



MARTIN COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT  
PURCHASING DEPARTMENT

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING**

**ITB#:** 1001-2023-2024  
**ITB NAME:** Enhanced Security Project  
**Purpose:** Mandatory Prebid Meeting

THE PUBLIC IS INVITED TO ATTEND and NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to (F.S.) Section 286.011, Florida Statutes, that Public meetings and records; public inspection; criminal and civil penalties for the aforementioned ITB will be held on:

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2023 @ 10:00AM EASTERN TIME**  
**PURCHASING WAREHOUSE BUILDING #7, 2845 SE DIXIE HIGHWAY, STUART, FL 34997**

and continue until duly adjourned.

A **Mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting** will be held on Wednesday, 10/25/23 at 10:00 AM EST followed by a **Site Visit** at the existing School District Purchasing/Maintenance/Transportation Site located at 2845 SE Dixie Highway, Stuart, FL, 34997. Failure to attend the Mandatory Prebid Meeting shall be cause for disqualification of Bidder's submittal. Bidders must sign the attendance log **prior** to 10:00AM EST, and the attendance log shall act as proof of attendance. Meeting will start promptly at 10:00AM EST. Bidders that arrive after 10:00AM EST will be considered late and shall not be permitted to sign the attendance log. A site visit shall follow the Mandatory Prebid meeting.

**Questions:** The Purchasing Department will receive written requests for clarification and inquiries concerning the meaning or interpretation of this ITB by Wednesday, 11/8/23 by no later than 2:00PM EST. Questions shall be emailed to [bids@martinschools.org](mailto:bids@martinschools.org) with reference to ITB# 1001-2023-2024 in the subject line for faster recognition. Only questions answered by formal written Addenda issued by the MCSD Purchasing Department shall be binding. Oral and other interpretations or clarifications shall be without legal effect.

**F.S. 286.0105 Notices of meetings and hearings must advise that a record is required to appeal** — Each board, commission, or agency of this state or of any political subdivision thereof shall include in the notice of any meeting or hearing, if notice of the meeting or hearing is required, of such board, commission, or agency, conspicuously on such notice, the advice that, if a person decides to appeal any decision made by the board, agency, or commission with respect to any matter considered at such meeting or hearing, he or she will need a record of the proceedings, and that, for such purpose, he or she may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based. The requirements of this section do not apply to the notice provided in F.S. 200.065(3).

**NOTE**

**Public comment:** Prior to the adoption of F.S. 286.0114, Florida courts had determined that F.S. 286.011, provides a right to attend public meetings, but does not provide a right to be heard with the exception of "Board or Commission".

**In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and F.S. 286.26, anyone desiring to attend this public meeting who needs special accommodations should request in writing to [bids@martinschools.org](mailto:bids@martinschools.org) at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting, excluding Saturday and Sunday.**

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MARTIN COUNTY, FLORIDA

Posted: October 18, 2023