Sealed proposals submitted on a form furnished by the University of Massachusetts, and clearly identified as a Bid, endorsed with the name and address of the Bidder, the Project and Contract Number will be received from:

General Bidders before 2:00 p.m. on May 14, 2015

Every General Bidder must submit with their Bid a Certificate of Eligibility available from the Division of Capital Asset Management along with an Update Statement before their Bid may be considered.

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The work shall be completed on or before 90 days from the Notice to Proceed and in general the Project includes: Repair Steam Manholes

A pre-bid meeting will be held on May 6, 2014 at 10:00 a.m. at Physical Plant Building, 2nd floor, Conference Room 243, 360 Campus Center Way, Amherst, MA

Bids will be received at the Procurement Office, 407 Goodell Building, 140 Hicks Way, University of Massachusetts at Amherst MA 01003, no later than the time and date specified and will forthwith be publicly opened and read aloud. Any bid time-stamped into the Procurement Office after the date and time specified will not be considered.

Minimum rates of wages to be paid on the project have been determined by the Commissioner of Labor & Workforce Development under the provision of Sections 26 & 27, Chapter 149 of the General Laws. Wage rates are listed in the Contract form portion of specification book.

Each General Bid proposal must be secured by an accompanying deposit of 5% of the total bid. Deposits shall be in the form of a BID BOND, CERTIFIED, TREASURER’S or CASHIER’S CHECK payable to the University of Massachusetts. Deposits shall be returned in accordance with law.

All bids for this project are subject to the provisions of either or both Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 30, Section 39M as amended and Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 149, Sections 44A – 44I inclusive.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities in or to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest to do so.

Messenger and other type of pickup and delivery services are the agent of the bidder and the University assumes no responsibility for delivery or receipt of the documents.
The Bidding Documents may be obtained at the Procurement Department by depositing a Company Check, Treasurer’s Check, Cashier’s Check or Money Order in the sum of $ 50.00 per set payable to the University of Massachusetts. No personal checks or cash will be accepted as deposits. Refunds will be made to those returning the documents in satisfactory condition on or before 05/28/2014 otherwise the deposit shall be the property of the University.

Bidding documents also available on Procurement website:

http://www.umass.edu/procurement/constructionprojects.htm

The documents may also be seen but not removed or taken out of the following locations:

University of Massachusetts  
Physical Plant Building – 2nd floor  
Plan Room  
360 Campus Center Way  
Amherst, MA  01003-9248

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