Bid Number: 40010-10620 Date: April 21, 2025

LOUISIANA DELTA COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Louisiana Delta Community College 7500 Millhaven Road Monroe, LA 71203-6922 (318) 678-6117

INVITATION FOR BID: Sealed bid, subject to the conditions herein stated and attached hereto, will be received until May 15, 2025 @ 2:00 P.M.CST for furnishing the items and/or services described below for the Campus of Louisiana Delta Community College. Sealed bids must be returned to Bossier Parish Community College, Attn: Gayle Doucet, 6220 East Texas Street, Bossier City, LA 71111 in order to be considered for award.

DESCRIPTION: PROVIDE EXTERIOR CLEANING & PRESSURE WASHING AS PER ATTACHED SPECIFICATIONS PLEASE FILL IN ALL BLANK SPACES

Terms will be	and shipment will be received within	days after receipt of an order.
	ect to the conditions thereof, the undersigned opening to furnish any or all of the items (or	
Vendor Name		Signature Authority (RE: L.R.S. 39:1594)
Address		Γitle
City, State and Zip		Γax Identification Number
Telephone Number	<u></u>	Fax Number
Louisiana Contractor's Num	ber I	Date
	Acceptance/Award	
Date of Award and Executio	n	
Recommendation:		
	Approved	l:
		Gayle Doucet Chief Purchasing Officer

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

1. <u>Bid Forms</u>

All written bids, unless otherwise provided for, must be submitted on, and in accordance with, forms provided, properly signed. Bids submitted in the following manner will not be accepted.

- 1. Bid containing no signature indicating intent to be bound;
- 2. Bid filled out in pencil; and
- 3. Bid not submitted on the state's standard forms.

Bids must be received at the address specified in the Invitation for Bids prior to bid opening time in order to be considered. Any bid received after bid opening time will be retained in bid file unopened. Telegraphic and fax alterations to bids received before bid opening time will be considered provided formal bid and written alteration have been received and time-stamped before bid opening time.

2. Special Envelope

Ensure consideration, all bids should be submitted in the special bid envelope if furnished for that purpose. In the event bid contains bulky subject material, the special bid envelope should be firmly affixed to the mailing envelope.

3. Prices

The bidder must state the prices (written in ink, in figures) for which he proposes to furnish each item and shall show the total extended amount for each based on the quantities shown. In case, however, of conflict between the unit price and the extended amount, the unit price shall govern. Unit prices should be inclusive of any freight charges.

4. <u>F.O.B.</u>

Bid should be FOB Destination/Agency, title passing upon acceptance of merchandise. Failure to comply with this requirement may disqualify your bid.

5. <u>Standard of Quality</u>

Any product or service bid shall conform to all applicable Federal and State laws and regulations and the specifications contained in the IFB. Unless otherwise specified in the IFB, any manufacturer's name, trade name, brand name, or catalog number used in specifications is for the purpose of describing the quality level and characteristic required. Bidder must specify the brand and model number of the product offered in this bid. Bids not specifying brand and model number shall be considered as offering the exact products specified in the IFB. All products must be ADA compliant.

6. <u>Descriptive Information</u>

Bidders proposing an equivalent brand or model should submit with the bid information (such as illustrations, descriptive literature, technical data) sufficient for LDCC Purchasing to evaluate quality, suitability, and compliance with the specifications in the IFB. Failure to submit descriptive information may cause bid to be rejected. Any change made to a manufacturer's published specifications submitted for a product shall be verifiable by the

manufacturer. If item(s) bid do not fully comply with specifications (including brand and/or product number), bidder must state in what respect the item(s) deviate. Failure to note exceptions on the bid form will not relieve the successful bidder(s) from supplying the actual products requested.

Manufacturer's Numbers and Trade Names

Where manufacturer's product is named or specified, it is understood that "or equal" shall apply, whether stated or not. Such name and number is meant to establish the standard, type, quality, style, etc. LDCC shall be the sole judge as to whether or not the equipment/supply offered is equal to that specified.

7. <u>Bid Opening</u>

Bidders may attend the bid opening, but no information or opinions concerning the ultimate contract award will be given at the bid opening or during the evaluation process. Bids may be examined 72 hours after request is made. Information pertaining to completed files may be secured by appointment only to the Purchasing Dept. at LDCC. Written bid tabulations will not be furnished. Copies will not be furnished.

8. Award

Award will be made to the lowest responsible bidder, taking into consideration the quality of the products to be supplied, their conformity with specifications, the purposes for which they are required, and the time for delivery. Louisiana Delta Community College reserves the right to award items separately, grouped or on an all-or-none basis and to reject any or all bids and to waive any informalities.

9. <u>Purchase Order</u>

If any bid or bids are accepted, an initial purchase order or orders for the entire number of units or part thereof, will be issued not later than thirty (30) days after receipt of bids by the Owner to the lowest bidder offering products which, in the opinion of the College, meet the requirements of these specifications. LDCC reserves the right to cancel any order resulting from this solicitation with 30 days written notice.

10. <u>Conditions of Purchase Orders</u>

We will not in any manner be responsible for goods delivered or work done for our account without a written order. No allowance for boxing or crating. If you cannot fill order as directed, return for advice. Quantities in excess of the order may be returned or held subject to shipper's order, expense and risk. By accepting the order you hereby warrant that the merchandise to be furnished hereunder will be in full conformity with the specifications, drawing or sample and agree that this warrant shall survive acceptance of the merchandise and that you will bear the cost of inspecting merchandise rejected.

