



**LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT
INVITATION TO BID**

The Immokalee Fire Control District (“Owner”) is requesting sealed Bids for the construction of the District’s new Fire Station #30 in Immokalee (“Project”) located at 510 New Market Road east. Bids shall be submitted to the attention of Deputy Chief Greenberg, at the address listed below no later than 2:00pm EST on February 12, 2021: Immokalee Fire Control District, 502 New Market Road E., Immokalee, FL. 34142, (239) 657-2111

Funding for this project is provided by the Collier County Division of Community and Human Resources and the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) using Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds. Federal Regulations during construction will be enforced, including Davis Bacon and Related Acts for wage rates.

Specifications, Plans, and bid documents may be obtained from the Districts website, www.immfire.com, or via email to rgreenberg@immfire.com. It shall be the responsibility of the Bidder, prior to submitting a bid, to either contact Deputy Chief Greenberg at (239) 657-2111, rgreenberg@immfire.com or to check the website to determine if addenda were issued. Questions regarding this ITB shall be directed in writing to Deputy Chief Greenberg.

A non-mandatory pre-bid meeting will be held at 5pm on January 14, 2021. Those interested in attending shall contact Deputy Chief Greenberg by Wednesday January 13, 2021 – as a virtual meeting may be more appropriate. Bids will be publicly read on February 18, 2021 (at the address above) and a tentative contractor will be selected at the Immokalee Fire Control District Board meeting. Verification of experience will be completed within 10 days and execution of a contract and terms will be finalized on March 18, 2021.

Minority, female-owned and small businesses are encouraged to submit bids for this project. Licensed contractors are encouraged to solicit bids from minority and female-owned and female owned businesses can be found at http://www.dms.florida.com/other_programs/office_of_supplier_diversity_osd, it is the policy of the Immokalee Fire Control District to provide Equal Employment Opportunity to all employees and applicants for employment in accordance with all applicable Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action laws, directives and regulations of Federal and State agencies. Immokalee Fire Control District does not discriminate against any employee or applicants for employment on the basis of race, color, sex, national origin, religion, age, disability, pregnancy, veteran status, marital status, or any other characteristic protected by applicable law.

The work to be performed under this contract is subject to the requirements of Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, as amended, 12 U.S.C. 1701u (section). An award based on the lowest responsive bid offer with preference given to qualified Section 3

Business Concerns in accordance with Collier County's Purchasing Departments "right to match" guidelines. Visit <http://www.colliergov.net/index.aspx?page=7432> for additional information regarding registration as Section 3 business.

All applicable laws, ordinances, and the rules and regulations of all authorities having jurisdiction over construction of this project shall apply to the project throughout. Immokalee Fire Control District complies with the Fair Housing Act (42 U.S.C. 3600, ET seq) and County Fair Housing Ordinance 92-9.

Dated December 10, 2020