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Advertisement for bid
Lodge Phase 2 remodel project

Spirit Mountain Gaming, Inc. (the owner) hereby extends an invitation to General Contractors to bid on the Spirit Mountain Lodge, Phase 1 Remodel Project, Grand Ronde, Oregon.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION The Spirit Mountain Lodge Remodel project located in Grand Ronde, Oregon, consists of upgrading and renovating 156 guest rooms; including 105 guest rooms located on the 1st through 3rd floors of the West Tower, 14 suites and 29 guest rooms located on the 5th floor of the East & West Towers, and 8 guest rooms located on the 2nd through 5th floors in the East Tower that will be converted to Junior Suites. This first phase of construction will also consist of upgrading all lodge corridors, elevator lobbies and elevator interiors on all five floors of both the East and West Towers, upgrading the lodge lobby and remodel of the Hall of Legends exhibit area. All associated information required to complete the buildings are describe in the Drawings and Project Manual.

BID SUBMITTAL Sealed bids for the construction of the Spirit Mountain Lodge, Phase 1 Remodel project must be received by Ron Reibach, Facilities Director, Spirit Mountain Gaming, Inc. 27100 S.W. Salmon River Highway, Grand Ronde, OR 97347, by or before 3 p.m. local time, Wednesday, Oct. 24, 2018 .

Bids (including all required documentation) shall be submitted in a sealed envelope with bidder’s identification plainly marked on the outside including name, project name, bid date and time. Bids shall be submitted on the bid form provided within the Project Manual. Bids submitted via fax or by other electronic means shall be rejected as nonresponsive.

PRE-BID MEETING A mandatory pre-bid meeting will be held at the Spirit Mountain Casino, 27100 S.W. Salmon River Highway, Grand Ronde, Ore., on Tuesday, Oct. 9, 2018, at 11 a.m, to discuss the scope of work, and visit the construction area. Statements made by Owner representatives at the conference are not binding on the Owner, unless confirmed by written addendum.

TRIBAL EMPLOYMENT RIGHTS ORDINANCE (TERO) APPLICABILITY The Tribe has adopted a TERO Ordinance which applies to this project. A copy of the ordinance is available on the Tribe’s website at the following link: <http://www.grandronde.org/archives/> or will be provided by the Tribe’s TERO office by calling 503-879-2188. The selected contractor will be a Covered Employer and subject to TERO requirements.

BIDDING DOCUMENTS Bid Documents, including contract terms, conditions and specifications will be available for review and purchase beginning **Oct. 1, 2018**. The Plan Holders List will be managed by the Project Manager, Michael Marino, M. Marino Consulting, 652 S.E. Zapata Place, Madras, Ore., 97741; Ph: (541) 325-1510, Email: mike@mmarinoconsulting.com. All bidders wishing to be notified of addenda shall register their name, mailing address and e-mail address with Mr. Marino.

Bid Documents including Design Drawings and Specifications sets or individual sheets and specification pages may be purchased for the cost of reproduction: Interested parties may contact Contractor Plan Center, 5468 S.E. International Way, Milwaukee OR 97222 Phone: 503-650-0148.

Questions or requests for clarification shall be directed by e-mail or in writing to the Project Manager, Michael Marino, M. Marino Consulting, 652 S.E. Zapata Place, Madras, Ore., 97741; Ph: 541-325-1510, e-mail: mike@mmarinoconsulting.com. All written questions must be received by the Project Manager by 2 p.m. prevailing local time, **Oct. 17, 2018**, seven (7) calendar days prior to the bid due date. The Project Manager will determine appropriate responses, if any, and if necessary an Addendum will be issued to all plan holders of record at least three (3) calendar days prior to the bid due date. Any verbal response(s) obtained from any source by bidders will be considered informational and shall not be relied upon by bidders. ■

Champoeg Celebration
set for Saturday, Oct. 13

The Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde, Oregon State Parks and Institute for Applied Ecology will host a day of celebration at historic Champoeg State Park from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 13.

The event will allow Grand Ronde Tribal members a chance to learn about first foods plants in the Willamette Valley, plant Native plants in an active restoration site and taste and try traditional Native foods as lunch will be provided at noon.

For details, directions and transportation needs, contact Cultural Resources Department staff members Jordan Mercier at 503-879-2185 or Jordan.mercier@grandronde.org or Flicka Lucero at 503-879-2268 or flicka.lucero@grandronde.org. ■



To hear Tribal Elder Greg Archuleta and Natural Resources Department staff member Jeremy Ojua discuss the event, go to www.spreaker.com and search for “Smoke Signals podcasts.”



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