

# **CONTRACTOR/BIDDER QUALIFICATIONS RUNNING TRACK AND SYNTHETIC SURFACING CONSTRUCTION**

**General Contractor/Bidder** – The bidder shall be engaged in the construction of All Weather Synthetic (IAAF Certifiable) Running Tracks as a primary business enterprise and shall demonstrate the construction of ten (10) complete running track projects within the last 3 years. It will be required that the bidder/contractor has performed at minimum 60% of the work with his/her own forces. The 10 projects must be submitted on company letterhead and turned in at the time of the bid. Financial statements for the previous three (3) years will be made available upon request. During execution of this project, the bidder shall be required to have a full time employee on staff with a “Certified Track Builder (CTB)” designation as awarded by the American Sports Builder’s Association. A current CTB certificate, for this employee, shall be included with the bid package for this project.

**Asphalt Paving Contractor** – The paving contractor/sub-contractor, shall to the satisfaction of the design professional for this project, demonstrate a proven capability, specifically, in the construction of asphalt pavements for running track surfaces and have been in business, under the present name a minimum of five (5) years from the date of this bid. Upon request, financial statements for the previous five (5) years will be made available upon request.

**All asphalt leveling and asphalt layers are to meet the tolerances of the American Sports Builders Association (ASBA) guidelines and the National Federation of State High School Association (NFSHSA) requirements. It shall be the contractor's responsibility to demonstrate his/her ability to achieve all requirements concerning cross slope, longitudinal slope, planarity and compaction as outlined in these association's manuals.**

**The paving contractor/sub-contractor shall construct all hot mix asphalt layers utilizing an asphalt paver that is equipped with a laser controlled screed board and automatic slope control. The laser level that is used to control this work shall be recently calibrated and certified as to the accuracy of the instrument.**

**The paving contractor/sub-contractor shall demonstrate that he has, satisfactorily, completed at least ten (10) 400-meter running tracks in the past three years, utilizing the laser and slope controls, including certifications for this work. A list of these running tracks must be furnished with the bid package. Upon request, the paving contractor/sub-contractor shall be required to furnish a report, from an independent Professional Engineer or Licensed Surveyor certifying that the installed asphalt meets or exceeds the related guidelines and requirements for asphalt pavements relating to running tracks.**

**Synthetic Surfacing Contractor – The surfacing contractor/sub-contractor, shall to the satisfaction of the design professional for this project, demonstrate a proven capability, specifically, in the installation of All Weather Systems of the scope and type proposed for this project and demonstrate that they have been in business, under the present name, a minimum of five (5) years from the date of this bid. Upon request, financial statements for the five previous years shall be required.**

**The surfacing contractor/sub-contractor shall utilize equipment that is considered “state of the art” including an automatic computerized mixer such as a SMG M6004 or equal. The system installed shall be an IAAF Certified System.**

**Upon request and for evaluation of previous installations, the surfacing contractor/sub-contractor shall furnish the name, owner and contact**

**person for every track surface that they have installed in the three previous years.**

**\*Any statements provided that prove to be false or intentionally misleading shall be grounds for rejection of that contractor/sub-contractor.**

- **Asphalt paving contractor and all weather surfacing contractor must be listed on the list of subcontractor form included with bid proposal as per 18A:18A-1, et.seq.**

**The bidder at the time of the bid must be pre-qualified with the NJ DPMC C008 General Construction and C060 athletic fields/tracks/courts. This form must be turned in at the time of bid.**