

Request for Qualifications (Architect / Engineer)

State of Ohio Standard Forms and Documents

Administration of Project: Local Higher Education

Project Name	<u>Larimer Athletic Complex Renovations</u>	Response Deadline	<u>May 24, 2013 4:30 p.m. local time</u>
Project Location	<u>2915 North Glass Bowl Dr.</u>	Project Number	<u>0068-13-904 068-13-904 / UTO-130904</u>
City / County	<u>Toledo / Lucas</u>	Project Manager	<u>Jason Toth</u>
Owner	<u>The University of Toledo</u>	Contracting Authority	<u>Local Higher Education</u>
No. of paper copies requested (stapled, not bound)	<u>4</u>	No. of electronic copies requested on CD (PDF)	<u>0</u>

Submit the requested number of Statements of Qualifications (Form F110-330) directly to Joy Martin at 2801 W. Bancroft Street, MS 216, Toledo OH 43606. See Section H of this RFQ for additional submittal instructions.

Project Overview

A. Project Description

The University of Toledo is soliciting qualifications for professional services for the renovation of the Larimer Athletic Complex to create a functional and state-of-the-art environment for coaches, student athletes, and prospective student athletes. The Larimer Athletic Complex is a two-story, 32,000 GSF facility that was constructed in 1990. It houses coaches' offices, meeting rooms, locker room, weight room, and support spaces for the UT football program. It also houses the academic center serving all UT student athletes. The project will include the renovation and expansion of the facility, and associated site improvements. Improvements will focus on the weight room, locker room, position meeting rooms, sports medicine area, coaches' offices and meeting rooms, academic center, team dining area, and building entry/lobby/display area.

The anticipated project delivery method for this project is Multiple-Prime.

State Prevailing Wage requirements apply to this project.

B. Scope of Services

For projects advertised with an appropriately developed Program of Requirements (POR), upon award of the Agreement, commence with Design. For projects without such a POR, upon award of the Agreement, commence by developing the Program of Requirements. This project does not have a POR. A conceptual design package was developed for fund-raising purposes. This will be made available to the short-listed firms. CAD floor plans of the building and copies of the original construction documents will also be provided to the short-listed firms. There will be a non-mandatory pre-interview walk-through for the short-listed firms.

The selected Architect/Engineer (A/E), as a portion of its required Scope of Services and prior to submitting its proposals, will discuss and clarify with the Owner and/or the Contracting Authority, the cost breakdown of the Architect/Engineer Agreement detailed cost components to address the Owner's project requirements. Participate in the Encouraging Growth, Diversity & Equity (EDGE) Program as required by statute and the Agreement.

As required by the Agreement, and as properly authorized, provide the following categories of services: Program Verification, Schematic Design, Design Development, Construction Document Preparation, Bid and Award Support, Conformed Documents, Construction Administration, Post-Construction, and Additional Services of all types.

Selected A/E is to provide 3D computer modeling for design exploration and for creation of presentation renderings.

Refer to the *Ohio Facilities Construction Manual* for additional information about the type and extent of services required for each. A copy of the standard Agreement can be obtained at the OFCC website at <http://ofcc.ohio.gov>.

During the construction period, provide not less than 6 hours (excluding travel time) on-site construction administration services each week, including (1) attendance at progress meetings, (2) a written field report of each site visit, (3) on-site representation comprised of the A/E and its consultant staff involved in the primary design of the project, all having relevant and appropriate types of construction administration experience.

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For purposes of completing the Relevant Project Experience Matrix in Section F of the Statement of Qualifications (Form F110-330), below is a list of relevant scope of work requirements for this RFQ:

1. Design of collegiate athletic facilities
2. Design of football locker/training facilities
3. Design of academic centers for collegiate student athletes
4. Renovation/expansion of collegiate athletic facilities
5. Engineering for infrastructure/building systems upgrades in renovations/additions
6. Previous experience working with UT
7. Previous experience working with State of Ohio
8. Previous experience working with sub-consultants

C. Funding / Estimated Budget

Total Project Cost	<u>\$5,350,000</u>	State Funding	<u>\$0</u>
Construction Cost	<u>\$5,000,000</u>	Other Funding	<u>\$5,350,000</u>
Estimated A/E Fee	<u>6.5% to 7.0%</u>		

NOTE: The A/E fee percentage for this project includes all professional design services, and consultant services necessary for proper completion of the Basic Services for the successful completion of the project, including but not limited to: review and verification of the Program of Requirements provided by the Owner, validation of existing site conditions (but not subsurface or hidden conditions), preparation of cost estimates and design schedules for the project. Fees may be negotiated and allocated for Additional Services (e.g., creation of a Program of Requirements, extensive evaluation or validation of site conditions, extensive pre-design investigations, code-required special inspection and testing, Quality Assurance testing during the construction period, and testing due to unforeseen conditions).

