



## INVITATION TO BID

**SOLICITATION TITLE: Landscape Maintenance – University of Rhode Island**

**SOLICITATION NUMBER: 7548668**

**BID PROPOSAL SUBMISSION DEADLINE: May 19, 2014 at 10:30 AM**

**PRE-BID CONFERENCE: NONE**

NONMANDATORY

**MANDATORY** → Bidder must attend the mandatory prebid conference. The bidder's representative must register with the Division of Purchases at the mandatory prebid conference and identify the bidder he or she represents.

Location:

Date:

Time:

**QUESTIONS** about this solicitation must be emailed and received by the Division of Purchases at [gary.mosca@purchasing.ri.gov](mailto:gary.mosca@purchasing.ri.gov) no later than Friday, May 02, 2014, 3:00 PM, in a Microsoft Word attachment with the corresponding solicitation number. Questions, if any, and responses will be posted on the Division of Purchases website at [www.purchasing.ri.gov](http://www.purchasing.ri.gov) as an addendum to this solicitation

**BID BOND REQUIRED:**  NO  
 YES

**PAYMENT AND PERFORMANCE BOND REQUIRED:**  NO  
 YES

**SPECIFICATIONS AND PLANS:**  YES  
 YES → See Electronic Solicitation Bidding Information.  
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**BIDDER CERTIFICATION COVER FORM:** Bidders must download (obtainable at [www.purchasing.ri.gov](http://www.purchasing.ri.gov)), complete, and submit a Bidder Certification Cover Form with each bid proposal.

The State of Rhode Island Department of Administration, through its Division of Purchases (the “State”), is soliciting bid proposals to perform the work described in the plans and specifications dated April 22, 2014 for the Project in accordance with this solicitation.

Bidders are invited to submit bid proposals to the State by the bid proposal submission deadline.

This solicitation contains, and is subject to the terms and conditions of the Invitation to Bid, Instructions to Bidders, Bid Preparation Checklist (with applicable forms), Agreement, General Conditions, any Supplemental Conditions, Specifications and Plans, Bidder Certification Cover Form, and Bid Form. The solicitation is available at [www.purchasing.ri.gov](http://www.purchasing.ri.gov).

The award of the contract pursuant to this solicitation will be made to the responsive and responsible bidder with the lowest bid price. *The State reserves the right to waive any technicalities in the bid proposals, accept or reject any bid proposal, award a contract in the best interest of the State, or revoke any solicitation.*

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### Electronic Solicitation Bidding Information

#### **Downloading and Accessing Additional Electronic Solicitation Files**

Accessing electronic files on the purchasing website will require Adobe viewer. All bid solicitations that include a "D" in the "Info" column will require WinZip 8.1 software. The WinZip file may contain one or more files. These files may require additional software such as Microsoft Office.

Specifications that have a file for download are marked with a "D" in the "Info" field of the bid search results page located on the Purchasing website. The "D" will indicate an active link to the WinZip file until the bid reaches its opening date. Clicking on the active "D" link will allow you to open or save the WinZip file associated with the bid. Opening the WinZip file will offer you the option of saving to your local computer.

Once saved, you can open the WinZip file and view the files. The individual files can be saved to your computer in a location such as "Desktop" or "My Documents".

**Buyer Name: Gary P. Mosca, Title: Senior Buyer**



State of Rhode Island Department of Administration  
Division of Purchases

REVISED  
November 20, 2013

**NOTICE TO VENDORS**

Each bid proposal for a *public works project* must include a "public copy" to be available for public inspection upon the opening of bids. **Bid proposals that do not include a copy for public inspection will be deemed nonresponsive.**

The public copy must be submitted in .pdf (portable document file) format on a *read-only* CD-R media disc. The disc must include *all of the documents* submitted in response to the solicitation concatenated or merged into one file. The file must be named in the following manner:

BidNumber\_DateofBid\_VendorName\_VendorID.pdf

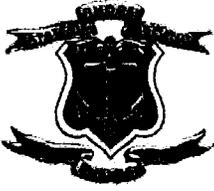
The Bidder Certification Cover Form contains all of the information for the file name. The date of bid must appear as mm-dd-yyyy. The vendor name must appear as one word, with no spaces or punctuation. Underscores must separate the fields.

