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**OGS TO AWARD OVER \$2.6 MILLION IN NEW CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS**  
**Work to Commence in Two New York Counties**

New York State Office of General Services Commissioner John C. Egan today announced the awarding of bids for nine contracts representing more than \$2.6 MILLION in new construction, providing work in two counties of New York.

The contracts are expected to be awarded to the apparent low bidders following the normal process of review and approval by the State Comptroller's Office. All of the low bidders are New York State firms.

The projects and apparent low bidders are described in the following listing by county:

**ALBANY COUNTY**

Construction, electrical, heating and ventilation and plumbing contracts were bid to provide judges chambers, platform level at the Robert Abrams Building for Law and Justice in Albany, NY.

Construction: Hoosick Valley Contractors Inc. of Melrose, NY was the apparent low bidder out of seven firms. The low bid was \$413,850.

Electrical: Farina Electric Inc. of Mechanicville, NY was the apparent low bidder out of nine firms. The low bid was \$110,068.

Heating and Ventilation: Collett Mechanical, Inc. of Latham, NY was the apparent low bidder out of five firms. The low bid was \$94,720.

Plumbing: Tri-Valley Plbg. & Htg. Inc. of Schenectady, NY was the apparent low bidder out of five firms. The low bid was \$12,600.

**ONEIDA COUNTY**

Construction, electrical, heating and ventilation and plumbing contracts were bid to provide first responder training facility at the Oneida County Facility in Oriskany, NY.

Construction: Rich & Gardner Constr. Co., Inc. of Syracuse, NY was the apparent low bidder out of 12 firms. The low bid was \$698,300.

Electrical: Huen New York, Inc. of East Syracuse, NY was the apparent low bidder out of ten firms. The low bid was \$423,500.

Heating and Ventilation: Postler & Jaeckle Corp. of Rochester, NY was the apparent low bidder out of five firms. The low bid was \$498,000.

Plumbing: Postler & Jaeckle Corp. of Rochester, NY was the apparent low bidder out of four firms. The low bid was \$37,000.

A construction contract to provide paving at the State Armory in Utica, NY was bid by three firms. Of those three, Ruston Paving Co Inc. of Syracuse, NY was the apparent low bidder with a bid of \$354,800.

The New York State Office of General Services (OGS) provides a broad range of support services that facilitate the operations of State government, and assists local governments, public authorities, public and private agencies. OGS offers numerous services to clients throughout the Empire State, including property management, design and construction, procurement, and various support services.

The OGS Design and Construction Group provide a full range of architectural, engineering and construction management services to state agencies. *The Empire State Builder* is the Design and Construction Group's public notification that provides information on: construction contracts with plans and specifications currently available for purchase; a listing of plan purchases for contracts to be bid; bid results; future construction contracting opportunities and other relevant OGS contracting notices.

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