

NOTICE INVITING BIDS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Orange, California will receive sealed bids up to **2:00 PM on Wednesday, the 2nd day of December, 2009** in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, Room 101, Robert E. Thomas Hall of Administration (Building 10), 333 W. Santa Ana, Blvd., Santa Ana, California 92701, at which time said bids will be publicly opened and read in Room 169 on the first floor, for the following construction project at John Wayne Airport:

Project: Terminal Generators Replacement
Project No.: 280-280-4200-P933
City: Santa Ana, California

All of said work to be performed in accordance with drawings and specifications, which are available for purchase at OCB Reprographics, 17721 Mitchell North, Irvine, California 92614, telephone 949-660-1150. Contact OCB Reprographics for the cost. For additional information, contact the Project Manager, Don Horn, at dhorn@ocair.com.

A valid **CA Class A or B** contractor's license is required by the Contractor in the performance of this project.

Pursuant to California Public Contract Code Section 3400(b)(2), the County of Orange finds that the following materials, products, things or services are designated by respective and specific brands or trade names in order to match other materials, products, things or services in use at John Wayne Airport either completed or currently in the course of completion:

<u>Specification</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Manufacturer</u>
16612	Diesel Engine Standby Power Plant	Caterpillar

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 1773 of the Labor Code of the State of California, the Board of Supervisors has obtained the general prevailing rate of per diem wages and the general prevailing rate for holiday and overtime work in this locality for each craft, classification, or type of workman needed to execute the contract from the Director of the Department of Industrial Relations. These rates are on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

Each bidder must submit with its bid a satisfactory check certified by an acceptable bank or a bidder's bond made payable to the order of the County of Orange in an amount not less than five percent of the sum bid as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into the proposed contract if the same is awarded it. In the event of failure to enter into such contract, the proceeds of the check will be forfeited or, in case of a bond, the full sum thereof will be forfeited to the County of Orange. Contractors must leave their bids open for 120 days.

The successful bidder shall be required to furnish a Performance Bond and a Labor and Material Payment Bond in an amount equal to 100 percent of the contract. Said bonds to be first approved by the County Counsel and the Risk Manager of Orange County.

Pursuant to Section 22300 of the Public Contract Code of the State of California, the contract will contain provisions permitting the successful bidder to substitute securities for any moneys withheld by the County of Orange to ensure performance under the contract. An Escrow Agreement can be found in the Contract Forms section.

Bidders are advised that **on Thursday, the 5th day of November, 2009 a pre-bid meeting will be held starting at 9:00 a.m. at John Wayne Airport, 18601 Airport Way, Santa Ana (meet at John Wayne Statue, ground level). The pre-bid meeting will include a job-walk.**

Bidders are advised that the final day **JWA will consider Contractor questions will be Wednesday the 18th of November, 2009 at 4:00 p.m.** Contractors shall address all questions to the Project Manager, Don Horn at dhorn@ocair.com.

The Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any informality in any bid received.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF ORANGE COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

DATED: _____

DARLENE J. BLOOM
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
Orange County, California