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RESOLUTION NO. 2020-326

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING RFQ 2020-004 CONTRACT FOR ENGINEERING SERVICES WITH CHAMPAIGN COUNTY

WHEREAS, the Champaign County Facilities Committee conducted an RFQ #2020-004 for Engineering Services for Champaign County and GHR Engineering, Inc. (hereafter "GHR") was selected through evaluation process and interview; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Champaign County Board approves the selection of GHR and authorizes the County Executive and Facilities Director to begin contract negotiations; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Champaign County Board, that Darlene A. Kloeppel, County Executive, is hereby authorized to execute the contract for engineering services.

PRESENTED, ADOPTED, APPROVED AND RECORDED this 17th day of December A.D. 2020.

		Darlene Kloeppel, County Executive And Presiding Officer of County Board Date:
Recorded & Attest :		_
	Aaron Ammons, County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Champaign	
	County Board Date:	



OFFICE OF THE CHAMPAIGN COUNTY EXECUTIVE

1776 East Washington Street, Urbana, Illinois 61802-4581

Darlene A. Kloeppel, County Executive

MEMORANDUM

To: Members of the County Board

From: Dana Brenner, Champaign County Facility Director

Subject: RFQ #2020-004 Request for Qualifications (RFQ) for Engineering Services

Date: December 14, 2020

Cc: Darlene Kloeppel, County Executive

Tami Ogden, Deputy Director of Finance

General Information

Champaign County is seeking proposals from qualified engineering service firms to assist the Director of Facilities in evaluating the condition of electrical, mechanical, and plumbing systems at numerous county facilities; and to prepare and administer project management services, over the next three fiscal years, during any approved project replacement or repair program. On November 4, 2020, the Facilities Committee approved the Director of Facilities request to post and advertise a Request for Qualifications (RFQ) for engineering services (Attached).

Project(s)

Champaign County wishes to retain an engineering firm, with the qualifications and staff resources necessary to perform comprehensive assessments of existing systems, provide replacement system recommendations, provide project management services, and, assist in development of the County's long-term capital replacement plan over the next three fiscal years. The following projects are anticipated for fiscal year 2021:

- 1. MEP design through commissioning of all HVAC Systems located at the Satellite Jail, built in 1996, including installation of digital controls.
- 2. MEP design through commissioning replacement of hail damaged RTU's at the Br4ookens Administrative Center.
- 3. MEP design through commissioning replacement of hail damaged RTU's at the Juvenile Detention Facility.
- 4. MEP design through commissioning replacement of hail damaged chiller condensing coils at the County Courthouse.
- 5. MEP design through project management of purchasing and installing hail guards on all county chillers and RTU's

Scope

The consultant, being selected through this RFQ process will enter into an agreement

with Champaign County to provide engineering services related to projects at various stages from pre-design to post-construction. The level of service requested will vary based on the scope of any given project.

Based on the requirements of the County, the Consultant shall provide engineering services meeting all standards and codes used in design for basic services as required on projects as follows:

- 1. Pre-Design Evaluations
- 2. Cost Estimating/Condition Survey and Report
- 3. Schematic Design
- 4. Design Development
- 5. Contract Documents
- 6. Bidding/Award
- 7. Construction Administrations
- 8. Commissioning

Bid Submissions

Proposals shall be evaluated based solely on all information provided in their firm's submittal. All submittals are due by Friday, November 20, 2020 by 4:30pm. Each submitter was asked to provide detailed responses to each of the following requirements:

- 1. Name, address, phone number, and e-mail address of the person to receive correspondence.
- 2. Statement of Interest.
- 3. Name and addresses of each firm's principle officer(s).
- 4. A description of qualifications and description of firm's technical capabilities and areas of expertise.
- 5. A description of the firm's ability to provide the service level as outlined in Section II Scope of Work.
- 6. A description of the firm's experience I sustainable system design to reduce non-renewable resources consumption, minimize waste, and create healthy, productive environments.
- 7. Provide a description of the similar projects completed within a 75-mile radius of Urbana, Illinois. Include the name and telephone number of a refer4nece person from the contracting organization who can be contacted for reference on your behalf.
- 8. Provide a description of personnel who will be assigned to and manage our project, list the roles the various members of your firm will play during our project.
- 9. Include a summary of the firm's understanding and experience in coordinating projects with regulatory and other governmental agencies.
- 10. Provide a listing of projects, that you were successful in attaining energy rebates, and their amounts, on behalf of clients for projects that saved money and renewable resources.
- 11. Provide a brief narrative of your knowledge and understanding of Champaign County facilities.
- 12. List a and describe any former projects completed for Champaign County.

Submittals Review Committee

To evaluate each firm's capabilities and their ability to complete the work as outlined in the RFQ, the Director of Facilities established an evaluation committee. The following individuals agreed to assist with the RFQ evaluations: Chair of County Facilities Committee; the Vice-Chair of the Facilities Committee; the County Executive; the Deputy Administrator for Finance; the Building and Grounds Manager; and, the Facilities Director.

Evaluation Matrix

To assist the RFQ Evaluation Committee with the review of information submitted by each firm, a matrix was developed to assist quantifying each firm's information as required in response to the RFQ (Attached). The matrix will be used to select a minimum of two firms for a Zoom interviews. This same matrix was used by the committee members after each interview to rate each firm and help finalize a selection. At the conclusion of both levels of evaluation (Submission Evaluation and Interview Evaluation) Committee Member totals for each submitting firm or interviewed were totaled together and then averaged (by the number of committee members) for a final point ranking.

Submittals

The following four firms submitted packets for evaluation:

- 1. WEBB Engineering Services
- 2. Kluber Engineering
- 3. Henneman Engineering
- 4. GHR Engineering

After the committee's evaluation, the committee selected GHR Engineering and Henneman Engineering to interview via Zoom.

Interviews

Interviews of the two selected engineering firms were conducted via Zoom on Monday, December 7, 2020 and Thursday, December 10, 2020. The Evaluation Committee members posted the following scores for each firm:

<u>Firm</u>	Total Points	<u>Average</u>
GHR	2960	493.33
Henneman	2852	475.33

Based upon the points totals for each firm interviewed, GHR Engineering was selected by the evaluation committee to begin contract negations, upon County Board for approval.

RFQ #2020-004 MEP Engineering Services

Rating Scale: 1 (poor), 2 (Fair), 3 (Average), 4 (Good), or 5 (Excellent)

MEP Submission Evaluation

Evaluator:

Firm Name:

<u>Criterion</u>	Rating	Weight	<u>Total</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
1. Executive Summary		6	0	5.00%
2. Qualifications				
A. Qualifications		10	0	
B. Experience		10	0	
C. Key Project Employees		10	0	
D. References		6	0	30.00%
3. Scope and Deliverables				
A. Scope		10	0	
B. Energy Rebate Successes		12	0	18.00%
4. Projects within 75-miles of Champaign/Urbana				
A. Number of Projects within 75-mile Radius		10	0	
B. Experience Working with Champaign County		10	0	17.00%
5. Value Added Services		12	0	10.00%
6. Project Management Experience		12	0	10.00%
7. Project Estimating Experience		<u>12</u>	0	10.00%
<u>Tota</u>	<u>I</u>	<u>120</u>	<u>0</u>	100.00%

Request for Proposals



Mechanical, Electrical, Plumbing, and Engineering Services

RFQ #2020-004

Physical Plant

Brookens Admin. Center

1776 E. Washington St. Urbana, Illinois 61802

(217) 819-3441

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1 GENERAL INFORMATION

Champaign County is seeking proposals from qualified engineering services companies to assist the Director of Facilities in the evaluating the condition of electrical, mechanical, and plumbing systems at numerous county facilities and to prepare and administer project management services, over the next three fiscal years, during any approved project replacement or repair program. Proposals will be accepted at the Physical Plant Office located in the Brookens Administrative Center, 1776 E. Washington Street, Urbana, Illinois, Monday through Friday, 8:00a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Proposals will be accepted up to and no later than 4:30 p.m., Thursday, November 20, 2020.