*Example:* 7543210\_11-08-2013\_OceanStateCompanyInc\_9867.pdf

The public copy disc must be separately enclosed in a protective cover clearly marked "Public Copy" and include the following information (all available from the Bidder Certification Cover Form): (1) title of solicitation; (2) name of bidder and RIVIP vendor ID number; (3) bid number; and (4) date of bid.

The public copy may redact any trade secrets or commercial or financial information which is of a privileged or confidential nature pursuant to the "Access to Public Records Act," R. I. Gen. Laws §§ 38-2-1 *et seq.*

For further information on how to comply with this statutory requirement, see R. I. Gen. Laws §§ 37-2-18(b) and (j). Also see Procurement Regulation 5.11 accessible at [www.purchasing.ri.gov](http://www.purchasing.ri.gov)



# Request for Quote

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS  
ONE CAPITOL HILL  
PROVIDENCE RI 02908

CREATION DATE : 15-APR-14  
BID NUMBER: **7548668**  
TITLE: LANDSCAPE MAINTENANCE - UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND

BLANKET START : 01-JUL-14  
BLANKET END : 30-JUN-17  
BID CLOSING DATE AND TIME: 19-MAY-2014 10:30:00

BUYER: Mosca, Gary  
PHONE #: 401-574-8124

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Requisition Number: 1353418

Note to Bidders: Questions concerning this solicitation may be emailed to [gary.mosca@purchasing.ri.gov](mailto:gary.mosca@purchasing.ri.gov) no later than 5/02/14 @ 3:00 PM (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.

Line	Description	Quantity	Unit	Unit Price	Total
1	BLANKET REQUIREMENTS: 7/1/14 - 6/30/17 Complete and submit pricing on sheet labled ATTACHMENT "A" Landscape Maintenance, University of Rhode Island per the attached specifications.	1.00	Each		

Delivery: \_\_\_\_\_

Terms of Payment: \_\_\_\_\_

It is the Vendor's responsibility to check and download any and all addenda from the RIVIP. This offer may not be considered unless a signed RIVIP generated Bidder Certification Cover Form is attached and the Unit Price column is completed. The signed Certification Cover Form must be attached to the front of the offer

**GROUP PURCHASING ORGANIZATIONS (GPO):**

**THE UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND IS A MEMBER OF THE FOLLOWING:**

- 1) Educational & Institutional Cooperative Purchasing (E&I)
- 2) Provista

IF THIS IS A MULTI-YEAR BID/CONTRACT. CONTINUATION OF THE CONTRACT BEYOND THE INITIAL FISCAL YEAR WILL BE AT THE DISCRETION OF THE UNIVERSITY. TERMINATION MAY BE EFFECTED BY THE UNIVERSITY BASED UPON DETERMINING FACTORS SUCH AS UNSATISFACTORY PERFORMANCE OR THE DETERMINATION BY THE UNIVERSITY TO DISCONTINUE THE GOODS/SERVICES, OR TO REVISE THE SCOPE AND NEED FOR THE TYPE OF GOODS/SERVICES; ALSO MANAGEMENT OWNER DETERMINATIONS THAT MAY PRECLUDE THE NEED FOR GOODS/ SERVICES AND SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS.

DELIVERY AS REQUESTED

BLANKET REQUIREMENTS: 07/01/14 - 6/30/17

**Scope of Work:** Provide all materials, equipment, tools and labor to maintain and install selected shrub beds, perennial plantings, lawns, pavements, installation of pea gravel & Landscape edging as directed, and tree wells at locations specified by the Owner. The Contractor shall provide maintenance services at locations as requested by Owner. In addition, Contractor may provide landscape services such as sodding, seeding, mulching, planting, weeding, raking, invasive plant removal, building stone walls, site preparation, and small landscape projects, as directed.