11. <u>Inspection and Acceptance</u>

Upon delivery of each item to the Agency, inspection of the item will be made by Louisiana Delta Community College, or their representative, at the point of delivery, or in special cases, at point of origin. Acceptance of the item will be made after inspection determines that all requirements of the specifications and the proposal have been met.

12. Reject

All rejected goods will be at seller's risk and expense, subject to seller's prompt advice as to disposition.

Unless otherwise arranged all rejected goods will be returned and charged back including all transportation and handling costs. All packages must reflect the LDCC purchase order number or it will be refused and returned at vendor's expense.

13. Payment Terms

Cash discounts for less than 30 days or less than 1% or greater than 5% will be accepted, but will not be considered in determining awards. On indefinite quantity terms contracts, cash discounts will be accepted and taken but will not be considered in determining awards. Bids containing "payment in advance" or "COD" requirements may be rejected. Payment is to be made within 30 days after receipt of properly executed invoice or delivery, whichever is later. Invoices shall be submitted to: Louisiana Delta Community College, Accounts Payable, 7500 Millhaven Road, Monroe, LA 71203, attn: Sandra Bennett or email ap@ladelta.edu

14. <u>U.S. Taxpayer Identification Number</u>

Enter your taxpayer identification number in the appropriate space on the Specifications and Bid Form Page. For individuals and sole proprietors, this is your social security number. For other entities, it is your employer identification number. PAYMENT CANNOT BE PROCESSED WITHOUT YOUR TAX I.D. NUMBER.

15. Taxes

The State is exempt from sales/use tax. Vendor is responsible for including all applicable taxes in the bid price.

16. New Products

Unless specifically called for in the IFB, all products for purchase must be new, never previously used, and the current model and/or packaging. No remanufactured, demonstrator, used or irregular product will be considered for purchase unless otherwise specified in the IFB. The manufacturer's standard warranty will apply unless otherwise specified in the IFB.

17. Contract Renewals

Upon Agreement of Louisiana Delta Community College Purchasing and the contractor, an open-ended requirements contract may be extended for 2 additional 12-month periods at the same prices, terms and conditions. In such cases, the total contract term cannot exceed 36 months.

18. Contract Cancellation

Louisiana Delta Community College has the right to cancel any contract, in accordance with purchasing rules and regulations, for cause, including but not limited to, the following: (1) failure to deliver with the time specified in the contract; (2) failure of the product or service to meet specifications, conform to sample quality or to be delivered in good conditions; (3) misrepresentation by the contractor;, (4) fraud, collusion, conspiracy or other unlawful means of obtaining any contract with Louisiana Delta Community College; (5) conflict of contract provisions with constitutional or statutory provisions of state or federal law; (6) any other breach of contract.

19. <u>Termination for Convenience</u>

The State may terminate the Contract at any time by giving thirty (30) days written notice to the Contractor. The Contractor shall be entitled to payment for deliverables in progress, to the extent work has been performed satisfactorily.

20. <u>Default of Contractor</u>

Failure to deliver within the time specified in the bid will constitute a default and may cause cancellation of the contract. Where the Louisiana Delta Community College Purchasing has determined the contractor to be in default, LDCC Purchasing reserves the right to purchase any or all products or services covered by the contract on the open market and to charge the contractor with cost in excess of the contract price. Until such assessed charges have been paid, no subsequent bid from the defaulting contractor will be considered.

21. <u>Davis Bacon Act</u>

The Davis-Bacon Act, United States Code, Title 40, Chapter 3, Section 276(a) requires all laborers and mechanics employed by contractors and subcontractors who work on construction projects financed by federal assistance to be paid wages not less than those established by the Secretary of Labor for the locality of the project when required by federal grant program legislation.

22. Order of Priority

In the event there is a conflict between the Instructions to Bidders or General Conditions and the Special Conditions, the Special Conditions shall govern.

23. Applicable Law

All contracts shall be construed in accordance with and governed by the laws of the State of Louisiana.

24. <u>Discrimination Clause</u>

By submitting and signing this bid, bidder certifies that he agrees to adhere to the mandates indicated by Title VI and VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended; The Vietnam Era Veteran's Readjustment Assistance Act of 1974; Section 503 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973; and The Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, Title IX of the Education amendments of 1972, The Age Acts of 1975, and bidder agrees to abide by the requirements of the American of Disabilities Act of 1990. Bidder agrees not to discriminate in its employment practices, and will render services under any contract entered into as a result of this solicitation without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, veteran status, political affiliation, or disabilities, any act of discrimination committed by bidder, or failure to comply with these statutory obligations when applicable, shall be grounds for termination of any contract entered into as a result of this solicitation.

25. Special Accommodation

Any "Qualified Individual with a Disability" as defined by the American with Disabilities Act who has submitted a bid and desires to attend the bid opening, must notify this office in writing not later than 7 days prior to the bid opening date of their need for special accommodations. If the request cannot be reasonable provided, the individual will be informed prior to the bid opening.

26. Indemnity

Contractor agrees, upon receipt of written notice of a claim or action, to defend the claim or action, or take other appropriate measure, to indemnify, and hold harmless, the state, its officers, its agents and its employees from and against all claims and actions for bodily injury, death or property damages caused by the fault of the contractor, its officers, its agents, or its employees. Contractor is obligated to indemnify only to the extent of the fault of the contractor, its officers, its agents, or its employees, however, the contractor shall have no obligation as set forth above with respect to any claim or action from bodily injury, death or property damages arising out of the fault of the state, its officers, its agents or its employees. Contractor agrees to investigate, handle, respond to, provide defense for and defend any such claims, demand, or suit at its sole expense and agrees to bear all other costs and expenses related thereto, even if it (claims, etc.) is groundless, false or fraudulent. The State of Louisiana may, but is not required to, consult with the Contractor in the defense of claims, but this shall not affect the Contractor's responsibility for the handling of and expenses for all claims.

