

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

University of Tennessee at Chattanooga – Fletcher Hall Addition/Renovation

SBC Project #540/005-02-2023 (ERP-2 Relocation of Underground Utilities)

Request for Bidding

Dated: October 16, 2024

Hoar Construction invites all vendors to **submit complete bids** for the above referenced project.

ERP-2 consists of site related work with a heavy focus on removing and relocating underground mechanical and electrical lines feeding Fletcher Hall and other surrounding buildings. Additional work includes demolition, site excavation, new utility vaults, asphalt patching and paving, and installation of new underground storm, sanitary, and water utilities.

Previous package (ERP-1) included the pre-purchase and procurement of an electrical primary switch and transformer by Hoar Construction.

Access to the Plans, specifications, and other bid documents can be requested by contacting Zackary Howe via phone at 615-760-2484 or email at zhowe@hoar.com

Complete bids are to be emailed to Zackary Howe at zhowe@hoar.com and Philip Shepard at pshepard@hoar.com no later than **1:30 P.M., EST, Thursday, November 14, 2024**. Please do not mail bids. More information on the bid evaluation will be discussed at the Pre-Bid Meeting on **Thursday, October 31, 2024, at 1:30 PM EST**. Pre-Bid meeting invitations will be released to all bidders in advance of the meeting. Following the bid date, there will be a 2-week scope review and potential interview process conducted by Hoar Construction prior to making final subcontractor/vendor selection.

No bid bonds are required.

All bidders must be licensed and qualified in the State of Tennessee.

It is the express desire of the University of Tennessee and the State Building Commission to include an emphasis on diversity in its contractual relationships with contractors for the construction and renovation of State projects under the jurisdiction of the Commission.