A copy of the Petition for Declaratory Statement may be obtained by contacting: Joe Baker, Jr., Executive Director, Board of Podiatric Medicine, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C07, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3253.

#### DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Florida Department of Financial Services has declined to rule on the petition for declaratory statement filed by Charles K. Bortell, Jr. on April 11, 2008. The following is a summary of the agency's declination of the petition:

It is well established that declaratory statements issued pursuant to Section 120.565, Florida Statutes, can be applicable only to the specific petitioner and question that is not so limited and would require a response that is the equivalent of a rule. Therefore, the instant petition, which by its own terms, is not limited in its application to the specific petitioner, but to all similarly licensed insurance agents, must be denied. Also the Petition asks for a declaratory statement relative to ongoing conduct, which circumstance also militates for denial of the petition. Novick v. Department of Health, 816 So.2d 1237 (Fla. 5th DCA 2002).

A copy of the Order Declining of the Petition for Declaratory Statement may be obtained by contacting: Douglas Shropshire, Staff Counsel, Department of Financial Services, Division of Legal Services, Larson Building, 6th Floor, 200 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0333, or by email at shropshired@dfs.state.fl.us.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Department of Financial Services, Division of State Fire Marshal, has received the petition for declaratory statement from Roy Tremain, Fire Chief. The petition seeks the agency's opinion as to the applicability of Section 509.215(1)(a), Florida Statutes, in conjunction with subsection (3) of the same statute as it applies to the petitioner.

The Petitioner is charged with enforcement of the fire code and is substantially affected by the interpretation of Section 509.215(1)(a), Florida Statutes, in conjunction with subsection (3) of the same statute, as it applies to a particular parcel of property located in Eustis, Florida.

A copy of the Petition for Declaratory Statement may be obtained by contacting: Lesley Mendelson, Assistant General Counsel, 200 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0340, (850)413-3604 or (850)413-4238, Fax (850)922-1235 or (850)488-0697 (please advise if you would like it mailed or faxed to you and please include your phone number on your request in case any question arises) or by e-mailing your request to Lesley.Mendelson@fldfs.com.

# Section VIII Notices of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding the Validity of Rules

Notice of Petition for Administrative Determination has been filed with the Division of Administrative Hearings on the following rules:

## NONE

Notice of Disposition of Petition for Administrative Determination have been filed by the Division of Administrative Hearings on the following rules:

# NONE

Section IX Notices of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Non-rule Policy Challenges

# NONE

Section X Announcements and Objection Reports of the Joint Administrative Procedures Committee

# NONE

Section XI Notices Regarding Bids, Proposals and Purchasing

## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

#### NOTICE TO PROFESSIONAL CONSULTANTS

Florida A&M University (FAMU) announces that Professional Services in the discipline of Architecture will be required for the following: Project No.: FM-318, Rural Diversity Healthcare Center, Crestview, Florida.

The facility was constructed in 1937 as a manufacturing plant building. The textile facility assisted the area economy during the post depression era and produced various items including military clothing during WWII. This project consists of the design and renovations of 39,200 gsf of space into teaching labs, classrooms and offices. The university design solutions will involve the restoration of the historical aspects of the building, while redesigning the building's interior square footage into classrooms, teaching labs and offices for the professional schools of Nursing, Allied Health Sciences and Pharmacy. The design consultant will provide programming services in addition to basic architectural design engineering services.

The selected firm will provide design, construction documents and administration for the referenced project. Blanket professional liability insurance will be required for this project in the amount of \$2,000,000 and will be provided as a part of Basic Services.

INSTRUCTIONS: Firms desiring to apply for consideration shall submit a letter of application.

The letter of application should have attached:

- 1. A completed "Professional Qualifications Supplement" (PQS); form is to be obtained from the FAMU Facilities Planning & Construction Office. Applications on any other form will not be considered.
- 2. A copy of the applicant's current Professional Registration Certificate from the appropriate governing board. An applicant must be properly registered at the time of application to practice its profession in the State of Florida. If the applicant is a corporation, it must be chartered by the Florida Department of State to operate in Florida.