27. In accordance with the provisions of R.S. 39:2182, in awarding contracts after August 15, 2010, any public entity is authorized to reject a proposal or bid form, or not award the contract to, a business in which any individual with an ownership interest of five percent or more, has been convicted of, or has entered a plea of guilty or nolo contendere to any state felony or equivalent federal felony crime committed in the solicitation or execution of a contract or bid awarded under the laws governing public contracts under the provisions of Chapter 10 of Title 38 of the Louisiana Revised Statues of 1950, Professional, Personal, Consulting, and Social Services Procurement under

the Provisions of Chapter 16 of Title 39, or the Louisiana Procurement Code under the provisions of Chapter 17 of Title 39.

Federal Clauses, If Applicable

28. ANTI-KICKBACK CLAUSE

The Contractor hereby agrees to adhere to the mandate dictated by the Copeland "Anti-Kickback" Act which provides that each Contractor or subgrantee shall be prohibited from inducing, by any means, any person employed in the completion of work, to give up any part of the compensation to which he is otherwise entitled.

29. CLEAN AIR ACT

The Contractor hereby agrees to adhere to the provisions which require compliance with all applicable standards, orders or requirements issued under Section 306 of the Clean Air Act which prohibits the use under non-exempt Federal contracts, grants, or loans of facilities included on the EPA list of Violating Facilities.

30. ENERGY POLICY AND CONSERVATION ACT

The Contractor hereby recognizes the mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency which are contained in the State energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (P.L. 94-163).

31. CLEAN WATER ACT

The Contractor hereby agrees to adhere to the provisions which require compliance with all applicable standards, orders, or requirements issued under Section 508 of the Clean Water Act which prohibits the use under non-exempt Federal contracts, grants or loans of facilities included on the EPA List of Violating Facilities.

32. ANTI-LOBBYING AND DEBARMENT ACT

The Contractor will be expected to comply with Federal statues required in the Anti-Lobbying Act and the Debarment Act.

33. Certification of No Suspension of Debarment

By signing and submitting any proposal for \$25,000 or more, the bidder certifies that their company, any subcontractors, or principals are not suspended or debarred by the General Services Administration (GSA) in accordance with the requirement in "Audit Requirements in Subpart F of the Office of Management and Budget's Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards" (Formerly OMB Circular A-133).

A list of parties who have been suspended or debarred can be viewed via the internet at https://www.sam.gov

34. Mandatory Disclosure

Under the Uniform Guidance (200.113, shown below) Louisiana Delta Community College is obligated to disclose to the Federal awarding agency (or a pass-through if we are a sub-recipient), any violations of Federal criminal law involving fraud, bribery or gratuity violations potentially affecting the Federal Award.

200.113 Mandatory Disclosures

The non-Federal entity or applicant for a Federal award must disclose, in a timely manner, in writing to the Federal awarding agency or pass-through entity all violations of Federal criminal law involving fraud, bribery, or gratuity violations potentially affecting the Federal award. Failure to make required disclosures can result in any of the remedies described in §200.338 Remedies for noncompliance, including suspension or debarment. (See also 2 CFR part 180 and 32 U.S.C. 3321).

35. In accordance with Louisiana Law, All Corporations (See LA R.S. 12:262.1) and limited liability companies (See LA R.S. 12:1308.2) must be registered and in good standing with the Louisiana Secretary of State in order to hold a purchase order and/or contract over \$25,000.

36. All bid amounts shall be submitted in United State Dollars.

37. Standard Preference

elimination from preferences).

A. In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statutes 39:1595, a preference not to exceed 10% may be allowed for paper and paper products manufactured or converted in Louisiana of equal quality. For paper supplied in wrapped reams, each carton and each individual ream shall be clearly labeled with the name of the manufacturer or converter and the location within Louisiana where such paper is manufactured or converted. For paper and paper products supplied in bulk or in other forms, the smallest unit of packaging shall be clearly labeled with the name of the manufacturer or converter and the location within Louisiana where such paper or paper product is manufactured or converted.
Do you claim this preference? Yes
Specify Item Number(s):
Name and location within Louisiana where such paper or product is manufactured or converted
B. A preference may be allowed for products manufactured, produced, grown, or assembled in Louisiana o equal quality.
Do you claim this preference? Yes Specify Item Number(s)
Specify location within Louisiana where this product is manufactured, produced, grown or assembled
If so, do you certify that at least fifty percent (50%) of your Louisiana business workforce is comprised of
Louisiana residents? Yes No

(Note: If more space is required, include on separate sheet. Failure to specify above information may cause

38. Preference for United States Products.

In accordance with the provisions of R.S. 39:1595.7, in the event a contract is not entered into for products purchased under the provisions of R.S. 39:1595, each procurement officer, purchasing agent, or similar official who procures or purchases materials, supplies, products, provisions, or equipment under the provisions of this chapter may purchase such materials, supplies, products, provisions, or equipment which are manufactured in the United States, and which are equal in quality to other materials, supplies products, provisions, or equipment, provided that all of the following conditions are met:

- (1) The cost of such items does not exceed the cost of other items which are manufactured outside the United States by more than five percent.
- (2) The vendor of such items agrees to sell the items at the same price as the lowest bid offered on such items.
- (3) In cases where more than one bidder offers items manufactured in the United States which are within five percent of the lowest bid, the bidder offering the lowest bid on such items is entitled to accept the price of the lowest bid made on such items.
- (4) The vendor certifies that such items are manufactured in the United States.

