

THE COLLEGE OF THE FLORIDA KEYS

Invitation to Bid (ITB)

For Adaptive Frequency Drive (AFD) – Chiller Control Room ITB 2022-04

ITB Due Date - January 9, 2023 - 3:00PM

ITB Opening - January 10, 2023 - 1:00PM

Purchasing Department, 5901 College Rd. Key West, FL 33040 (305)-809-3268,

To: All Bidders

From: Lucas Torres-Bull, Manager, Purchasing

Subject: ITB (Invitation to Bid) #2022-04

Bid Title: Adaptive Frequency Drive (AFD)— Chiller Control Room

You are invited to submit a sealed bid subject to the terms, conditions, and specifications contained herein and are hereby made part of this invitation.

Sealed bids for ITB #2022-04 Adaptive Frequency Drive (AFD)— Chiller Control Room for The College of the Florida Keys (CFK) will be received at the Purchasing Department, at The College of the Florida Keys, 5901 College Road, Key West, Florida 33040, no later than 3:00 PM Monday, January 9, 2023. Bids will be opened publicly Tuesday, January 10, 2023 at 1:00 PM in room A105.

Bids are to be received in sealed envelopes plainly marked, Adaptive Frequency Drive (AFD)-Chiller Control Room ITB# 2022-04, and the Bidder's name. An Invitation to Bid submittal, consisting of three (3) copies of the Bid Documents, as well as one (1) digital copy on a USB flash media in PDF format will be accepted until 3:00 PM on Monday, January 9, 2023, at the Purchasing Department, 5901 College Road, Key West, Florida 33040. Late or incomplete submissions will not be accepted.

Bidders are fully responsible for obtaining the complete solicitation, addenda (if applicable), notices of public meetings, and other information by visiting our website:

https://www.cfk.edu/community-resources/bids-solicitations/ and https://www.demandstar.com

CFK reserves the right to reject all bids, not deemed in the best interest of CFK, or not in compliance with specifications. CFK reserves the right to waive any irregularities in said bids.

If you have any questions regarding this ITB, email Lucas Torres-Bull at purchasing@cfk.edu. Questions will be accepted until 1:00 PM, December 28, 2022. Should you require a fully accessible version of this document call or email Lucas Torres-Bull at (305)809-3268, purchasing@cfk.edu.

GENERAL CONDITIONS

- 1. Execution of Bid- Your bid must contain the signature of an authorized representative of your firm in the space provided on the last page of the quotation sheet.
- Prices Quoted- Deduct trade and quantity discounts and quote firm net prices, F.O.BThe College of the Florida Keys, uncrated and installed, ready to use.
 - a. Taxes- Federal Excise and Florida State Taxes are not applicable and must not be included in your price. Exemption numbers will be shown on the purchase order.
 - b. Discounts- Bidders are urged to compute all discounts for prompt payment into the net price as mentioned above, with terms of payment to be net 30 days.
- Special Conditions- Any conditions you may wish to make part of your bid should be submitted by separate letter with notes thereof on the quotation sheet in the space provided as "Exceptions".
- 4. Mistakes Bidders are expected to examine the specifications, delivery schedule, and all other instructions pertaining to the equipment, supplies and/or services requested on this bid form; failure to do so will be at the Bidder's risk.
- 5. Conditions and Packaging- Unless otherwise indicated in the bid, it is understood and agreed that any item offered or shipped as a result of this bid shall be new and in first-class condition. All containers shall be new and suitable for storage or reshipment and prices quoted include standard commercial packaging customary in the industry.
- 6. Underwriters Laboratories (UL)- All manufactured items and fabricated assemblies of electrically operated equipment shall carry UL approved or re-examination listing where such has been established for the type(s) of devices offered and furnished.
- 7. Samples- Samples of items, if required must be furnished free of expense and if not destroyed through testing will upon request be returned at the Bidder's expense. A request for the return of samples must be made within ten (10) days after the bid opening date. Each sample must be labeled with the Bidder's name, bid number, and item number.
- 8. Delivery- The Bidder is responsible for all deliveries.
- 9. Nonconformance to Specifications- Items furnished as a result of this bid and delivered to the purchaser must meet or exceed the specifications indicated on the quotations sheet. Items not conforming to specifications may be rejected and returned at the vendor's expense. Items not delivered in accordance with specifications and/or general conditions of this bid concerning the quantity, quality, delivery schedules, etc., may be purchased on