**Description Of Work:** General Maintenance shall include the following (but not limited to): litter removal, leaf removal, weed removal, pre-emergence and post emergence weed control application, planting, installation of mulch (to be supplied by Owner), selective pruning, shearing and trimming of shrubs, insect and disease control applications, as requested, straightening trees and re-tying guys and supports, in accordance with ANSI standards. General cleanup of the adjacent pavement and lawns where debris may have spilled from maintenance activities. Landscape services may include preparing: shrub beds, lawn areas and planting sites for the installation of shrubs, trees, groundcovers, seed, sod, and other site amenities; removal of invasive plant material and application of herbicides to eradicate weeds, application of insecticides, fungicides, constructing pathways and walkways, constructing walls using rock boulders or block material, raising/lowering catch basins on landscape areas; grading for drainage control, and installing underground drainage structures.

**Labor Requirements:** The vendor shall charge hourly labor rates based on two different category levels; Foreman and Laborer. In addition, some work performed shall be considered public works construction per RI General Laws 37-13-1, and therefore the awarded vendor shall be required to pay his/her employees the applicable prevailing wage rates. The vendor shall bid additional labor rates for Foreman, Laborer, Equipment Operator and Truck Driver to account for hourly labor to be paid at the prevailing wage. Equipment Operator and Truck Driver labor rates shall only apply when the work performed requires operation of the listed Large Equipment items and the work performed pertains to public works construction per RI General Laws 37-13-1. The line-items in the bid section below designate categories for labor and prevailing wage requirements. There shall be only one Foreman supervising and working with six or fewer Laborers or other trades at the same job site on campus. The vendor shall employ at least one employee having a valid Rhode Island commercial pesticide applicator's license to be present at the work site during all herbicide/pesticide applications, **a copy of applicator's license must be upon notice of tentative award of this contract, and before start of work on Campus.** While doing any tree work or pruning on campus, any workers must have a valid Rhode Island Arborist License, **a copy of Arborist license must be submitted upon notice of tentative award of this contract, and before start of work on Campus.** Any operator of equipment on site shall hold the necessary valid Rhode Island CDL and/or Hoisting licences while working on Campus, **a copy of the CDL and Hoisting licenses must be submitted upon notice of tentative award of this contract, and before start of work on Campus.**

**Small Equipment Requirements** - The vendor shall be well equipped with standard tools of a landscape maintenance contractor, including but not limited to: shovels, rakes, hand tools, trimmers, brooms, blowers, Arbortape, and other small engine power landscape tools, including gas and other incidentals. The vendor shall not charge separately for use of these tools. All such expenses shall be included in the vendor's hourly (human) labor rate (Bid Items below), EXCEPT for Large Equipment Items (see bid Items below).

**Large Equipment Requirements:** To qualify, the vendor shall have 24 hour access to the following equipmet listed after this paragraph. The mini excavator, skid steer, tractor, dump truck and trailer shall be bid inclusively on a cost per day charge. The backhoe shall be bid seperately on a cost per hour charge. Labor costs to operate Large Equipment shall be charged under the seperate labor rate bid categories. These equipment items include, but are not limited to the following:

- Mini Excavator (must be capable of digging and grading areas)
- Skid Steer Loader
- Tractor w/ front end loader, 1 yard bucket
- Dump Truck - 6-8 yard capacity or greater
- Trailer to haul materials and equipment
- Backhoe (minimum requirement 90 h.p. w/ 1.5 yd bucket)

**Spring and Summer Cleanup** of shrub beds and tree wells shall include removal of leaves, litter, invasive plant material, weeds and other debris from all selected sites. Debris shall be removed from plant beds, under and in existing plant materials, treewells, in window area-ways, in beds containing stone, wood, mulch, gravel or cobbles. Remove excessive mulch from around shrubs or plants where requested by Owner. No "Volcano" Mulching at trees allowed. Remove excessive mulch that may be covering tree root flare (remove or repair Volcano Mulching) Campus-wide as directed. Apply non-selective and preemergent herbicides such as glyphosate directed (to be supplied by owner) to shrub beds and tree wells. This item of work will be bid on a square foot quantity for each year of the contract (see bid items below).

