

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: Sealed proposals will be received by the Purchasing Agent of the Des Moines Independent Community School District at his office, Des Moines Independent Community School District 1915 Prospect Road, Suite 103, Des Moines, Iowa 50310 until three o'clock p.m. on the 15th day of April 2014, for the completion of the following project:

Bid # Q6963: Mitchell Elementary School – Asbestos Abatement

Commencing April 1st, 2014 copies of the plans and specifications for the Project are on file with and available from Apex Companies, LLC 10052 Justin Drive, Suite L, Urbandale, Iowa 50322. Plans may also be inspected at the office of the District's facility management office at 1917 Dean Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa 50316. Bids must be submitted on the approved bid forms available in the plans and specifications. No oral, facsimile, telegraphic or telephonic bids or modifications will be considered.

A Pre-Bid Conference will be held at 2:00 P.M. on Wednesday, April 2nd, 2014 at Mitchell Elementary School, 111 Porter Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa 50315. A mandatory viewing of the facility is required for bid acceptance.

Lump-sum bids will be received under one contract for the project as described in the specifications. Bids will be opened and read aloud immediately after specified closing time for receiving bids. All interested parties are invited to attend.

Consideration of the bids received and the award of contract or other action may be made by the Board of Directors of the Des Moines Independent Community School District upon the proposals received in accordance with the law and the plans and specifications at its meeting to be held at 6:00 p.m. on May 6th, 2014 in the Board Room of the Des Moines Independent Community School District, located at 1800 Grand Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa or at any other published and/or posted location of the Board meeting.

The Board of Directors may make the award to the lowest responsive, responsible bidder meeting specifications. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids, or any part thereof, and to waive informalities, and to enter into such contract or contracts as shall be deemed in the best interests of the Des Moines Independent Community School District.

By virtue of statutory authority, a preference will be given to products and provisions grown and coal produced within the State of Iowa, and to Iowa domestic labor.

All bids will be governed by applicable provisions in the Iowa Code and Board Policies.

Secretary of the Board
Des Moines Independent Community School District