

REQUEST FOR BIDS

Request for Quotes Road & Parking Lot Repairs

RFB Posted:	March 3, 2020
Mandatory Site Visit	March 18, 2020 (RSVP by March 12, 2020 2:00 P.M.)
Questions Due	March 20, 2020 by 2:00 P.M.
Question/Answers Posted	March 25, 2020 by 2:00 P.M.
Bid Due Date:	March 31, 2020 by 2:00 P.M.

The South Dakota Science and Technology Authority (SDSTA) is seeking quotes for road and parking lot repairs for Sanford Underground Research Facility (SURF).

Documents included in this Request for Bids include:

- A. Request for Bids (RFB)
- B. Draft contract (2020-13)

1.0 Background

The South Dakota Science and Technology Authority (SDSTA) is a quasi-governmental agency established by the State of South Dakota to operate and manage the Sanford Underground Research Facility (SURF) in Lead, South Dakota. This facility has been developed to support a variety of scientific experiments, including physics, biology, geology, and others. SURF advances our understanding of the universe by providing laboratory space deep underground, where sensitive physics experiments can be shielded from cosmic radiation. Researchers at Sanford Lab explore some of the most challenging questions facing 21st century physics, such as the origin of matter, the nature of dark matter and the properties of neutrinos.

2.0 Scope

Vendor will provide all labor, travel, and supplies to prep surfaces, fill cracks, apply sealant and apply proper signage for parking and handicap spots of the main entrance and roadway/parking lot at the Sanford Underground Research Facility in Lead South Dakota.

- Work Area: All asphalt surfaces from 50 FT outside of the Yates Security Gate and down to the fencing that marks the PPE demarcation line just ahead of the IT generator.
- Time Frame for Work – Window of time to do the work is Friday Afternoon to Sunday evening.
- Work needs to be completed and invoiced by end of June to meet SDSTA fiscal year end.

3.0 Rates and Fees

- Provide firm fixed pricing.
- Warranty Period.
- Provide a list all equipment to be used on project, equipment rates and the expected number of hours for each piece of equipment. Please include the age of each piece

of equipment and its functionality.

4.0 The contractor selected will need to acknowledge, adhere to, and provide the following services as part of the contract.

- Contractor shall have a South Dakota Contractor's License.
- Contractor shall assume full responsibility and liability for the compliance with all Federal, State, and local regulations pertaining to work practices, hauling, disposal, and protection of work.
- Contractor is responsible for notifying other contractors, SDSTA employees stakeholder working/visiting the site about the where the work is being performed.
- All products need to be pre-approved by an SDSTA employee before use on SURF property.
- Contractor shall hold the Owner and Owner's Representative harmless for failure to comply with any applicable work, safety, health or other regulation on the part of himself, his employees, or his subcontractors.
- Contractor shall use SDSTA five-point card or a similar daily safety tool.

5.0 Submission Requirements

All offerors are required to attend a mandatory onsite pre-quote meeting March 18, 2020 from 9:00-11:00 A.M. Mountain Standard Time at the Sanford Lab, 630 East Summit Street, Lead South Dakota. Pre-registration is required email mbaumann@sanfordlab.org. by close of business March 12, 2020 2:00 P.M. to receive instructions and directions. Only companies represented at the pre-bid meeting will be eligible to submit bids. Contractors' subcontractors are encouraged but not required, to attend.

Questions must be submitted in writing by email no later than 2:00 p.m. MDT March 20, 2020 2:00 P.M., to mbaumann@sanfordlab.org. Answers will be emailed to all prospective proposers and posted to the sanfordlab.org website no later than March 25, 2020.

Provide an electronic copy (.pdf format) of the quote no later than 2:00 p.m. March 31, 2020 by 2:00 P.M., to: mbaumann@sanfordlab.org.

The bid period may be extended at the discretion of SDSTA based on the quantity and/or complexity of questions. Any notices of extension of time to respond will be distributed to all prospective proposers by SDSTA.

All communications regarding this procurement between RFB release and contract award shall be directed by email to mbaumann@sanfordlab.org. Communications with other SDSTA staff regarding this procurement in advance of the contract award are not allowed.