**FIRST TERM - 07/01/2014 - 06/30/2015**

1	Labor Rate - FOREMAN (NON Prevailing Wage), see "Labor Requirements" above	500	Hours	\$	\$
2	Labor Rate - FOREMAN (Prevailing Wage), see "Labor Requirements" above	100	Hours	\$	\$
3	Labor Rate - LABORER (NON Prevailing Wage), see "Labor Requirements" above	1000	Hours	\$	\$
4	Labor Rate - LABORER (Prevailing Wage), see "Labor Requirements" above	200	Hours	\$	\$
5	Labor Rate - Bricklayer (Prevailing Wage)	10	Hours	\$	\$
6	Labor Rate - Master Plumber (Prevailing Wage)	40	Hours	\$	\$
7	Labor Rate - EQUIPMENT OPERATOR (Prevailing Wage) see "Labor	50	Hours	\$	\$
8	Labor Rate - TRUCK DRIVER (Prevailing Wage) see "Labor Requirements" above	50	Hours	\$	\$

Required Equipment: Please provide a price per equipment type/per the individual time periods specified. For the purposes of evaluating the bid, an extended bid price for the mini excavator at 15 days and the backhoe at 1 hour will be used as a sample pricing.

9	Mini Excavator (must be capable of digging and grading areas)	15	Days	\$	\$
	- price per hour \$ _____				
	- price per day \$ _____				
	Skid Steer Loader				
	- price per hour \$ _____				
	- price per day \$ _____				
	Tractor w/ front end loader, 1 yard bucket				
	- price per hour \$ _____				
	- price per day \$ _____				
	Dump Truck - 6-8 yard capacity or greater				
	- price per hour \$ _____				
	- price per day \$ _____				
	Trailer to haul materials and equipment				
	- price per hour \$ _____				

ATTACHMENT "A"	DESCRIPTION	QTY	UOM	UNIT PRICE	EXTENDED PRICE
	- price per day \$ _____				
10	Backhoe (minimum requirement 90 h.p. w/ 1.5 yd bucket)	1	Hours	\$ _____	\$ _____
	- price per hour \$ _____				
	- price per day \$ _____				
11	Spring and Summer Cleanup - cost per square foot	50,000	Sq, Feet	\$ _____	\$ _____

**SECOND TERM - 07/01/2015 - 06/30/2016**

12	Labor Rate - FOREMAN (NON Prevailing Wage), see "Labor Requirements" above	500	Hours	\$ _____	\$ _____
13	Labor Rate - FOREMAN (Prevailing Wage), see "Labor Requirements" above	100	Hours	\$ _____	\$ _____
14	Labor Rate - LABORER (NON Prevailing Wage), see "Labor Requirements" above	1000	Hours	\$ _____	\$ _____
15	Labor Rate - LABORER (Prevailing Wage), see "Labor Requirements" above	200	Hours	\$ _____	\$ _____
16	Labor Rate - Bricklayer (Prevailing Wage)	10	Hours	\$ _____	\$ _____
17	Labor Rate - Master Plumber (Prevailing Wage)	4	Hours	\$ _____	\$ _____
18	Labor Rate - EQUIPMENT OPERATOR (Prevailing Wage) see "Labor	50	Hours	\$ _____	\$ _____
19	Labor Rate - TRUCK DRIVER (Prevailing Wage) see "Labor Requirements" above	50	Hours	\$ _____	\$ _____

Required Equipment: Please provide a price per equipment type/per the individual time periods specified.  
 For the purposes of evaluating the bid, an extended bid price for the mini excavator at 15 days and the backhoe at 1 hour will be used as a sample pricing.