(NOTE: If more space is required, include on a separate sheet.)

For the purposes of this preference,

- (1) "Manufactured in the United States" means produced by a process in which the manufacturing, final assembly, processing, packaging, testing, and any other process that adds value, quality, or reliability to assembled articles, materials, or supplies, occur in the United States.
- (2) "United States" means the United States and any place subject to the jurisdiction of the United States.

Do you claim this preference?YES	No	
Specify line number(s):	<u> </u>	
Specify the location within the United State	tes where this product is manufactured:	

39. <u>Prohibition of Discriminatory Boycotts of Israel</u>

In accordance with Executive Order Number JBE 2018-15, effective May 22, 2018, for any contract for \$100,000 or more and for any contractor with five or more employees, Contractor, or any Subcontractor, shall certify it is not engaging in a boycott of Israel, and shall, for the duration of this contract, refrain from a boycott of Israel. LDCC reserves the right to terminate this contract if the Contractor, or any Subcontractor, engages in a boycott of Israel during the term of the Contract.

40. Compliance with National Defense Authorization Act

In accordance with Section 889(a)(1)(B) 2019 National Defense Authorization Act for any contract for telecommunication and video surveillance equipment no purchases will be made from Huawei, ZTE, Hytera, Hikvision and Dahua and their subsidiaries are allowed.

Signature of Bidder

41. Non-Exclusivity Clause

This agreement is non-exclusive and shall not in any way preclude LDCC from entering into similar agreements and/or arrangements with other vendors or from acquiring similar, equal or like goods and/or services from other entities or sources including state contracts.

42. Price Reductions

Whenever there is a reduction in price which is lower than the contract price offered to similarly situated customers contracting for the same period and under similar terms and conditions, the reduction shall be presented to the Purchasing Department.

43. Legislators Prohibited

According to LA R.S. 42:113(D) the College is prohibited from entering into any contract or subcontract with a Legislator or person who has been certified by the Secretary of State as elected to the Legislature or spouse of a Legislator, or any corporation, partnership, or other legal entity in which the Legislator or his/her spouse owns an interest, except publicly traded corporations. Each bidder must return the enclosed Disclosure Form as part of his/her bid.

44. Subcontractors

The awarded contractor shall not subcontract any portion of the contract.

45. ADA Compliance

If applicable, the contractor warrants it will comply with federal and state disabilities laws and regulations and also warrants that the products and services provided conform to the applicable accessibility requirements of wcag 2.1 level aa or the most current version (the "accessibility standards"), section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, and the Americans with Disabilities Act. The contractor agrees to promptly respond to and resolve any complaint regarding accessibility of its products and services. If at any time, products and services provided under this contract do not fully conform to the accessibility standards, contractor shall immediately advise Louisiana Delta Community College (LDCC) procurement in writing of the nonconformance and shall provide LDCC a plan to achieve conformance to the accessibility standards, including but not limited to, an intended timeline for conformance. Contractor further agrees to indemnify and hold harmless LDCC from any claims or damages arising out of its failure to comply with the requirements of this paragraph. Failure to comply with these requirements shall constitute

a material breach of this contract and may be grounds for termination of this contract by Louisiana Delta Community College.

46. Scope of Contract

Furthermore submittal of any terms and conditions contrary to those of the State of Louisiana may cause your bid to be rejected. By signing this form, terms and conditions which may be included in your bid are nullified, and the contractor agrees that this contract shall be construed in accordance with and governed by the laws of the State of Louisiana.

(Members of firm or person authorized to sign bids for corporation)

BIDDERS MUST SIGN IN INK

IMPORTANT

Signature Authority: In Accordance with L.R.S. 39:1594(C)(4) requires evidence of authority to sign and submit bids to Louisiana Delta Community College. You must indicate which of the following apply to the signer of this bid.

- 1. The signer of this bid is either a current corporate officer who is listed on the most current annual report on file with the Secretary of State or a member of a partnership or partnership in commendam as reflected in the most current partnership records on file with the Secretary of State. A copy of the annual report or partnership record must be submitted to this office before contract award.
- 2. The signer of the bid is a representative of the bidder authorized to submit this bid as evidenced by documents such as, corporate resolution, certification as to corporate principal., etc. If this applies a copy of the resolution, certification, or other supportive documents must be attached hereto.
- 3. The bidder has filed with the Secretary of State an affidavit or resolution or other acknowledged/authentic document indicating that the signer is authorized to submit bids for public contracts. A copy of the applicable document must be submitted to this office before contract award.
- 4. The signer of the bid has been designated by the bidder as authorized to submit bids on the bidder's vendor registration on file with this office.

LDCC is an equal opportunity College

Combined Recommended Language for Invitations to Bid (ITB)

Veteran-Owned and Service-Connected Disabled Veteran-Owned (Veteran Initiative) and

Louisiana Initiative for Small Entrepreneurships (Hudson Initiative) Program

This procurement has been designated as suitable for Louisiana certified small entrepreneurships participation.

The State of Louisiana Veteran and Hudson Initiatives small entrepreneurship programs are designed to provide additional opportunities for Louisiana-based small entrepreneurships (sometimes referred to as LaVet's and SE's respectively) to participate in contracting and procurement with the state. A certified Veteran-Owned and Service-Connected Disabled Veteran-Owned small entrepreneurship (LaVet) and a Louisiana Initiative for Small Entrepreneurships (Hudson Initiative) are businesses that have been certified by the Louisiana Department of Economic Development. All eligible vendors are encouraged to become certified. Qualification requirements and online certification are available at

https://smallbiz.louisianaforward.com/index 2.asp.

