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On behalf of the Polk County Information Technology department, the Polk County Department of General Services is accepting sealed proposals for County Medical Examiner Case Management System Replacement Project. Proposals shall be received by the Polk County Department of General Services, Room 365, Polk County Administrative Office Building, 111 Court Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa until 2:00 p.m., January 9, 2014. The proposals shall be publicly opened and read at 2:05 p.m. on the above-mentioned date.

Interested vendors may obtain the Request for Proposal packet from Room 365, Polk County Administrative Office Building, 111 Court Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., weekdays. Request for Proposal packets are also available online at: <http://cms.polkcountyiowa.gov/GeneralServices/Pages/currentBids.aspx> (If the RFP is downloaded, the interested party must contact the Office of General Services at (515) 286-3215 if the interested party wishes to receive notices of changes to the RFP, addendums and other documents if changes or updates should occur.)

By virtue of statutory authority, a preference may be given to products and provisions grown and produced within the State of Iowa and to Iowa domestic labor.

It shall be the purchasing policy of Polk County to allow the Polk County Board of Supervisors the discretion of showing preference in purchasing goods and services from contractors who produce goods or maintain an office in Iowa. Preference may also be given to goods produced in Polk County or to contractors maintaining an office in Polk County. Further, it shall be the policy of Polk County to actively solicit and seek out local contractors of goods and services and to encourage said contractors to stock and supply Iowa-made products.