- the open market and any increase in cost over the bid price shall be the basis of a claim against the successful Bidder.
- 10. Awards- The District Board of Trustees of The College of the Florida Keys may, as the best interest of the institution dictates, waive any minor irregularity in bids received. The purchase order, when issued and furnished to the successful Bidder, shall result in a binding contract without further action by either party.
- 11. Additional Quantities- Additional quantities may be ordered at prices quoted in the bid response within ninety (90) days from the bid opening date unless the bid is qualified by the statement "Bid is For Specified Quantity Only".
- 12. Bid Opening- Bid opening shall be public, on the date and the time specified on the cover sheet. All bids received after that time shall be returned unopened.
- 13. Specifications information If you require additional information, address your request to:

The College of the Florida Keys

Department of Purchasing

5901 College Road

Key West, FL 33040

Such information must be requested prior to the bid opening.

- 14. No Bid Response- The general conditions above are in addition to the instructions on the cover sheet. If you are not submitting a bid, please return the cover sheet marked: "No Bid" and explain your reason for not bidding. If no response is received, the College will assume you are not interested in future bidding.
- 15. Performance Standards- All work shall be performed by competent and skilled craftsmen. Labor crews shall be under the direct control of a single foreman designated at the beginning of the work and skilled in reading blueprints and coordination between office and job. The Bidder shall review plans and specifications with the job foreman to ensure a complete understanding of the project.
- 16. Insurance- The Bidder shall obtain and maintain during the life of the contract, workers' compensation insurance for all of their employees employed during installation at the site of the project. In case any work is sublet, the Bidder shall require the Subcontractor similarly to provide workers' compensation insurance for all the latter's employees unless such employees are covered by the protection afforded by the Bidder. In case

- any class of employees engaged in hazardous work under this contract during installation at the site of the project is not protected under Workers' Compensation Statute, the Bidder shall provide and shall cause such Subcontractor to provide adequate coverage for the protection of their employees not otherwise protected.
- 17. Responsibility of Bidder- The Bidder shall be responsible for securing all necessary licenses and permits and shall comply in all ways with state and local codes.
- 18. Conflict of Interest- The bid is subject to the provision of Chapter 112, Florida Statutes. All Bidders must disclose, with their bid, the name of any officer, director, or agent who is also employed by The College of the Florida Keys. Further, all Bidders must disclose the name of any employee or agent of the College who owns, directly or indirectly an interest of five percent (5%) more in the Bidder's firm or any of its branches.
- 19. Attorney's Fees- In the event, the Bidder breaches this contract, or the specifications, and the College is required to take legal action to resolve the breach, or to recover any monies which may be due hereunder, then, and in those events, the Bidder shall pay all costs for such legal action or collection, including a reasonable attorney's fee.
- 20. Disqualification- The College reserves the right to disqualify bids, before or after opening, upon evidence that the Bidder is not qualified by experience, is not in a position to do the work specified in the time allotted, or upon evidence of collusion with intent to defraud, or other illegal practice.
- 21. Identical Tie Bids- Preference shall be given to businesses with drug-free workplace programs. Whenever two or more bids that are equal with respect to price, quality, and services are received by the State or by any political subdivision for the procurement of commodities or contractual services, a bid received from a business that certifies that it has implemented a drug-free workplace program shall be given preference in the award process. Established procedures for processing tie bids will be followed if none of the tied vendors have a drug-free workplace program.
- 22. Bid Protest Procedures- Bid tabulations with recommended awards will be posted for review by interested parties and will remain posted for a period of 72 hours. A written notice of protest must be filled with the Purchasing Department within 72 hours (Saturdays, Sundays, and Legal holidays excluded) after the posting of the solicitation. The protesting Bidder shall file a formal written protest within ten (10) days of filing the notice of protest. Failure to file a protest within the time prescribed in s. 120.57(3), Florida Statutes, shall constitute a waiver of proceedings under chapter 120, Florida Statutes.