Bidders that are not eligible for certification are encouraged to use Veteran-Owned and Service-Connected Disabled Veteran-Owned and Hudson Initiative small entrepreneurships where sub-contracting opportunities exist. To be responsive to this solicitation, the bidder shall be either a Veteran-Owned or Service-Connected Disabled Veteran-Owned or Hudson Initiative small entrepreneurship or have put forth a good-faith effort to use certified Veteran-Owned or Service-Connected Disabled Veteran-Owned and Hudson Initiative small entrepreneurships as sub-contractors(s). By signing and submitting this bid, the

bidder certifies compliance with this requirement.

For a good faith effort, written notification is the preferred method to inform Louisiana certified Veteran Initiative and Hudson Initiative small entrepreneurships of potential subcontracting opportunities. A current list of certified Veteran-Owned and Service-Connected Disabled Veteran-Owned and Hudson Initiative small entrepreneurships may be obtained from the Louisiana Economic Development Certification System at https://smallbiz.louisianaforward.com/index_2.asp.. Additionally, a current list of Hudson Initiative small entrepreneurships, which have been certified by the Louisiana Department of Economic Development and have opted to enroll in the State of Louisiana Procurement and Contract (LaPAC) Network, may be accessed from https://www.prd.doa.louisiana.gov/osp/lapac/Vendor/srchven.asp. You may then determine the search criteria (i.e. alphabetized list of all certified vendors, by commodities, etc.), and select "SmallE".

Copies of notification to at least three (or more) certified Veteran Initiative and Hudson Initiative small entrepreneurships will satisfy the notification requirements. Notification must be provided to the certified entrepreneurships by the bidder in writing no less than five working days prior to the date of bid opening. Notification must include the scope of work, location to review plans and specifications (if applicable), information about required qualifications and specifications, any bonding and insurance information and/or requirements (if applicable), and the name of a person to contact. If a certified Veteran-Owned or Service-

Connected Disabled Veteran-Owned or Hudson Initiative small entrepreneurship was not selected, the bidder must certify and maintain written justification of the selection process. The state reserves the right to request confirmation of this information at any time.

In the event questions arise after an award is made relative to the bidder's good faith efforts, the bidder will be required to provide supporting documentation to demonstrate its good faith subcontracting plan was actually followed. If it is at any time determined that the contractor did not in fact perform its good faith subcontracting plan, the contract award or the existing contract may be terminated.

Contractors will be required to report Veteran-Owned and Service-Connected Disabled Veteran-Owned and Hudson Initiative

small entrepreneurship subcontractor or distributor participation and the dollar amount of each. (Agencies should indicate their specific requirement, i.e. where to send information and when - with bid, after clear lien, etc.)

The statutes (R.S 39:2171 et. seq.) concerning the Veteran Initiative may be viewed at

http://www.legis.state.la.us/lss/lss.asp?doc=671504; and the statutes (R.S 39:2001 et. seq.) concerning the Hudson Initiative may be viewed at http://www.legis.state.la.us/lss/lss.asp?doc=96265. The rules for the Veteran Initiative (LAC 19:VII.Chapters 11 and 15) and for the Hudson Initiative (LAC 19:VIII.Chapters 11 and 13) may be viewed at http://www.doa.louisiana.gov/osp/se/se.htm.

The State requires competitive pricing, qualifications, and demonstrated competencies in the selection of contractors.

If you are a Certified Small Entrepreneur (Hudson Initiative), Veteran Owned Small Entrepreneurs, or Service-Connected Disabled Veteran-Owned (Veteran Initiative) vendor, please state your Certification Number below.

Certification No./date of certification.:	

COMPENSATION INSURANCE, PUBLIC LIABILITY AND PROPERTY DAMAGE INSURANCE, AS OUTLINED BELOW ARE REQUIRED IN THIS BID

CONTRACTOR'S LIABILITY INSURANCE:

Proof of insurance should be supplied with this Quotation and will be required before work can commence. The Contractor shall purchase and maintain for the duration of the contract insurance against claims for injuries to persons or damages to property which may arise from or in connection with the performance of the work hereunder by the Contractor, its agents, representatives, employees or subcontractors.

Insurance coverage specified below shall be furnished with the following minimum limits:

Workers Compensation

Workers Compensation Insurance shall be in compliance with the Workers Compensation Law of the State of the Contractor's headquarters. Employers liability is included with a minimum limit of \$1,000,000 per accident/per disease/per employee. If work is to be performed over water and involves maritime exposure, applicable LHWCA, Jones Act, or other maritime law coverage shall be included. A.M. Best's Insurance Company rating requirement may be waived for Workers Compensation Coverage Only.

Commercial General Liability

Commercial General Liability Insurance, including personal and advertising injury liability, and products and completed operations, shall have a minimum limit per occurrence of \$1,000,000 and a minimum general aggregate of \$2,000,000. The insurance services office (ISO) commercial general liability occurrence coverage form CG 00 01 (Current form approved for use in Louisiana), or equivalent, is to be used in the policy, claims made form is unacceptable.

Automobile Liability

Automobile Liability Insurance shall have a minimum combined single limit per accident of \$1,000,000. ISO form number CA 00 01 (Current Form approved for use in Louisiana), or equivalent, is to be used in the policy. This Insurance shall include third-party bodily injury and property damage liability for owned, hired and non-owned automobiles.

B. Deductibles and Self-Insured Retentions

Any deductibles or self-insured retentions must be declared to and accepted by the Agency. The Contractor shall be responsible for all deductibles and self-insured retentions.

