NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed proposals will be received from contractors only by UNC CHARLOTTE FACILITIES MANAGEMENT at the Facilities Management, Building #55, Room 206, 9151 Cameron Boulevard, Charlotte, NC 28223 up to 2:00 PM on November 28, 2023 and immediately thereafter publically opened and read for the furnishing of labor, material and equipment entering into the construction of:

WEST DECK ELEVATOR REPLACEMENT UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT CHARLOTTE

Work consists of the replacement of an existing 5-story bored hydraulic elevator with a new MRL electric traction elevator within an existing hoistway with hoistway improvements, selective demolition, new hoistway entrances and the addition of a new hoistway HVAC system, new data cabling and exterior equipment screen.

Bids will be received for Single Prime Contract. All proposals shall be lump sum.

Pre-Bid Meeting

An open pre-bid conference is scheduled for all interested bidders for 9:00 AM on November 9, 2023 at the Facilities Management, Building #55, Room 119, 9151 Cameron Boulevard, Charlotte, NC 28223. The meeting will address project specific questions, issues, bidding procedures and bid forms. At that time, a site visit will be conducted. Contractor is encouraged to bring all sub-contractors to tour the site.

Digital (Electronic) plans, specifications and contract documents may be available at the following locations:

Construct Connect at contentcase@constructconnect.com; (800) 364-2059

North Carolina Office of Dodge Data & Analytics (formerly McGraw-Hill Construction) – Customer Service; (800) 393-6343; sarah.cossette@construction.com

Hispanic Contractors Association of the Carolinas (HCAC) in Winston-Salem, Charlotte and Raleigh Areas – 877-227-1680; info@hcacarolinas.org

Metrolina Minority Contractors Association (MMCA), 3124 W. Trade Street, Unit A, Charlotte, NC 28202. Ph. (877) 526-6205 Fax: 704-332-5990; mmca@mmcaofcharlotte.org

K2M Design, Inc.: email: jross@k2mdesign.com

NOTE: The bidder shall include <u>with the bid proposal</u> the form; *Identification of Minority Business Participation* identifying the minority business participation it will use on the project <u>and</u> shall include either **Affidavit A** or **Affidavit B** as applicable. Forms and instructions are included within the Proposal Form in the bid documents. Failure to complete these forms is grounds for rejection of the bid. (GS143-128.2c Effective 1/1/2002.)

All contractors are hereby notified that they must have proper license as required under the state laws governing their respective trades.

General contractors are notified that Chapter 87, Article 1, General Statutes of North Carolina, will be observed in receiving and awarding general contracts.

<u>NOTE</u>--SINGLE PRIME CONTRACTS: Under GS 87-1, a contractor that superintends or manages construction of any building, highway, public utility, grading, structure or improvement shall be deemed a "general contractor" and shall be so licensed. Therefore, a single prime project that involves other trades will require the single prime contractor to hold a proper General Contractors license. <u>EXCEPT</u>: On public buildings being bid <u>single prime</u>, where the total value of the general construction does not exceed 25% of the total construction value, contractors under GS87- Arts 2 and 4 (Plumbing, Mechanical & Electrical) may bid and contract directly with the Owner as the SINGLE PRIME CONTRACTOR and may subcontract to other properly licensed trades. <u>GS87-1.1- Rules .0210</u>

Each proposal shall be accompanied by a cash deposit or a certified check drawn on some bank or trust company, insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, of an amount equal to not less than five percent (5%) of the proposal, or in lieu thereof a bidder may offer a bid bond of five percent (5%) of the bid executed by a surety company licensed under the laws of North Carolina to execute the contract in accordance with the bid bond. Said deposit shall be retained by the owner as liquidated damages in event of failure of the successful bidder to execute the contract within ten days after the award or to give satisfactory surety as required by law.

A performance bond and a payment bond will be required for one hundred percent (100%) of the contract price for all contracts.

Payment will be made based on ninety-five percent (95%) of monthly estimates and final payment made upon completion and acceptance of work.

No bid may be withdrawn after the scheduled closing time for the receipt of bids for a period of 30 days.

The owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive informalities.

Bidders who will not attend the Bid Opening need to ensure their sealed bids are delivered no later than **1:00 PM** on **November 28, 2023** to the following:

Facilities Management & Police \$ Public Safety (FMPPS), Building #55, Room 206, 9151 Cameron Boulevard, Charlotte, NC 28223; (704) 687-0615

Designer: K2M Design, Inc. 800 Westmere Ave., Ste 101 Charlotte, NC 28208 Owner: University of North Carolina at Charlotte Charlotte, NC

FORM OF PROPOSAL

WEST DECK ELEVATOR REPLACEMENT	Contract:
UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT CHARLOTTE	Bidder:
SCO-ID#: 22-25632-01A	Date:

The undersigned, as bidder, hereby declares that the only person or persons interested in this proposal as principal or principals is or are named herein and that no other person than herein mentioned has any interest in this proposal or in the contract to be entered into; that this proposal is made without connection with any other person, company or parties making a bid or proposal; and that it is in all respects fair and in good faith without collusion or fraud. The bidder further declares that he has examined the site of the work and the contract documents relative thereto and has read all special provisions furnished prior to the opening of bids; that he has satisfied himself relative to the work to be performed. The bidder further declares that he and his subcontractors have fully complied with NCGS 64, Article 2 in regards to E-Verification as required by Section 2(c) of Session Law 2013-418, codified as N.C. Gen. Stat. § 143-129(j).