- 23. Payment shall be made on a schedule mutually agreed upon between the parties. The Bidder shall be paid upon submission of properly certified invoices to The College of the Florida Keys at the prices stipulated on the Invitation to Bid, at the time the order is placed, after services/goods are rendered. Failure to follow these instructions may result in a delay in processing invoices for payment.
- 24. Any purchase order entered into pursuant to this solicitation will provide that the awarded Bidder may not use funds from grants and aids appropriations for the purpose of lobbying the Legislature or a state agency.
- 25. Use by one party of the other's name, logo, or other copyrighted material will be subject to the express written permission of the holder thereof.
- 26. The College of the Florida Keys shall consider the employment by any Bidder of unauthorized aliens a violation of Section 274A (e) of the Immigration and Nationality Act. Such violation shall be cause for unilateral cancellation of any contract entered into pursuant to this Invitation to Bid (ITB).
- 27. In submitting a response, the Bidder certifies that these goods and/or services were produced in compliance with all applicable requirements of Sections 6, 7, and 12 of the Fair Labor Standards Act, as amended, and of regulations and orders of the United States Department of Labor issued under Section 14 thereof.
- 28. Any Bidder or Subcontractor who is awarded a contract by the College must comply with F.S. 775.21 relative to the registration of any employee who is a convicted sexual offender or predator.
- 29. The Bidders shall abide by the College's policy which prohibits the manufacture, distribution, dispensation, possession, or use of a controlled substance or the unlawful possession and unlawful use of alcohol on its campus or other College-owned or controlled property, or as a part of any of its activities. Furthermore, Florida Statutes, Chapter 893-147 prohibit the use, possession, manufacture, delivery, or advertisement of drug paraphernalia.
- 30. The College of the Florida Keys intends to make a single award from the ITB#2022-04.
- 31. All Bidders must complete all forms in Appendix A and include the completed forms in their respective bid packet.
- 32. Addenda Any addenda issued prior to the opening of the ITB for the purpose of changing the specifications of this ITB or related documents, or clarifying the meaning of the same, shall be binding in the same way as if originally written in the ITB specifications and related documents. Since all addenda are available to the Bidder at

- the office of The College of the Florida Keys Purchasing Department and posted on The College of the Florida Keys website at https://www.cfk.edu/community-resources/bids-solicitations/, it is each bidder's responsibility to check with the issuing office and immediately secure all addenda before submitting your bid. The College of Florida Keys Purchasing Manager emails addenda to all known prospective bidders, but no guarantee can be made that addenda will be received.
- 33. License- In accordance with Chapter 489.113, Florida Statutes, all individuals or entities engaging in and providing construction services shall be licensed in the State of Florida for that activity. This license requirement includes general and subcontractors.
 The successful bidder shall be required to submit a list of all subcontractors to be involved in said project with applicable license numbers, including a photographic copy of current license certificates. Submittal of proof of license shall be made with, and as part of signed contract. The Bidder shall submit proof of licensure with the Bid Packet. Failure to submit required proof of license shall be cause for the College of the Florida Keys to reject the bid as non-responsive and award bid to second lowest qualified bidder.
- 34. Security- The Bidder shall be responsible for maintaining security, and the Bidder shall be responsible for replacement or repair of items and/or equipment stolen, lost or damaged while the building security is under the care of the Bidder. The Bidder shall be responsible for having a job superintendent present whenever work is in progress. The Bidder shall not change superintendent without the Owner's approval.
- 35. Warranty- The warranty herein guarantees the proper operation of all structures, components and systems constructed or installed by the Bidder for a period of one year after the date of substantial completion If within the guarantee period, repairs or changes are required in connection with the guarantee work, which in the opinion of the College is rendered necessary as the result of the use of materials, equipment or workmanship which are defective or inferior or not in accordance with the terms of the Contract, the Contractor shall, promptly upon receipt of notice from the College, and without expense to the College, proceed to:

