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POLK COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SERVICES

On behalf of the Polk County Public Works Department, the Polk County Department of General Services, Purchasing Division, will receive sealed bids for the following items.

**Bid No. 465-1415 HAMILTON DRAIN FLOOD CONTROL IMPROVEMENTS IN
SAYLOR TOWNSHIP**

Sealed bids will be received by the Polk County Department of General Services, Purchasing Division, Room 365, Polk County Administrative Office Building, 111 Court Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa, until 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, July 15, 2014. Bids will be publicly opened and read at 2:05 p.m. on the above-mentioned date.

Interested vendors may obtain bid packets 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.

By virtue of statutory authority, a preference will be given to products and provisions grown and produced within the State of Iowa and to Iowa domestic labor. Failure to submit a fully completed Bidder Status Form with the bid may result in the bid being deemed nonresponsive and rejected.

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 vendors who produce goods or maintain an office in Iowa. Preference may also be given to goods produced in Polk County or to vendors maintaining an office in Polk County. Further, it shall be the policy of Polk County to actively solicit and seek out local vendors of goods and services and to encourage said vendors to stock and supply Iowa-made products.