Sealed bids will be received by:

Nancy Graves Capital Projects Finance Director Ohio University Capital Projects Finance 160 West Union Street, Suite 279 Athens, OH 45701

Electronic bids will be received by:

Ohio University https://bidexpress.com

for the following Project:

Project Bid 14523-041

Athens Campus IT Closets Fiber Cable Installation 2018 Ohio University Various Buildings Athens, Athens

in accordance with the Contract Documents prepared by:

Korda/ Nemeth Engineering 1650 Watermark Drive, Columbus, Ohio 43215 Telephone: 614-487-1650 Justin Schultz, PE, LEEDap justin.schultz@korda.com korda.com

FOR ELECTRONIC BIDS:

In compliance with Section 153.08 of the Ohio Revised Code and Section 153:1-8-01 of the Ohio Administrative Code, Bids for this Project are being received, opened, and published through electronic means using the State's electronic bidding service.

To access this Project through the electronic bidding service, you must first register at <u>https://bidexpress.com</u> by clicking on the "REGISTER FOR FREE" button and following the instructions. In order to bid, you must create and enable a digital ID within the service. <u>This process requires the submission of notarized paperwork and may take up to five business days to complete</u>. There are no fees to register, create and enable a digital ID, or to download bid documents. There is a small expense on a monthly or per bid basis to submit a bid. The electronic bidding service offers customer support that may be reached at 888.352.2439 or via email at support@bidexpress.com.

FOR ALL BIDS:

Bidders may submit requests for consideration of a proposed Substitution for a specified product, equipment, or service to the Architect/Engineer ("A/E") no later than 10 days prior to the bid opening. Additional products, equipment, and services may be accepted as approved Substitutions only by written Addendum.

From time to time, the Commission issues new editions of the "State of Ohio Standard Requirements for Public Facility Construction" and may issue interim changes. Bidders must submit Bids that comply with the version of the Standard Requirements included in the Contract Documents.

Prevailing Wage rates and Equal Employment Opportunity requirements are applicable to this Project.

This Project is subject to the State of Ohio's Encouraging Diversity, Growth, and Equity ("EDGE") Business Development Program. A Bidder is required to submit with its Bid and with its Bidder's Qualifications form, certain information about the certified EDGE Business Enterprise(s) participating on the Project with the Bidder. Refer to **Section 6.1.11** of the **Instructions to Bidders**.

The EDGE Participation Goal for the Project is 5.0 percent.

The percentage is determined by the contracted value of goods, services, materials, and labor that are provided by EDGE-certified business(es). The participation is calculated on the total amount of each awarded contract. For more information about EDGE, contact the State of Ohio EDGE Certification Office at <u>http://das.ohio.gov/eod</u>, or at its physical location: 4200 Surface Road, Columbus, Ohio 43228-1395; or by telephone at (614) 466-8380.

The Bidder may be subject to a Pre-Award Affirmative Action Compliance Review in accordance with Section 123:2-5-01 of the Ohio Administrative Code including a review of the Bidder's employment records and an on-site review.

The Bidder must indicate on the Bid Form, the locations where its services will be performed in the spaces provided or by attachment in accordance with the requirements of Executive Order 2011-12K related to providing services only within the United States. Failure to do so may cause the Bid to be rejected as non-responsive.

DOMESTIC STEEL USE REQUIREMENTS AS SPECIFIED IN OHIO REVISED CODE SECTION 153.011 APPLY TO THIS PROJECT. COPIES OF OHIO REVISED CODE SECTION 153.011 CAN BE OBTAINED FROM ANY OF THE OFFICES OF THE OHIO FACILITIES CONSTRUCTION COMMISSION.

Bidders are encouraged to be enrolled in and to be in good standing in a Drug-Free Safety Program ("DFSP") approved by the Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation ("OBWC") prior to submitting a Bid and provide, on the Bid Form with its Bid, certain information relative to their enrollment in such a program; and, if awarded a Contract, shall comply with other DFSP criteria described in **Section 1.6** of the **General Conditions**.

Bids will be received for:

Trade	Estimate
General Contract	\$230,000

FOR ELECTRONIC BIDS:

Until Monday, October 15, 2018, at 10:00 a.m., when all Bids will be electronically opened. Bid tabulations will be posted no later than 5:00 pm on the day Bids are opened.

FOR PAPER BIDS:

Until Monday, October 15, 2018, at 10:00 a.m., when all Bids will be opened and read aloud.

The Contractor is responsible for scheduling the Project, coordinating the Subcontractors, and providing other services identified in the Contract Documents.

The Contract Documents may be downloaded as electronic PDF files from the State's electronic bidding service at <u>https://bidexpress.com</u> at no charge.

The Contract Documents may be reviewed for bidding purposes without charge during business hours at the office of the A/E and the following locations:

Allied Construction Industries

3 Kovach Drive Cincinnati, Ohio 45215 Phone: (513) 221-8020 Contact: Candi Oakley E-mail: <u>coakley@aci-construction.org</u> Website: <u>www.aci-construction.org</u> BB-Bid Plan Room Contractor's Register 800 East Main Street Jefferson Valley, NY 10535 Phone: (800) 431-2584 Ext 3618 Contact: Kathy Stein E-mail: <u>kstein@thebluebook.com</u> Website: <u>www.thebluebook.com</u>

The Builder's Exchange, Inc. (Cleveland)

9555 Rockside Rd., Suite 300 Valley View, Ohio 44125 Phone: (216) 393-6300 Ext 39 / (866) 907-6300 Contact: Laurel Screptock E-mail: <u>info@bxohio.com</u> Website: www.bxcleve.com

