

**INVITATION FOR BID  
IFB 02-10 (REBID)**

Ben Franklin Transit  
Richland, Washington

Ben Franklin Transit, hereafter referred to as BFT, a municipal corporation of the State of Washington, located at 1000 Columbia Park Trail, Richland WA 99352, is soliciting sealed bids for Ben Franklin Transit; IFB 02-10 (Rebid) furnishings package.

Bids will be received until 2:00 p.m. (PST), March 25, 2010 at 1000 Columbia Park Trail, Richland, Washington 99352. Request for Approved Equals Forms (Substitution) will be accepted no later than 2:00 p.m.(PST), March 22, 2010 at 10 S. Cedar St., Spokane, Washington 99201. Bids and Request for Approved Equal Forms received after the stated times will not be accepted. The bids will be publicly opened by Ben Franklin Transit staff. Official bid results shall be made public within 72 hours of bid opening. Bids will be on a lump-sum basis awarded to the lowest responsive bidder. The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive informalities in the bidding. No bids shall be withdrawn for a period of 60 days subsequent to opening of bids without the written consent of BFT.

The IFB 02-10 (Rebid) furnishings package consists of delivery and installation of freestanding and systems furniture for the existing Administration Building (Building 2) and the New Administration Building (Building 3). An acceptable bid does not require a bid for both buildings; bidders may bid one building or both buildings. These Buildings will have two different move-in dates and are subject to coordination of construction. Total estimated furniture cost for the existing Administration Building (Building 2) is \$115,000. The New Administration Building (Building 3) is estimated at \$500,000.

Ben Franklin Transit hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively ensure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunities to submit bids and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex, handicap, or national origin in consideration for an award.

This project will be funded by a combination of Federal Transit Administration (FTA) funds and Ben Franklin Transit funding. The IFB 02-10 (Rebid) furnishings package is contingent on a Federal Grant; project may be reduced in scope if funding becomes unavailable.

Contract Documents will be available for purchase at INTEGRUS Architecture in the non-refundable amount of \$75.00. Make checks payable to INTEGRUS Architecture, 10 S. Cedar Street, Spokane, WA 99201. Please direct questions regarding this project – INTEGRUS Architecture, Phone (509) 838-8681, Fax (509) 838-2194, attention Stephanie Ogram ([sogram@integrus.net](mailto:sogram@integrus.net)).

Ben Franklin Transit reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive informalities and minor irregularities in offers received. This Invitation for Bid may be canceled and any and all bids may be rejected in whole or in part when it is in the best interest of BFT.

END OF INVITATION FOR BID