C. Other Insurance Provisions

The policies are to contain, or be endorsed to contain, the following provisions:

- 1. General Liability and Automobile Liability Coverages
- A. The Agency, its, officers, agents, employees and volunteers shall be names as an additional insured as regards negligence by the Contractor. ISO Form CG 20 10 (Current form approved for use in Louisiana) or equivalent, is to be used when applicable. The coverage shall contain no special limitations on the scope of protection afforded to the Agency.
- B. The Contractor's insurance shall be primary as respects the Agency, its officers, agents, employees and volunteers. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the Agency shall be excess and non-contributory of the Contractor's insurance.
- C. Any failure of the Contractor to comply with reporting provisions of the policy shall not affect coverage provided to the Agency, its officers, agents, employees and volunteers.
- D. The Contractor's insurance shall apply separately to each insured against who claim is made or suit is brought, except with respect to the policy limits.

Workers Compensation and Employers Liability Coverage

The Insurer shall agree to waive all rights of subrogation against the Agency, its officers, agents, employees and volunteers for losses arising from work performed by the Contractor for the Agency

All Coverages

Coverage shall not be canceled, suspended, or voided by either party (the Contractor or the Insurer) or reduced in coverage or in limits except after 30 days written notice has been given to the Agency. Ten-day written notice of cancellation is acceptable for non-payment of premium. Notification shall comply with the standard cancellation provisions in the Contractor's policy.

Neither the acceptance of the completed work nor the payment thereof shall release the Contractor from the obligations of the insurance requirements or indemnification agreement.

The insurance companies issuing the polices shall have no recourse against the Agency for payment of premiums or for assessments under any form of the policies.

Any failure of the Contractor to comply with reporting provisions of the policy shall not affect coverage provided to the Agency, its officers, agents, employees and volunteers

Acceptability of Insurers

All required insurance shall be provided by a company or companies lawfully authorized to do business in the jurisdiction in which the project is located. Insurance shall be placed with the

Insurers with a A.M. Best's Rating of A-:VI or higher. This rating requirement may be waived for Workers Compensation Coverage only.

If at any time an insurer issuing any such policy does not meet the minimum A.M. Best Rating, the Contractor shall obtain a policy with an insurer that meets the A.M. Best rating and shall submit another Certificate of Insurance as required in the contract.

Verification of Coverage

Contractor shall furnish the Agency with Certificates of Insurance reflecting proof of required coverage, the certificates for each insurance policy are to be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. The certificates are to be received and approved by the Agency before work commences and upon any contract renewal thereafter.

In addition to the certificates, Contractor shall submit the declarations page and the cancellation provision endorsement for each insurance policy. The Agency reserves the right to request complete certifies copies of all required insurance policies at any time.

Upon failure of the Contractor to furnish, deliver and maintain such insurance as above provided, this contract, at the election of the Agency, may be suspended, discontinued or terminated. Failure of the Contractor to purchase and/or maintain any required insurance shall not relieve the Contractor from any liability or indemnification under the contract.

Subcontractors

Contract shall include all subcontractors as insureds under its policies or shall be responsible for verifying and maintaining the certificates provided by each subcontractor. Subcontractors shall be subject to all of the requirements stated herein. The Agency reserves the right to request copies of subcontractor's certificates at any time.

SUBMISSION OF BIDS

Bids may be mailed to: Bossier Parish Community College

Attn: Gayle Doucet 6220 East Texas Street Bossier City, LA 71111

Or delivered by hand or by courier to:

Bossier Parish Community College

Attn: Gayle Doucet 6220 East Texas Street

Bldg J

Bossier City, LA 71111

Bidder is solely responsible for ensuring that its courier service provider makes inside deliveries to our physical location. LDCC Purchasing is not responsible for any delays caused by the bidder's chosen means of delivery.

Bidder is solely responsible for the timely delivery of its bid. Failure to meet the bid opening date and time shall result in rejection of the bid.

The bid envelope shall be identified on the outside with the project name and solicitation number, bid opening date and time, and the name, address, and license number of the Bidder. The envelope shall contain only one bid form and will be received until the time specified and at the place specified in the ITB.

INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT

The(Contractor) agrees to protect, defend, indemnify, save, and hold harmless the State of Louisiana, all State Departments, Agencies, Boards and Commissions, its officers, agents, servants and employees, including volunteers, from and against any and all claims, demands, expense and liability arising out of injury or death to any person or the damage, loss or destruction of any property which may occur or in any way grow out of any act or omission of(Contractor), its agents, servants, and employees, or any and all costs, expense and/or attorney fees incurred by			
(Contractor) as a result of any claim, demands, and/or causes of action arising out of the negligence of the State of Louisia. Commissions, its agents, representatives, and/or employees. (Contractor)			
provide defense for and defend any such claims, demand, or and expenses related thereto, even if it (claims, etc.) is ground but is not required to, consult with the Contractor in the defer responsibility for the handling of and expenses for all claims.	dless, false or fraudulent. The State of Louisiana may, nse of claims, but this shall not affect the Contractor's		
Accepted by	Company Name		
	Signature		
_	Title		
Date Accepted			
Is Certificate of Insurance Attached?	YesNo		
	A DELTA COMMUNITY COLLEGE umber and Name		
Purpose of contract: Provide Exterior Cleaning & Pressure W	Vashing		

BID FORM

Louisiana Deita Community College
Bid Number: 40010-10620
Provide Exterior Cleaning & Pressure Washing for the LDCC Monroe Campus
Bid Date: May 15, 2025 @ 2:00pm CST

1. Power Washing as per the specifications

LPB – Building	Price per sq. foot	\$
LPB – Roof	Price per sq. foot	\$
ATC – Building	Price per sq. foot	\$
Sidewalks & concrete areas	Price per sq. foot	\$
Masonry Walls	Price per sq. foot	\$

INSTRUCTIONS & REQUIREMENTS FOR BIDDERS

Louisiana Delta Community College is seeking bids to provide exterior cleaning and pressure washing of buildings, sidewalks, walkways, concrete parking lots, curbs, roof on LPB Building, and masonry walls.

