

DATE: September 22, 2009

**“Subcontractor Summits”  
Planned for New Independence  
Elementary School Construction  
September 30, 2009**

Nabholz Construction Services, the construction management firm representing Independence USD 446 on its planned school construction and renovations projects, will host several “Subcontractor Summits” on Wednesday, September 30, to outline the bidding process for the new elementary school planned near 13<sup>th</sup> and Mulberry streets in Independence.

All of next Wednesday’s subcontractor meetings will be held at Riley Resource Center, 1201 N. 10th Street, Independence, Kan., with the first session planned for 10:00 a.m. Additional meetings will be scheduled throughout the day, based on the number of reservations received.

To reserve a meeting time, subcontractors should contact Jeff Gattis, Project Manager with Nabholz Construction Services, telephone (479) 636-5380.

These small group meetings will be structured to provide subcontractors with more in-depth information on the bidding schedule, bidding procedures, bidding scopes and other construction issues. Subcontractors who are interested in learning more about the new school construction project are encouraged to attend one of the September 30 meetings.

In addition, individuals who are interested in learning how they can be a part of the new school building project should plan to attend a special 5:15 p.m. meeting on Wednesday at Riley Resource Center. Designed especially for individuals interested in construction work, the informational meeting will focus on the time line for proposed construction and employment opportunities that may be available through subcontractors.

For more information, please call the Independence USD 446 Board of Education Office at (620) 332-1800.