University of California, Merced

UC Merced Physical Planning Design & Construction Department

March 2012

The Merced campus of the University of California is seeking a qualified Executive Plumbing and Well Engineer for initial planning study, design, construction documents and construction administration engineering services for campus irrigation system upgrade project.

Request for Statement of Qualifications are available on the UC Merced website (http://www/ucmerced.edu/community/rfprfq.asp) and outline the scope of services for the projects.

The Period of Services is expected to start April 2012 and the duration is dependent on funding. Construction costs total \$15 million.

Submittal Instructions: The individual or official of this firm who has the power to bind the firm contractually must sign the Declaration. **Please submit ten (10) bound and one (1) unbound copy of the Statement of Qualifications.** Completed submittals must be received at the following address no later than 2:00 p.m. on March 29, 2012:

Via U.S. Mail:

Associate Vice Chancellor Thomas E. Lollini, FAIA
University of California, Merced
5200 N Lake Road
Merced, CA 95343

OR Via Overnight Delivery Services:

Associate Vice Chancellor Thomas E. Lollini, FAIA
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Please direct any questions *in writing and only via e-mail*, to Leon Waller, cell 831 419 4094, and at lwaller@ucmerced.edu. Due to the time involved in responding to the numerous phone calls that would be expected, it will not be possible to speak on the phone to interested persons. Please allow one to two working days for a reply.

The University reserves the right to make changes and adjustments to this Request for Statements of Qualifications at any time. Please watch the website for any updates, which will be clearly noted. In addition, please fill out the Registration form and fax to the number noted. Registering is not mandatory but is recommended. Firms that submit the Registration form will receive notification if any changes are made to the RFQ or schedule. Failure to register with the University may result in firms not receiving notification of updates to the RFQ, should any be issued. The University shall not be responsible for a firm's failure to incorporate any updates that are issued.

The University reserves the right to reject late submissions of Statements of Qualifications.

Evaluation and Selection Schedule: The University will evaluate all Statements of Qualification received by the deadline and will convene a committee to determine a short list of firms for interview on or before Thursday, April 5, 2012. Interviews of short-listed firms will take place Tuesday, April 10, 2012 at the UC Merced campus in Merced, California.

UC Policy on Equal Opportunity in University Business Contracting: Every effort will be made to ensure that all persons shall have equal access to contracts and other business opportunities with the University, regardless of: race; color; religion; sex; age; ancestry; national origin; sexual orientation; physical or mental disability; veteran's status; medical condition; genetic information; marital status; gender identity; pregnancy; service in the uniformed services; or citizenship within the limits imposed by law or University's policy.