OVERVIEW

Eastern Connecticut State University is seeking proposals for green cleaning. Products will be procured by category or in total whichever is most advantageous to the University. The category’s are:

Category 1:

Mandatory Products – provided with liquid control packages to be mixed with water. Large scale dispensers will not be accepted. Products must be low order
  a. All purpose/general purpose cleaner
  b. Restroom cleaners
  c. Glass cleaner
  d. Floor cleaner
  e. Carpet cleaners, including spot cleaners and defoamer

Category 2:

Desirable Products – It is desirable that Bidders in Category 2 be able to provide as many of the following products as possible.
  a. Cleaner/Degreaser – GS34 or CCD146 or CCE110 (biologically based)
  b. Disinfectants; Sanitizers
  c. Enzymatic Cleaner/Digester – CCD112 or CCD113 – for bio-based
  d. Graffiti Remover (Paint/Varnish Remover)
  e. Floor care products (Including sealer, finish, restorer, neutralizer, and floor finish stripper/ remover).

As part of the Management and Implementation Program, vendor will provide visual aids and written step by step procedures (in both English and Spanish) for the proper use of each product.

Required Documentation to Verify Compliance with Specifications and Standards: Cleaning Chemicals

If a product is Green Seal or EcoLogo certified and is listed on their website(s) as such, no proof of certification needs to be submitted.

If a product is Green Seal or EcoLogo certified and is not listed on their website(s) as such, Bidders are required to submit a copy of the product’s certificate.

All certificates (if any) and manufacturer letters for Subcategories A-F, must be scanned and submitted as one PDF document (named

If a product is CFPA certified, a copy of the certificate must be submitted.

All manufacturer letters and certificates (if any) for Subcategory E, must be scanned and submitted as one PDF

Price File

The Price File for the chemicals provided under this RFP is titled Bid Schedule Appendix C. Bidders are required to indicate all products they can provide on the worksheets.

Discount off MSRP: Bidders must submit in their response a percentage discount for the product (or group of products) to be applied to the manufacturer’s most recently published suggest retail price. This discount will be used to calculate the contract price for this product (or group of products) throughout the duration of the contract. Discounts may vary by manufacturer.

Implementation and Management Program: Provide a narrative and pricing for an optional implementation and management program for green cleaning including educational materials that would be distributed to custodians.