Place in satisfactory condition in every particular all of such guaranteed work, correct all defects therein; and make good all damages to the structure or site, or equipment or contents thereof which, in the opinion of the College are the result of the use of materials, equipment or workmanship which are inferior, defective, or not in accordance

- with the terms of the Contract, or the equipment and contents or structures or site disturbed in fulfilling any such guarantee.
- 36. Indemnification- To the fullest extent permitted by law, the firm shall indemnify, hold harmless and defend the College, its trustees, officers, agents, servants, and employees, from and against all claims, damages, losses, and expenses including, but not limited to, attorneys' fees and other legal costs such as those for paralegal, investigative, and legal support services, and the actual cost incurred for expert witness testimony, arising out of or resulting from the performance of services required under this agreement, provided that same is caused by the negligence, recklessness, or intentional wrongful conduct of the firm or other person used by the firm in the performance of the work. Nothing herein shall be deemed to affect the rights, privileges, and immunities of the College as set forth in Section 768.28, Florida Statutes.
- 37. Changes in Work- Maximum percentages of overhead and profit which may be added by the Bidder to actual costs of such changes in the work are specifically set forth as follows:

For all work done by his/her/their organization, or subsidiaries of his/her/their organizations, including work traditionally considered as subcontractor work, the Bidder may add 15% of his/her/their actual costs for combined overhead and profit. For any work performed by a subcontractor or forces under the respective sub-subcontractor, including any subcontractors or persons not in the direct employ of the subcontractor, a total of 15% of the cost of the change, with 10% to be assigned to the subcontractor and any forces under him/her/their and the Bidder may add 5% of the cost above subcontractor's cost for his/her/their overhead and profit.

The above percentages shall be considered reasonable allowance for overhead and profit due to the Bidder. The Bidder shall submit receipts or other evidence showing his/her/their costs and his/her/their right to the payment claims. All changes in work shall be provided with a detailed cost breakdown indicating material and labor units for all work to be performed. In addition, the cost breakdown shall contain all current tax and labor burden. The allowable amount of the material tax shall be 7.5% and for labor burden shall be 30%.

SCOPE OF WORK

PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

The College of the Florida Keys requests your bid for providing all labor, materials, and necessary support equipment to replace the Adaptive Frequency Drive (AFD) on a Centrifugal Chiller CVHS, Model Number- CVHS300FAA, Serial Number- L17E02429. The manufacturer of the aforementioned product is Trane, however, the College will allow products other than Trane to be quoted. If a different product other than Trane is suggested, the product suggested must allow the chiller to operate effectively and efficiently, the Bidder must ensure everything is "turn-key" and operational when the work is complete.

WORK SCHEDULE:

- 8:00 AM 4:00 PM Monday Friday.
- COPIES OF YOUR BUSINESS LICENSE, WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE, AND GENERAL LIABILITY INSURANCE MUST BE ATTACHED WITH THE BID PACKET.

Appendix A

(FORMS FOR SUBMISSION)

BID SUBMITTAL CHECKLIST

To assure that your bid complies with bid requirements, the following items (forms and documentation) are required. Please verify that the following items are included in your bid packet. Additional and/or supporting forms/items may be required under the terms of this ITB specifically for the Bidder. It is the Bidder's responsibility to read and understand all provisions.

Include this completed checklist to verify that the referenced content is included in the bid packet.

Failure to complete and return the required forms/documentation in the bid packet submission may result in the bid being non-responsive and not considered for award.