D. Services Required (see note below)

Primary	<u>Architectural</u>
Secondary	<u>Mechanical</u>
	<u>Electrical</u>
	<u>Plumbing</u>
	<u>Structural</u>
	<u>Technology/AV/Data</u>
	<u>Fire Protection</u>
Others	<u>Civil/Landscape Arch.</u>

E. Anticipated Schedule

Professional Services Start (mm/yy)	<u>07 / 13</u>
Construction Contracts Start (mm/yy)	<u>11 / 13</u>
Construction Contracts Completed (mm/yy)	<u>07 / 14</u>
Professional Services Completed (mm/yy)	<u>09 / 14</u>

F. EDGE Participation Goal

Percent of <i>initial</i> TOTAL A/E Fee	<u>10%</u>
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NOTE: The primary A/E shall be (1) a registered architect holding a license and certificate of authorization issued by the Ohio Architects Board pursuant to ORC Chapter 4703, (2) a landscape architect holding a license and certificate of authorization issued by the Ohio Landscape Architects Board pursuant to ORC Chapter 4703, or (3) a professional engineer or professional surveyor holding a license and certificate of authorization issued by the Ohio Engineers and Surveyors Board pursuant to ORC Chapter 4733.

G. Evaluation Criteria for Selection

- Demonstrated ability to meet Owner's programmed project vision, scope, budget, and schedule on previous projects.
- Previous experience compatible with the proposed project (e.g., type, size).
- Relevant past work of prospective firm's proposed consultants.
- Past performance of prospective firm and its proposed consultants.
- Qualifications and experience of individuals directly involved with the project.
- Proposer's previous experience (numbers of projects, sizes of projects) when working with its proposed consultants.
- Specification writing credentials and experience.
- Experience and capabilities of creating or using Critical Path Method (CPM) schedules and of using CPM schedules as a project management resource.
- Approach to and success of using partnering and Alternative Dispute Resolution.
- Proximity of prospective firms to the project site.

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- Proposer's apparent resources and capacity to meet the needs of this project.
- The selected A/E and all its consultants must have the capability to use the Internet within their normal business location(s) during normal business hours.

Interested A/E firms are required to submit the Commitment to Participate in the EDGE Business Assistance Program form in its Statement of Qualifications (Form F110-330) submitted in response to the RFQ, to indicate its intent to contract with and use EDGE-certified Business Enterprise(s), as a part of the A/E's team. The Intent to Contract and to Perform and / or waiver request letter and Demonstration of Good Faith Effort form(s) with complete documentation must be attached to the A/E's Technical Proposal. Both forms can be accessed via the OFCC website at <http://ofcc.ohio.gov>. The Intent to Contract and to Perform form is again required at the Fee Proposal stage.

For all Statements of Qualifications, please identify the EDGE-certified Business Enterprises, by name, which will participate in the delivery of the proposed professional services solicited in the RFQ.

The Contracting Authority reserves the right to reject any or all submissions and cancel at any time for any reason this solicitation, any portion of this solicitation, or any phase of the Project. If Contracting Authority and the apparent chosen A/E are unable to reach agreement on the terms and conditions of the A/E Agreement, Contracting Authority reserves the right to reject the firm and utilize the short list to select an A/E. The Contracting Authority shall have no liability to any firm arising out of such cancellation or rejection. The Contracting Authority reserves the right to waive minor variations in the selection process.

H. Submittal Instructions

Firms are required to submit the current version of Statement of Qualifications (Form F110-330) available via the OFCC website at <http://ofcc.ohio.gov>.

Paper copies of the Statement of Qualifications, if requested, should be stapled only. Do not use special bindings or coverings of any type. Cover letters and transmittals are not necessary.

Facsimile or e-mailed copies of the Statement of Qualifications will not be accepted.

In Section H of Statement of Qualifications (SAO Form F110-330), provide a summary of your firm's/team's qualifications in each of the selection criteria included on the Architect/Engineer Selection Rating score sheet included in this RFQ. Use the numbering system of the selection criteria on the score sheet to organize your response in Section H. Identify by name the individual(s) you are proposing to serve in the roles identified in selection criteria 2 and 3.

Submit all questions regarding this RFQ in writing to Jason Toth at jason.toth@utoledo.edu with the project number included in the subject line (no phone calls please). Questions will be answered and posted to the OAKS Capital Improvements (OAKS CI) website at <http://ci.oaks.ohio.gov> on a regular basis until one week before the response deadline. The name of the party submitting a question will not be included on the Q&A document.

Firms are requested to identify professional registrations, memberships and credentials including but not limited to: LEED GA, LEED AP, LEED AP+, CCCA, CCM, CCS, CDT, DBIA, and any other appropriate design and construction industry credentials. Identify that information on the resume page for individual in Block 22, Section E of the F110-330 form.