Project Goal:

Champaign County wishes to retain an engineering firm, with the qualifications and staff resources necessary to perform comprehensive assessments of existing systems, provide replacement system recommendations, provide project management services, and, assist in development of our long-term capital replacement plan over the next three fiscal years. The successful firm shall provide services to the County as outlined in Section II Scope of Work. The following projects are anticipated for fiscal year 2021:

- 1. MEP design through commissioning of all HVAC Systems located at the Satellite Jail, built in 1996, including installation of digital controls.
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Submitting firms shall demonstrate substantial experience in undertaking and completing the type of work required. Questions about this project should be directed to:

Dana Brenner, Champaign County Facility Director (217) 819-3441 dbrenner@co.champaign.il.us

II. SCOPE OFWORK

The following scope of services is included as a guide for the submitting firm. It is designed to identify the minimum service level expected from the successful consultant and as such should be modified and augmented, based upon the experience of the firm, as necessary to complete the project:

General:

The Consultant being selected through this Request for Proposal process will enter into an agreement with the Champaign County to provide engineering services related to projects at various stages from pre-design to post-construction. The level of service requested will vary based on the scope of any given project.

Based on the requirements of the County, the consultant shall provide engineering services meeting all standards and codes used in design for basic services as required on projects as follows:

- 1. Pre-Design Evaluation
- 2. Cost Estimating / Condition Survey and Report
- 3. Schematic Design
- 4. Design Development
- 5. Contract Documents
- 6. Bidding/Award
- 7. Construction Administration
- 8. Commissioning

The Consultant shall:

- 1. Review existing drawings, plans, and actual conditions, and advise the County on issues of concern regarding design, equipment selection, material selection, cost estimation as well as cost (life cycle) analysis;
- 2. Provide schematic and design development, bid documents, and a detailed cost estimate at each phase, which may include:
 - a. Attend coordination meetings
 - b. Provide progress prints/cost estimates (labor and materials) at appropriate intervals
 - c. Include elevations of exposed mechanical or *electrical!* units, and/or three-dimensional renderings (as requested)
 - d. Provide architectural design drawings which shall include all components and accessories;

- 3. Assist in the bidding phases:
 - 6. Attend pre-bid and pre-construction meetings
 - 7. Answer questions/clarifications during bidding;
- 4. Review and evaluate submittals and claim for extra costs;
- 5. Inspect the construction site and actively participate in on-site construction meetings. Advise the County regarding interpretations of contract documents and payments to contractors; and
- 6. Conduct and assist the County for substantial completion by preparing a punch list and conducting a final inspection.

Detail/Phases

1. Pre-Design Evaluation

Consult with the County and other necessary and appropriate government entities, utilities, organizations, and persons in order to ascertain project requirements and review the program prepared by the County, recommending any necessary revisions.

2. Cost Estimating / Condition Survey and Report

Investigate, analyze and measure the existing facilities to determine the information necessary for project work. Measure and verify floor plans and equipment locations in the existing building. Review existing system replacement studies (if applicable), analyze building components, heating/cooling load requirements, County floor plans and drawings (as available) and make system recommendations. Prepare drawings and a report summarizing existing facilities and their condition.

Prepare probable construction cost estimates to assist the County in the preparation of Capital Improvement requests. As part of the investigation, identify and document issues pertaining to any future project (accessibility, operations impact, etc.), Assist in the identification of grant or alternate funding opportunities including preparation of documents required for compliance requested by Champaign County Administration.

3. Schematic Design

Upon receipt of written notification to proceed, prepare schematic designs for review and approval by the County. The schematic drawings shall show project design features. A detailed cost estimate separating labor and materials shall accompany the schematic drawings for each design option developed. Life-cycle cost estimates to be provided upon request Advancement to next design phase pending County review of report, comments and Notice to Proceed.

4. <u>Design Development</u>

After the approval of the final schematic design submission, the County shall issue a written order to proceed with the Design Development phase. Submit detailed design drawings showing the general design, outline specifications, revised cost estimates, material cut sheets and material selection. If alternate layouts, design, work items and materials exist, the alternatives are to be prioritized with a recommendation of the best alternative with selection rationale outlined.

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Provide architectural design drawings which shall include all components and accessories, including system elevations (when applicable) in relation to project. Prepare a list of all necessary permits, licenses, review, and approvals as required. Advancement to next design phase pending County review of report, comments and Notice to Proceed

5. Contract Documents

Perform the final design and the preparation of detailed contract documents in accordance with applicable City, County, State, and Federal regulations ("codes") for all elements of work including architectural plans, custom details, phasing plans and structural and/or engineering modifications, as needed. Provide design progress reviews with the County and other authorities as required (typically at 50% and 95% completion).

Provide progress prints, specifications and revised cost estimates at specified intervals for the County's review and/or approval.

Prepare for approval, by the County, the following documents: bid forms; project specifications and working drawings for the project; and, contract agreement.

6. Bidding / Award

The Consultant is to assist the County in pre-bid and pre-award meetings, obtaining bids, and reviewing and recommendation awards, evaluating alternate bids, and preparing a construction contract and assist in the evaluation of product or systems substitutions.

7. Construction Administration

Provide during the construction contract to be entered into by the County for the construction of the project, to the satisfaction of the County, periodic architectural consultant services to verify adherence to the design and to assist in the administration of the construction until final completion and acceptance by the County.

Conduct a preconstruction conference, which shall include, at least the Consultant, or its authorized representative, the contractor(s), Champaign County Facility Director or designees, as well as representatives of any other public private agencies, which the County determines should be in attendance. At the preconstruction conference, the Consultant shall:

Observe that all necessary permits and licenses have been obtained prior to work commencement.

Raise for discussion and decision the manner in which the construction will be administered by itselfand the County, the scheduling of construction, and any and all other issues or questions which in the opinion of the Consultant or the County must be settled before the start of construction. Before convening the preconstruction conference, the Consultant shall confer with an authorized representative of the County concerning the agenda and who is to attend.

Prepare and distribute minutes within 48-hours following the meeting.

Throughout all Phases, prepare and update on an interval that is mutually agreed upon, an estimate of construction cost consistent with the County's funding requirements in a format acceptable to the County. The estimate of construction costs shall document approved change orders (CO's) and all anticipated changes to the construction cost on an individual contract basis and indicate contingency balance.

Recommend necessary or desirable changes (additions and credits) to the County, review requests for changes, assist in negotiating Contractor's proposals, submit recommendations to the County, if they are accepted, review change orders for the County's authorization. There shall be no change in the scope of the work or in materials specified by the Consultant until approval for such change has been given in writing by the County.

Determine, based on the Consultant's inspections and the contractor's applications for payment, the amount owing to the contractor and will issue certificates for payment in such amounts. By reviewing and approving a certificate for payment, the Consultant will also represent to the County that, to the best of its knowledge, information, and belief, based on what its observations have revealed, the quality of the work is in accordance with the Contract Documents. Review and make recommendations to the County on any claims received from contractors.

