ADVERTISEMENT AND INVITATION FOR BID FOR CONSTRUCTION BID # 130902

The County of Cameron will receive bids for the **El Ranchito Community Park Construction**. Sealed bids/proposals, addressed and sent to the County Purchasing Department - Cameron County Courthouse, (Dancy Building) 1100 E. Monroe St., 3rd Floor, Room # 345, Brownsville, Tx. 78520. Bid deadline is no later than **October 8, 2013 at 10:00 a.m.**. Bids/RFP's will be opened at the Cameron County Courthouse, 1100 East Monroe Street, Brownsville, Texas in the Purchasing Department – 3rd Floor – Room # 345 at 10:01 a.m. (as per Purchasing Dept. time clock) on deadline date. Bidders are invited to attend.

Bids are invited for several items and quantities of work as follows:

1. Construction of the El Ranchito Community Park

Bid/Contract Documents including Drawings and Technical Specifications are on file at the office of Gomez Mendez Saenz, Inc. 1150 Paredes Line Rd., Brownsville, Texas 78521.

Copies of the Bid/Contract Documents may be obtained by depositing \$200.00 with the office of Gomez Mendez Saenz, Inc. for each set of documents obtained. The deposit will be refunded if the documents and drawings are returned in good condition within 10 days following the bid opening.

A bid bond in the amount of 5% of the bid issued by an acceptable surety shall be submitted with each bid. A certified check or bank draft payable to the County of Cameron or negotiable U.S..Government Bonds (as per value) may be submitted in lieu of the Bid Bond.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than, the federally determined prevailing (Davis Bacon and Related Acts) wage rate, as issued by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs and contained in the contract documents, must be paid on this project. In addition, the successful bidder must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of race, color, religion, sex, age, or national origin.

Bid may be held by Cameron County for a period not to exceed 30 days from the date of the bid opening for the purpose of reviewing the bids and investigating the bidders qualifications prior to the contract award.

All contractor/subcontractors which are debarred, suspended or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation on federal assistance programs may not undertake any activity in part or in full under this project.

Cameron County is an Equal Employment Opportunity Employer and expressly reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids/proposals and may waive informalities.