Submit eight (8) ring, comb or spiral (no hard, solid or tack) bound copies of the requested data in the order listed above. Applications which do not comply with the above instructions may be disqualified. Application materials will not be returned. The plans and specifications for State University System projects are subject to reuse in accordance with the provisions of Section 287.055, Florida Statutes. As required by Section 287.133, Florida Statutes, a consultant may not submit a proposal for this project if it is on the convicted vendor list for a public entity crime committed within the past 36 months. The selected consultant must warrant that it will neither utilize the services of, nor contract with, any supplier, subcontractor, or consultant in excess of \$25,000 in connection with this project for a period of 36 months from the date of their being placed on the convicted vendor list.

Professional Qualifications Supplement (PQS) forms, descriptive project information, and selection criteria may be obtained by contacting: Samuel J. Houston, Director, Office of Facilities Planning and Construction, Florida A&M University, Plant Operations Facility, Building A, Suite 100, 2400 Wahnish Way, Tallahassee, FL 32307, (850)599-3197, Fax (850)561-2289, e-Mail: samuel.houston@famu.edu. Submittals must be received in the Office of Facilities Planning and Construction, by 12:00 noon local time, on August 20, 2008. Facsimile (FAX) submittals are not acceptable and will not be considered.

## NOTICE TO PROFESSIONAL CONSULTANTS

Florida A&M University, on behalf of the State of Florida, Board of Regents, announces that Professional Services in the discipline of Architecture will be required for the project listed below: Project No. BR-352; Project and Location: Five Year Update of the Comprehensive Master Plan, Florida A&M University, Tallahassee, FL 32307.

This project consists of a five year update of the Comprehensive Campus Master Plan on a Continuing Services Contract basis, for studies through the next five years, up to the time of the next five year update. Work will consist of updating the various elements in the current Master Plan, including Land Use, Academic Facilities, Support Facilities, Housing, Recreation and Open Space, General Infrastructure, Utilities, Intergovernmental Coordination, Transportation, Capital Improvements, Architectural Design Guidelines, Landscape Design Guidelines and Facilities Maintenance.

Consultants should demonstrate the ability to assess the impacts of five years of University facilities development on public facilities and services (i.e. stormwater management, electrical, potable water, sanitary sewer, solid waste, roads and parks and recreation facilities). Consultants should demonstrate the ability to update existing master plan map conditions to reflect the five year assessment. Greater consideration will be given to those consultants with previous in master planning, government experience local comprehensive plans and concurrency management in Florida. INSTRUCTIONS: Firms desiring to apply for consideration shall submit a letter of application.

The letter of application should have attached:

- 1. A completed "Professional Qualifications Supplement" (PQS); form is to be obtained from the FAMU Facilities Planning & Construction Office. Applications on any other form will not be considered.
- 2. A copy of the applicant's current Professional Registration Certificate from the appropriate governing board. An applicant must be properly registered at the time of application to practice its profession in the State of Florida. If the applicant is a corporation, it must be chartered by the Florida Department of State to operate in Florida.

Submit eight (8) ring, comb or spiral (no hard, solid or tack) bound copies of the requested data in the order listed above. Applications which do not comply with the above instructions may be disqualified. Application materials will not be returned. The plans and specifications for State University System projects are subject to reuse in accordance with the provisions of Section 287.055, Florida Statutes. As required by Section 287.133, Florida Statutes, a consultant may not submit a proposal for this project if it is on the convicted vendor list for a public entity crime committed within the past 36 months. The selected consultant must warrant that it will neither utilize the services of, nor contract with, any supplier, subcontractor, or consultant in excess of \$25,000 in connection with this project for a period of 36 months from the date of their being placed on the convicted vendor list.

