtained from the office of Florence county Procurement at the address listed below. When requesting contract documents, provide the following information about your company: Mailing address, street (UPS) address, telephone number, and Fax number (if applicable).

Sealed Bids Must Be Received by Florence County Procurement at the following address:
Florence County Procurement
City-County Complex, MSC-R
180 N. Irby Street; Room B-5
Florence, SC 29501

(843) 665-3018

Sealed Bids Must Be Received at the above address no later than 11:00 am, ET, on Tuesday, January 23, 2007, and submitted in a sealed envelope and clearly marked "Invitation-To-Bid #15-06/07 – Construction of a Storage Building"

Sealed Bids Must Be In The Physical Possession of the Florence County Procurement Department on or before the exact time and date indicated above. Bids received after the published time and date shall not be opened and shall be disqualified.

Sealed Bids Submitted by mail and/or carrier must meet the same requirements as above and should be addressed to the same address listed above. Florence County shall not be responsible for late delivery of bids. No facsimiles or emails will be accepted.

No Bid Will Be Considered unless the responder is legally qualified under the provisions of the South Carolina Code. All bids must be completed typed or printed in ink and comply with all the terms and conditions of this Invitation-To-Bid and associated project documents.

Each Responder, By Submission Of A Bid, agrees to each and every term and condition set forth within this Invitation-To-Bid and associated project documents, including any addendum that may be issued, and to be bound thereby.

All Bids And Supporting Documents will be retained by Florence County for a period of ninety (90) days from the date the bids are opened, and no bid shall be received nor shall any responder be allowed to withdraw a bid after the opening hour commences.

Florence County Reserves The Right to accept or reject, in whole or in part, any and all responses as appears in its judgment to be in the best interests of the County, or to waive any and all technicalities and informalities in determining the action of each proposal.

CONCRETE WALKS AT ABBEVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

Abbeville County School District will receive sealed bids for New Concrete Walks At Abbeville High School, Abbeville County, SC, from qualified bidders until 3:00pm local time, on Monday, January 22, 2007, and at said time, will be publicly opened and read aloud in the Board Room of the School District of Abbeville County, 400 Greenville Street, Abbeville, SC 29620.

Bids Shall Be Delivered to Mr. Sam Jones, Facilities and Operations Director. Bids received after this time will not be considered.

A Pre-Bid Meeting Will Be Held at Abbeville High School, 701 Washington St., Abbeville, SC on January 10, 2007, beginning at 9:00am. Bidders are required to visit the site to examine the job conditions prior to bidding.

The Scope Of Work Will Include site investigation, recommendations, plan development and bidding the following: Bid furnishing all labor, materials and equipment necessary as per specifications to install approximately four hundred and ninety lineal feet (490' L. F.) of four foot (4') wide concrete sidewalk.

Bid Documents Will Be Available for inspection by interested bidders after January 3, 2007, at the Office of Facilities and Operations, Abbeville County School District, 400 Greenville Street, Abbeville, SC 29620 and on the district's website at www.acsd.k12.sc.us. Contractors licensed in South Carolina may obtain a copy of the bid documents from the Owner. All inquires and questions should be directed to Mr. Sam Jones at (864) 366-5427 or sjones@acsd.k12.sc.us.

Bids Shall Be Binding for forty-five (45) calendar days following opening date. A five percent (5%) bid bond, payable to the Owner, will be required with bids equal or exceeding \$100,000. Performance and payment bonds of one hundred percent (100%) will be required for bids equal or exceeding \$50,000.

The Owner Reserves The Right to reject any or all bids and waive technicalities or informalities and to award the contract in the best interest of the Owner.

CONSULTANT / PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

READVERTISEMENT TO CHANGE DEADLINE

Description: COMMUNICATION & MARKETING CONSULTANT SERVICES

Solicitation Number: RFP-006-06

Delivery Point: Columbia, SC

Opening Date/Time: 1/5/07 – 3:00 pm

Opening Location: SC Dept. of Health & Human Services, Procurement Services, 6th Floor, 1801 Main St., Columbia, SC 29201

Direct Inquiries To: DHHS Procurement Office

Bid Request: (803) 898-2595

Buyer: Patty H. Larimore

Other Amendments will be found in bid material. Deadline for questions & posting date have been changed

DISASTER RESPONSE SUPPORT FOR HORRY COUNTY

Horry County, SC, seeks to contract the services of a qualified contractor to provide services associated with "Professional Disaster Response & Recovery Operations" by providing the necessary resources to adequately support operations in the event that a disaster should occur throughout Horry County.