Make visits to the jobsite (at a frequency dictated by specific project) during power service cut and re- routing for the purpose of clarifying or interpreting any phase of the work and monitoring job progress, where necessary and/or requested. Conduct and attend on-the-job field meetings (at a frequency dictated by specific project) to review procedures, progress, scheduling, contractor compliance and other issues. Provide and distribute minutes of these meetings to the County and to parties designated by the County within 48-hours of the meeting. Where field condition differs from contract documents or disputes arise, the Consultant shall resolve issues satisfactorily to the County.

Issue punch list(s) and re-inspect as necessary, coordinate warranty submissions with manufacturers. Following the contractor's completion of the punch list, conduct final inspections in conjunction with the County. The Consultant shall create a "closeout" checklist for each contract and shall monitor the closeout process as part of the Certificate of Substantial Completion of the work. The approval of the County, or other Agency approvals, shall be required as a condition for the acceptance of the work by the County.

Furnish to the County, based on marked-up prints, drawings and other data furnished by the contractor, a set of reproducible drawings showing all construction (elements/systems) as actually built. Provide the County with AutoCAD files in a format acceptable to the County and one set of reproducible drawings. Secure and transmit to the County all required guarantees, affidavits, releases, bonds, and waivers and other closeout documents.

8. Commissioning

The Commissioning agent will develop and coordinate the execution of the testing plan, observe and document performance of the improvements, system integration and functionality in accordance with the documented design. This shall include testing and observing the operation and function of all components and controls involved in the new systems, including an assessment of responsible parties for correcting any problems and errors in the system.

The agent will also review submittals, and startup procedures, witness testing of selected pieces of the system, oversee training and system documentation and review, and approve Operation and Maintenance Manuals from the contractor for completeness. The agent will provide the County a written Final Commissioning Report.

Agreements:

The County's intent to retain an engineering firm with the qualification and staff resources necessary to both perform comprehensive assessments of existing systems as requested and develop a long-term replacement program. The engineering services agreement will have a term of three (3) years with a provision for two (2) one-year renewals for a maximum of five (5) years.

Payment for services is anticipated to be based on an approved hourly rate schedule. The magnitude of services will vary by project. The County may request a fee proposal prior to commencing any approved project.

III. GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- 1. The consultant's firm, including principals, project managers, and key personnel shall have relevant experience with similar work and shall be competent to perform the services required under this RFQ.
- 2. The work contemplated is professional in nature. It is understood that the consultant, acting as an individual, corporation, or other legal entity, is of professional status, and is licensed, as appropriate, to perform in the State of Illinois, and shall be governed by the professional ethics of said professions in its relationship to Champaign County.
- 3. It is understood that all reports, information, or data prepared or assembled by the consultant shall be confidential in nature and shall not be made available to any individual or organization, except Champaign County, without the prior written approval of the County.
- 4. The consultant shall be financially solvent. The County reserves the right to request information to determine solvency.
- 5. The consultant shall be responsible for complying with local, state, and federal codes, legislation procedures, and regulations affecting work in their professional area.

<u>N. BID SUBMISSIONS</u>

Proposals will be evaluated based on all information provided. To evaluate capability for completing the work as outlined in this RFQ, each proposal should provide detailed responses to each of the following requirements as listed here:

1. Company Overview and Qualification

- a. Name, address, telephone number, and email address of person to receive correspondence.
- b. Statement of interest
- c. Name and addresses of each firm's principal officer(s).
- d. A statement of qualifications and description of firm's technical capabilities and areas of expertise
- e. A description of the firm's ability to provide the service level as outlined in Section II-Scope of Work.
- e A description of the firm's experience in sustainable system design to reduce non-renewable resource consumption, minimize waste, and create healthy, productive environments.
- f. A description of similar projects completed by the firm within a 75-mile radius of Urbana, Illinois Include the name and telephone number of a reference person from the contracting organization who can be contacted for reference on your behalf.
- g. A listing of description of personnel who will be assigned to and manage our project; list the roles the various members of your firm will play during our project.
- h. Include a summary of the firm's understanding and experience in coordinating projects with regulatory and other governmental agencies.
- i. A listing of projects, that you were successful in attaining energy rebates, and their amounts, on the behalf of clients for projects that save energy.
- Provide a brief narrative of your knowledge and understanding of Champaign County facilities.
- k. List and describe any former projects completed for Champaign County.

2. <u>Drug-Free Workplace Act</u>

a. The respondents shall comply with the Illinois Drug- Free Workplace Act. Contractor does certify that they provide a drug-free workplace for all employees engaged in performance of work under the contract by complying with requirements of the Illinois Drug-Free Workplace Act.

3. Illinois Human Rights Act

a. The respondents shall comply with the Illinois Human Rights Act. Contractor certifies that it has a written harassment policy that includes, at a minimum, the following information: (i) the illegality of sexual harassment; (ii) the definition of sexual harassment under State law; (iii) a description of sexual harassment, utilizing examples; (iv) an internal complaint process available through the Department of Human Rights and Human Rights Commission; (v) direction on how to contact the Department of human Rights and Human Rights Commission; and (vii) protection against retaliation.

b. The Illinois Human Rights Acts prohibits discrimination on the basis of: "race, color, religion, sex, national origin, ancestry, age, order of protection status, marital status, physical or mental disability, military status, sexual orientation, or un favorable discharge from the military service in connection with employment, real estate, transactions, access to financial credit, and the availability of public accommodations."

4. Freedom of Information Act

a. All proposals submitted to the County are subject to the Illinois Compiled Statutes Chapter 5, Section 140 (5 ILCS 140/Freedom of Information Act). Any information submitted in a proposal which the Respondent considers to be proprietary or otherwise exempt from disclosure, the Respondent must invoke, in writing, the exemption(s) to disclosure provided by 5 ILCS 140/Freedom of Information Act in its proposal by providing the specific statutory authority for claimed exemptions, identifying the data or other materials to be protected, and stating the reasons why such exclusion from public disclosure is necessary. Furthermore, to designate portions of the bid as confidential, the Respondent must:

Mark the cover page as follows: "This proposal includes trade secrets or other proprietary data."

Champaign County will make the final determination as to whether information, even if marked "confidential," or as a "trade secret" or other "proprietary data", will be disclosed pursuant to a request under the Freedom of Information Act or valid subpoena. Respondent agrees not to pursue any cause of action against Champaign County or its agents for its determination in this regard and disclosure of information. At some point after proposal opening, all opened proposals will be made available for public inspection consistent with 5 ILCS 140/Freedom of Information Act. If a contract is awarded through this RFQ, the awarded contract will also become a public record consistent with 5 ILCS 140/Freedom of Information Act. The County has the right to use any or all information/material submitted. Champaign County reserves the right to make an award to the Respondent offering a proposal in the best interests of the County and meeting all the requirements of this RFQ.

Six (6) copies of the submission must be delivered to the address below by 4:30p.m. on Friday, November 20,2020:

Dana Brenner
Champaign County Facilities Director
Brookens Administrative Center
1776 E. Washington
Street
Urbana, IL 61802

<u>v. SELECTION PROCESS</u>

County will select a consultant utilizing a Quality Based Selection (QBS) process. Critical factors in this selection will include responsiveness of the proposal to this Request for Qualifications (RFQ); description of approach to the services; relevant project experience; qualifications of the responding firms and principal assigned staff; track record I obtaining energy reduction grants from Ameren; knowledgeand understanding of Champaign County Facilities; readiness to undertake the required services; ability to execute an acceptable written contract; and client references. The County reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, and to request written clarification of proposals and supporting materials. The County reserves the right to accept the proposal most favorable to the project after all proposals have been examined and evaluated.

