Auction Date: Thursday, March 17, 2016

Auction Time: 12:00 noon

Registration Time: 11:00 am

Auction Location: Held at Hilton Garden Inn Livermore 
2801 Constitution Drive, Livermore, CA

Inspection Dates & Times: 
Saturday, March 5 from 2-5pm and 
Wednesday, March 16 from 10am-1pm

Deposit: $50,000 cashier’s check made payable to CWS Marketing Group
Cashier’s checks made payable to bidder’s name CANNOT be accepted

1371 Germano Way, Pleasanton, California 94566

Property Description:
6,795 ± sq. ft. 2-level Mediterranean style home with 5 bedrooms, 4.5 baths, kitchen with breakfast area, living room with fireplace, dining room, family room with fireplace, office, gym, covered patio and balcony, and two attached 2-car garages. The property sits on a 0.64 ± acre lot with golf course views in the gated community of Ruby Hill. Note: HOA documents can be viewed online.

Property Details:
Living Space: 6,795 ± sq. ft.  
Site Area: 0.64 ± acre  
Year Built: 2006  
County: Alameda  
HOA Dues: $215 a month

Utilities: Electricity, Gas, Water, Sewer
Zoning: PUD-A/Planned Unit Development/Low Density Res
Parcel No: 950-29-18
2013-14 Taxes: $22,757.11 ±
TERMS OF SALE FOR PLEASANTON, CA / Sale #16-66-117

GENERAL INFORMATION:
TLC, you are the successful bidder at a U.S. Department of the Treasury auction establishes a legally binding contract between the successful bidder and the Government. The auctioneer’s announcement of the high bid amount and the bidder’s number establishes the contract, which is subject to final acceptance by the Government. This contract is bound by these Terms and Conditions, any Special Terms and Conditions published by the Contractor for the specific auction, 19 CFR Customs Duties Part 162, and all other Federal regulations governing contracts for the purchase of Government property, which may be found at http://www.acquisition.gov/1st/. The successful bidder is legally bound to pay for property awarded in accordance with his/her bid.

CWS, the Contractor, is acting as the agent of the Government with respect to the sale of Government real property at these auctions. The Contractor may videotape the auction and record phone bidding to assist in any future contract resolution actions.

ELIGIBILITY OF BIDDERS:
The Bidder warrants that he/she is not: (a) under 18 years of age; (b) an employee of any department or agency of the Federal Government prohibited by the regulations of that agency from purchasing property sold hereunder; (c) an agent or immediate member of the household of the employee in (b); (d) the Contractor, subcontractor or vendor, or his agent who has access to information concerning the property to be sold at U.S. Department of the Treasury auctions that is not generally available to the public; (e) previously debarred or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency in accordance with 41 CFR 60-4.5; or (f) the party, or agent of the party(s), from whom the property was seized.

The Contractor’s subcontractor may not act as agent for a third party in purchasing U.S. Department of the Treasury real property that is or has been in their custody or control. For breach of this warranty, the Government shall have the right to cancel the contract without liability.

REGISTRATION OF BIDDERS:
Persons wishing to participate in the bidding process of the sale are required to obtain, fill out, and deliver a bidder registration card during the registration process for each sale.

In the event a person is bidding on behalf of another party, an original notarized Power of Attorney must be presented at the time of registration.

Power of Attorney must include the following:
- Indication that the person submitting the power of attorney is not a natural person.
- Indication that the person submitting the power of attorney is not a resident of the state in which the property is located.
- Indication that the person submitting the power of attorney is not a U.S. citizen.
- Description of the property for which the power of attorney is being submitted.
- Signature of the person submitting the power of attorney.
- Notarization of the power of attorney by a notary public.

If you are planning to bid in the name of a corporation, business, or LLC, you must have the appropriate official documentation to show proof of eligibility to bid on behalf of that corporation, business, or LLC.

An individual’s signature on the bidder registration card is an acknowledgment of his/her full and complete understanding of all Terms and Conditions and his/her agreement to be bound thereunder. Therefore, bidders are cautioned to carefully read all applicable Terms and Conditions contained in this document and the sales flyer/brochure. These changes take precedence over previous sales flyer/brochure information pertinent to that property, but do not alter in any way the basic Terms and Conditions of sale. Further, no interpretation of any provision of the sales contract, including applicable performance requirements, shall be binding on the Government unless furnished to and agreed upon, in writing, by the Contracting Officer or his/her designee representative.

REAL PROPERTY DESCRIPTIONS:
The bidder understands and agrees that the property is offered, purchased, and accepted by the buyer “AS IS” and “WITH ALL FAULTS.” The Government and its agent make no warranties or guarantees whatsoever whether written, oral, or implied as to quality, condition, or suitability.

