

**BID-03-2019-MDI**  
**ADVERTISEMENT (NOTICE TO BIDDERS)**

The SARASOTA MANATEE AIRPORT AUTHORITY (SMAA) will receive sealed bids for the construction of Master Drainage Improvements at the Sarasota Bradenton International Airport, Sarasota, Florida, in the Dan P. McClure Auditorium, 1123 General Spaatz Boulevard, Sarasota, FL 34243, until 10:00 a.m., EDT, Monday, May 13, 2019 at which time and place bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. Bids received after stated time will not be accepted.

The Work is generally described as follows:

The Project consists of improvements to the Master Drainage System at Sarasota Bradenton International Airport to enhance water quality management and flood protection. It includes reconfiguring existing water management ponds through excavation and earthfill and installing gabion baskets for flow management and bank stabilization. Approximately 6,200 linear feet of double, 60” diameter concrete pipe will be installed in the project. This includes installation through cut and cover in runway and taxiway areas, requiring pavement reconstruction, remarking, new lighting and signs, and maintenance and restoration of impacted FAA facilities cables. A permanent access road will be built as part of the reconfiguration of one of the affected ponds. Night and round the clock work will be required for some phases of the project. The Master Drainage Improvements project has an estimated construction cost of \$6 million.

The Contract Time will be **270** calendar days from the date of Notice-to-Proceed. Individual phases of the work will have completion time required in addition to the overall project time. Liquidated damages for failure to complete some phases within the allotted times will apply as well as liquidated damages for failure to complete the overall project on time.

A Non-mandatory Pre-bid Conference will be held starting at 8:30 A.M. EDT on Friday, April 26, 2019 at the Sarasota Bradenton International Airport, Dan P. McClure Auditorium, 1123 General Spaatz Boulevard, Sarasota, FL, 34243.

Bid security in the form of a bid bond equal to 5% of the total bid made payable to the Sarasota Manatee Airport Authority is required. Contract security in the form of 100% Performance and Payment Bonds will be required.

No bid may be withdrawn after closing time for the receipt of sealed bids for a period of **120** calendar days. A Notice-of-Award for the Contract, if an award is to be made under this solicitation, will be issued within the stated 120 calendar days to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder.

**TITLE VI SOLICITATION NOTICE**

The Sarasota Manatee Airport Authority, in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 Stat. 252, 42 USC §§ 2000d to 2000d—04) and the Regulations, hereby notifies all bidders or offerors that it will affirmatively ensure that any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full and fair opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award.

**NOTICE OF REQUIREMENT FOR AFFIRMATIVE ACTION TO ENSURE EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY**

1. The Offeror’s or Bidder’s attention is called to the “Equal Opportunity Clause” and the “Standard Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Construction Contract Specifications” set forth herein.

2. The goals and timetables for minority and female participation, expressed in percentage terms for the Contractor’s aggregate workforce in each trade on all construction work in the covered area, are as follows:

**Timetables**

Goals for minority participation for each trade:	15.9%
Goals for female participation in each trade:	6.9%

These goals are applicable to all of the Contractor’s construction work (whether or not it is Federal or federally assisted) performed in the covered area. If the Contractor performs construction work in a geographical area located outside of the covered area, it shall apply the goals established for such geographical area where the work is actually performed. With regard to this second area, the Contractor also is subject to the goals for both its federally involved and non-federally involved construction.

The Contractor's compliance with the Executive Order and the regulations in 41 CFR Part 60-4 shall be based on its implementation of the Equal Opportunity Clause, specific affirmative action obligations required by the specifications set forth in 41 CFR 60-4.3(a) and its efforts to meet the goals. The hours of minority and female employment and training must be substantially uniform throughout the length of the contract, and in each trade, and the Contractor shall make a good faith effort to employ minorities and women evenly on each of its projects. The transfer of minority or female employees or trainees from Contractor to Contractor or from project to project for the sole purpose of meeting the Contractor's goals shall be a violation of the contract, the Executive Order and the regulations in 41 CFR Part 60-4. Compliance with the goals will be measured against the total work hours performed.

3. The Contractor shall provide written notification to the Director of the Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs (OFCCP) within 10 working days of award of any construction subcontract in excess of \$10,000 at any tier for construction work under the contract resulting from this solicitation. The notification shall list the name, address, and telephone number of the subcontractor; employer identification number of the subcontractor; estimated dollar amount of the subcontract; estimated starting and completion dates of the subcontract; and the geographical area in which the subcontract is to be performed.

4. As used in this notice and in the contract resulting from this solicitation, the "covered area" is Sarasota and Manatee Counties, Florida.

All bidders are advised that the project will be funded in part by an Airport Improvement Program grant. Additional to the above Title VI and EEO Requirements, Mandatory Federal provisions will apply to the contract. Among these are:

- 1) Buy American Preferences
- 2) Civil Rights Act - Title VI Assurances
- 3) Davis Bacon Requirements
- 4) Debarment and Suspension
- 5) Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Participations
- 6) Foreign Trade Restriction
- 7) Lobbying Federal Employees
- 8) Recovered Materials

A full listing of Mandatory Federal Provisions along with the text of the referenced provisions is included in the contract documents and specifications.

In an effort to improve communication with suppliers, streamline and reduce administrative costs, SMAA will use Onvia DemandStar to distribute automatic solicitation notifications, addendums, award recommendations, etc. to all interested firms. This is an automated notification service that will send new opportunities directly to you once your online account has been activated. To be sure you are notified of new solicitations as soon as they are issued, please have your government contracts specialist register on DemandStar at <http://www.onvia.com/demandstar-subscriptions> in order to access the website where documents are available to download. Onvia's support contact is [demandstar@onvia.com](mailto:demandstar@onvia.com) to activate your complimentary agency subscription. Although this service is not a mandatory requirement in bidding with the Authority, it is the only way to be notified automatically of solicitations. Pursuant to Florida Statutes 119, all bidding documents with the Authority are public record.

Bidding documents may be examined digitally online at the following locations:

DemandStar:

<https://www.demandstar.com/>

Manage Subscriptions at <http://www.onvia.com/demandstar-subscriptions> or contact DemandStar at [demandstar@onvia.com](mailto:demandstar@onvia.com) for a complimentary agency subscription.

Plans are also available for limited viewing in the Engineering, Planning & Facilities office at Sarasota Bradenton International Airport beginning Thursday, April 11, 2019 after 1:00 pm EDT upon prior notice. Please contact Elisa Traub, Project Coordinator at (941) 359-2770 ext. 4270, or Rob Walker, CAD/GIS System Operator at ext. 4273 to coordinate.

Sarasota Manatee Airport Authority  
Engineering, Planning & Facilities Department  
5860 Old Bradenton Road.  
Sarasota, FL 34243

All Bidders must be licensed in accordance with Florida Laws. The Sarasota Manatee Airport Authority recognizes fair and open competition as a basic tenet of public procurement. Respondents doing business with the Authority are prohibited from discriminating on the basis of race, color, creed, national origin, handicap, age or sex.

The Sarasota Manatee Airport Authority adheres to the American with Disabilities Act and will make reasonable modification for access to Airport services, programs and activities. Please call (941) 359- 2770, Ext 4233 at least 48-hours in advance of the event to allow SMAA to provide access to the specific meeting or event if special assistance is needed.

The Sarasota Manatee Airport Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities or irregularities in the bids received and to reject any or all bids or to award or refrain from awarding the contract for the work, whichever is deemed to be in the Owner's best interests.

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