

The Petitioner seek's DCF's opinion as they relate to background screening of summer day camp personnel. A copy of the Petition for Declaratory Statement may be obtained by contacting: Agency Clerk, Department of Children an Families, 1317 Winewood, Bldg. 2, Room 204, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0700.

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

Project: UF-212, (Newell Hall & Annex Renovation/ Rehabilitation)

NOTICE TO PROFESSIONAL CONSULTANTS:

The University of Florida Board of Trustees announces that Professional Services in the discipline of architecture will be required for the project listed below:

Project: UF-212, (Newell Hall & Annex Renovation/Rehabilitation)

The project consists of the renovation and rehabilitation of Newell Hall and Annex to create a Student Learning Commons. Newell Hall was built in 1910 as the Florida Experiment Station and is the third oldest building on campus. Newell Hall and the Annex total approximately 34,200 GSF. Newell Hall is one of the oldest UF buildings recorded in the U.S. National Register of Historic Places. The renovation will include individual and group study spaces as well as a variety of seating areas for informal student study. The Annex will become a graduate study area. Wireless Internet access will be available throughout the building. The project will transform this historic, but energy inefficient, building and give it a new purpose.

The estimated construction budget is approximately \$9M, including site improvements and landscaping. The project will be delivered using the Construction Manager At Risk method and construction shall be "fast-tracked" to start by August 2010 and end no later than April 2011. GOLD LEED EB (Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design) certification by the U.S. Green Building Council is mandatory. PLATINUM IS PREFERRED.

The selected firm will provide design, construction documents and construction administration services for the referenced project. Plans and specifications for University of Florida projects are subject to reuse in accordance with the provisions of Section 287.055, Florida Statutes.

Blanket design professional liability insurance will be required from the architect, mechanical, electrical, plumbing, fire protection and structural engineering sub-consultants for this project and will be provided as a part of Basic Services.

Applicants will be evaluated on the basis of their past performance, experience, personnel, design ability, references, workload, and responses to questions posed both in the shortlist and interview phases. The Selection Committee may reject all proposals and stop the selection process at any time.

At the time of application, the applicant and its landscape architectural and engineering consultants must possess current design licenses from the appropriate governing board and be properly registered to practice its profession in the State of Florida. If the applicant is a corporation, must be chartered by the Florida Department of State to operate in Florida.

Applicants desiring to provide professional services for the project shall submit a proposal only after thoroughly reviewing the facilities program, Project Fact Sheet, and other background information. The proposal shall be prepared as specified in the PQS Instructions and shall include:

1. A Letter of Application that concisely illustrates the applicant's understanding of the scope of services, design intent, schedule, and other goals and considerations as outlined in the Project Fact Sheet and facilities program.