

**RFB 24 1908HVAC Units Equipment Parts and Accessories
Issued September 3, 2024
Due on or Before September 17, 2024, 1:00PM (CT)**

**GADSDEN STATE
COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

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Purpose

This bid is to provide, but not limited to, HVAC units, equipment, supplies, and accessories

Specifications

Systems

Gas split systems shall include straight air conditioning unit, furnace, and evaporator coil. Gas furnaces shall be 80% A.F.U.E. or greater.

Furnaces shall have an insulated blower compartment to reduce jacket loss and noise

Furnaces shall be equipped with direct spark ignition

All split heat pump systems shall include a heat pump condensing unit, air handler, electric strip heaters. Package HVAC systems and split HVAC systems shall be open to the atmosphere, charged with R-410A refrigerant, and have a minimum SEER rating of 4

**1801 Coleman Road
Anniston, AL 36807**

**600 Valley Street
Gadsden, AL 35901**

**Chackee Center
801 Cedar Bluff Road
Centre, AL 35860**

**Wallace Drive Campus
1001 George Wallace Drive
Gadsden, AL 35903**

**East Broad Campus
1001 East Broad Street
Gadsden, AL 35903**

There may be additions and deletions to campus locations

Quotes: A awarded quote must include the price before discount, or the quote will be rejected

Deliveries: Deliveries must be made within fourteen (14) calendar days after receipt of order, unless otherwise approved by the College. All orders should be delivered complete, unless otherwise approved by the College.

Freight: Any freight charges must be included on quotes. The College reserves the right to negotiate freight charges.

Quantity: The exact quantity of each item/commodity is unknown. Gadsden State Community College does not guarantee the College will buy any amount.

Volume Discounts: Volume discounts must be allowed for purchases.

Discount Percentage: The discount percentage provided by bidders applies to all items in the category. Bidders are not required to bid on all categories.

Requests for Clarification

Bidders desiring further information or interpretation of bid requirements must make requests in writing to Kim Carter, Director of Purchasing, 1001 George Wallace Drive, Gadsden, AL 35903 or by email to purchasing@gadsdenstate.edu, at least seven (7) calendar days prior to proposal submission deadline. Answers to such requests will be posted at <https://www.gadsdenstate.edu/operating-financial-data.cms>.

Bid Submission

An original and copy of the bid must be mailed or hand delivered in a sealed envelope, marked with the bid name and number listed on the outside envelope to the address provided herein. Bids submitted after the due date and time will not be considered.

Include in your sealed bid envelope:

1. Notarized
2. Notarized
3. Notarized form
4. Electronically signed

Product Acceptability

Unless specifically called for in the RFB, all products for purchase must be new, never previously used and carry the manufacturer's standard warranty. Remanufactured, demonstrator, used or irregular items will not be considered

Contract Period

The College intends to award a contract to multiple bidders and establish a 12 month contract with the option to automatically renew the contract for a second and third 12 month period. Discount adjustments may be

including loss of use resulting therefrom, any or all of which may arise out of or result from bidder's operations under the scope of work, whether such operations be by officer or any directly or indirectly employed by officer or for whose acts officer may be legally liable. This insurance shall include the types and specific coverage(s) and be written for not less than any limits of liability required by law. Insurance must include, but is not limited to, coverage for commercial general liability, commercial automobile liability, worker's compensation, and employer's liability coverage. The Releases shall be named as an additional insured on all policies. The College may request a copy of the bidder's Certificate of Insurance.

Licenses and Permits

The bidder must obtain and maintain any and all necessary licenses and permits, and comply with all applicable Federal, State, and Local laws in conjunction with the performance of the scope of work. The College may request valid copies of necessary licenses and permits.

State of Alabama Disclosure Statement

Section 41-16-82 of the Code of Alabama 1975 requires the Vendor Disclosure Statement to be completed and filed with all bids, bids, contracts, or grant bids to the State of Alabama in excess of \$5,000. In circumstances where a contract is awarded by competitive bid, the Statement shall be required only from the person receiving the contract.