The Bidder proposes and agrees if this proposal is accepted to contract with:

State of North Carolina through the University of North Carolina at Charlotte

in the form of contract specified below, to furnish all necessary materials, equipment, machinery, tools, apparatus, means of transportation and labor necessary to complete the construction of:

The replacement of an existing 5-story bored hydraulic elevator with a new MRL electric traction elevator within an existing hoistway with hoistway improvements, selective demolition, new hoistway entrances and the addition of a new hoisway HVAC system, new data cabling and exterior equipment screen.

in full in complete accordance with the plans, specifications and contract documents, to the full and entire satisfaction of the State of North Carolina, and the University of North Carolina at Charlotte.

with a definite understanding that no money will be allowed for extra work except as set forth in the General Conditions and the contract documents, for the sum of:

SINGLE PRIME CONTRACT:

Base Bid:		Dollars(\$)
General Subcontractor:		Plumbing Subcontractor:	
	Lic		Lic
Mechanical Subcontractor:		Electrical Subcontractor:	
	Lic		Lic

GS143-128(d) requires all single prime bidders to identify their subcontractors for the above subdivisions of work. A contractor whose bid is accepted shall not substitute any person as subcontractor in the place of the subcontractor listed in the original bid, except (i) if the listed subcontractor's bid is later determined by the contractor to be non-responsible or non-responsive or the listed subcontractor refuses to enter into a contract for the complete performance of the bid work, or (ii) with the approval of the awarding authority for good cause shown by the contractor.

The bidder further proposes and agrees hereby to commence work under this contract on a date to be specified in a written order of the designer and shall fully complete all work thereunder within the time specified in the Supplementary General Conditions Article 23. Applicable liquidated damages amount is also stated in the Supplementary General Conditions Article 23.

MINORITY BUSINESS PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS

<u>Provide with the bid</u> - Under GS 143-128.2(c) the undersigned bidder shall identify <u>on its bid</u> (Identification of Minority Businesss Participation Form) the minority businesses that it will use on the project with the total dollar value of the bids that will be performed by the minority businesses. <u>Also</u> list the good faith efforts (Affidavit **A**) made to solicit minority participation in the bid effort.

NOTE: A contractor that performs all of the work with its <u>own workforce</u> may submit an Affidavit (**B**) to that effect in lieu of Affidavit (**A**) required above. The MB Participation Form must still be submitted even if there is zero participation.

<u>After the bid opening</u> - The Owner will consider all bids and alternates and determine the lowest responsible, responsive bidder. Upon notification of being the apparent low bidder, the bidder shall then file within 72 hours of the notification of being the apparent lowest bidder, the following:

An Affidavit (**C**) that includes a description of the portion of work to be executed by minority businesses, expressed as a percentage of the total contract price, which is <u>equal to or more than the 10% goal</u> established. This affidavit shall give rise to the presumption that the bidder has made the required good faith effort and Affidavit **D** is not necessary;

* OR *

<u>If less than the 10% goal</u>, Affidavit (**D**) of its good faith effort to meet the goal shall be provided. The document must include evidence of all good faith efforts that were implemented, including any advertisements, solicitations and other specific actions demonstrating recruitment and selection of minority businesses for participation in the contract.

Note: Bidders must always submit <u>with their bid</u> the Identification of Minority Business Participation Form listing all MB contractors, <u>vendors and suppliers</u> that will be used. If there is no MB participation, then enter none or zero on the form. Affidavit A **or** Affidavit B, as applicable, also must be submitted with the bid. Failure to file a required affidavit or documentation with the bid or after being notified apparent low bidder is grounds for rejection of the bid.

