

COUNTY OF ERIE  
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS  
For  
RENOVATION TO BALLROOM CARPET  
BUFFALO NIAGARA CONVENTION CENTER

(Separate) Sealed bids for General Construction and Electrical Construction work at the above County facility will be received by the County's Commissioner of Public Works in Suite 1400 of the Rath County Office Building, 95 Franklin Street, Buffalo, New York 14202 until 2:30 PM local time on June 12, 2013; at which time they will be opened and read aloud. The bidding documents, drawings, and specifications may be examined at the following offices:

Erie County Department of Public Works  
Office of Commissioner  
14 th Floor, Rath County Office Building  
95 Franklin Street, Suite 1400  
Buffalo, NY 14202

BHNT Architects, P.C.  
2495 Main Street, Suite 434  
Buffalo, New York 14124  
Office Phone: 716.836.1522

Construction Exchange  
of Buffalo & WNY  
2660 William Street  
Cheektowaga, NY 14227

A Pre-Bid Conference/Site visit will be held at 9:00am on June 5, 2013 to review the scope of the project and respond to questions from the bidders. Contractors are to convene at the Buffalo Niagara Convention Center, Franklin Street Lobby. The Contract documents may be viewed and ordered through the following website: [www.avalonplanroom.com](http://www.avalonplanroom.com) in the Public Bid section. If you do not have internet access or have questions on ordering from the site, please contact Avalon Document Services at (716) 995-7777. Upon ordering from the site, documents can be picked up at Avalon Document Services at 721 Main Street, Buffalo, New York 14203. A deposit of \$100.00 per set is required. Payment must be made by a check made payable to "BHNT Architects P.C." Prime Contractors may obtain one (1) copy of Bidding Documents. Bid set deposits will be refunded to bidders returning the bid documents in GOOD condition within (30) days of award or reject of the bid.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a Bid Bond of five percent (5%) of the amount of the bid payable unconditionally to the County of Erie.

The Contractor's attention is drawn to the provisions in the General Conditions establishing a Minority/Women Business Utilization requirement for this project. Contractors are advised that by submitting a signed and sealed bid proposal they are agreeing and committing to the WBE/MBE requirements contained in this project.

The Contractor's attention is further drawn to requirements for Contractor's participation in a New York State Certified Apprenticeship Training Program.

The County of Erie reserves the right to reject any or all bids and waive any informality.

John C. Loffredo, P.E.  
Commissioner of Public Works  
Rath County Office Building  
95 Franklin Street, Suite 1400  
Buffalo, NY 14202

Dated: May 23, 2013