Proposals will be received in the Office of Procurement until 2:00 pm, Thursday, February 8, 2007.

A mandatory pre-proposal conference will be held at the M. L. Brown Public Safety Building on Tuesday, January 16, 2007, from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm.

Request for Proposal #2006-07-58 may be obtained by downloading it from the County's web site at www.horrycounty.org – selecting "Bids & RFPs" on the left side of the homepage under "HCG Quick Links."

To obtain a copy via mail, send a fax to Lynda Davis, Director of Procurement, at (843) 365-2251.

CITY OF NEWBERRY NEIGHBORHOOD ASSESSMENT

REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS

The City of Newberry, SC is seeking Statements of Qualifications (SOQs) from consulting professionals for the preparation of a city-wide neighborhood assessment that will compile a comprehensive profile of neighborhoods throughout the City and develop strategies and recommendations to proactively address any decline in community health. The Scope of Work includes:

- An analysis of housing conditions and demographics by block group and block in the entire city
- Identification of capital needs in all LMI block groups in the city to include streets, utilities and storm drainage
- Windshield surveys of all LMI block groups in the city to assess housing conditions
- Action steps the city can take to improve housing stock and add to affordable housing in LMI areas and even in non-LMI areas
- Coordination and timing of projects underway and how they may positively impact the LMI portions of the City.
- A timetable and budget for actions to relieve distress in LMI areas and what sources of funds may be realistically sought for project implementation
- Public meetings to ensure citizen involvement and input into needs and strategies to address issues

The final component of the analysis would provide an action plan with steps that can be taken to achieve measurable goals. The completed product would provide a strategic planning tool to the community for addressing and reversing decline in LMI neighborhoods throughout the city.

In consultant selection, the following criteria will be considered:

- 30% - Experience, qualifications & competence in the type of work required
- 25% - Past performance on similar type projects and/or ability to perform all aspects of services
- 30% - Experience & qualifications of proposed staff and subconsultants assigned to the project
- 15% - Availability of key staff and ability to mobilize quickly and meet project deadlines

Interested consultants should submit four (4) copies of their Statement of Qualifications (SOQ) to:

Jeff S. Shacker, Assistant City Manager
City of Newberry
1330 College Street
Newberry, South Carolina 29108

by 5:00pm, on Friday, January 26, 2006. No late submittals will be accepted.

The project is being funded through a grant from the SC Department of Commerce using Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program funds. A copy of the RFQ package may be obtained from Jeff Shacker by calling (803) 321-1000.

Female/Minority-owned businesses are encouraged to participate in the request. Disadvantaged business enterprises (DBE) are encouraged to submit bids for this procurement and manufacturers are encouraged to procure goods and services from disadvantaged business enterprises.

The City of Newberry does not discriminate on the basis of age, color, religion, sex, national origin, familial status or disability in the admission or access to, or treatment or employment in its federally assisted programs or activities.

EQUIPMENT

Description: FLUKE INFRARED CAMERAS

Solicitation Number: Q07-232739

Delivery Point: Columbia, SC

Opening Date/Time: 1/8/07 – 2:00 pm

Opening Location: SC Dept. of Public Safety, Procurement Office, 10311 Wilson Blvd., Bldg. D1, Blythwood, SC 29016

Direct Inquiries to Buyer: Steve Pullie, (803) 896-8040

Bid Request: Ernestine Duncan, (803) 896-7625

Download Solicitation From: www.scdps.org

Description: HERMAN MILLER A02 PANEL SYSTEMS, NEW OR REMANUFACTURED

Solicitation Number: 5800

Site Visit: Optional

Delivery Point: Eagles Landing, Seneca, SC, & Ravenel Center, Clemson, SC

Opening Date/Time: 1/11/07 – 2:00 pm

Opening Location: Clemson University, Administrative Services Building, Silas N. Pearman Boulevard, Clemson, SC 29634

Direct Inquiries To: Rhoda Moore, (864) 656-1139 or E-mail her at rhodam@clemson.edu