Interviews may be conducted in-person or via Zoom with one or more responsible entities that have submitted proposals in order to clarify certain elements if such information cannot be satisfactorily obtained by phone or e-mail.

INSTRUCTIONS TO PROPOSERS

1. All proposals will be submitted in hard copy to:

Dana Brenner
Director of Facilities
Brookens Administrative Center
1776 East Washington
Urbana, IL 61802

- All responses to this RFQ must be delivered in a sealed envelope clearly labeled "RFQ 2020-004 Champaign County Facilities." All proposals must be received by 4:00 pm Central time on Friday, November 20, 2020. Six (6) copies of your response to this RFQ must be submitted to the location listed in paragraph 1. Proposals arriving after the deadline will not be accepted.
- 3. Proposals should provide a concise and accurate description of Proposer's capabilities to satisfy the
- 4. requirements of the RFQ. Emphasis should be on completeness and clarity of content.
- 5. An authorized representative of the Proposer must complete and sign the proposal.
- 6. Failure to comply with any part of the RFQ may result in rejection of the proposal as non-responsive.
- 7. In submitting information, it is understood by the undersigned that the right is reserved by the County to accept any submissions, to reject any and/or all submissions, and to waive any irregularities or informalities which are in the best interest of the County.

Questions regarding this RFQ?

- 1. All communication must be confirmed in writing by a specified official in charge of managing this RFQ process. In no case shall verbal communication govern over written communication.
- 2. The Bidder is expected to communicate and direct all questions, marketing materials and other forms of contact to the following contact email address. Violation of this request may result in the Bidder's disqualification from the selection process.
- 3. Inquiries, questions, and requests for clarification related to this RFQ shall be directed electronically via
- 4. email to:

dbrenner@co.champaign.il.us

The County will not respond to any questions or requests for clarification that require addenda if received by the County after Tuesday, November 17, 2020 @ 4:00p.m. Central Time.

Questions must reference the following in the email:

Subject: RFQ # 2020– 004 Question Re: [description of question]: *Identify the relevant section of the RFQ the question refers to.*

Addenda question answers will be posted on the County's website at: http://www.co.champaign.il.us/bids.

APENDIX I

Champaign County Facilities

<u>Building</u>	<u>Address</u>	Square Footage
Animal Control	210 S. Art Bartell Road, Urbana, Illinois 61802	4,500
Brookens Admin.	1776 E. Washington Street, Urbana, Illinois	93,060
Center	61802	
Coroner's Office	202 S. Art Bartell Road, Urbana, Illinois 61802	5,750
County Courthouse	101 E. Main Street, Urbana, Illinois 61802	146,339
Election Supply	202 S. Art Bartell Road, Urbana, Illinois 61802	5,895
ESADA garage	1703 E. Main Street, Urbana, Illinois 61802	2,880
Emergency 1905 E. Main Street, Urbana, Illinois 61802 Management Agency		19,600
Highway	1604 E. Main Street, Urbana, Illinois 61802	43,975
Highway Garage	1705 E. Main Street, Urbana, Illinois 61802	4,320
Highway Garage	Rear, 1701 E. Main Street, Urbana, Illinois 61802	6,000
ILEAS	1701 E. Main Street, Urbana, Illinois 61802	95,436
ILEAS Boiler House	Rear, 1701 E. Main Street, Urbana, Illinois 61802	1,200
ILEAS Garage	1707 E. Main Street, Urbana, Illinois 61802	4,320
Juvenile Detention Center	400 Art Bartell Road, Urbana, Illinois 61802	31,000
Physical Plant	202 S. Art Bartell Road, Urbana, Illinois 61802	11,956
Salt Dome	301 S. Art Bartell Road, Urbana, Illinois 61802	1,440
Satellite Jail	502 S. Lierman Ave., Urbana, Illinois 61802	57,000
Sheriff's Garage	1709 E. Main Street, Urbana, Illinois 61802	7,800
Sheriff's Office/Jail	204 E. Main Street, Urbana, Illinois 61802	55,000

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-327

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING RFQ 2020-005 CONTRACT FOR ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES WITH CHAMPAIGN COUNTY

WHEREAS, the Champaign County Facilities Committee conducted an RFQ #2020-005 for Architectural Services for Champaign County and Reifsteck & Reid and Bailey Edward Architecture were both selected through evaluation process and interview; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Champaign County Board approves the selection of Reifsteck & Reid and Bailey Edward Architecture and authorizes the County Executive and Facilities Director to begin contract negotiations; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Champaign County Board, that Darlene A. Kloeppel, County Executive, is hereby authorized to execute the contract for architectural services.

PRESENTED, ADOPTED, APPROVED AND RECORDED this 17th day of December A.D. 2020.

		Darlene Kloeppel, County Executive And Presiding Officer of County Board Date:
Recorded & Attest :		_
	Aaron Ammons, County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Champaign	
	County Board	
	Date:	_



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Tami Ogden, Deputy Director of Finance

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Project(s)

Champaign County wishes to retain an architectural firm, with the qualifications and staff resources necessary to perform comprehensive assessments of existing building structures and building envelopes, provide replacement system recommendations, provide project management services, and, assist in development of the County's long-term capital replacement plan over the next three fiscal years. The following projects are anticipated for fiscal year 2021:

- 1. Replace metal roof of Animal Control damaged in hailstorm.
- 2. Replace EPDM roofs on Brookens POD #300 & 400 damaged in hailstorm.
- 3. Replace Courthouse asphalt shingle roofs damaged in hailstorm.
- 4. Replace County Highway Maintenance Facility metal roof damaged in hailstorm.
- 5. Replace County Highway Salt Dome and Salt Brine asphalt shingle roofs damaged in hailstorm.
- 6. Replace ILEAS asphalt shingle roof damaged in hailstorm.
- 7. Replace metal coping edge of JDC damaged in hailstorm.
- 8. Replace EPDM roof METCAD/EMA damaged in hailstorm.
- 9. Replace metal roof of the Physical Plant/Election Storage/Coroner damaged in hailstorm.
- 10. Replace metal coping edges of Satellite Jail damaged in hailstorm.
- 11. Replace metal roof of Sheriff's Garage damaged in hailstorm.

Scope

The consultant, being selected through this RFQ process will enter into an agreement

with Champaign County to provide architectural services related to projects at various stages from pre-design to post-construction. The level of service requested will vary based on the scope of any given project.

Based on the requirements of the County, the Consultant shall provide engineering services meeting all standards and codes used in design for basic services as required on projects as follows:

- 1. Pre-Design Evaluations
- 2. Cost Estimating/Condition Survey and Report
- 3. Schematic Design
- 4. Design Development
- 5. Contract Documents
- 6. Bidding/Award
- 7. Construction Administrations
- 8. Commissioning

Bid Submissions

Proposals shall be evaluated based solely on all information provided in their firm's submittal. All submittals are due by Friday, November 20, 2020 by 4:30pm. Each submitter was asked to provide detailed responses to each of the following requirements:

- 1. Name, address, phone number, and e-mail address of the person to receive correspondence.
- 2. Statement of Interest.
- 3. Name and addresses of each firm's principle officer(s).
- 4. A description of qualifications and description of firm's technical capabilities and areas of expertise.
- 5. A description of the firm's ability to provide the service level as outlined in Section II Scope of Work.
- 6. A description of the firm's experience in sustainable system design to reduce non-renewable resources consumption, minimize waste, and create healthy, productive environments.
- 7. Provide a description of the similar projects completed within a 75-mile radius of Urbana, Illinois. Include the name and telephone number of a refer4nece person from the contracting organization who can be contacted for reference on your behalf.
- 8. Provide a description of personnel who will be assigned to and manage our project, list the roles the various members of your firm will play during our project.
- 9. Include a summary of the firm's understanding and experience in coordinating projects with regulatory and other governmental agencies.
- 10. Provide a listing of projects, that you were successful in attaining energy rebates, and their amounts, on behalf of clients for projects that saved money and renewable resources.
- 11. Provide a brief narrative of your knowledge and understanding of Champaign County facilities.
- 12. List a and describe any former projects completed for Champaign County.