Campus is located at:

Louisiana Delta Community College 7500 Millhaven Road Monroe, LA 71203

QUALIFICATIONS

The Bidder shall be licensed to operate in the State of Louisiana and required to have at least five (5) years of appropriate experience for contracts of a similar scope and size in the relevant field specified in the contract. Bidder must complete <u>Attachment A.</u> <u>References Form</u> and submit with their bid. References must be from companies where the work performed was of a similar size and scope.

ADDENDA:

Any questions arising from the specifications must be addressed in writing to Gayle Doucet – <u>gdoucet@bpcc.edu</u> All questions must be submitted no later than May 5th, 2025, by 12:00 PM, CST.

Any interpretation, correction or change of the Bidding Documents will be made by addendum. Interpretations, corrections or changes of the Bidding Documents make in any other manner will not be binding and Bidders shall not rely upon such interpretations, corrections and changes. The Bidder must acknowledge all issued addenda in the space provided on the Bid Form. Failure to acknowledge addenda will render the bid informal and cause its rejection.

Bid Documents and Addenda may be downloaded from https://www.cfprd.doa.louisiana.gov/osp/lapac/dspBid.cfm?search=department&term=71

SPECIFICATIONS

1.1 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

Provide the materials, equipment, tools, labor and supervision necessary for the completion of exterior cleaning and pressure washing. Submit bids in accordance with the unit price schedule set forth in the Bid Form.

Contractors must sign in the Facilities Office prior to beginning any work and must sign out before leafing.

1.2 NON-MANDATORY SITE INVESTIGATION

It is recommended that prospective bidders visit the site to make measurements, review existing conditions, and if required, review the Building Plans on file in the Facilities Office. A thorough understanding of the project per these Technical Specifications and/or accompanying drawings is imperative.

Please contact Bobby Graham to schedule a site visit at 318-376-8870.

1.3 REVIEW OF DOCUMENTS

The Contractor shall carefully study and compare the field conditions, drawings (if applicable) and specifications and shall at once report to the Facilities Director errors, inconsistencies or omissions discovered.

1.4 COORDINATION

Coordinate service schedule with the Facilities Director so as not to interfere with the ongoing operation of the College. If, for any reason, shut down of utilities is required on this project, it is imperative that the Facilities Director be consulted.

1.5 TRAFFIC CONTROL

Coordinate the schedule of delivery vehicles which will interfere with normal campus traffic. When deliveries are made, provide sufficient properly attired and equipped flagmen to safely control and maintain the flow of traffic. It is the policy of Louisiana Delta Community College to provide full access to all disabled individuals in all areas possible. Because of the commitment, contractors, vendors or servicing agencies are cautioned to ensure that their staff is made aware of this commitment. When parking on the campus of this College, it shall be the

responsibility of the contractor, vendor or servicing agency to ensure that no sidewalks or access ways are blocked at any time. If temporary blocking is required, the Contractor shall assume the responsibility for the safe transit of all disabled persons.

1.6 PROTECTION

Protect adjacent buildings and building elements from damage during site work. Protect the site, including trees, shrubs, vegetation and lawn areas; where damage does occur, restore to original condition replacing damaged vegetation and lawn with equal size and species. Store construction materials with care; distribute the weight to not endanger the building structure.

1.7 SAFETY

Provide sufficient signs continuous barricades to identify the work site and restrict entry. Where necessary, equip barricades with warning lights for night use. Provide measures necessary to ensure and maintain security at the work site; protect from theft, vandalism, personal injury, and property damage. Erect and maintain temporary enclosures and barriers to prevent unauthorized access to the site. Provide fire protection equipment during the construction period, including not less than two (2) ten (10) pound capacity, multipurpose A-B-C chemical extinguishers (10A:40BC).

1.8 WARRANTY

Warranty all workmanship and material for a period of one (1) year from date of acceptance. During this period, the College will notify the Contractor of any discrepancy for prompt correction at no expense to the College. At the discretion and initiation of the College Facilities Director, a one-year warranty review meeting with the Contractor will be held to review warranty items which remain incomplete. (Where applicable).

1.9 TEMPORARY UTILITIES

The Contractor may use reasonable amount of the utility services available to the site at no charge from the College. The College will not provide utility service beyond that existing. Coordinate tie-in and disconnect to the existing utilities with the College Facilities Director. Locate temporary facilities so as not to interfere with the College's use of the Project site and/or surrounding areas. Relocate non-complying facilities at no expense to the College.

1.10 TEMPORARY SANITARY FACILITIES

Existing facilities in the building may be used by construction personnel during work on this project.

CLEANING SPECIFICATIONS

SCOPE OF WORK:

Bidder is to provide all materials, equipment, tools and labor necessary for the completion of exterior cleaning & pressure washing. All costs associated to perform the work outlined in the bid documents shall be the sole responsibility of the contractor.

The exterior surfaces to be cleaned include but are not limited to the following typical areas:

- Walkways
- Sidewalks
- Concrete Parking Lots
- o Curbs
- Roof on the LPB Building
- Masonry Walls

The contractor will perform exterior cleaning & pressure washing on exterior surfaces on which staining is present due to biological growth, drip tracing, pollutants and high traffic, dirt, dobber nest, bird droppings, Vaseline

* Biological growth in the context of this contract is defined as: algae, fungi, lichens and any other growth present on the building

CONTRACTOR QUALIFICATIONS

The Contractor shall be licensed and required to have at least (5) five years of appropriate experience in the relevant field as it pertains to the specified work. The contractor shall also provide trained workers and a qualified job superintendent where warranted.