The Builder's Exchange, Inc. (Toledo)

5555 Airport Highway, Suite 140 Toledo, Ohio 43615 Phone: (419) 865-3833 Ext 201 Contact: Sarah Skiver E-mail: <u>sskiver@bxohio.com</u> Website: www.bxohio.com

Cincinnati Builders Exchange

4350 Glendale-Milford Road, Suite 120 Cincinnati, Ohio 45242 Phone: (513) 769-4800 Ext 203 Contact: Ashley Grandetti E-mail: agrandetti@bxohio.com Website: www.bxohio.com

Construction Journal

400 SW 7th Street Stuart, Florida 34994 Phone: (800) 785-5165 / (772) 781-2144 Ext 717 Contact: Ted Blaicher E-mail: <u>ted.blaicher@constructionjournal.com</u> Website: <u>www.constructionjournal.com</u>

Dodge Data Analytics

c/o McGraw-Hill Company 3315 Central Avenue Hot Springs, Arkansas 71913-6138 Phone: (800) 393-6343 Website: <u>www.construction.com</u> To upload project documents: <u>http://construction.com/dodge/submit-project.asp</u>

Minority Business Solutions

16400 Miles AvenueCleveland, Ohio 44128Phone:(216) 283-0707Contact:Vena MooreE-mail:vmoore@minoritybiz.orgWebsite:www.minoritybiz.org

The Builder's Exchange, Inc. (Dayton)

2077 Embury Park Road Dayton, Ohio 45414 Phone: (937) 278-5723 Contact: John Grandetti [Do not send documents] E-mail: jgrandetti@bxohio.com Website: www.bxohio.com

Builder's Exchange of East Central Ohio

5080 Aultman Road North Canton, Ohio 44720 Phone: (330) 452-8039 Ext 104 Contact: Julie Thornberry E-mail: <u>jthornberry@buildersexchange.org</u> Website: <u>www.mybx.org</u>

Pittsburgh Builders Exchange

1813 North Franklin StreetPittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15233Phone:(412) 922-4200Contact:Karen KleberE-mail:Karen@pghbx.orgWebsite:www.pghbx.org

ConstructConnect

30 Technology Parkway South - Suite 100Norcross, Georgia 30092Phone:(800) 364-2059 Ext. 8158Contact:Jen ThornE-mail:docprocessing@cmdgroup.comWebsite:www.constructconnect.com

Subcontractors Association of Northeast Ohio

637 Vernon Odom Blvd Akron, Ohio 44307 Phone: (330) 762-9951 Ext 11 Contact: Shelly Miller E-mail: <u>safetycenter@saneo.com</u> Secondary E-mail: <u>planroom@saneo.com</u> Website: <u>www.saneo.com</u>

Northeast Ohio Procurement Technical Assistance Center

Lakeland Community College Engineering Building Room 222 7700 Clock Tower Drive Kirtland, Ohio 44094 Phone: (440) 525-7733 Contact: Jane Stewart E-mail: jstewart@lakelandcc.edu Website: http://lakelandcc.edu/ptac/

South Point Procurement Technical Assistance Center

Southern Ohio Procurement Outreach Center 216 Collins Avenue South Point, Ohio 45680 Phone: (740) 377-4550 Contact: Jordan Lucas E-mail: jordan@sopoc.org Website: www.sopoc.org

Region 1 Minority Business Assistance Center

Akron Urban League 440 Vernon Odom Boulevard Akron, Ohio 44307 Phone: (234) 542-4149 Contact: Triva Manley E-mail: <u>tmanley@akronurbanleague.org</u> Website: <u>www.akronurbanleague.org</u>

Region 3 Minority Business Assistance Center

Central Ohio Minority Business Association 1393 East Broad Street, Floor 2 Columbus, Ohio 43205 Phone: (614) 252-8005 Contact: Plan Room [Paper + PDF] E-mail: info@comba.com Website: www.comba.com

Region 5 Minority Business Assistance Center

Greater Cincinnati African American Chamber 2945 Gilbert Avenue Cincinnati, Ohio 45206 Phone: (513) 475-7151 Ext. 121 Contact: Deborah Davis E-mail: <u>deborah@african-americanchamber.com</u> Website: <u>www.african-americanchamber.com</u>

Ohio University Procurement Technical Assistance Center

Voinovich Center for Leadership and Public Affairs The Ridges, Building 20, Suite 143 Athens, Ohio 45701 Phone: (740) 597-1868 Contact: Sharon Hopkins E-mail: <u>ptac@ohio.edu</u> Website: <u>www.ohio.edu/ptac</u>

Mahoning Valley Procurement Technical Assistance Center

Mahoning Valley Economic Development Corporation 4319 Belmont Avenue Youngstown, Ohio 44505 Phone: (330) 759-3668 x24 Contact: Norma Webb E-mail: norma@mvedc.com Website: www.mvedc.com

Region 2 Minority Business Assistance Center

University of Toledo 2145 East Scott Park Drive Toledo, Ohio 43607 Phone: (419) 530-3344 Contact: Jay Black E-mail: <u>nwombac@utoledo.edu</u> Website: <u>www.nwombac.com</u>

Region 4 Minority Business Assistance Center

City of Dayton c/o Human Relations Council 907 West Fifth Street Dayton, Ohio 45402 Phone: (937) 333-1002 Contact: RoShawn Winburn E-mail: roshawn.winburn@daytonohio.gov

Region 6 Minority Business Assistance Center

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