Professional Qualifications Supplement (PQS) forms, descriptive project information, and selection criteria may be obtained by contacting: Ms. Karen Brown, Associate Director at (850)599-8005, email: karen.brown@famu.edu, Office of Facilities Planning and Construction, Florida A&M University, Plant Operations Facility, Building A, Suite 100, 2400 Wahnish Way, Tallahassee, FL 32307, (850)599-3197, Fax (850)561-2289. Submittals must be received in the Office of Facilities Planning and Construction, by 12:00 Noon (Local Time), August 21, 2008 to the Attention of: Samuel J. Houston, Director. Facsimile (FAX) submittals are not acceptable and will not be considered.

## Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University Notice to Professional Developers (STUDENT RESIDENTIAL COMMUNITIES)

AMENDED NOTICE – Florida A & M University (FAMU) invites qualified firms licensed to do business in the State of Florida to submit Invitation To Negotiate (ITN) proposals for the development, financing, designing, constructing, operating, and renovating of student housing facilities on FAMU's Tallahassee campus.

Project Name: ITN #7372 FINANCING, DESIGNING, CONSTRUCTING, OPERATING, AND RENOVATING OF FLORIDA A&M UNIVERSITY'S STUDENT HOUSING. Please see the ITN document for further details. You may download of the ITN document from the FAMU website at: http://www.famu.edu/Purchasing/UserFiles/File/ITN FAMU HOUSING\_DOCUMENT.doc or request a copy by contacting: Mr. Willie Minton, Sr., Purchasing Agent, Purchasing Department at (850)599-3203, fax (850)561-2160; or email willie.minton@famu.edu. In all requests be sure to include the company name, address, phone number, fax, email address, and point contact and the number/title of the ITN document you are requesting. ITN submittals should be addressed to: Mr. Willie Minton, Sr., Purchasing Agent, Purchasing Department and must be received in the Purchasing Department's Office, Foote-Hilver Administration Center, Room 208, Lee Hall Drive, Tallahassee, FL 32307. Closing date: July 18, 2008, by 3:00 p.m. (Local time).

## NOTICE TO PROFESSIONAL CONSULTANTS Request for Qualifications – RFQ 09-01

The University of North Florida – Board of Trustees, a public body corporate, announces that Professional Services in the discipline of Civil Engineering will be required for the project listed below:

Extension of Road and all Infrastructure Systems The University of North Florida is planning to develop the Northwest portion of the campus to accommodate up to 18 free-standing fraternity and sorority houses. This project is to provide engineering services for the road system, underground utilities, survey, all necessary permit application and follow-up to secure all permits, other services as required, and construction administration. Preliminary site planning for this project was completed in April 2008 by the firm of Arcadis U.S., Inc. The site plan will be available on our web page http://www.unf.edu/dept/facplan.

## **INSTRUCTIONS:**

Firms desiring to apply for consideration shall submit a letter of application.

The letter of application should have attached:

- 1. The most recent version of the "Professional Qualifications Supplement," completed by the applicant. Applications on any other form will not be considered.
- 2. A copy of the applicant's current Professional Registration Certificate from the appropriate governing board. An applicant must be properly registered at the time of application to practice its profession in the State of Florida. If the applicant is a corporation, it must be chartered by the Florida Department of State to operate in Florida.
- 3. Submit 6 copies of the above requested data bound in the order listed above. Applications which do not comply with the above instructions may be disqualified. Application materials will not be returned.

The University of North Florida strongly encourages Minority Business participation.

Blanket professional liability insurance will be required for this project in the amount of \$2,000,000 and will be provided as a part of Basic Services (each, aggregate and per occurrence).

As required by Section 287.133, Florida Statutes, a consultant may not submit a proposal for this project if it is on the convicted vendor list for a public entity crime committed within the past 36 months. The selected consultant must warrant that it will neither utilize the services of, nor contract with, any supplier, subcontractor, or consultant in excess of \$15,000.00 in connection with this project for a period of 36 months from the date of their being placed on the convicted vendor list.

