## **INVITATION FOR BIDS:**

The Board of Education of Baltimore County invites firms to bid on "DISPOSAL SERVICES - SCIENCE <u>CHEMICALS AND CHEMICAL WASTES</u>" for Baltimore County Public Schools, <u>Solicitation Number</u> <u>JMI-604-15</u>. Procurement questions can be emailed to Jeffery Miller at <u>Jmiller14@bcps.org</u>. You must identify the solicitation number, within your email message. Verbal questions will not be taken.

Suppliers proposing to bid may secure a set of solicitation documents after 2:00 P.M. (EST), on or after **July 10, 2014**. Solicitation documents can be obtained electronically by emailing request to: <u>Jmiller14@bcps.org</u>. Email requests MUST include bidders' corporate address, phone number, fax number, and representatives contact name. Additionally, hard copy contract documents are available for pickup at the Office of Purchasing, 6901 Charles Street, Building "E", 1st Floor, Towson, Maryland 21204. There is no cost for the solicitation.

A pre-bid meeting is scheduled for <u>July 15, 2014, 11:30 A.M.</u>, at Department of Physical Facilities, 9610 Pulaski Park Drive Suite 204, Baltimore, Maryland 21220.

Sealed bids will be received until <u>July 31, 2014, no later than 2:30 P.M.</u> in the Office of Purchasing at Baltimore County Public Schools Office of Purchasing, located at 6901 Charles Street, Building "E", 1st Floor, Towson, Maryland 21204.

This solicitation is being offered to select a firm to furnish necessary labor, equipment, materials, supervision, tools, and all related incidentals required to clean and disinfect ceiling tiles, ceiling tile grid and support system, underneath side of roofs, roof supports, lights, pipes, wiring, carpeting and/or other areas as needed. (Commodity Code: 96-871 Disposal Services, Solid and Liquid Waste)

The firms who provide materials, supplies, equipment, and/or services for the above bid shall attempt to achieve 14% participation of Minority Business and/or Small Business Enterprise organizations in response to the Board of Education's goal for economic development. Certified Minority Business Enterprises and Small Business Enterprises are encouraged to respond to these solicitations.

Bidders shall include minority and small business enterprise material as provided herein with their proposal. Bidders failing to submit the minority and small business enterprise material as provided herein, including the Small and Minority Business Enterprise Utilization Affidavit may result in the bid being determined nonresponsive.

The Board of Education of Baltimore County reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive informalities.

By Order of the Board of Education of Baltimore County Richard Gay, Manager, Office of Purchasing