20	Mini Excavator (must be capable of digging and grading areas)	15	Days	\$ _____	\$ _____
	- price per hour \$ _____				
	- price per day \$ _____				
	Skid Steer Loader				
	- price per hour \$ _____				
	- price per day \$ _____				
	Tractor w/ front end loader, 1 yard bucket				
	- price per hour \$ _____				
	- price per day \$ _____				
	Dump Truck - 6-8 yard capacity or greater				
	- price per hour \$ _____				
	- price per day \$ _____				
	Trailer to haul materials and equipment				
	- price per hour \$ _____				
	- price per day \$ _____				
21	Backhoe (minimum requirement 90 h.p. w/ 1.5 yd bucket)	1	Hours	\$ _____	\$ _____
	- price per hour \$ _____				
	- price per day \$ _____				
22	Spring and Summer Cleanup - cost per square foot	50,000	Sq, Feet	\$ _____	\$ _____

**THIRD TERM - 07/01/2016 - 06/30/2017**

23	Labor Rate - FOREMAN (NON Prevailing Wage), see "Labor Requirements" above	500	Hours	\$ _____	\$ _____
24	Labor Rate - FOREMAN (Prevailing Wage), see "Labor Requirements" above	100	Hours	\$ _____	\$ _____
25	Labor Rate - LABORER (NON Prevailing Wage), see "Labor Requirements" above	1000	Hours	\$ _____	\$ _____
26	Labor Rate - LABORER (Prevailing Wage), see "Labor Requirements" above	200	Hours	\$ _____	\$ _____
27	Labor Rate - Bricklayer (Prevailing Wage)	10	Hours	\$ _____	\$ _____
28	Labor Rate - Master Plumber (Prevailing Wage)	4	Hours	\$ _____	\$ _____
29	Labor Rate - EQUIPMENT OPERATOR (Prevailing Wage) see "Labor	50	Hours	\$ _____	\$ _____
30	Labor Rate - TRUCK DRIVER (Prevailing Wage) see "Labor Requirements" above	50	Hours	\$ _____	\$ _____

Required Equipment: Please provide a price per equipment type/per the individual time periods specified.  
 For the purposes of evaluating the bid, an extended bid price for the mini excavator at 15 days and the backhoe at 1 hour will be used as a sample pricing.

31	Mini Excavator (must be capable of digging and grading areas)	15	Days	\$ _____	\$ _____
	- price per hour \$ _____				
	- price per day \$ _____				
	Skid Steer Loader				
	- price per hour \$ _____				
	- price per day \$ _____				
	Tractor w/ front end loader, 1 yard bucket				

ATTACHMENT "A"	DESCRIPTION	QTY	UOM	UNIT PRICE	EXTENDED PRICE
	- price per hour			\$ _____	
	- price per day			\$ _____	
	Dump Truck - 6-8 yard capacity or greater				
	- price per hour			\$ _____	
	- price per day			\$ _____	
	Trailer to haul materials and equipment				
	- price per hour			\$ _____	
	- price per day			\$ _____	
32	Backhoe (minimum requirement 90 h.p. w/ 1.5 yd bucket)	1	Hours	\$ _____	\$ _____
	- price per hour			\$ _____	
	- price per day			\$ _____	
33	Spring and Summer Cleanup - cost per square foot	50,000	Sq, Feet	\$ _____	\$ _____



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

Department of Administration  
DIVISION OF PURCHASES  
One Capitol Hill  
Providence, RI 02908-5855

Tel: (401) 574-8100  
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Website: [www.purchasing.ri.gov](http://www.purchasing.ri.gov)

**DIVISION OF PURCHASES  
PUBLIC WORKS BID CLAUSES  
(FOR SERVICE BIDS)**

**Offer to Contract**

All bid proposals are subject to and constitute an offer to contract with the State of Rhode Island through the Division of Purchases on the terms and conditions contained in this solicitation, any addenda, applicable federal and municipal law, and the laws of the State of Rhode Island, including all procurement statutes and regulations (available at [www.purchasing.ri.gov](http://www.purchasing.ri.gov)), all of which are incorporated by this reference into any contract awarded pursuant to this solicitation.

**The terms and conditions in these Division of Purchases Public Works Bid Clauses supersede any and all inconsistent or conflicting terms and conditions in any other provision of any other document in this solicitation and shall govern this solicitation and the award of any contract pursuant to this solicitation.**

**Noncompliance**

Bidders must comply with all requirements. Any failure to comply may result, at the discretion of the State Purchasing Agent, in the disqualification of the bid proposal.

