

**PORT AUTHORITY OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY ADVERTISEMENT**

Separate sealed Bids for the Work as listed hereinafter will be received at the Purchasing and Materials Management Department of Port Authority of Allegheny County (Authority) Heinz 57 Center, 345 Sixth Avenue, Third Floor, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, 15222-2527 until 1:30 p.m. on December 15, 2023 and will be publicly opened and read immediately thereafter at the same address. Each Bidder shall be solely responsible for assuring that its Bid is both received and time stamped by a representative of the Purchasing and Materials Management Department at or before the advertised time for submission of Bids. Bidders submitting bids via FedEx, UPS, USPS or other carrier must immediately provide tracking information to the assigned contract specialist via e-mail. Upon delivery, bidder will notify the assigned contract specialist with an e-mailed receipt. Bids received or time stamped in the Purchasing and Materials Management Department after the advertised time for the submission of Bids shall be non-responsive and therefore ineligible for Award.

**FACILITIES HVAC**

**IMPROVEMENTS**

**CONTRACT NO. SYS-23-06 G,**

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The Work of this Project includes, but is not limited to, various HVAC upgrades at the South Hills Village Operations Control Center (OCC) and Cash Handling Building, Collier Garage, South Hills Junction Building 1, and West Mifflin Garage. Also included is the associated electrical, architectural, and structural work required to support the HVAC upgrades. A copy of the bid documents will be available on or after November 15, 2023 and can be obtained by accessing or creating your eBusiness account at PRT's eBusiness website:

**<http://ebusiness.ridePRT.org>**

. Guides are provided for accessing, updating, or creating an eBusiness account. Please be sure to register for any/all construction categories relevant to your firm. This Project may be funded, in part, by, and subject to certain requirements of, the County of Allegheny and/or the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Authority, in compliance with 74 Pa.C.S. § 303, as may be amended, require that certified Diverse Businesses (DBs) have the maximum opportunity to participate in the performance of contracts and subcontracts for this Project. In this regard, all Bidders shall make good faith efforts in accordance with 74 Pa.C.S. § 303, to ensure that DBs have the maximum opportunity to compete for and perform contracts. Bidders shall also not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, creed, age, disability, national origin, sexual origin, gender identity or status as a parent in the award and performance of contracts for this Project. If aid is required to involve DBs in the Work, Bidders are to contact Authority's DBE Representative, Susanna Broadus at (412) 566-5257. The Bidder's attention is directed to the following contacts for Bidder's questions: Procedural Questions Regarding Bidding:

Cindy Denner - Authority