The Trustees of the California State University will receive sealed bid proposals in room MSR290, at the above address, for furnishing all labor and materials for construction of the Library Switchgear Replacement Project 9287, for the CSU Stanislaus campus.

Proposals will be received in the above-mentioned room until 2:00 p.m. on April 2, 2015 in accordance with the contract documents, at which time the proposals will be publicly opened and read.

In general, the work consists of replacement of the existing substation with a utility style pad mounted transformer and new distribution. This will require demolishing the existing electrical infrastructure at the library and disposing of the exiting equipment. The contractor will be required to maintain electrical service in a continuous fashion, furnish and install new transformer, feeders, and related equipment for a complete operable system in accordance with the plans and specifications prepared by Miller-Pezzoni and Associates, 909 15th St. Suite 7, Modesto, CA. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the University and Plan Rooms. Engineer’s construction estimate is $282,000.

Plans and specifications will be available for review and purchase after March 6, 2015 by requesting them from ARC by going to www.e-ARC.com/ca/modesto then clicking on “Public Planroom” or by calling the ARC Modesto location at (209) 524-2924 asking for the PlanWell Department. Plans and specifications cost approximately $125 plus tax and shipping payable to ARC and are non-refundable.

Each bidder offering a proposal must comply with bidding provisions of Article 2.00 et seq. in the Contract General Conditions, and should be familiar with all the provisions of the Contract General Conditions and Supplementary General Conditions.

This project is a public works project and is subject to prevailing wage rate laws (see Contract General Conditions, Article 4.02-c). All contractors and all tiers of subcontractors bidding on this project shall register to bid public works projects with the Department of Industrial Relations (DIR), and maintain current this registration pursuant to Labor Code Section 1725.5. Please go to http://www.dir.ca.gov/Public-Works/PublicWorks.html for more information and to register.

A mandatory pre-bid walkthrough has been scheduled for March 17, 2015 at 10:00 am. Interested bidders should assemble at Mary Stuart Rogers Building room MSR130 on the campus.

The Trustees require the successful bidder to achieve three percent (3%) DVBE participation in contracting construction projects as established in the bidding documents, and bidders shall identify the DVBEs to be used to satisfy this requirement in their bids. Bidders shall contact the University’s DVBE Program Advocate at (209) 667-3243 or Debbie DaRosa at (209) 667-3987.

It will be the responsibility of each bidder to obtain a bid proposal package in sufficient time to fulfill requirements therein. Bid proposal packages are obtainable only by contractors, licensed in the State of California with a C-10 license, and registered with the DIR to bid public works projects. The bid packages must be requested from the Trustees, located at CSU Stanislaus, One University Circle, Turlock, CA 95382, Attention: Debbie DaRosa, (209) 667-3987.