Submittals Review Committee

To evaluate each firm's capabilities and their ability to complete the work as outlined in the RFQ, the Director of Facilities established an evaluation committee. The following individuals agreed to assist with the RFQ evaluations: Chair of County Facilities Committee; the Vice-Chair of the Facilities Committee; the County Executive; the Deputy Administrator for Finance; the Building and Grounds Manager; and, the Facilities Director.

Evaluation Matrix

To assist the RFQ Evaluation Committee with the review of information submitted by each firm, a matrix was developed to assist quantifying each firm's information as required in response to the RFQ (Attached). The matrix was be used to select a minimum of three firms for a Zoom interview. This same matrix was used by the committee members after each interview to rate each firm and help finalize a selection. At the conclusion of both levels of evaluation (Submission Evaluation and Interview Evaluation) Committee Member point totals for each submitting firm or interviewed were totaled together and then averaged (by the number of committee members) for a final point ranking.

Submittals

The following nine firms submitted packets for evaluation:

- 1. WJE Architecture
- 2. Walker Consultants
- 3. STR-SEG Architecture
- 4. Reifsteck & Reid Architecture
- 5. Ratio Architecture
- 6. Kluber Architecture
- 7. IGW Architecture
- 8. Farnsworth Architecture
- 9. Bailey Edward Architecture

After the committee's evaluation of submittals, the committee selected four candidates to interview via Zoom:

- 1. Reifsteck & Reid Architecture
- 2. Ratio Architecture
- 3. IGW Architecture
- 4. Bailey Edward Architecture

Interviews

Interviews of the four selected architectural firms were conducted via Zoom between Monday, December 7, 2020 and Thursday, December 10, 2020. The Evaluation Committee members posted the following scores for each firm:

<u>Firm</u>	Total Points	<u>Average</u>
Reifsteck & Reid	2944	490.67
Ratio	2668	444.67
IGW	2840	473.33.
Bailey Edward	2884	480.67

Based upon the results of point totals and average scores, evaluated after each interview; and, upon the large number of roof replacement projects (due to the hailstorm), which must be completed by July 10, 2022, the committee members felt that hiring two architectural firms would better assistant the county in accomplishing our facility goals and time constraints over the next several years. Hence, the committee has selected Reifsteck & Reid and Bailey Edward Architecture to begin contract negations, upon County Board for approval.

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Rating Scale: 1 (poor), 2 (Fair), 3 (Average), 4 (Good), or 5 (Excellent)

Architectural Submission Evaluation

Evaluator:

Firm Name:

<u>Criterion</u>	Rating	Weight	<u>Total</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
1. Executive Summary		6	0	5.00%
2. Qualifications				
A. Qualifications		10	0	
B. Experience		10	0	
C. Key Project Employees		10	0	
D. References		6	0	30.00%
3. Scope and Deliverables				
A. Scope		10	0	
B. Successes with Sustainable System Design		12	0	18.00%
4. Projects within 75-miles of Champaign/Urbana				
A. Number of Projects within 75-mile Radius		10	0	
B. Experience Working with Champaign County		10	0	17.00%
5. Value Added Services		12	0	10.00%
6. Project Management Experience		12	0	10.00%
7. Project Estimating Experience		<u>12</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>10.00%</u>
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Request for Proposals



Architectural Services

RFQ #2020-005

Physical Plant

Brookens Admin. Center

1776 E. Washington St. Urbana, Illinois 61802

(217) 819-3441

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1. GENERAL INFORMATION

Champaign County is seeking proposals from qualified architectural firms to assist the Director of Facilities in the evaluating the condition of numerous county facilities and to prepare and administer project management services, over the next three fiscal years, during any approved project replacement or repair program. Proposals will be accepted at the Physical Plant Office located in the Brookens Administrative Center, 1776 E. Washington Street, Urbana, Illinois, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Proposals will be accepted up to and no later than 4:30 p.m., Thursday, November 20, 2020.

Project Goal:

Champaign County wishes to retain an architectural firm, with the qualifications and staff resources necessary to perform comprehensive assessments of existing building structures and building envelopes, provide replacement system recommendations, provide project management services, and, assist in development of our long-term capital replacement plan over the next three fiscal years. The successful firm shall provide services to the County as outlined in Section II Scope of Work. The following projects are anticipated for fiscal year 2021:

- 1. Replace metal roof of Animal Control damaged in hailstorm.
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Submitting firms shall demonstrate substantial experience in undertaking and completing the type of work required. Questions about this project should be directed to:

Dana Brenner, Champaign County Facility Director (217) 819-3441 dbrenner@co.champaign.il.us

II. SCOPE OFWORK

The following scope of services is included as a guide for the submitting firm. It is designed to identify the minimum service level expected from the successful consultant and as such should be modified and augmented, based upon the experience of the firm, as necessary to complete the project:

General:

The Consultant being selected through this Request for Proposal process will enter into an agreement with the Champaign County to provide engineering services related to projects at various stages from pre-design to post-construction. The level of service requested will vary based on the scope of any given project.

Based on the requirements of the County, the consultant shall provide engineering services meeting all standards and codes used in design for basic services as required on projects as follows:

- 1. Pre-Design Evaluation
- 2. Cost Estimating / Condition Survey and Report
- 3. Schematic Design
- 4. Design Development
- 5. Contract Documents
- 6. Bidding/Award
- 7. Construction Administration
- 8. Resident Project Representation (RPR)
- 9. Commissioning

The Consultant shall:

- 1. Review existing drawings, plans, and actual conditions, and advise the County on issues of concern regarding design, material selection, cost estimation as well as cost (life cycle) analysis;
- 2. Provide schematic and design development, bid documents, and a detailed cost estimate at each phase, which may include:
 - a. Attend coordination meetings
 - b. Provide progress prints/cost estimates (labor and materials) at appropriate intervals
 - c. Include elevations and/or three-dimensional renderings (as requested)
 - d. Provide architectural design drawings which shall include all components and accessories;

- 3. Assist in the bidding phases:
 - 1. Attend pre-bid and pre-construction meetings
 - 2. Answer questions/clarifications during bidding;
- 4. Review and evaluate submittals and claim for extra costs;
- 5. Inspect the construction site and actively participate in on-site construction meetings. Advise the County regarding interpretations of contract documents and payments to contractors; and
- 6. Conduct and assist the County for substantial completion by preparing a punch list and conducting a final inspection.

Detail/Phases

1. Pre-Design Evaluation

Consult with the County and other necessary and appropriate government entities, utilities, organizations, and persons in order to ascertain project requirements and review the program prepared by the County, recommending any necessary revisions.

2. Cost Estimating / Condition Survey and Report

Investigate, analyze and measure the existing facilities to determine the information necessary for project work. Measure and verify floor plans of existing building. Review existing system replacement studies (if applicable), analyze building envelope issues, County floor plans and drawings (as available) and make system recommendations.