Web Site to Download Bid: www.clemson.edu/procurement

Buyer: Kylene B. Holbrook, CPPB, (864) 656-2392 or E-mail kgravle@clemson.edu

Description: FURNISH & DELIVER FOUR NEW 12-TON CARGO BOX TRUCKS, WITH LIFT

Solicitation Number: 88-07-0757

Delivery Point: Richland County School District One

Opening Date/Time: 1/10/07 – 2:00 pm

Opening Location: Richland County School District One, Procurement Services, 201 Park St., Columbia, SC 29201

Direct Inquiries/Bid Request to Buyer: Jenny McCoy, (803) 231-7035

Description: FURNISH & DELIVER ALUMINUM STEP SYSTEMS, WITH LANDING

Solicitation Number: 06-1262

Deadline to Receive Bids: 1/5/07 – 2:00 pm at Rock Hill School District Three, Procurement Department, 660 North Anderson Rd., Rock Hill, SC 29730

To Request a Bid Package: Please visit <http://www.rock-hill.k12.sc.us/bids> or fax request to (803) 980-2017

Agency: Rock Hill School District Three, 660 North Anderson Rd., Rock Hill, SC 29730

Description: TYPE I AMBULANCE

Details: The above to be custom built for Georgetown County Fire / Rescue

Solicitation Number: 06-058

Delivery Point: Georgetown, SC

Opening Date/Time: Wednesday, 1/17/07 – 3:00 pm, ET

Opening Location: Georgetown County Courthouse, Room 209, Small Conference Room, 129 Screven St., Georgetown, SC

Direct Inquiries To: Kyle Prufer, Purchasing Officer, at E-mail kprufer@georgetowncountysc.org or fax (843) 545-3292. Inquiries must be in writing.

Buyer: Kyle Prufer, (843) 545-3082

Web Site with Complete Specifications & Bid Documents: <http://www.georgetowncountysc.org> – select “administrative services,” then “purchasing,” then “current bids”

USED GOLF CARTS FOR RIVERBANKS ZOO

Riverbanks Zoo & Garden seeks bids for the purchase of two used golf carts, to be 2002 year model or newer.

All questions & communications regarding this Invitation for Bids should be directed to:

Sue Pfaff
Riverbanks Zoo & Garden
PO Box 1060
Columbia, SC 29202-1060
Phone (803) 779-8717, Ext. 1124
Fax (803) 253-6381
E-mail suepfaff@riverbanks.org

Bids must be received in the business office of Riverbanks Zoo & Garden no later than 2:00 o'clock pm on December 28, 2006.

Once Riverbanks Zoo has been contacted, a copy of the IFB will be sent.

NEW AMBULANCE, WITH TRADE-IN, FOR PICKENS COUNTY

Pickens County is accepting bids for one new ambulance. Pickens County has one used ambulance to be traded.

Any firm interested in submitting a bid or viewing the used vehicle may contact Pickens County Purchasing at (864) 898-5921.

Bids will be accepted until 2:00 pm, January 9, 2007. At that time, bids will be opened in the Board Room at the County Administration Building.

TWO NEW 4X2 TRUCKS FOR YORK COUNTY

York County is seeking sealed bids for two each, new, unused, 2007 model, 4X2, 8,600 GVW trucks, with 9' service body.

Direct any questions concerning this bid to Roddey Bolin, Equipment Maintenance Shop Supervisor, (803) 628-3202, E-mail Roddey.bolin@yorkcountygov.com.

Bids will be received in the York County Purchasing Department, Room 114, 6 South Congress St., York, SC 29745, until 3:00 pm on Tuesday, January 9, 2007, at which time said bids will be publicly opened.

ONE NEW 4X4 TRUCK FOR YORK COUNTY

York County is seeking sealed bids for one each, new, unused, 2007 model, 4X4, 8,600 GVW truck, with 9' service body.

Direct any questions concerning this bid to Roddey Bolin, Equipment Maintenance Shop Supervisor, (803) 628-3202, E-mail Roddey.bolin@yorkcountygov.com.

Bids will be received in the York County Purchasing Department, Room 114, 6 South Congress St., York, SC 29745, until 3:30 pm on Tuesday, January 9, 2007, at which time said bids will be publicly opened.

BUNKER PANTS, JACKET, & SUSPENDERS FOR LANCASTER CO. FIRE SERVICE

Lancaster County Fire Service, County of Lancaster, SC, will be accepting sealed bids for the purchase of firefighter personal protective clothing consisting of “Turnout Gear” bunker pants, jacket, and suspenders.

