

April 30, 2021

Dear Sir / Madam;

Subject: Sealed Bid No. 21-00076-APQC, Clean Agent Fire Suppression Systems' Services for Four Years

Southeastern Pennsylvania Transportation Authority ("SEPTA") will accept Sealed Bids through its Electronic Procurement System (ePS) website to provide the Clean Agent Fire Suppression Systems' Services for Four Years (hereinafter called the "Services") as outlined in the Contract Documents and Specifications for such Services until Thursday, May 20, 2021, at 11:00 A.M., at which time the bids will be made public and read aloud. All questions must be submitted by Tuesday, May 11, 2021 at 4:30 P.M. to be guaranteed an answer.

**Highly Recommended Pre-Bid Meeting:**

Meeting link:

<https://septa.webex.com/septa/j.php?MTID=m1bdda5cd6e98bc1ee9fe907dfe25ee2b>

Meeting number:

173 862 0539

Password:

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**Bid Opening:**

Meeting link:

<https://septa.webex.com/septa/j.php?MTID=mc3217a87ad9e939ea4eb1ba5b9469dac>

Meeting number:

173 783 1035

Password:

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To view the Contract documents and Specifications log into our Electronic Procurement System (ePS) at <https://epsadmin.septa.org/vendor/login/>. If your company is not registered in ePS, please go to our ePS web site at <http://www.septa.org/business/eps/index.html> and click on the [register using the vendor form link](#).

Any inquiries regarding this bid and any request for change, modification, or clarification of any aspect of these Contract Documents must be made in writing to SEPTA at least eight (8) calendar days prior to bid opening in order for consideration to be given by SEPTA to affect a change in the Contract Documents. Any inquiries regarding this bid must be directed to Peter Chung of the Procurement, Supply Chain and DBE Division at [pchung@septa.org](mailto:pchung@septa.org) or (215) 580-7421. A change, modification, or clarification to the Contract Documents can be affected only by a written Addendum issued by SEPTA via our ePS.

No bid will be opened and considered that is submitted later than the time specified.

All bids must be submitted through SEPTA's Electronic Procurement System. **Mailed and / or hand delivered bids will be rejected.**

SEPTA retains the right to reject any and all bids, as determined to be in the best interest of SEPTA.

Due to Covid-19, visitors are not allowed access to SEPTA's 1234 Market Street building..

Each bid submitted must remain firm for at least ninety (90) days from the date of the Bid Opening and may not be withdrawn in whole or in part during that time. Bidder hereby certifies that the bid price is held firm for that time and any extension thereof.

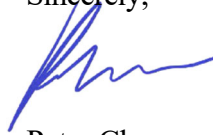
SEPTA, in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 78 Stat. 252, 42 U.S.C. 2000d to 2000d-4, and Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Part 21, Nondiscrimination in Federally-Assisted Programs of the Department of Transportation issued pursuant to such Act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in regard to any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation, and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, sex, color, or national origin in consideration for an award.

Contractor will be required to comply with all applicable Equal Employment Opportunity laws and regulations.

All bidders will be required to certify compliance with Executive Order 12549 (ineligible contractors).

Any contract issued as result of this solicitation is subject to a financial assistance contract between SEPTA and U.S. Department of Transportation.

Sincerely,



Peter Chung  
Contract Administrator  
Procurement, Supply Chain & DBE Division