The contractor shall perform all services in a professional manner and comply with all mandatory College and State regulations.

SYSTEM SPECIFICTIONS

The contractor shall provide a system in which operation and the contractors cleaning procedures fall within the following specifications:

- When primer is applied to the building before water pressure is applied to the
 exterior in order to clean the building, the contractor is responsible for providing
 an approved applicator in which the application of the primer shall not exceed 50
 PSI
- Within the scope of the contract, "primer" is defined as: A One-to-One mixture of 12.5 percent Sodium Hypochlorate and water as well as an approved surfactant (this surfactant must equal ½ ounce per one gallon of the above "One to One Mix") that must be applied to the building in order to perform the specified cleaning of the exterior.

After the application of the primer, the surface shall be rinsed with water. The pressure of the water shall not exceed 3 gpm and 3000 PSI at any time.

Contractor shall provide MSDS safety sheets for all chemicals and cleaners used prior to the commencement of any work or if a change in chemical is requested to be utilized.

EQUIPMENT & MATERIALS

The contractor shall provide all necessary equipment for the work set forth in this solicitation. This equipment includes but is not limited to:

- o Pressure Washer
- Appropriate hoses
- Trained applicators
- Approved primers as listed above
- Boom Lifts Operators of this equipment shall be trained and certified by a recognized safety organization.

The College will provide connectivity to a water source; however, it is the responsibility of the Contractor to ensure that appropriate equipment is provided to be able to reach all requested work areas.

The Contractor shall be expected to use caution to avoid damage to utilities (underground and above), sidewalks and landscaping, irrigation heads, etc. Damage due to negligence on behalf of the contractor will be at the expense of the contractor.

List of Areas and approximate square footage of each:

LPB - 37,807 sq. ft. -

LPB Roof - 38,000 sq. ft.

ATC - 37,741 sq. ft

Sidewalks and concrete parking areas – approx. 90,000-95,000 sq. ft.

Masonry Walls – approx. 600' at 10' tall

LOUISIANA DELTA COMMUNITY COLLEGE

BID RESPONSE FORM

BIDDER'S NAME:				
TELEPHONE NO			FAX NUN	MBER:
ADDRESS:MAILING		CITY	STATE	ZIP
SCOPE: Furnish exterior cethe attached Specifications	and Requirements a	and bid respons	se form.	-
I/we do hereby ac	knowledge receipt	of the followin	g addenda (if any	7):
No	Dated	_ No.	Date	ed
	e and other charact	eristics, the us	e of such specific	o describe the standard of cations shall not restrict
Taxes: Any taxes, other the The College is curr				the bidder's unit price.
Signature to the Bid Responentirety.	nse Form shall be co	onstrued of acc	eptance of the In	evitation to Bid in its
AUTHORIZED OFFICER:				
	(Signa	ature)	(Print or Type Name)
TITLE			DATE:	

CERTIFICATION STATEMENT

Date:

The undersigned hereby acknowledges she/he has read and understands all requirements and specifications of the Invitation to Bid (ITB), including any attachments.

OFFICIAL CONTACT. The College requests that the Bidder designate one person to receive all documents and the method in which the documents are best delivered. Identify the Contact name and fill in the information below: (Print Clearly) Official Contact Name: Date: A. E-mail Address: B. Telephone number with area code: (__) C. Facsimile Number with area code: () Bidder certifies that the above information is true and grants permission to the College to contact the above-named person or otherwise verify the information provided. By its submission of this ITB and authorized signature below, Bidder certifies that: 1. The information contained in its response to this ITB is accurate. 2. Bidder complies with each of the mandatory requirements listed in the ITB and will meet or exceed the requirements specified therein. 3. Bidder agrees to provide all tasks, services and deliverables listed in Scope of Services for the total cost stated on Bid 4. Bidder accepts the procedures, evaluation criteria, mandatory contract terms, and all other administrative requirements set forth in the ITB. 5. Bidder confirms that its bid will be considered valid until award is made. 6. In making this bid, each bidder represents that: They have read and understand the bid documents and the bid is made in accordance herewith, and the bid is based upon the specifications described in the bid documents without exception. 7. Bidder certifies, by signing and submitting a proposal of \$25,000 or more, that their company, any subcontractors, or principles are not suspended or debarred by the General Services Administration (GSA) in accordance with the requirements in OMB Circular A-133. (A list of parties who have been suspended or debarred can be viewed via the internet at www.epls.gov). Title: Official Company Name: Federal Identification Number: Street Address: Zip: SIGNATURE of Bidder's Authorized Representative: (Signature MUST be <u>HAND SIGNED</u> and should be in BLUE ink)

ATTACHMENT A: REFERENCE FORM

Company Name:
Facility Type:
Address:
Phone Number:
Contract Administrator:
Company Name:
Facility Type:
Address:
Phone Number:
Contract Administrator:
Company Name:
Facility Type:
Address:
Phone Number:
Contract Administrator:

^{*}Form must be completed and submitted with the bid*

Job Site Visit Certification Non-Mandatory

Exterior Cleaning & Pressure Washing

This signed statement certifies that the Vendor named below has visited the job site and is familiar with all conditions surrounding fulfillment of the specifications for the project.

Bidder's Name (Printed)	College Representative
Bidder's Signature	College Representative's Signature
 Bidder's Company Name (Printed)	