Bid packages may be requested by vendors who physically call on the Fire Service office. Packages will be emailed upon request to (803) 283-8888. The bid ID is “2006 Firefighter Turnout Gear Bid.”

Bid opening date is 3:00 pm, January 3, 2007.

Darren C. Player, Deputy Director
Lancaster County Emergency

Management / Fire Service
PO Box 1809, 208 W. Gay St.
Lancaster, SC 29721
(803) 283-8888
(803) 285-7333
Fax(803) 283-6333

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY MANAGEMENT

Description: WEB DEVELOPMENT & HOSTING SERVICES FOR U.S.C. ATHLETICS

Solicitation Number: USC-RFP-0935-JN

Delivery Point: Columbia, SC

Deadline for Questions: 1/2/07 – 5:00 pm

Opening Date/Time: 1/12/07 – 2:30 pm

Opening Location: USC Purchasing, 6th Floor, 1600 Hampton St., Columbia, SC 29208

Bid Request: The bid package is available through the USC Purchasing web site, <http://purchasing.sc.edu> or call the USC bid line at (803) 777-0255

Buyer: Jack Nichols

Description: FURNISH, DELIVER & INSTALL A NEW RETAIL MANAGEMENT & P.O.S. SYSTEM

Solicitation Number: USC-RFQ-0952-JN

Deadline for Questions: 1/2/07 – 5:00 pm

Opening Date/Time: 1/9/07 – 3:00 pm

Opening Location: USC Purchasing, 6th Floor, 1600 Hampton St., Columbia, SC 29208

Bid Request: The bid package is available through the USC Purchasing web site, <http://purchasing.sc.edu> or call the USC bid line at (803) 777-0255

Buyer: Jack Nichols

Description: FURNISH, DELIVER & INSTALL NEW OFFSET PRINTING PRESSES

Solicitation Number: USC-BVB-0949-JN

Site Visit: Mandatory. Make appointment with Don Pruitt, (803) 777-5146.

Site visit must be completed no later than 1/5/07

Deadline for Questions: 1/5/07 – 5:00 pm

Opening Date/Time: 1/22/07 – 3:00 pm

Opening Location: USC Purchasing, 6th Floor, 1600 Hampton St., Columbia, SC 29208

Bid Request: The bid package is available through the USC Purchasing web site, <http://purchasing.sc.edu> or call the USC bid line at (803) 777-0255

Buyer: Jack Nichols

RE-BID

Description: BROCADE 4100 PORTS ON DEMAND 8 PORT UPGRADE, BROCADE 16 PORT SWITCH, INSTALLATION OF FIBER CHANNEL SWITCH & MAINTENANCE

Solicitation Number: Q09-01/08-VE

Delivery Point: Columbia, SC

Opening Date/Time: 1/8/07 – 10:00 am
Opening Location: Dept. of Health & Human Services, 6th Floor, 1801 Main St., Columbia, SC 29201

Direct Inquiries To: DHHS Procurement Office

Bid Request: (803) 898-2595

Buyer: Victoria G. Easterlin, CPPB

Description: FILEMAKER PRO 8.5 SOFTWARE LICENSE

Solicitation Number: IT5803

Delivery Point: Clemson, SC

Opening Date/Time: 1/4/07 – 3:45 pm

Opening Location: Clemson University, Administrative Services Building, corner of Silas N. Pearman Boulevard & Old Stadium Road, Clemson, SC 29634

Direct Inquiries To: Rhoda Moore, (864) 656-1139 or E-mail her at rhodam@clemson.edu

Web Site to Download Bid:

www.clemson.edu/procurement

Buyer: Tammy Crooks, (864) 656-0641 or E-mail duncant@clemson.edu

MAINTENANCE / REPAIR

Description: INSTALL 26-GAUGE "5V" DESIGN METAL ROOF WITH RIDGE VENT OVER EXISTING SHINGLE ROOF ON APPROXIMATELY 7,300 SQ. FT. BUILDING, PER SPECIFICATIONS