Failure of the successful bidder to comply with the terms and conditions of the contract awarded pursuant to this solicitation may result in nonpayment, termination of the contract, suspension or debarment of the bidder, or any other necessary or appropriate remedy in the sole discretion of the State Purchasing Agent.

## **Addenda**

Bidders are responsible for checking for addenda, all of which become incorporated into this solicitation upon posting on the Division of Purchases website at [www.purchasing.ri.gov](http://www.purchasing.ri.gov). No addenda will be posted within the 5-day period preceding the submission date for bid proposals.

## **Apprenticeship**

The successful bidder must employ apprentices on this project (if the value of the project is at least \$1 Million) in accordance with the apprentice to journeyman ratio for each trade approved by the State Apprenticeship Council. Specific information is available at [www.dlt.ri.gov/apprenticeship](http://www.dlt.ri.gov/apprenticeship).

## **Award**

The State Purchasing Agent, in his or her sole discretion, will award the contract pursuant to this solicitation to the responsive and responsible bidder who submits the lowest responsive and responsible bid. A binding contract between the State of Rhode Island and the successful bidder will be formed only by the issuance of a Purchase Order by the Division of Purchases.

## **Bid Proposal Submission**

Each bid proposal (a complete package, with the signed Bidder Certification Cover Form) must be submitted in a *separate sealed envelope* with the specific "Bid Number" and the "Submission Date and Time" marked in the upper left-hand corner of the envelope.

The bid proposal must be delivered to the Division of Purchases (via mail or messenger service) by the date and time specified for the submission of bid proposals. Bidders should allow at least one hour additional time for parking and clearance through security checkpoints when delivering a bid proposal in person or by messenger. Bids must be addressed to:

Rhode Island Department of Administration  
Division of Purchases  
One Capitol Hill, Second Floor  
Providence, RI 02908-5855

Bid proposals that are not present in the Division of Purchases at the date and time specified for the submission of bid proposals for whatever reason will be deemed late and will not be considered. The submission time will be determined by the time clock in the Division of Purchases. Postmarks will not be considered proof of timely submission.

### **Contractors Registration**

The bidder must have and maintain a valid certificate of registration issued by the Contractors' Registration Board throughout the term of the contract awarded pursuant to this solicitation and ensure that its subcontractors, unless exempt from registration, also obtain and maintain valid certificates of registration.

### **Divestiture of Investments in Iran Requirement**

No bidder engaged in investment activities in Iran as described in R.I. Gen. Laws §37-2.5-2(b) may submit a bid proposal to, or renew a contract with, the Division of Purchases. Each bidder submitting a bid proposal or entering into a renewal of a contract is required to certify that the bidder does not appear on the list maintained by the General Treasurer pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws § 37-2.5-3.

### **Domestic Steel**

Any steel products required by the plans and specifications in this solicitation must be fabricated or processed from steel made in the United States.

### **Equal Opportunity**

The successful bidder must demonstrate a commitment to equal opportunity and submit an affirmative action plan for review by the State Equal Opportunity Office.

### **Foreign Corporations**

No foreign corporation may transact business in the State of Rhode Island until it shall have obtained a Certificate of Authority from the Rhode Island Secretary of State. The successful bidder will be required to provide a Good Standing Certificate issued by the Rhode Island Secretary of State within the 10-day period following the tentative letter of award.

### **Inspection**

The bidder is responsible for carefully reviewing all of the requirements of this solicitation, inspecting the project site, including (without limitation) checking and/or verifying measurements, site conditions, any limitations, and other details, prior to preparing and submitting its bid proposal.