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The undersigned further agrees that in the case of failure on his part to execute the said contract and the bonds within ten (10) consecutive calendar days after being given written notice of the award of contract, the certified check, cash or bid bond accompanying this bid shall be paid into the funds of the owner's account set aside for the project, as liquidated damages for such failure; otherwise the certified check, cash or bid bond accompanying this proposal shall be returned to the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted this day of				
	(Name of	firm or corporation making bid)		
WITNESS:		By:		
		Signatu	re	
		Name:		
(Proprietorship or Par	rtnership)	Print or type		
		Title		
		(Owner/Partner/Pres		
		Address		
ATTEST:				
By <u>:</u>		License No		
Title:		Federal I.D. No.		
(Corp. Sec. or Assi	t. Sec. only)			
		Email Address:		
(CORPORATE	SEAL)			
Addendum received and				
Addendum No. 1	Addendum No. 3	Addendum No. 5	Addendum No. 6	
Addendum No. 2	Addendum No. 4	Addendum No. 6	Addendum No. 7	

FORM OF BID BOND

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS THAT principal, as and , as surety, who is duly licensed to act as surety in North Carolina, held firmly bound of North Carolina* are and unto the State through obligee, penal as in the sum of DOLLARS, lawful money of the United States of America, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Signed, sealed and dated this day of 20 WHEREAS, the said principal is herewith submitting proposal for

and the principal desires to file this bid bond in lieu of making

the cash deposit as required by G.S. 143-129.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CONDITION OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATION is such, that if the principal shall be awarded the contract for which the bid is submitted and shall execute the contract and give bond for the faithful performance thereof within ten days after the award of same to the principal, then this obligation shall be null and void; but if the principal fails to so execute such contract and give performance bond as required by G.S. 143-129, the surety shall, upon demand, forthwith pay to the obligee the amount set forth in the first paragraph hereof. Provided further, that the bid may be withdrawn as provided by G.S. 143-129.1

	_(SEAL)
	_(SEAL)

____(SEAL)

_____(SEAL)

_____(SEAL)

FORM OF PERFORMANCE BOND

Date of Contract:		
Date of Execution: Name of Principal	 	
(Contractor)		
Name of Curatur		
Name of Surety:		
Name of Contracting Body:		
Amount of Bond:		

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that we, the principal and surety above named, are held and firmly bound unto the above named contracting body, hereinafter called the contracting body, in the penal sum of the amount stated above for the payment of which sum well and truly to be made, we bind, ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, and successors, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH, that whereas the principal entered into a certain contract with the contracting body, identified as shown above and hereto attached:

NOW, THEREFORE, if the principal shall well and truly perform and fulfill all the undertakings, covenants, terms, conditions and agreements of said contract during the original term of said contract and any extensions thereof that may be granted by the contracting body, with or without notice to the surety, and during the life of any guaranty required under the contract, and shall also well and truly perform and fulfill all the undertakings, covenants, terms, conditions and agreements of any and all duly authorized modifications of said contract that may hereafter be made, notice of which modifications to the surety being hereby waived, then, this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the above-bounden parties have executed this instrument under their several seals on the date indicated above, the name and corporate seal of each corporate party being hereto affixed and these presents duly signed by its undersigned representative, pursuant to authority of its governing body.

Executed in _____ counterparts.

Project

Witness:

(Proprietorship or Partnership)

Attest: (Corporation)

Contractor: (Trade or Corporate Name)

By: _____

Title:

Title: ______ (Owner, Partner, or Corp. Pres. or Vice Pres. only)

Ву: _____

Title: ______ (Corp. Sec. or Asst. Sec. only)

(Corporate Seal)

(Surety Company)

Ву: _____

Title: ______(Attorney in Fact)

Countersigned:

(N.C. Licensed Resident Agent)

Name and Address-Surety Agency

Surety Company Name and N.C. Regional or Branch Office Address (Surety Corporate Seal)

Witness:

FORM OF PAYMENT BOND

Date of Contract:	
Date of Execution: Name of Principal (Contractor)	
Name of Surety:	
Name of Contracting Body:	
Amount of Bond:	
Project	

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that we, the principal and surety above named, are held and firmly bound unto the above named contracting body, hereinafter called the contracting body, in the penal sum of the amount stated above for the payment of which sum well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, and successors, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH, that whereas the principal entered into a certain contract with the contracting body identified as shown above and hereto attached:

NOW, THEREFORE, if the principal shall promptly make payment to all persons supplying labor/material in the prosecution of the work provided for in said contract, and any and all duly authorized modifications of said contract that may hereafter be made, notice of which modifications to the surety being hereby waived, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the above-bounden parties have executed this instrument under their several seals on the date indicated above, the name and corporate seal of each corporate party being hereto affixed and these presents duly signed by its undersigned representative, pursuant to authority of its governing body.

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Contractor: (Trade or Corporate Name)

Ву: _____

Title (Owner, Partner, or Corp. Pres. or Vice Pres. only)

By: _____

Title: ______ (Corp. Sec. or Asst. Sec.. only)

(Corporate Seal)

(Surety Company)

By: _____

Title: _____ (Attorney in Fact)

Countersigned:

Witness:

(N.C. Licensed Resident Agent)

Name and Address-Surety Agency

Surety Company Name and N.C. Regional or Branch Office Address (Surety Corporate Seal)