

010000 - ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed bids for **SNOW REMOVAL EQUIPMENT (SRE) ACQUISITION**, to be purchased for the Salina Airport Authority, of Salina, Kansas, will be received at the Salina Airport Authority, Salina Regional Airport, **3237 Arnold Avenue, Salina, Kansas 67401** until **2:00 pm local time, on Friday, February 23, 2024**, at which time the bids shall be publicly opened and read aloud at **Hangar 600, 1st floor Conference Room, 2720 Arnold Ct., Salina, Kansas 67401**. Sealed bids submitted prior to the bid opening should be sent to the Salina Regional Airport addressed to Mr. Timothy Rogers.

An optional virtual Pre-Bid Conference will be held on **Tuesday, February 6, 2024, at 2:00PM**. A Microsoft Teams meeting will be held, call-in information will be provided to plan holders no less than 24 hours prior to the meeting.

This project includes the procurement of snow removal equipment for the Salina Regional Airport. The equipment will consist of 1) a carrier vehicle with plow and liquid deicer and 2) a carrier vehicle with plow and combination deice spreader as indicated in the specifications.

Digital copies of the bid documents are available at <http://Planroom.GarverUSA.com>. These documents may be downloaded by selecting this project from the "Plan Room" link, and by entering Quest Project Number **8901295** on the "Browse Projects" page. For assistance and free membership registration, contact QuestCDN at 952.233.1632 or info@questcdn.com. Addendums to the bid package will be issued through the online Garver Plan Holders List; therefore, all prime bidders shall be responsible for downloading the bid documents from the Garver online plan room in order to be included in the Plan Holders List. Bidders must enter the addenda numbers in the Proposal to verify receipt.

Proposals shall be accompanied by a cashier's or certified check from a national or state bank in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the total maximum bid price payable without recourse to the Owner, or a bid bond in the same amount from a reliable surety company, as a guarantee that the Bidder will enter into a contract and execute performance and payment bonds within ten (10) days after notice of award of Contract. Such bid guarantee shall be made payable to the Salina Airport Authority.

The successful Bidder will **NOT** be required to furnish separate Performance and Payment Bond.

This project will be bid in one (1) schedule. Bidders are required to bid on all bid items (both vehicles), only one contract for both vehicles shall be awarded. The award of contract will be based on the lowest aggregate sum proposal for the respective Base Bids, submitted from those bidders that are confirmed as being responsive and responsible. The right is reserved, by the Salina Airport Authority, to reject any and all bids and to waive any or all irregularities, technicalities, informality or any information in the bids received.

Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) contract participation is not required. However, participation in the project by a DBE shall be documented by the Bidder.

Federal Requirements for Federally Funded Projects. This Project is being partially funded under the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) Airport Improvement Program (AIP). Contractors must comply with specific federally required provisions as listed herein and contained in the contract documents. The following federal provisions are incorporated in this solicitation by reference:

- Buy American Preference (49 USC § 50101)
- Trade Restriction Certification (49 USC § 50104, 49 CFR part 30)
- Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (49 CFR part 26)
- Procurement of Recovered Materials (2 CFR § 200.322, 40 CFR part 247, Solid Waste Disposal Act)
- Debarment and Suspension (2 CFR part 180 (Subpart C), 2 CFR part 1200, DOT Order 4200.5)

- Lobbying and Influencing Federal Employees (31 USC § 1352, 2 CFR part 200 Appendix II(J), 49 CFR part 20 Appendix A)

Civil Rights Title VI Assurance

The Salina 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-4) and the Regulations, hereby notifies all Bidders that it will affirmatively ensure that any Contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business 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.

Salina Airport Authority reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive irregularities in the bids and bidding deemed to be in the best interests of Salina Airport Authority, and to reject nonconforming, nonresponsive, or conditional bids.

Bids must remain in effect for ninety (90) days after the bid opening date.