## **Invitation to Bid**

Sealed combined bids will be received by the State Engineer on behalf of the South Dakota Board of Regents at the Office of the State Engineer, Joe Foss Building, 523 East Capitol Ave, Pierre, South Dakota 57501-3182 until January 27, 2021 at 2:00 PM CT for the New Parking Lot 39, University of South Dakota, Vermillion, South Dakota, OSE# R0620--15X.

There will be a remote pre-bid meeting held via video conference on January 19, 2021 at 2:00 PM CT. Prospective bidders must email Neil Eichstadt, PE in advance to receive an invitation to attend the video conference. Prospective bidders interested in visiting the site shall call or email the USD campus contact to coordinate such a visit. These visits will be conducted in small groups as directed. Campus contact is Brian Muehlbeier, Phone: 605.658.3311, Email: Brian.Muehlbeier@usd.edu. OSE contact is Brent Morford, Brent.Morford@state.sd.us.

Copies of the Plans and Specifications may be obtained by bidders at the office of Banner Associates, Inc., 409 22<sup>nd</sup> Ave S, Brookings, SD 57006. A/E Contact: Neil Eichstadt, PE, 855.323.6342, NeilE@BannerAssociates.com. Anyone requesting, reviewing, or copying Plans and Specifications for this project agrees that they are doing so for the sole purpose of submitting a bid on the project. Bidder further agrees the Plans and Specifications are the sole property of the State;

Each bid in excess of \$50,000.00 must be accompanied by a certified check, cashier's check, or draft in the amount of 5% of the base bid and all add alternates and drawn on a State or National Bank, or a 10% bid bond issued by a surety authorized to do business in the State of South Dakota and made payable to the Board of Regents of the State of South Dakota. The Board of Regents reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any irregularities therein.

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State Engineer
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