**Insurance**

The successful bidder must submit a certificate of insurance that references the solicitation number and names the State of Rhode Island as “certificate holder” and as “additional insured” upon the issuance of the tentative letter of award, on an annual basis during the term of the contract awarded pursuant to this solicitation, and from time to time upon request. The certificate of insurance must state that 20 days’ advance notice of cancellation will be sent to: Rhode Island Department of Administration, Division of Purchases, One Capitol Hill, Providence, Rhode Island 02908-5855, fax # 401-574-8387, and provide evidence of the following specific types and amounts of insurance:

<b><u>Type of Insurance</u></b>	<b><u>Amount of Coverage</u></b>
Comprehensive General Liability	
Bodily injury	\$1 Million each occurrence \$1 Million annual aggregate
Property damage	\$500,000 each occurrence \$500,000 annual aggregate
Independent contractors Contractual (including construction “hold harmless” and other types of Contracts or agreements in effect for insured operations) Completed operations Personal injury (with employee exclusion deleted)	
Automobile Liability	
Combined Single Limit	\$1 Million each occurrence
Bodily injury, property damage, including non owned and/or hired vehicles and equipment	
Workers Compensation	
Coverage B	\$100,000

The State Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept alternate forms and plans of insurance and/or to required additional or more extensive coverage.

## **Licenses**

The successful bidder and anyone performing any work on the contract awarded pursuant to this solicitation must possess all of the licenses required by any governmental authority to perform such work.

## **Minority Business Enterprises**

Respondents should be aware of all applicable MBE requirements, as set forth in R. I. Gen. Law § 37-14.1-1, et seq. The State's goal is for a minimum ten per cent (10%) participation by MBE's in all State procurements. For further information, contact the State MBE Administrator at (401) 574-8253 or [charles.newton@doa.ri.gov](mailto:charles.newton@doa.ri.gov), Visit the website <http://www.mbe.ri.gov/>

## **Occupational Safety**

The successful bidder must ensure (if the total project cost is at least \$100,000) that all employees at the project site possess a card issued by the United States Department of Labor certifying successful completion of an OSHA ten (10) hour construction safety program.

## **Payment and Performance Bonds**

The successful bidder must furnish a 100% payment and performance bond from a surety licensed to conduct business in the State of Rhode Island upon the tentative award of the contract.

## **Prebid Conference**

Bidders must attend a mandatory prebid conference and are encouraged to attend a nonmandatory prebid conference. The bidder's representative must register with the Division of Purchases at the mandatory prebid conference and identify the bidder he or she represents.

## **Public Copy**

Each bid proposal must include a "public copy" to be available for public inspection upon the opening of bids. For further information on how to comply with this statutory requirement, see R. I. Gen. Laws § 37-2-18(b), Procurement Regulation 5.11, and in addition, for highway and bridge projects, also see Procurement Regulation 5.13, accessible at [www.purchasing.ri.gov](http://www.purchasing.ri.gov).

### **Reservation of Rights**

The Division of Purchases reserves the right to revoke, suspend, or terminate this solicitation at any time in its sole discretion.

### **Subcontractors**

The bidder must demonstrate that it is able to perform a substantial portion of the work using its own workforce. Any bidder that does not maintain a permanent workforce and/or proposes to perform a disproportionate amount of the work through one or more subcontractors will be considered unqualified. The Division of Purchases reserves the right to reject any such bid proposal.

### **Substitutions**

Products specified in this solicitation establish a standard of quality, performance, dimension, function, and appearance. Proposed substitutions must meet the standard and will not be considered without the prior written approval of the Division of Purchases. A request for substitution must include the detailed information necessary for a comprehensive evaluation.

### **Taxes**

The State of Rhode Island is exempt from federal excise taxes and state sales and use taxes. The bidder shall not include such taxes in any prices in the bid proposal.

### **Termination**

The Division of Purchases reserves the right to terminate any contract awarded pursuant to this solicitation at any time, for any reason, with or without cause.

## **Wages**

### ***For contracts that total less than \$1 Million***

The successful bidder and its subcontractors must pay their workers at the applicable prevailing wage rates (for the various trades) on a weekly basis, pay one and one-half times the applicable prevailing wage rates to any worker who works more than 40 hours in any one week or more than 8 hours in any one day, and submit certified weekly payroll forms on a monthly basis to the agency. Prevailing wage posters and rate schedules, available at the Rhode Island Department of Labor and Training website at [www.dlt.ri.gov](http://www.dlt.ri.gov), must be posted at the project site.