Solicitation Number: 07-030

Site Visit: Yes

Delivery Point: Oconee State Park, 624 State Park Rd., Mountain Rest, SC 29664

Opening Date/Time: 1/9/07 – 2:30 pm

Opening Location: SC Dept. of Parks, Recreation & Tourism, Procurement Office, Room 517, 1205 Pendleton St., Columbia, SC 29201

Direct Inquiries To: Rob Achenberg, (864) 638-5353

Buyer: Daniel H. McDowell, CPPB, (803) 734-1301

MINOR CONSTRUCTION

EMERGENCY ACCESS GATE FOR TOWN OF HILTON HEAD ISLAND

IFB 2007 17

The Town of Hilton Head Island in partnership with Hilton Head Plantation is requesting bids from qualified contractors for the construction of an emergency access gate. Sealed bids are due to the Town and Hilton Head Plantation by 1:00 pm, January 16 2007. Bids shall be hand carried or delivered by traceable means (i.e. Federal Express etc.) to the Town of Hilton Head Island One Town Center Court Hilton Head Island SC 29928. All bids must be clearly marked on the outside of the sealed envelope with the following label: "Emergency Access Gate IFB 2007-17."

To obtain a copy of the design specifications or for information regarding this solicitation, please contact Mr. John Ehlers at (843) 681 8800 Ext 227.

The Town and Hilton Head Plantation reserve the right to accept or reject any or all bids received as a result of this invitation for bids or to negotiate with all qualified bidders, or to cancel in part or in its entirety this invitation for bids if it is in the best interest of the Town and Hilton Head Plantation to do so.

This solicitation does not commit the Town and Hilton Head Plantation to award a contract or to pay for any costs incurred in the preparation of your bid; or to procure or contract for any articles of goods or services.

Your bid must be signed by an official of your company authorized to bind the bidder, and shall contain a statement that the bid is good for a period of at least 120 days from the date of bid opening.

The Town of Hilton Head Island and Hilton Head Plantation do not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or disability in employment or the provisions of services.

PRINTING

Description: PRINTING OF 2007 SOUTH CAROLINA SC1040ES TAX FORMS & CARRIER ENVELOPES

Solicitation Number: DOR-IFB07-015

Delivery Point: Forms will be mailed by vendor

Opening Date/Time: 1/4/07 – 10:30 am

Opening Location: SC Dept. of Revenue, Procurement Office, 301 Gervais St., Columbia, SC 29201

Direct Inquiries to Buyer: Erica Coffey

Telephone: (803) 898-5411

E-mail: coffey@sctax.org

Description: PRINTING OF D.H.E.C. LABORATORY REPORTS MOUNT SHEET

Solicitation No.: RFQ-31230-01/08/07-KCG

Delivery Point: Columbia, SC

Closing Date/Time: 1/8/07 – 2:30 pm

Closing Location: SC Department of Health & Environmental Control, Business Management, 2600 Bull St., Columbia, SC 29201

Bid Request:

www.scdhec.net/procurement

Direct Inquiries to Buyer: Kristen Gordon, (803) 898-3512

Description: AAH3 FACULTY RESEARCH MAGAZINE – 24 PAGES PLUS COVER – 8.5 X 11, 17 X 11 FLAT

Solicitation Number: IT5802

Delivery Point: Clemson, SC

Opening Date/Time: 1/4/06 – 3:30 pm

Opening Location: Clemson University, Administrative Services Building, corner of Silas N. Pearman Boulevard & Old Stadium Road, Clemson, SC 29634

Direct Inquiries To: Rhoda Moore, (864) 656-1139 or E-mail her at

rhodam@clemson.edu

Web Site to Download Bid:

www.clemson.edu/procurement

Buyer: Tammy Crooks, (864) 656-0641 or E-mail duncant@clemson.edu

READVERTISEMENT TO CLARIFY DESCRIPTION

Description: PRINTING 2007-08 STUDENT HANDBOOK & CATALOGUE

Solicitation Number: YTC-016

Delivery Point: Rock Hill, SC

Opening Date/Time: 1/15/07 – 3:00 pm.
Not a public bid opening

Opening Location: York Technical College, Procurement Office, 452 South Anderson Rd., Rock Hill, SC 29730

Direct Inquiries to Buyer: Vincent A. Blackwell

Telephone: (803) 327-8056

E-mail: vblackwell@yorktech.com

Description: PRINTING OF WATERCRAFT REGISTRATION CARD & DECAL MAILER

Solicitation Number: Q121406JM

Delivery Point: Columbia, SC

Closing Date/Time: 1/9/07 – 11:00 am

Closing Location: SC Dept. of Natural Resources, 1000 Assembly St., Room 242-B, Columbia, SC 29201