 Three (3) Copies of Bid Proposal
 One (1) Copy of Bid Proposal Digital Copy USB flash media (PDF)
 Acknowledgement and Contact Summary Form
 Reference Form
 Bid Price Sheet
 Public Entity Crime Form
 Drug Free Workplace Form
 Copies of Business License, Workers' Compensation Insurance, General Liability Insurance

Acknowledgement & Contact Summary

SUBMIT PROPOSALS TO:	INVITATION TO BID (ITB)		
The College of the Florida Keys	Acknowledgement & Contact Summary		
Attn: Purchasing Department			
5901 College Road	POSTING OF BID	TABULATIONS:	
Key West, FL 33040	Bid tabulations wit	h recommended awards will be posted	
(305) 809-3268	for review by interes	ested parties and will remain posted for	
		rs. Failure to file a protest within 72	
		n s. 120.57(3), F.S., shall constitute	
	waiver of proceedi	ngs under Chapter 120, F.S.	
BID NUMBER & TITLE: ITB # 2022-04 Adaptive Fre	equency Drive - Chi	ller Control Room	
Bid Due Date:	•	Bid Opening Date:	
		1 3	
		Tuesday, January 10, 2023, 1:00 PM	
Monday, January 9, 2023, 3:00 PM		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	
Purchasing Manager: Lucas Torres-Bull	AGENCY MAILING	3	
and the second s	DATE:		
BIDDER NAME:	WEB ADDRESS:		
MAILING ADDRESS:	DELIVERY DATE	WILL BE	
Wir Well (O) (B B) (E O C.		t of Purchase Order.	
CITY- STATE- ZIP :	CASH DISCOUNT		
0111 017(12 Zii :	0/10/1/2/00/01/1	TENNO.	
PHONE #: ()	REASON FOR NO) BID:	
TOLL FREE #: ()	TREADON FOR THE	, 515.	
FAX #: ()	-		
VENDOR NUMBER	MV EIDM IS A EL	ORIDA CERTIFIED MINORITY	
It is imperative that the Bidder furnish its Federal	BUSINESS ENTE		
Employer ID Number (FEIN) in the space provided	YES T	NO	
below. Failure to do so will prevent the		DERAL CERTIFIED MINORITY	
processing of Purchase Order to Bidders doing	BUSINESS ENTE		
business with the College for the first time.	YES T	NO	
FEIN] 140	
#			
FILL IN A 9-DIGIT NUMBER HERE			
I certify that this bid is made without prior understan	l Idina sareement or	connection with any corneration firm or	
person submitting a bid for the same materials, sup			
collusion or fraud. I agree to abide by all conditions		•	
for the Bidder and that the Bidder is in compliance v		•	
referred to as ITB, including but not limited to certific			
State of Florida, the Bidder offers and agrees that if			
transfer to the State of Florida all rights, title, and in			
acquire under the Anti- Trust Laws of the U.S. and the		•	
commodities purchased or acquired by the State of			
be made and become effective at the time of the Co			
25 made and 2555me checkive at the time of the oc	TITLE AND DATE	•	
	TITLE AND DATE	•	
AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE	E-MAIL:		
AO ITIONIZED SIGNATUNE	L-IVI/\IL.		

References

Bidder's Name:	
Reference No. 1	
Company Name:	
Location (City, State):	
Date of Project Completion :	
Contact Person:	
Contact Number:	
Email Address:	
Reference No. 2	
Company Name:	
Location (City, State):	
Date of Project Completion :	
Contact Person:	
Contact Number:	
Email Address:	
Reference No. 3	
Company Name:	
Location (City, State):	
Date of Project Completion :	
Contact Person:	
Contact Number:	
Email Address:	

Bid Price Sheet

Bidder must provide a response to each price field below. The grand total is calculated to include the base term.