Prepare drawings and a report summarizing existing facilities and their condition.

Prepare probable construction cost estimates to assist the County in the preparation of Capital Improvement requests. As part of the investigation, identify and document issues pertaining to any future project (accessibility, operations impact, etc.), Assist in the identification of grant or alternate funding opportunities including preparation of documents required for compliance requested by Champaign County Administration.

3. Schematic Design

Upon receipt of written notification to proceed, prepare schematic designs for review and approval by the County. The schematic drawings shall show project design features. A detailed cost estimate separating labor and materials shall accompany the schematic drawings for each design option developed. Life-cycle cost estimates to be provided upon request Advancement to next design phase pending County review of report, comments and Notice to Proceed.

4. Design Development

After the approval of the final schematic design submission, the County shall issue a written order to proceed with the Design Development phase. Submit detailed design drawings showing the general design, outline specifications, revised cost estimates, material cut sheets and material selection. If alternate layouts, design, work items and materials exist, the alternatives are to be prioritized with a recommendation of the best alternative with selection rationale outlined.

Prepare a list of all necessary permits, licenses, review, and approvals as required. Advancement to next design phase pending County review of report, comments and Notice to Proceed

5. Contract Documents

Perform the final design and the preparation of detailed contract documents in accordance with applicable City, County, State, and Federal regulations ("codes") for all elements of work including architectural plans, custom details, phasing plans and structural and/or engineering modifications, as needed. Provide design progress reviews with the County and other authorities as required (typically at 50% and 95% completion).

Provide progress prints, specifications and revised cost estimates at specified intervals for the County's review and/or approval.

Prepare for approval, by the County, the following documents: bid forms; project specifications and working drawings for the project; and, contract agreement.

6. Bidding / Award

The Consultant is to assist the County in pre-bid and pre-award meetings, obtaining bids, and reviewing and recommendation awards, evaluating alternate bids, and preparing a construction contract and assist in the evaluation of product or systems substitutions.

7. Construction Administration

Provide during the construction contract to be entered into by the County for the construction of the project, to the satisfaction of the County, periodic architectural consultant services to verify adherence to the design and to assist in the administration of the construction until final completion and acceptance by the County.

Conduct a preconstruction conference, which shallinclude, at least the Consultant, or its authorized representative, the contractor(s), Champaign County Facility Director or designees, as well as representatives of any other public or private agencies, which the County determines should be in attendance. At the preconstruction conference, the Consultant shall:

Observe that all necessary permits and licenses have been obtained prior to work commencement.

Raise for discussion and decision the manner in which the construction will be administered by itself and the County, the scheduling of construction, and any and all other issues or questions which in the opinion of the Consultant or the County must be settled before the start of construction. Before convening the preconstruction conference, the Consultant shall confer with an authorized representative of the County concerning the agenda and who is to attend.

Prepare and distribute minutes within 48-hours following the meeting.

Throughout all Phases, prepare and update on an interval that is mutually agreed upon, an estimate of construction cost consistent with the County's funding requirements in a format acceptable to the County. The estimate of construction costs shall document approved change orders (CO's) and all anticipated changes to the construction cost on an individual contract basis and indicate contingency balance.

Recommend necessary or desirable changes (additions and credits) to the County, review requests for changes, assist in negotiating Contractor's proposals, submit recommendations to the County, if they are accepted, review change orders for the County's authorization. There shall be no change in the scope of the work or in materials specified by the Consultant until approval for such change has been given in writing by the County.

Determine, based on the Consultant's inspections and the contractor's applications for payment, the amount owing to the contractor and will issue certificates for payment in such amounts. By reviewing and approving a certificate for payment, the Consultant will also represent to the County that, to the best of its knowledge, information, and belief, based on what its observations have revealed, the quality of the work is in accordance with the Contract Documents. Review and make recommendations to the County on any claims received from contractors.

Make visits to the job site (at a frequency dictated by specific project) during power service cut and rerouting for the purpose of clarifying or interpreting any phase of the work and monitoring job progress, where necessary and/or requested. Conduct and attend on-the-job field meetings (at a frequency dictated by specific project) to review procedures, progress, scheduling, contractor compliance and other issues. Provide and distribute minutes of these meetings to the County and to parties designated by the County within 48-hours of the meeting. Where field condition differs from contract documents or disputes arise, the Consultant shall resolve issues satisfactorily to the County.

Issue punch list(s) and re-inspect as necessary, coordinate warranty submissions with manufacturers. Following the contractor's completion of the punch list, conduct final inspections in conjunction with the County. The Consultant shall create a "closeout" checklist for each contract and shall monitor the closeout process as part of the Certificate of Substantial Completion of the work. The approval of the County, or other Agency approvals, shall be required as a condition for the acceptance of the work by the County.

Furnish to the County, based on marked up prints, drawings and other data furnished by the contractor, a set of reproducible drawings showing all construction (elements/systems) as actually built. Provide the County with AutoCAD files in a format acceptable to the County and one set of reproducible drawings. Secure and transmit to the County all required guarantees, affidavits, releases, bonds, and waivers and other closeout documents.

8. Commissioning

The Commissioning agent will develop and coordinate the full execution of the contract, observe and document the contractors performance with the documented design.

The agent will also review submittals; oversee any necessary training and the documentation, review, and approval of any Operation and Maintenance Manuals from the contractor for completeness. The agent will provide the County a written Final Commissioning Report.

Agreements:

The County's intent is to retain an architectural firm with the qualification and staff resources necessary to both perform comprehensive assessments of existing facilities as requested and develop along-term repair and/or replacement program. The architectural services agreement will have a term of three (3) years with a provision for two (2) one year renewals for a maximum of five (5) years.

Payment for services is anticipated to be based on an approved hourly rate schedule. The magnitude of services will vary by project. The County may request a fee proposal prior to commencing any approved project.

III. GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- 1. The consultant's firm, including principals, project managers, and key personnel shall have relevant experience with similar work and shall be competent to perform the services required under this RFQ.
- 2. The work contemplated is professional in nature. It is understood that the consultant, acting as an individual, corporation, or other legal entity, is of professional status, and is licensed, as appropriate, to perform in the State of Illinois, and shall be governed by the professional ethics of said professions in its relationship to the City of Urbana.
- 3. It is understood that all reports, information, or data prepared or assembled by the consultant shall be confidential in nature and shall not be made available to any individual or organization, except Champaign County, without the prior written approval of the County.
- 4. The consultant shall be financially solvent. The County reserves the right to request information to determine solvency.
- 5. The consultant shall be responsible for complying with local, state, and federal codes, legislation procedures, and regulations affecting work in their professional area.

IV. BID SUBMISSIONS

Proposals will be evaluated based on all information provided. To evaluate capability for completing the work as outlined in this RFQ, each proposal should provide detailed responses to each of the following requirements as listed here:

1. Company Overview and Qualification

- a. Name, address, telephone number, and email address of persontoreceive correspondence.
- b. Statement of interest
- c. Name and addresses of each firm's principal officer(s).
- d. A statement of qualifications and description of firm's technical capabilities and areas of expertise
- e. A description of the firm's ability to provide the service level as outlined in Section II- Scope of Work.
- e A description of the firm's experience in sustainable system design to reduce non-renewable resource consumption, minimize waste, and create healthy, productive environments.
- f. A description of similar projects completed by the firm within a 75-mile radius of Urbana, Illinois Include the name and telephone number of a reference person from the contracting organization who can be contacted for reference on your behalf.
- g. A listing of description of personnel who will be assigned to and manage our project; list the roles the various members of your firm will play during our project.
- h. Include a summary of the firm's understanding and experience in coordinating projects with regulatory and other governmental agencies.
- i. A listing of projects, that you were successful in attaining energy rebates, and their amounts, on the behalf of clients for projects that save energy.
- j. Provide a brief narrative of your knowledge and understanding of Champaign County facilities.
- k. List and describe any former projects completed for Champaign County.