All information contained in the sales flyer was derived from sources believed to be correct, but there is no guarantee. Buyer acknowledges that he/she relied entirely on his/her own information, judgment, and inspection of the property.

If a legal misrepresentation is determined before the final closing on the property, the Government reserves the right to cancel the sale and refund any earnest/deposit money paid.

OFFERING OF PROPERTY FOR AUCTION AND SUBMISSION OF BIDS:
Once the Government accepts a bid, a final written sales contract will be prepared to include the individual information of the high bidder along with the accepted bid amount. A contract may also be conditionally established with the recognized back-up bidder for execution if the high bidder defaults for any reason or is rejected by the Government.

In the event of a dispute as to final bid amount, the Government reserves the right to review the video and audio tape of the auction for clarification or to re-offer the property in question.

BIDDING:
Written bids may be submitted in person, by registered mail, or by overnight delivery service if the bidder is unable to attend the auction. The appropriate deposit per property by cashier’s/certified check only, must accompany your written bid. The cashier’s check deposit must be made payable to: CWS Marketing Group, Inc.

Written bids for the property must be received no later than March 16, 2016 at the following address: CWS, U.S. Department of the Treasury, Seized Real Property Support, CWS, 10611 Balls Ford Road, Suite 140, Manassas VA, 20109, Attn: Real Property Sales.

Unsuccessful written bidders’ deposits will be sent to the bidders by certified mail or overnight delivery service within five (5) business days after the sale.

CONSIDERATION OF BIDS:
The Government reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to waive any technical defects in bids. Property is sold with a minimum deposit of $50,000 earnest money deposit. Personal or business checks made payable to the bidder’s name CANNOT be accepted. Cashier’s checks made payable to the bidder’s name CANNOT be accepted.

BACK-UP BIDDER:
The back-up bidder’s earnest money deposit will be returned by certified mail or overnight delivery service within three (3) business days after receiving total earnest money deposit from the high bidder.

In the event earnest money is not received from the high bidder within the time period specified, the back-up bidder will become the high bidder at the Purchase Price stated in the back-up bid contract. The back-up bidder is obligated to transmit earnest money as stated above within three (3) business days of notification. The foreclosing liquidated damages provision shall apply to the back-up bidder.

INSPECTION OF PROPERTY:
The bidder is invited, urged, and cautioned to inspect the property in question prior to submitting a written bid. Failure to inspect property shall not constitute cause for cancellation of sale. Property will be available for inspection at the times specified by the Contractor. Absolutely no access to property is allowed without prior Contractor authorization. At their own expense, potential bidders may have property inspectors examine the property during regularly scheduled open houses.

LEAD-BASED PAINT:
(For properties built before 1978): Disclosure of Information on Lead-Based Paint and Lead-Based Paint Hazards and the EPA pamphlet “Protect Your Family from Lead in Your Home” may be obtained by calling 1-800-424-LEAD or visiting http://www.epa.gov/lead. Buyer acknowledges responsibility for all costs associated with the abatement and remediation of any disclosed or potential hazards associated with the property.

ORAL STATEMENTS AND MODIFICATIONS:
Changes may be made on the day of the sale to the property status or descriptions in the sales flyer/brochure. These changes take precedence over previous sales flyer/brochure information pertinent to that property, but do not alter in any way the basic Terms and Conditions of sale. Further, no interpretation of any provision of the sales contract, including applicable performance requirements, shall be binding on the Government unless furnished to and agreed upon, in writing, by the Contracting Officer or his/her designated representative.

GOVERNMENT DEED:
Clear title will be conveyed via a Government deed. Liens and other encumbrances will be paid by the Government. Title insurance is available at Buyer’s expense.

DEFAULTS:
Failure to make required deposit or final payments and/or comply with the time frames specified in the sales flyer/brochure shall be deemed default of the high bidder and may result in cancellation of the contract and forfeiture of any rights, title, and interest the Buyer may have acquired. In that case, title of the property will remain with the Government and will result in the forfeiture of the deposit. If the default occurs because of failure to make the required deposit, the Buyer shall be liable to the Government for liquidated damages in the amount of that deposit.

PROPERTY OFFERED FOR SALE BY IRS-CI, ICE AND SECRET SERVICE:
In accordance with 18 USC Section 1963(f) and 21 USC Section 853(b) of the Comprehensive Crime Control Act of 1984 and Department of the Treasury Policy, forfeited (real) property will not be sold to the defendant or person(s) acting as his/her agent. A real property sales contract may be cancelled by the Government in compliance with the above statutes or policy.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:
Visit our website at www.treasury.gov/auctions/treasury/fp/ If you do not have Internet access, or have further questions, you may also call our Public Auction Line at (703) 727-7373 or fax to (571) 297-4153.