Buyer: Jessica Monts

Bid Request Line: (803) 734-8452

Bid Request Via Web Page:

<http://www.dnr.sc.gov/admin/procure/bulletin.html>

SERVICES

Description: SERVICES TO RECEIVE, STORE & DISTRIBUTE U.S.D.A. DONATED FOODS TO SCHOOLS & OTHER ELIGIBLE RECIPIENTS IN SOUTH CAROLINA

Solicitation Number: 07-S7395

Opening Date/Time: 1/11/07 – 11:00 am

Opening Location: 1201 Main St., Ste. 600, Columbia, SC 29201

Buyer: Norma Hall

Bid Request: (803) 737-0643

For Electronic Copy of This Solicitation, See Web Site:

http://www.state.sc.us/cgi-bin/mmo/MMO_DocumentIndex?spo_solicitations Or Hard Copy Bid Request Via E-Mail: scbo@mmo.state.sc.us

Description: REMOVE CARPET & INSTALL VINYL COMPOSITION TILE AT THE GREER D.M.V. OFFICE

Solicitation Number: 07-GSD-FM-0004

Site Visit: Mandatory. 1/5/07 – 10:00 am at Greer DMV Office, 610 Arlington Rd., Greer, SC 29651

Opening Date/Time: 1/12/07 – 3:30 pm

Opening Location: General Services Division, Facilities Management, Program Support, 921 Main St., Columbia, SC 29201

Direct Inquiries To: Marshall Rock, (803) 734-2941

Buyer: Julie Rotureau

Telephone: (803) 737-2736

Description: ANNUAL CONTRACT FOR TRAFFIC SIGN REFURBISHING

Solicitation Number: SB9754 – 01/16/07

Opening Date/Time: 1/16/07 – 10:00 am

Opening Location: SC Department of Transportation, 955 Park St., Columbia, SC 29201

Direct Inquiries to Buyer: Rudy Cabot, CPPB

Bid Request: (803) 737-1488 or

<http://www.scdot.org/doing/procurement>

SUPPLIES

Description: PRODUCTION OF PIT-SAWN & HAND-RIVEN LUMBER FOR FLOORING, DOORS & SHUTTERS, INCLUDING DELIVERY

Solicitation Number: 07-031

Delivery Point: Charlestowne Landing, 1500 Old Towne Rd., Charleston, SC 29407

Bid Opening Date/Time: 1/9/07 – 2:30 pm

Bid Opening Location: SC Dept. of Parks, Recreation & Tourism, Procurement Office, Room 517, 1205 Pendleton St., Columbia, SC 29201

Direct Inquiries To: Al Hester, (803) 734-0154

Buyer: Daniel H. McDowell, CPPB, (803) 734-1301

IMPRINTED PROMOTIONAL ITEMS FOR CITY OF COLUMBIA

The City of Columbia is requesting bids from qualified vendors for the following: "Imprinted Promotional Items."

Bid information can be picked up from the City of Columbia Purchasing Division, 1136 Washington St., Fourth Floor, Columbia, SC 29201, or log on to www.columbiasc.net or call (803) 545-3470 between the hours of 8:30 am – 5:00 pm.

Bid Due Date: 00046-06-07.

Bid Number: 1/10/07 – 3:00 pm.

POLYMERS FOR WESTERN CAROLINA REGIONAL SEWER AUTHORITY**REQUEST FOR BID**

Western Carolina Regional Sewer Authority will be accepting bids for their Polymer Contract from qualified vendors until February 22, 2007, at 9:00 am. The purpose of this bid is to contract a source for low cost dry or liquid polymer to be delivered for use as a sludge flocculent for thickening, dewatering or settling processes. Only companies that participate and pass the minimum test requirements will be permitted to bid on the contract.

A mandatory pre-bid meeting will be held on January 8, 2007, at 9:00 am, to review requirements and specifications of the bid.

Interest parties may contact (864) 299-4031, Ext 341, Monday through Friday, 7:00am to 3:00pm, to request a copy of the bid document.

