ADVERTISEMENT FOR BEST VALUE CM/CONTRACTOR PREQUALIFICATION

Subject to conditions prescribed by the University of California, Merced, responses to the University's prequalification documents for a CM/Contractor contract are sought from bidders for the following project:

CENTRAL PLANT/TELECOMMUNICATIONS RELIABILITY UPGRADE

PREQUALIFICATION OF PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS

The University has determined that bidders who submit proposals on this project must be prequalified. Prequalified bidders will be required to have the following California contractor's license: **General Building Contractor A or B**

GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF WORK

The project will provide upgrades to the Central Utility Plant, Telecommunications Building, the emergency power system, and the campus water service system on the UC Merced campus.

PREQUALIFICATION SCHEDULE

On February 6, 2014, a set of Level 1 prequalification documents will be made available at: [www.ucmerced.edu/community/rfprfq.asp](http://www.ucmerced.edu/community/rfprfq.asp).

Level 1 prequalification document is due on February 19, 2014, and will be received at:

Documents will be received only at:

(Overnight delivery only)

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, MERCED
Physical Planning Design and Construction
767 E Yosemite Ave., Bldg. B, Ste C
Merced CA 95340

Or by US Mail at:

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, MERCED
Physical Planning Design and Construction
5200 Lake Rd.
Merced CA 95343

Documents will not be accepted after:

4:00 PM
February 19, 2014

No Level 1 prequalification documents will be accepted after 4:00 pm. However, the University reserves the right to request, receive, and evaluate supplemental information after the above time and date at its sole determination.

Level 2 interviews will be conducted after review of the Level 1 Prequalification Documents for those prospective bidders that pass Level 1.

BIDDING SCHEDULE

Following is the anticipated proposal schedule:

1. Bidding Documents available to the prequalified bidders - March 25, 2014
2. Bids received and opened – April 22, 2014

The exact dates, times, and location will be set forth in an Announcement To Prequalified Bidders.
The University reserves the right to reject any or all responses to Prequalification Questionnaires and any or all bids and to waive non-material irregularities in any response or proposal received.

All information submitted for prequalification evaluation will be considered official information acquired in confidence, and the University will maintain its confidentiality to the extent permitted by law.

The work described in the contract is a public work subject to section 1771 of the California Labor Code.

THE REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA
University of California, MERCED
January 24, 2013