Office of the Illinois State Treasurer Michael Frerichs

Procurement Notice

Acceptance of Response to Request for Qualifications Architectural Services for the Marine Bank Building Access Area

Hanson Professional Services, Inc.

The Chief Procurement Officer ("CPO") for the Office of the Illinois State Treasurer (the "Treasurer") is issuing this Procurement Notice pursuant to Section 1400.3005(b)(2) of the administrative rules governing procurement for the Treasurer, 44 Ill. Adm. Code 1400. This provides Notice of the CPO's determination that it is in the best interest of the Treasurer that Hanson Professional Services, Inc. ("Hanson") be authorized to submit a response to the Treasurer's Request for Qualifications Access Area Architectural Services for the Marine Bank Building Access Area ("RFQ").

Hanson previously provided a structural assessment of the Marine Bank Building located at One East Old State Capitol Plaza, Springfield, Illinois. Hanson has since provided an assessment of the Access Area (as defined in the RFQ; "Assessment") and suggestions for its repair. The Assessment is included as Exhibit C to the RFQ.

Hanson has specific knowledge of the Marine Bank Building as well as the Access Area. Further, given the Assessment is incorporated into this RFQ, other Respondents have the information needed for competitive Submissions. For those reasons, the CPO issues this Procurement Notice in order to clarify its intent to accept any response to the RFQ that meets the requirements of the RFQ, including any such Submission from Hanson.