AUDITING SERVICES**TOWN OF HILTON HEAD ISLAND AND HILTON HEAD ISLAND RECREATION ASSOCIATION**

RFP 2007-2

The Town of Hilton Head Island (Town) in conjunction with the Hilton Head Island Recreation Association, Inc. (Island Recreation) are soliciting sealed proposals from qualified vendors for financial auditing services for the fiscal periods ending June 30, 2007, 2008, and 2009. Sealed proposals are due by 1:00 pm, February 9, 2007. Sealed

proposals should be hand carried or delivered by traceable means to the Town Receptionist at One Town Center Court, Hilton Head Island SC 29928. All proposals should be clearly marked "RFP 2007-2 Financial Audit Services."

The proposal evaluation process will be completed within sixty days of receipt of proposals, and the prospective provider of this service will be identified. The pricing data reflected in your proposal must be good through April 30, 2007.

All offerors may submit questions or requests for clarification in writing by no later than January 26, 2007. After that date, no more questions or requests will be accepted.

The Town and Island Recreation reserve the right to accept or reject any or all proposals received as a result of this request for proposals or to negotiate with all qualified offerors, or to cancel, in part or in its entirety, this request for proposals if it is in the Town and Island Recreation's best interest to do so.

This solicitation does not commit the Town or Island Recreation to award a contract or to pay for any costs incurred in the preparation of your proposal or to procure or contract for any goods or services.

Your proposal must be signed by an official of your company authorized to commit to and enter into a formal contract for goods and services.

The Town and Island Recreation do not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or disability in employment or in the provision of goods and services.

FOR SALE**KITCHEN EQUIPMENT FROM BERKELEY SCHOOLS**

The Berkeley County School District is offering for sale Kitchen Equipment – dishwasher, booster heater, hood, fryers, etc.

Prices will be posted on each item. Items will be sold "as is, where is," with no warranty. Items must be removed on day of sale.

Sale will be held Saturday, January 6, 2007, from 8:00 until 12:00 noon at College Park Middle School, 713 College Park Rd., Ladson, SC 29456.

Direct Inquiries To: Randy Hogge.

Telephone: (843) 899-8747.

Fax: (843) 899-8757.

E-mail: randyhogge@berkeley.k12.sc.us

SCBO NOTES

Due to space constraints, the SCBO Notes have not been included in this issue of the South Carolina Business Opportunities. If you need to see a copy of the SCBO notes, check the back of another issue, or email mlfowler@mmo.state.sc.us

STATE CONTRACT GASOLINE / DIESEL FUEL PRICES
 Effective December 19, 2006 Through December 25, 2006
 LP Gas OPIS Average: \$1.0439

GASOLINE

Transport (7,500 Gallons or More)	PETROLEUM TRADERS	
	Zone 1	Zone 2
Unleaded Regular (87 Octane)	\$1.8895	\$1.9513
Unleaded Mid Grade (89 Octane)	\$1.9603	\$2.0144
Unleaded Premium (93 Octane)	\$2.0724	\$2.1221
Tankwagon (less than 7,500 Gallons)	UNITED ENERGY DIST.	
	Zone 1	Zone 2
Unleaded Regular (87 Octane)	\$1.9512	\$2.0080
Unleaded Mid Grade (89 Octane)	\$2.0220	\$2.0711
Unleaded Premium (93 Octane)	\$2.1341	\$2.1788

#2 FUEL OIL / DIESEL FUEL

Note: If used for heating and/or off the road use, deduct \$.1600
 Transport (7,500 Gallons or More) PETROLEUM TRADERS.

	Zone 1	Zone 2
	Low Sulfur	Low Sulfur
	\$2.0706	\$2.1722
Tankwagon (less than 7,500 Gallons)	UNITED ENERGY DIST.	
	Zone 1	Zone 2
	Low Sulfur	Low Sulfur
	\$2.1247	\$2.2218

The above prices include the average terminal prices, contractor's bid factor, inspection fee, SC Road Tax, Environmental Impact Fee, Federal LUST Tax, & Federal Oil Spill Tax They are based on the prices listed in the most recent OPIS Energy Group Index received in the Material Management Office by the deadline for inclusion in this issue. The most recent pricing information available to MMO can be found at <http://www.state.sc.us/mmo/scbo/scbomenu.htm>

Materials Management Office
 1201 Main Street, Suite 600
 Columbia, SC 29201

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