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 29, 2014_

Estimate: $55,000.00  Project No: 10-000916  Contract No: UMA14-50
Title: Autoclave Paige Lab

The work shall be completed on or before July 25, 2014 after the Notice to Proceed and in general the project includes: Purchasing and Installation of Autoclave

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 provisions 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 the 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.

Bidding documents also available on Procurement website:

[http://www.umass.edu/procurement/constructionprojects.htm](http://www.umass.edu/procurement/constructionprojects.htm)
The documents may also be seen but not removed or taken out of the following locations:

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Physical Plant Building – 2nd floor
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