Beason-Hammon Alabama Taxpayer and Citizen Protection Act

As required by Section 31-139(k) of the Code of Alabama 1975, the supplier agrees to the following: "By signing this contract, the contracting parties affirm, for the duration of any agreement that they will not violate federal immigration law, knowingly employ, hire, or employ, or continue to employ an unauthorized alien within the State of Alabama. Furthermore, a contracting party found to be in violation of this provision shall be deemed in breach of the agreement and shall be responsible for all damages resulting therefrom." Verification of enrollment in the E-Verify program will be required prior to any award to a supplier who employs or creates employees within the State of Alabama. E-Verify documentation should be identified with the bid number and the buyer name. Failure to provide documentation within 5 calendar days of notification will result in the rejection of the supplier's bid. To enroll in the E-Verify program visit <https://www.e-verify.gov/>.

Certification Pursuant to Act No. 2006-557

Section 41-4-142 of the Code of Alabama 1975 (Act No. 2006-557) provides that every bid submitted and contract executed shall contain a certification that the supplier, supplier, and all of its affiliates that make sales for delivery into Alabama or lease for use in Alabama are registered, collecting and remitting Alabama State and local sales and use tax, or simplified seller use tax, and/or lease tax on all taxable sales and leases into Alabama. By submitting this bid, the bidder is hereby certifying that they are in full compliance with Section 41-4-142, they are not barred from bidding or entering into a contract as a result, and acknowledges that the awarding authority may declare the contract void if the certification is false.

Debarment and Suspension

Per eCFR §200214 Suspension and debarment. Non-Federal entities are subject to nonprocurement debarment and suspension regulations implementing Executive Orders 12549 and 12689, 2CFR Part 180. The regulations in 2CFR Part 180 restrict awards, subawards, and contracts with certain parties that are debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation in Federal assistance programs or activities. By submitting this bid, the bidder is hereby certifying that they are in full compliance with CFR 200214.

Debarment and Suspension Certification

a The vendor certifies to the best of their knowledge and belief, they are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, debarred ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from a covered

curely engaged in and will not engage in the boycott of a person or entity based on doing business with a jurisdiction with which this state can enjoy open trade. It is understood that there is no entitlement to any state merit system benefits to anyone working under this agreement. In accordance with Alabama Act 2023-409 the vendor does hereby verify that, without violating controlling law or regulation, it does not and will not, during the term of the contract, engage in economic boycotts

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Category	Description	Discount
1	HVAC Units Gas Package, Heat Pump Package, Heating and Cooling Split, Mini-Split, Hybrid Split, and any other HVAC units	
2	HVAC Equipment, Parts and Accessories Electrical, Thermostats, Motors, Blowers, Contactors, Capacitors, Compressors, Filters, Pads, Pressure Controls & Switches, Heat Exchangers & Heaters, Condensate Pumps, Valves, and other related HVAC parts and accessories	
3	HVAC Tools Duct Tools, Instruments, Meters, Test Instruments, Pumps, Leak Detectors, and other related HVAC tools	
4	HVAC Welding Gases (contents only): Acetylene, Oxygen, Nitrogen	

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with whom you, members of your immediate family, or any of your employees have a family relationship and who may directly personally benefit financially from the proposed transaction. Identify the State Department/Agency for which the public officials/public employees work. (Attach additional sheets if necessary.)

2. List below the name(s) and address(es) of all family members of public officials/public employees with whom you, members of your immediate family, or any of your employees have a family relationship and who may directly personally benefit financially from the proposed transaction. Identify the public officials/public employees and State Department/Agency for which the public officials/public employees work. (Attach additional sheets if necessary.)

If you identified individuals in items one and/or two above, describe in detail below the direct financial benefit to be gained by the public officials, public employees, and/or their family members as the result of the contract, proposal, request for proposal, RFB or grant proposal. (Attach additional sheets if necessary.)

Describe in detail below any indirect financial benefits to be gained by any public official, public employee, and/or family members of the public official or public employee as the result of the contract, proposal, request for proposal, RFB or grant proposal. (Attach additional sheets if necessary.)

By signing below I certify under oath and penalty of perjury that all statements on or attached to this form are true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I further understand that a civil penalty of ten percent (10%) of the amount of the transaction, not to exceed \$10,000.00, is applied for knowingly providing incorrect or misleading information.

Act 2001-965 requires the disclosure statement to be completed and filed with all proposals, bids, contracts, or grant proposals to the