Professional Qualifications Supplement forms, descriptive project information, and selection criteria may be obtained electronically by emailing: Evelyn Jenkins Burton at e.jenkins@unf.edu AND Angela Dyal at angela.dyal@unf.edu Submittals must be received in the office of:

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH FLORIDA PURCHASING DEPARTMENT BUILDING 6 # 1 UNF DRIVE JACKSONVILLE, FL 32224

by 2:00 pm local time, on July 30, 2008. Facsimile (FAX) submittals are not acceptable and will not be considered.

#### **BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE INTERNAL IMPROVEMENT TRUST FUND**

Notices for the Board of Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund between December 28, 2001 and June 30, 2006, go to http://www.dep.state.fl.us/ under the link or button titled "Official Notices."

## WATER MANAGEMENT DISTIRCTS

#### Addendum to RFQ 07/08-047 LA

Approved Surveyor List

Suwannee River Water Management District has extended the deadline for submittal of qualifications for surveying services until 5:00 p.m., July 30, 2008.

In addition, another pre-qualification meeting will be held at District headquarters at 2:00 p.m., Tuesday July 15, 2008. Attendance at one of the pre-qualification meetings is mandatory. Those surveying firms represented at the June 11, 2008, meeting are not required to attend the second meeting.

The proposed schedule for the request for qualifications has been amended as shown below:

May 30, 2008	Release of Request for
June 11, 2008	Qualifications Pre-qualification meeting at 2:00
July 12, 2008	p.m.* Attendance at <u>one</u> of these meetings
July 30, 2008	is <u>mandatory</u> Qualifications due prior to 5:00 p.m.
	at District Headquarters. Opening
August 5, 2008	will occur at this time.* Selection Committee meeting, 9:00
September 9, 2008	a.m. at District Headquarters.* Request for Governing Board
•	Approval of Recommended
	Surveyor List at 3:00 p.m.

\* Denotes a public meeting. All meetings will be held at District Headquarters located at the corner of U.S. 90 and C.R. 49 in Live Oak, Florida. All times denote Eastern Standard Time (EST).

#### **EXPRESSWAY AUTHORITIES**

## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS – SYSTEMWIDE LANDSCAPE MAINTENANCE CONTRACTOR REQUEST FOR INFORMATION – RFI-08-001

The Orlando-Orange County Expressway Authority (Authority) requires a Systemwide Landscape Maintenance Contractor to provide routine maintenance of landscape areas along the Authority system in Orange County, Florida. Consideration will be given to only those contractors who are qualified to perform the work as determined by the Authority based on an evaluation of information provided by interested parties in response to the Request for Information; RFI-08-001. Sealed Responses will be received in the office of the Orlando-Orange County Expressway Authority, 4974 ORL Tower Road, Orlando, Florida 32807 until 2:00 p.m. (Orlando local time) on August 1, 2008, for the work generally described below.

#### SYSTEMWIDE LANDSCAPE MAINTENANCE CONTRACTOR – REQUEST FOR INFORMATION RFI-08-001

Landscape maintenance work shall include, but is not necessarily limited to, providing all labor, materials, equipment and incidentals necessary to perform landscape, ornamentals and turf maintenance, mowing, fertilizer application, insect/disease/nematode control, aquatic weed control, growth regulator application, grassy and broadleaf weed control, tree pruning, tree removal, watering, edging, mulching, irrigation system maintenance and site clean-up including litter removal at toll facilities and other median and right of way locations along S.R. 408, S.R. 417, S.R. 528, S.R. 429 and the Authority Headquarters Building, in Orange County, Florida.

For additional information regarding prequalification requirements, mandatory scope of services meeting, Qualifications Questionnaire, Price Proposal submittal requirements and deadline, Equal Opportunity Statement and M/WBE Participation, refer to the Authority's web site at www.expresswayauthority.com, or visit the Authority's office at 4974 ORL Tower Road, Orlando Florida.

#### DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Notices for the Department of Environmental Protection between December 28, 2001 and June 30, 2006, go to http:// www.dep.state.fl.us/ under the link or button titled "Official Notices."