2. Drug-Free Workplace Act

a. The respondents shall comply with the Illinois Drug- Free Workplace Act. Contractor does certify that they provide a drug-free workplace for all employees engaged in performance of work under the contract by complying with requirements of the Illinois Drug-Free Workplace Act.

3. <u>Illinois Human</u> Rights Act

a. The respondents shall comply with the Illinois Human Rights Act. Contractor certifies that it has a written harassment policy that includes, at a minimum, the following information: (i) the illegality of sexual harassment; (ii) the definition of sexual harassment under State law; (iii) a description of sexual harassment, utilizing examples; (iv) an internal complaint process available through the Department of Human Rights and Human Rights Commission; (v) direction on how to contact the Department of human Rights and Human Rights Commission; and (vii) protection against retaliation.

b. The Illinois Human Rights Acts prohibits discrimination on the basis of: "race, color, religion, sex, national origin, ancestry, age, order of protection status, marital status, physical or mental disability, military status, sexual orientation, or un favorable discharge from the military service in connection with employment, real estate, transactions, access to financial credit, and the availability of public accommodations."

Six (6) copies of the submission must be delivered to the address below by 4:30 p.m. on Friday, November 20,2020:

Dana Brenner
Champaign County Facilities Director
Brookens Administrative Center
1776 E. Washington
Street
Urbana, IL 61802

<u>v.</u> <u>SELECTION PROCESS</u>

County will select a consultant utilizing a Quality Based Selection (QBS) process. Critical factors in this selection will include responsiveness of the proposal to this Request for Qualifications (RFQ); description of approach to the services; relevant project experience; qualifications of the responding firms and principal assigned staff; knowledge and understanding of Champaign County Facilities; readiness to undertake the required services; ability to execute an acceptable written contract; and client references. The County reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, and to request written clarification of proposals and supporting materials. The County reserves the right to accept the proposal most favorable to the project after all proposals have been examined and evaluated.

Interviews may be conducted in-person or via Zoom with one or more responsible entities that have submitted proposals in order to clarify certain elements if such information cannot be satisfactorily obtained by phone or e-mail.

Questions regarding this RFP should be directed to:

Dana Brenner
Facility Director
(217) 819-3441
dbrenner@co.champaign.il.us

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APENDIX I

Champaign County Facilities

<u>Building</u>	<u>Address</u>	Square Footage
Animal Control	210 S. Art Bartell Road, Urbana, Illinois 61802	4,500
Brookens Admin.	1776 E. Washington Street, Urbana, Illinois	93,060
Center	61802	
Coroner's Office	202 S. Art Bartell Road, Urbana, Illinois 61802	5,750
County Courthouse	101 E. Main Street, Urbana, Illinois 61802	146,339
Election Supply	202 S. Art Bartell Road, Urbana, Illinois 61802	5,895
ESADA garage	1703 E. Main Street, Urbana, Illinois 61802	2,880
Emergency	1905 E. Main Street, Urbana, Illinois 61802	19,600
Management		
Agency		
Highway	1604 E. Main Street, Urbana, Illinois 61802	43,975
Highway Garage	1705 E. Main Street, Urbana, Illinois 61802	4,320
Highway Garage	Rear, 1701 E. Main Street, Urbana, Illinois	6,000
	61802	
ILEAS	1701 E. Main Street, Urbana, Illinois 61802	95,436
ILEAS Boiler House	Rear, 1701 E. Main Street, Urbana, Illinois	1,200
	61802	
ILEAS Garage	1707 E. Main Street, Urbana, Illinois 61802	4,320
Juvenile Detention	400 Art Bartell Road, Urbana, Illinois 61802	31,000
Center		
Physical Plant	202 S. Art Bartell Road, Urbana, Illinois 61802	11,956
Salt Dome	301 S. Art Bartell Road, Urbana, Illinois 61802	1,440
Satellite Jail	502 S. Lierman Ave., Urbana, Illinois 61802	57,000
Sheriff's Garage	1709 E. Main Street, Urbana, Illinois 61802	7,800
Sheriff's Office/Jail	204 E. Main Street, Urbana, Illinois 61802	55,000

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-335

RESOLUTION TO ESTABLISH PLACES OF ELECTION FOR THE 2021 CONSOLIDATED ELECTIONS

WHEREAS, pursuant to 10 ILCS 5/11-1, the County Board shall fix and establish that places for holding elections in its respective county and all elections shall be held at the places so fixed; and

WHEREAS, the County Board of Champaign County seeks to ensure that voters can easily identify the location of established polling places; and

WHEREAS, the County Board of Champaign County established polling places for all Champaign County precincts on August 20, 2020; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Champaign County Board, Champaign County, Illinois that the place for holding elections in Champaign County for the 2021 Consolidated Elections. Complete list and supplemental info is attached to this Resolution

PRESENTED, ADOPTED, APPROVED, AND RECORDED this 17th day of December, 2020.

		Darlene A. Kloeppel, County Executive and Presiding Officer of the County Board Date:
Recorded & Attest:		
	Aaron Ammons, County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the	
	Champaign County Board Date:	



MEMO

TO: Board Chair Patterson and County Board Members

FROM: Aaron Ammons, Champaign County Clerk

DATE:

SUBJECT: 2021 Consolidated Polling Places

This memo is supplemental information for the polling place resolution before the board tonight.

There will be Consolidated Primary on Tuesday, February 23rd in the cities of Urbana and Champaign. The Consolidated General is Tuesday, April 6th for the entire county.

VOTE BY MAIL

As with the 2020 Primary and General, the Clerk's Office is making plans in an uncertain time and with consideration to what is the safest and most accessible way for people to vote. To that end, the Clerk's Office is promoting vote by mail to all voters in Champaign County. As we saw in the General with the nearly 30,000 people that voted by mail safely and successfully, this greatly reduces the possibility of spreading infection and is accessible.

EARLY VOTING

The Clerk's Office will also be utilizing early voting to reduce risk to voters and election judges.

PRIMARY EARLY VOTING SCHEDULE

Brookens Gymnasium, 1776 E Washington Street, Urbana, IL 61802:

- January 14-February 22, Monday-Friday 8:30AM-4:30PM
- Saturday, February 20, 10AM-3PM
- Sunday, February 21, 1PM-5PM
- Monday, February 22, 8:30AM-7PM

And 5 additional early voting sites will open the week before the Primary election. Their hours are February 15, 2021 – February 22, 2021, 2020, Monday-Friday from 10AM-6PM and Saturday from 10AM-3PM, & Sunday from 1PM-5PM at all of the sites listed below.

Illini Union – 1401 West Green Street, Urbana, IL 61801



- Leonhard Recreation Center, 2307 Sangamon Drive, Champaign, IL 61821
- Meadowbrook Community Church, 1902 South Duncan Road, Champaign, IL 61822
- Parkland College, Student Life Center, 2400 W Bradley, Champaign, IL 61821
- The Church of the Living God, 312 East Bradley Avenue, Champaign, IL 61820

GENERAL EARLY VOTING SCHEDULE

Brookens Gymnasium, 1776 E Washington Street, Urbana, IL 61802:

- February 25 April 2, Monday-Friday 8:30AM-4:30PM
- Saturday, April 3, 10AM-3PM
- Sunday, April 4, 1PM-5PM
- Monday, April 5, 8:30AM-7PM

Nine additional early voting sites in Champaign County will open the week before the General election. Their hours are February 30 – April 5, Monday-Friday from 10AM-6PM and Saturday from 10AM-3PM, & Sunday from 1PM-5PM at all of the sites listed below.

