

## Advertisement for Bids

Sealed bids from general contractors duly licensed pursuant to Louisiana's Contractors Licensing Laws for the major classifications of Building Construction or Highway, Street, and Bridge Construction are requested by Grant Parish School Board for construction of:

Project Name: Elevation and Drainage: Grant Jr. High Ball Fields  
Project Number: 02-101

Bids will be received at the offices of the Grant Parish School Board, 512 Main Street, Colfax, Louisiana 71417 until 10:00 AM, Local Time on July 2, 2018.

At which time and place the bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. Bidders have the option to submit their bids electronically by using Bid Express ([www.bidexpress.com](http://www.bidexpress.com)).

Complete bids docs may be obtained online at [www.bidexpress.com](http://www.bidexpress.com) or from the Owner:

Grant Parish School Board  
Attn: Jim Winegeart  
512 Main Street  
Colfax, Louisiana 71417  
Phone: (318) 481-9750  
Email: [jim.winegeart@gpsb.org](mailto:jim.winegeart@gpsb.org)

The successful Bidder will be allowed Ninety (90) calendar days to complete the Project from the date established in a Notice to Proceed. Liquidated Damages will be assessed at Five Hundred and 00/100 Dollars (\$500.00) for each consecutive calendar day for which work is not substantially completed.

Bids must be accompanied by bid security equal to 5 percent of the base bid and all additive alternates in the form of either a certified check or a bid bond.

**A Pre-Bid Conference will be held at 10:00 AM on June 19, 2018 at Grant Jr. High School, 17773 Highway 167, Dry Prong, Louisiana 71423. Attendance at this Pre-Bid Conference is MANDATORY and bidders must be present for the entire conference in order to submit a bid.**

The Contract, if awarded, will be on the basis stated in the Instructions to Bidders. The Non-Collusion Affidavit, the Affidavit certifying compliance with R.S. 38:2212.10 regarding an employee verification system, the No Convictions Affidavit required by R.S. 38:2227, and other required affidavits/documentation as specified in the Bid Documents must be hand delivered by the apparent low bidder within 10 calendar days of the bid opening. No bid may be withdrawn from a period of 45 days after the bid opening except as provided by law. Bidders must meet the requirements of the State of Louisiana Contractor's Licensing law, R.S. 37:2151 et seq.

The Grant Parish School Board reserves the right to award the project on whatever basis is in the interest of the Owner and to accept or reject any or all bids and to waive technicalities and informalities.

Randy Browning, President  
Grant Parish School Board

Sheila Jackson, Superintendent  
Grant Parish School Board