LEED Credentials: Leadership in Energy & Environmental Design (Green Building Certification Institute)

GA: Green Associate

AP: LEED AP (Legacy LEED Accredited Professional without specialty)

AP +: (see below):

LEED AP BD+C (Building Design and Construction specialty)

LEED AP ID+C (Interior Design and Construction specialty)

LEED AP O+M (Operations and Maintenance specialty)

LEED AP ND (Neighborhood Development specialty)

LEED AP Homes (Specialty for residential LEED construction)

Other Industry Credentials:

CCCA: Certified Construction Contract Administrator (CSI)

CCM: Certified Construction Manager (CMAA)

CCS: Certified Construction Specifier (CSI)

CDT: Construction Document Technologist (CSI)

DBIA: Design-Build Institute of America

Architect/Engineer Selection Rating Form

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Project Name Larimer Athletic Complex Renovations Proposer Firm _____
 Project Number 0068-13-904 068-13-904 / UTO-130904 City, State, Zip _____

Selection Criteria		Value	Score
1. Primary A/E Firm Location, Size, and Workload (Maximum 10 points)			
a. Proximity of primary A/E firm's office where the majority of work will be performed to the principal project site, and knowledge of local conditions	Less than 25 miles from project site	4 - 5	
	25 miles to 150 miles from project site	2 - 3	
	More than 150 miles from project site	0 - 1	
b. Number of relevant licensed professionals within primary A/E firm available to perform the work (based on Part II of F110-330)	Less than 5 licensed professionals	1	Max = 3
	5 to 10 licensed professionals	2	
	More than 10 licensed professionals	3	
c. Amount of fees awarded by the Contracting Authority to the primary A/E firm in the previous 24 months (exclude projects on hold)	Less than \$200,000 in previous 24 months	2	
	\$200,000 to \$500,000 in previous 24 months	1	
	More than \$500,000 in previous 24 months	0	
2. Primary A/E Qualifications (Maximum 30 points)			
a. Project Manager (e.g., education, experience, credentials, effective communication skills)	Experience / ability of A/E project manager to manage scope / budget / schedule / quality	0 - 10	
b. Project Designer (e.g., design awards, publications, appropriateness, innovation)	Experience / creativity of project designer to achieve owner's vision and requirements	0 - 5	
c. Technical Staff (e.g., BIM/CAD operator / specifier education, experience, CDT or CCS* credentials)	Experience / ability of technical staff to create fully coordinated construction documents	0 - 5	
d. Construction Administration Staff (e.g., education, experience, CDT or CCCA* credentials)	Experience / ability of field representative to identify and solve issues during construction	0 - 10	
3. Key Consultant Qualifications (Maximum 20 points)			
a. Key Consultants (e.g., civil, mechanical, or electrical engineering, specialty consultants)	Experience / ability of key consultants to perform effectively and collaboratively	1 - 15	
b. Proposed EDGE-certified Consultant Participation** (fully executed Statements of Intent to Contract and Perform with relevant EDGE firms)	One additional point for every 2 percent increase in professional services over the advertised EDGE participation goal	0 - 5	
4. Overall Team Qualifications (Maximum 10 points)			
a. Previous Collaboration of the Project Team (sample projects on which a significant number of individual team members have worked together)	Less than 3 sample projects	1	
	3 to 6 sample projects	2	
	More than 6 sample projects	3	
b. LEED*** Training / Professional Accreditation (demonstrated either by the primary A/E firm or relevant consultant)	LEED*** Credentials* (Maximum 3 points)	GA	1
		AP	2
		AP+	3
c. LEED*** Registered / Certified Project Experience (demonstrated either by the primary A/E firm or relevant consultant)	LEED*** Registered Projects (RP) or LEED*** Certified Projects (CP) (Maximum 2 points)	RP	1
		CP	2
d. Team Organization (showed formal relationships between owner, contracting authority, consultants)	Clarity of responsibility / communication demonstrated by table of organization	0 - 2	
5. Overall Team Experience (Maximum 30 points)			
a. Past Performance of the Project Team (provided reference letters from sample project contacts)	Past performance as indicated by A/E evaluations and letters of reference	0 - 10	
b. Experience with similar projects and anticipated project delivery method (e.g., Multiple-Prime, General Contracting, CM at Risk, Design-Build)	Less than 3 projects	0 - 3	
	3 to 5 projects	4 - 6	
	More than 5 projects	7 - 10	
c. Budget and Schedule Management (included data on estimate versus bid and original contract sum & time versus change orders for sample projects)	Performance in completing projects within original construction budget and schedule	0 - 5	
d. Knowledge of Ohio Capital Improvements Process (e.g., experience following the <i>OFC Manual</i> , the Standard Requirements, and ORC Chapter 153)	Less than 3 projects	0 - 1	
	3 to 5 projects	2 - 3	
	More than 5 projects	4 - 5	
* Refer to list of applicable credentials in Section H of the RFQ ** Must be comprised of professional design services consulting firm(s) and NOT the primary A/E firm *** Leadership in Energy & Environmental Design administered by the Green Building Certification Institute		Subtotal	

Notes:

Evaluator:

Name _____

Signature _____ Date _____