

SOLICITATION INFORMATION

September 19, 2011

RFQ #7449040

**TITLE: INSTALLATION OF NEW FIRE PROTECTION
ADOLPH MEYER BUILDING #50**

CLOSING DATE AND TIME: 10/18/11 AT 2:00 PM

PRE-BID/ PROPOSAL CONFERENCE: YES	DATE: 10/4/11 TIME: 1:00 PM
MANDATORY: YES	
LOCATION: ADOLPH MEYER BUILDING #50 MEET AT FRONT ENTRANCE 54 HOWARD AVENUE NEWPORT, RI	

<p>Questions concerning this solicitation must be received by the Division of Purchases at: construction@purchasing.ri.gov no later than 10/7/11 at 12:00 Noon (ET). Questions should be submitted in a Microsoft Word attachment. Please reference the RFQ # on all correspondence. Questions received, if any, will be posted on the Internet as an addendum to this solicitation. It is the responsibility of all interested parties to download this information.</p>

SURETY REQUIRED: YES
BOND REQUIRED: YES

JOHN O'HARA II
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Vendors register on-line at the State Purchasing Website at www.purchasing.ri.gov to be able to download a Bidder Certification Cover Form.

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SECTION 00100 - INVITATION TO BID:

BID # 7449040

**INSTALLATION OF NEW FIRE PROTECTION / SPRINKLER SYSTEM
Adolph Meyer Building #50**

54 Howard Avenue
Cranston, Rhode Island

Owner:

State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations
Pastore Center

Issued By:

Rhode Island Department of Administration
Facilities Management Department
1 Capitol Hill
Providence, Rhode Island 02903

Attn: Mr Jonathan D DePault
Chief of Inspections

Designer of Record:

Wilkinson Associates Inc
Consulting Engineers
615 Jefferson Boulevard
Warwick, Rhode Island 02886

You are invited to bid on a general project contract for:

Fire Protection Sprinkler System Installation, including associated demolition, cutting and patching, general renovation, drywall construction, and related electrical work. The work is as described within the contract documents.

All bids shall be irrevocable, after they are received and opened, and not subject to withdrawal for any cause whatsoever for a period of ninety (90) days after receipt of bids. Acceptance shall be by mail in the form of a letter and/or properly signed purchase order and is effective upon mailing of such notice.

All bids shall be signed by the proper and authorized representative of the bidding party or company and shall contain no alterations or erasures.

The Owner representative shall be:

Mr Jonathan D DePault
Chief of Inspections
RI Department of Administration
Division of Facilities Management
One Capitol Hill
Providence, Rhode Island

The Owners representative will receive bids until:

Date: 10/18/11

Time: 2:00 PM

Bids shall not contain any recapitulation or breakdown of work to be done, unless specifically requested

The bid shall clearly and conspicuously state any assumption or modification from the contract documents, that the bidder feels necessary, and include an explanation thereof.

Should a bidder discover discrepancies, omissions, or ambiguities in the contract documents or supporting documents, he should notify WILKINSON ASSOCIATES INC at once; and it will send written instructions and/or corrections to all bidders. All bidders should carefully examine complete contract documents and supporting documents, before submitting any bid, so as to fully and completely inform themselves as to all existing conditions, limitations and requirements

MANDATORY
A pre-Bid conference will be held at the site:

Date: 10/4/11

Time: 1:00 PM

The Adolph Meyer Building #50 (54 Howard Avenue)
The Pastore Center
Cranston, Rhode Island

All bids must contain the number of calendar days required for the performance of the work or the delivery of goods on which his bid or proposal is based.

Contract plans and specifications may be examined at the office of the Engineer, WILKINSON ASSOCIATES INC, on weekdays between the hours of 10 AM and 4 PM at 615 Jefferson Boulevard, Warwick, Rhode Island.

Copies of the contract plans and specifications may be examined at the office of the Engineer.

Bidders are required to provide Bid Security in the form of a Bid Bond, or a certified check payable to the State of Rhode Island, in the amount of a sum not less than five percent (5%) of the Bid Price

Refer to other Bidding requirements described in Instructions to Bidders of the bid documents

Bidders' attention is referred to State Requirements pertaining to conditions of employment to be observed, including the requirement that ten percent (10%) of the dollar value of the work be performed by Minority Business Enterprises, and wage rates to be paid under the Contract for this project, as on file in the Rhode Island Department of Labor, Office of the Director. Bidders are subject to terms, conditions and provisions of Chapters 2, 12, 13 and 14 1 of Title 37, General Laws of the State of Rhode Island 1956, as amended

The State of Rhode Island reserves the right to reject any or all bids or bidders, for whatever reason it deems appropriate.

Hearing impaired persons may obtain interpreter assistance by calling (401) 277-2317, a minimum of 48 hour prior to bid date

END OF SECTION 00100