- Illini Union 1401 West Green Street, Urbana, IL 61801
- Lake of the Woods, Elk's Pavilion, 301 Senna Drive, Mahomet, IL 61853
- Leonhard Recreation Center, 2307 Sangamon Drive, Champaign, IL 61821
- Meadowbrook Community Church, 1902 South Duncan Road, Champaign, IL 61822
- Parkland College, Student Life Center, 2400 W Bradley, Champaign, IL 61821
- Prince of Peace Lutheran Church, 802 East Douglas Street, St. Joseph, IL 61873
- The Church of the Living God, 312 East Bradley Avenue, Champaign, IL 61820
- The Gathering Place (1st United Methodist Church), 200 S Century Blvd, Rantoul, IL 61866
- Tolono Public Library, 111 East Main Street, Tolono, IL 61880

ELECTION DAY POLLING LOCATIONS

Nursing Homes

I will continue to use alternative locations for the nursing home and assisted living centers. During the General we worked with staff at these locations to ensure a positive vote by mail experience for the residents.

Polling Places

Consolidated elections have historically had smaller voter turnouts. These are the turnout numbers for the last 3 consolidated elections in Champaign County.



2017 Consolidated Primary – 4,259 2017 Consolidated General – 26,865 2019 Consolidated General – 17,266

Couple with the voting trends demonstrated by voters in the 2020 General election and that Illinois statute allows for the "clustering" of polling locations during a consolidated election, the Clerk's Office is proposing Election Day polling places adjustments that will provide balanced election judge party representation, cost savings to the county, expose less election judges to the risk of COVID and not infringe on voter access.

2020 General Voting Trends

Of the 96,185 people that voted in the election:

- 43% voted early
- 30% voted by mail
- 7% voted at a universal location on election day
- 20% voted on Election Day at their home polling location

(10 ILCS 5/11-7)

Sec. 11-7. For the purpose of the conduct of any consolidated election, consolidated primary election, special municipal primary election or emergency referendum, an election authority may cluster up to four contiguous precincts as provided in this Section, which shall constitute a clustered voting zone. The common polling place for the clustered voting zone shall be located within the territory comprising the clustered precincts. Unless the election authority specifies a larger number, only one election judge shall be appointed for each of the precincts in each clustered voting zone.

POLLING PLACES

Activities and Recreation Center (ARC)

Ayers-Broadlands Fire Station

City of Champaign 05, City of Champaign 08, City of Champaign 15, Urbana 1
Ayers



Champaign County, Illinois 1776 East Washington Street

Urbana, IL 61802 217-384-3720

www.champaigncountyclerk.com

Bondville Village Hall Scott Bondville

Brookens Admin Center Gymnasium Cunningham 18, Urbana 4, Cunningham 19, Urbana 2

City of Champaign 06, City of Champaign 01, City of

Church Of The Living God Champaign 10

First Christian Church
City of Champaign 39, Champaign 2, City of Champaign 37
Fisher Community Building
Brown Foosland, Brown Fisher, East Bend, Newcomb, Condit

Gathering Place (First United Methodist Ch) Rantoul 1, Rantoul 2, Rantoul 3, Ludlow 2

Gifford Community Bldg Harwood, Compromise Gifford

City of Champaign 24, City of Champaign 16, City of

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church Champaign 32

Hays Center City of Champaign 19,City of Champaign 25

Hensley Town Hall Hensley

City of Champaign 11, City of Champaign 12, City of

Holy Cross Parish Center Champaign 13, City of Champaign 20

Homer City Building South Homer

I & I Antique Tractor Club Compromise Penfield, Kerr

City of Champaign 09, Champaign 1, City of Champaign

IL Employment and Training Ctr. 17, Champaign 3

Cunningham 07, Cunningham 08, Cunningham

Illini Union 02,Cunningham 03
Ivesdale Fire Station Colfax,Sadorus Ivesdale

Lake of the Woods, Elks Pavilion Mahomet 1, Mahomet 3, Mahomet 4

City of Champaign 31, City of Champaign 35, City of

Leonhard Recreation Center Champaign 27, City of Champaign 30

Longview Fire Station Raymond
Ludlow Township Office Ludlow 1

Meadowbrook Community Church City of Champaign 33, City of Champaign 36

Ogden Rose Library Ogden 1

City of Champaign 18, City of Champaign 34, City of

Parkland College - Student Union Champaign 09

Cunningham 13, Cunningham 16, Cunningham

Pennsylvania Ave. Baptist Church 21,Cunningham 20
Pesotum Community Building Pesotum,Crittenden

Philo Town Hall Philo



Point of Change Church Mahomet 2, Mahomet 5

Prince of Peace Lutheran Church St. Joseph 3,St. Joseph 1,St. Joseph 2

Rantoul Youth Center Rantoul 5,Rantoul 6,Ludlow 3

Royal Community Building Ogden 2

Sadorus Village Hall Sadorus Sadorus

Savoy Recreation Center Champaign 4, Champaign 6, Tolono 2

Seymour Meeting Center Scott Seymour

Sidney United Church Sidney
Somer Township Building Somer

Cunningham 14, Cunningham 23, Cunningham

St. Matthew Lutheran Church 15,Cunningham 22

City of Champaign 21, City of Champaign 26, City of

St. Peter's United Church of Christ Champaign 22, City of Champaign 14

Stanton Township Building & Town Hall Stanton
Thomasboro Fire Station Rantoul 4

Tolono Public Library

Tolono 1,Tolono 3

Twin City Bible Church Cunningham 05, Cunningham 04, Cunningham 09

City of Champaign 03, City of Champaign 07, City of

University YMCA Champaign 04, City of Champaign 02

Urbana Free Library Cunningham 10, Cunningham 11, Cunningham 12

Vineyard Church Cunningham 06, Cunningham 17, Urbana 3, Cunningham 01

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Westminster Presbyterian Church Champaign 23

Windsor Rd. Christian Church Champaign 5, City of Champaign 38

Not Using in the 2021 Consolidated Elections

Alan G. Ryle Companies
American Lutheran Church
Bethany Park Christian Church
Bible Baptist Church
Bresnan Meeting Center
Carpenters' Local No. 243
Champaign Church of Christ



Champaign-Urbana Mass Transit District (CDL Training Facility)

Cohen Hillel Center at UIUC

Curtis Road Church of God

Douglass Center Annex

E.H. Mellon Adm. Ctr.

East Bend Township Building

Edge-Scott Fire Department

Faith Methodist Church

First Baptist Church at Savoy

First Presbyterian Church

Florida Ave Residence Hall

Free Methodist Church

Grace Lutheran Church

Hessel Pk. Christian Reformed Church

Living Word Fellowship Church

Mahomet Area Community Ctr.

Mt Calvary Baptist Church

Mt Olive Baptist Church

Newcomb Town Hall

Parkland College - Ag Center

Philo Road Church of Christ

Quest United Methodist Church

River Valley Church of Christ

Salvation Army Corps

Savoy Municipal Building

St. Joseph Township Bldg.

Stratford Park Bible Chapel

Sunnycrest Center

Tolono West Fire Station

Urbana City Building