1.1 PROJECT INFORMATION

A. Project Identification: Hawkeye Campus Core Landscape.

B. Owner: Hawkeye Community College, Office of Administration and Finance, 1501 E. Orange Road, Waterloo, IA 50701; 319.296.4409.
   1. Owner’s Representative: Dan Gillen.

C. Landscape Architect: RDG Planning & Design, 301 Grand Avenue, Des Moines, IA.
   1. Contacts: Jonathan Martin (jmartin@rdgusa.com) and Grant Thompson (gthompson@rdgusa.com).

D. Project Description: Project consists of the following Work: Site improvements to Hawkeye Community College Campus Core.


1.2 PREBID MEETING

A. All general contract and major subcontract bidders and suppliers are invited. Attendance by General Contractors is strongly recommended but not mandatory.
   1. Date: February 8, 2024.
   2. Time: 10:00 a.m. local time.
   3. Location: Hawkeye Community College – Hawkeye Center, Waterloo, Iowa.

B. Bidders' Questions: Landscape Architect will provide responses at prebid conference to bidders' questions received up to two business days prior to conference.

1.3 BID SUBMITTAL, OPENING AND APPROVAL

A. Owner will receive sealed lump sum bids until the bid time and date at the location given below. Owner will consider bids prepared in compliance with the Instructions to Bidders issued by Owner, and delivered as follows:
   1. Bid Date: February 27, 2024.
   2. Bid Time: 2:00 p.m., local time.
   3. Location: Sealed bids will be received at the Office of Administration and Finance at Hawkeye Community College, 1501 East Orange Road, Waterloo, Iowa.
   4. Bids received will be publicly opened and read aloud virtually via Zoom. Please contact Jonathan Martin (jmartin@rdgusa.com) and Grant Thompson (gthompson@rdgusa.com) to request an invite to the bid opening.

B. Bid Approval:
   1. Date: February 27, 2024.
   2. Time: 6:00 p.m., local time.

C. Refer to other bidding requirements described in Division 00 Section “Instructions to Bidders.”

1.4 DOCUMENTS

A. Printed Procurement and Contracting Documents: Obtain after January 23, 2024, by contacting procurement place listed below. Documents will be provided to prime bidders only; only complete sets of documents will be issued. Note that deposit and shipping costs may be added as determined by plan distributor.
B. Online Procurement and Contracting Documents: Obtain access after January 23, 2024, by contacting procurement place listed below. Online access will be provided to all registered bidders and suppliers.

C. Viewing Procurement and Contracting Documents:
   1. Examine after January 23, 2024, at the locations below:
      a. Rapids Reproductions, 6201 Chancellor Drive, Cedar Falls, IA  50613; 319-277-5538
      b. Construction Update Network: www.mbionline.com

D. Existing Drawings and Documents “For Reference Only:” Link will be available for viewing until 2:00 p.m. local time on February 8, 2024. Please contact Grant Thompson (gthompson@rdgusa.com) to request an invite to the shared documents folder.

1.5 TIME OF COMPLETION

A. Successful bidder shall begin the Work on receipt of the Notice to Proceed to the Contractor from the Owner or its authorized representative and shall complete the Work within the Contract Time. The work of this Contract shall be completed on or before June 30, 2025.

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