Item Number	Descriptio n	Quantity	Cost of Delivery and Installation	Cost of Materials	Cost of Labor	TOTAL
1	Labor		\$	\$	\$	\$
2	Installation and Delivery					
3	Adaptive Frequency Drive (AFD)		\$	\$	\$	\$
4	Misc. installation hardware, and material (removal and disposal)		\$	\$	\$	\$

	GRAND TOTAL \$	
EXCEPTIONS (IF ANY, LIST HERE):		
BIDS SUBMITTED BY:		
FEDERAL TAX I.D. NUMBER		-
FIRM OR ENTITY NAME		-
ADDRESS		-
CITY, STATE & ZIP CODE		-
TELEPHONE NUMBER		-

TYPED OR PRINTED NAME OF:					
REPRESENTATIVE					
SIGNATURE					

Public Entity Crimes

THE COLLEGE OF THE FLORIDA KEYS

4. This accord statement is submitted to

ITB #2022-04 Adaptive Frequency Drive (AFD) - Chiller Control Room

Any person submitting a bid or qualification in response to this invitation must execute the enclosed for PUR 7068, SWORN STATEMENT UNDER PARAGRAPH 287.133(3)(A), FLORIDA STATUTES, ON PUBLIC ENTITY CRIMES, including proper check(s), in the space(s) provided, and enclose it with the bid or qualification.

THIS FORM MUST BE SIGNED IN THE PRESENCE OF A NOTARY PUBLIC OR OTHER OFFICIAL AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS.

1. This swom statement is submitted to:
(print name of the public entity)
Ву
(print name of entity submitting sworn statement)
Whose business address is
and (if applicable) its Federal Employer Identification No. (FEIN) is:
(If the entity has no FEIN, include the Social Security Number of the individual signing this sworn statement:

2. I understand that a "public entity crime" as defined in Paragraph 287.133(1)(g), Florida Statutes, means a violation of any state or federal law by a person with respect to and directly related to the transaction of business with any public entity or with an agency or political subdivision of any other state or of the United States, including, but not limited to, any bid or contract for goods or services to be provided to any public entity or an agency or political

subdivision of any other state or of the United States and involving antitrust, fraud, theft, bribery, collusion, racketeering, conspiracy, or material misrepresentation.

- 3. I understand that "convicted" or "conviction" as defined in Paragraph 287.133(1)(b), Florida Statutes, means a finding of guilt or a conviction of a public entity crime, with or without an adjudication of guilt, in any federal or state trial court of record relating to charges brought by indictment or information after July 1, 1989, as a result of a jury verdict, nonjury trial, or entry of a plea of guilty or nolo contendere.
- 4. I understand that an "affiliate" as defined in Paragraph 287.133(1)(a), Florida Statutes, means:
 - 1. A predecessor or successor of a person convicted of a public entity crime: or
- 2. An entity under the control of any natural person who is active in the management of the entity and who has been convicted of a public entity crime. The term "affiliate" includes those officers, directors, executives, partners, shareholders, employees, members, and agents who are active in the management of an affiliate. The ownership by one person of shares constituting a controlling interest in another person, or a pooling of equipment or income among persons when not for fair market value under an arm's length agreement, shall be a prima facie case that one person controls another person. A person who knowingly enters into a joint venture with a person who has been convicted of a public entity crime in Florida during the preceding 36 months shall be considered an affiliate.
- 5. I understand that a "person" as defined in Paragraph 287.133(1)(e), Florida Statutes, means any natural person or entity organized under the laws of any state or of the United States with the legal power to enter into a binding contract and which bids or applies to bid on contracts for the provision of goods or services let by a public entity, or which otherwise transacts or applies to transact business with a public entity. The term "person" includes those officers, directors, executives, partners, shareholders, employees, members, and agents who are active in the management of an entity.
- **6.** Based on information and belief, the statement which I have marked below is true in relation to the entity submitting this sworn statement. (indicate which statement applies.)

Neither the entity submitting this sworn statement nor any officers, directors, executives,
partners, shareholders, employees, members, or agents who are active in the management of
the entity, nor any affiliate of the entity have been charged with and convicted of a public entity
crime subsequent to July 1, 1989.

