

Detailed Bid Specifications
Reference: TAMUG-ITB-0732
Custom Built Aquarium/Water Tank

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	<p>**Please note: This bid has been posted on the Electronic State Business Daily (ESBD) website: http://esbd.cpa.state.tx.us/ It is the bidder's responsibility to check this site for any addendum's that may be posted.**</p> <p>Texas A&M University, Galveston, TX is seeking bids for a custom built aquarium meeting the following terms, conditions and specifications as listed below.</p> <p>Bidder must bid FOB Destination or give an estimate of freight charges that will be used in the bid evaluation.</p> <p><u>Award Criteria:</u></p> <p>The award shall be made based on the following "Best Value Criteria". Texas A&M University reserves the right to consider the following and any other factors deemed necessary to evaluate the offer and determine the "Best Value" for the University.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Vendor's ability to meet the minimum specifications - The acquisition price - Delivery may be a factor - Experience/past experience with vendor - The quality; availability of services offered to required application <p><u>Insurance Requirement:</u></p> <p>It is understood that all equipment and material supplied by the vendor shall remain their property until such time as accepted or paid for by TAMUG. The vendor shall protect them with appropriate insurance against theft or other loss or damage.</p> <p>The successful vendor will be required to provide proof of insurance in the amounts indicated in Attachment A.</p> <p>The University System shall be listed as an additional insured party under each policy of insurance covering this project.</p>					

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	<p><u>References:</u></p> <p>Bidders shall provide at least three (3) reference where services comparable in size and scope have been performed within the last two (2) years. Bidders shall provide the Company Name; Company Contact Person; Company Phone Number and Contact Email for each reference.</p> <p>Texas A&M reserves the right to contact these reference to verify bidder's ability to perform these services. A negative reference may be ground for disqualification of your bid.</p> <p>Texas A&M University reserves the right to make the decision as to what products best meets the minimum specifications and which products best suits the needs of the University. Texas A&M University decision is final.</p> <p>Texas A&M University reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, to waive informalities and technicalities, to accept the offer considered to be the most advantageous to the University.</p> <p>*****</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Attention Bidders</p> <p>Texas A&M, Procurement Services is transitioning to an E-commerce system for all invitation for bids and purchase orders. We are asking all vendors to take a few moments and register as one of our vendors. This will allow you to respond to our bid invitations electronically as well as view other bid opportunities. Please visit the following website to register: https://bids.scquest.com/apps/Router/PublicEvent?CustomerOrg=TAMU</p> <p>If you have any questions in reference to registrations, please contact us at 979-845-2325.</p> <p>*****</p> <p>All invitation for bid documents not submitted electronically via the AggieBid system will only be accepted via the following methods:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Faxed to (979) 862-3383 -Express Mail (FedEx, UPS, etc.) -US Postal Service -Hand Delivered <p>At this time, no email responses are acceptable. If your response is received via email, your response may be disqualified.</p>					

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	<p>All invitation for bid documents not submitted electronically via the AggieBid system must be returned on our form.</p> <p>As a bidder responding to this invitation upon submission of your response, regardless of the format of your submission, you and the entity you represent are agreeing to the terms and conditions presented here as well as the TAMU terms and conditions located at: http://purchasing.tamu.edu/media/123743/bidtamu.pdf</p> <p>Physical Address:</p> <p>Texas A&M University Procurement Services Agronomy Road College Station TX 77843-1477 Fax - 979-862-3383</p> <p>NOTE: If responding manually, please submit with your bid response a W9. This will allow us to enter your company into our bid system and include your response on the electronic tabulation.</p>					
1	<p>Custom built aquarium/water tank.</p> <p>Scope of Work:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Water tank size 108" x 72" x 48" with steel supports and plate. - The tank is to have 6ft x 9ft horizontal/lateral dimensions (rectangular) x 4ft deep with glass (not plastic) on the four (4) vertical sides with the bottom of the tank anchored to the concrete floor in the lab. - Glass to be used will be low iron starfire glass in 3/4" thickness. - Tank will have fourteen (14) steel supports on outside. - Tank must not leak or rust and must maintain its structural integrity. - Tank must be constructed within the room/lab. Doorway is a 42" entry. - Water tank will not need a top/lid. - The tank is required to test fundamental fluid mechanics and diagnostic techniques with a Litron Laser Nano 135 – 15 PIV Nd: YAG unit. 	1	EA			
2	Delivery and Installation as per the attached terms and conditions.	1	LOT			
	TOTAL					