The entity submitting this sworn statement or one or more of the officers, directors, executive, partners, shareholders, employees, members, or agents who are active in the management of the entity or an affiliate of the entity has been charged with and convicted of a public entity crime subsequent to July 1, 1989.

The entity submitting this sworn statement or one or more of its officers, directors, executives, partners, shareholders, employees, members, or agents who are active in the management of the entity or an affiliate of the entity has been charged with and convicted of a public entity crime subsequent to July 1, 1989. However, there has been a subsequent proceeding before a Hearing Officer of the State of Florida, Division of Administrative Hearings and the Final Order entered by the Hearing Officer determined that it was not in the public interest to place the entity submitting this sworn statement on the convicted vendor list (attach a copy of the final order).

I UNDERSTAND THAT THE SUBMISSION OF THIS FORM TO THE CONTRACTING OFFICER FOR THE PUBLIC ENTITY IDENTIFIED IN PARAGRAPH 1 (ONE) ABOVE IS FOR THAT PUBLIC ENTITY ONLY. I ALSO UNDERSTAND THAT I AM REQUIRED TO INFORM THE PUBLIC ENTITY PRIOR TO ENTERING INTO A CONTRACT IN EXCESS OF THE THRESHOLD AMOUNT PROVIDED IN SECTION 287.017, FLORIDA STATUTES FOR CATEGORY TWO OF ANY CHANGE IN THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS FORM.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this	day of	2023.	
Personally known			
OR Produced identification	Notary	Public - State of	f
My commission expires			_(Type of identification

(Printed, typed, and/or stamped commissioned name of Notary Public)

A person or affiliate who has been placed on the convicted firm list following a conviction for a public entity crime may not submit a bid on a contract to provide any goods or services to a public entity, may not submit a bid on a contract with a public entity for the construction or repair of a public building or public work, may not submit bids on leases of real property to a public entity, may not be awarded or perform work as a firm, sub firm, or consultant under a contract with any public entity, and may not transact business with any public entity in excess of the threshold amount provided in Section 287.017, for CATEGORY TWO for a period of thirty-six months from the date of being placed on the convicted firm list.

DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE FORM

In accordance with Section 287.087, Florida Statute, preference must be given to vendors submitting a certificate of a drug-free workplace. This requirement affects all public entities of the State and becomes effective January 1, 1991. The special condition is as follows:

IDENTICAL TIE BIDS

Whenever two or more bids, which are equal with respect to price, quality, and service are received for the procurement of commodities or contractual services, a bid received from a business that certifies that it has implemented a drug-free workplace program shall be given preference in the award process. In order to have a drug-free workplace program, a business shall:

	The	undersign	ed vendor	in accorda	ance with F	Florida Sta	atute 287.0	87 hereby	certifies t	that
Does:										
					(Name	of Busines	ss)			

- Publish a statement notifying employees that the unlawful manufacture, distribution,
- dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violations of such prohibition.
- 2. Inform employees about the danger of drug abuse in the workplace, the business's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace, any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance programs, and the penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations.
- 3. Give each employee engaged in providing the commodities or contractual services that are under bid a copy of the statement specified in subsection (1).
- 4. In the statement specified in subsection (1), notifies the employees that, as a condition of working on the commodities or contractual services that are under bid, the employees will abide by the terms of the statement and will notify the employer of any conviction of, or plead of guilty or nolo contendere to, any violation of Chapter 1893 or any controlled substance law of the United States of any state, for a violation occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) days after such conviction.
- Impose a sanction on or require satisfactory participation in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program if such is available in the employee's community, by any employee who is so convicted.
- 6. Make a good-faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through the implementation of this section.

As the person authorized to sign the statement, I certify that this firm complies fully with the above requirements.				
Signature	Date			
ITB #2022-04 Adaptive Frequency Drive (AFD) –	Chiller Control Room			