### ***For contracts that may total \$1 Million or Greater***

The successful bidder and its subcontractors must pay their workers at the applicable prevailing wage rates for the various trades on a weekly basis, pay one and one-half times the applicable prevailing wage rates to any worker who works more than 40 hours in any one week or more than 8 hours in any one day, submit certified weekly payroll forms on a monthly basis to the agency, and maintain (for contracts totaling \$1 Million or more) a certified prevailing wage daily log at the project site. Prevailing wage posters and rate schedules, available at the Rhode Island Department of Labor and Training website at [www.dlt.ri.gov](http://www.dlt.ri.gov), must be posted at the project site.

## **Withdrawal**

Bid proposals are irrevocable for a period of 60 days following the due date for their submission.

**Contract Terms and Conditions**

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**Terms and Conditions**

**PURCHASE ORDER STANDARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR THIS PURCHASE ORDER**

**RIVIP INFO - BID SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

It is the Vendor's responsibility to check and download any and all addenda from the RIVIP. This offer may not be considered unless a signed RIVIP generated Bidder Certification Cover Form is attached and the Unit Price column is completed. The signed Certification Cover Form must be attached to the front of the offer. When delivering offers in person to One Capitol Hill, vendors are advised to allow at least one hour additional time for clearance through security checkpoints.

**MAILING ADDRESS FOR BID PROPOSALS ISSUED BY THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND,  
DIVISION OF PURCHASES**

All Bid Proposals must be submitted by mail or hand delivered to:

- State of Rhode Island
- Department of Administration
- Division of Purchases, Second floor
- One Capitol Hill
- Providence, RI 02908-5855

**DIVESTITURE OF INVESTMENTS IN IRAN REQUIREMENT:**

**No vendor engaged in investment activities in Iran as described in R.I. Gen. Laws §37-2.5-2(b) may submit a bid proposal to, or renew a contract with, the Division of Purchases. Each vendor submitting a bid proposal or entering into a renewal of a contract is required to certify that the vendor does not appear on the list maintained by the General Treasurer pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws §37-2.5-3.**

**PURCHASE AGREEMENT BID**

**BIDDING** (a) A single price shall be quoted for each item against which a proposal is submitted. This price will be the maximum in effect during the agreement period. Any price decline at the manufacturer's level shall be reflected in a reduction of the agreement price to the State. (b) Quantities, if any, are estimated only. The agreement shall cover the actual quantities ordered during the period. Deliveries will be billed at the single, firm, awarded unit price quoted regardless of the quantities ordered. (c) Bid price is net F.O.B. destination and shall include inside delivery at no extra cost. (d) Bids for single items and/or a small percentage of total items listed, may, at the State's sole option, be rejected as being non-responsive to the intent of this request. **ORDERING** (a) The User Agency(s) will submit individual orders for the various items and various quantities as may be required during the agreement period. (b) Exception - Regardless of any agreement resulting from this bid, the State reserves the right to solicit prices separately for any extra large requirements for delivery to specific destinations.

**HOURS - BIDDING PURPOSES**

HOURS INDICATED ARE ESTIMATED QUANTITIES FOR BIDDING PURPOSES ONLY.

**DELIVERY PER AGENCY**

DELIVERY OF GOODS OR SERVICES AS REQUESTED BY AGENCY.

**MULTI YEAR AWARD**

THIS IS A MULTI-YEAR BID/CONTRACT. PER RHODE ISLAND STATE LAW 37-2-33, CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS BEYOND THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR ARE SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS. CONTINUATION OF THE CONTRACT BEYOND THE INITIAL FISCAL YEAR WILL BE AT THE DISCRETION OF THE STATE. TERMINATION MAY BE EFFECTED BY THE STATE BASED UPON DETERMINING FACTORS SUCH AS UNSATISFACTORY PERFORMANCE OR THE DETERMINATION BY THE STATE TO DISCONTINUE THE GOODS/SERVICES, OR TO REVISE THE SCOPE AND NEED FOR THE TYPE OF GOODS/SERVICES; ALSO MANAGEMENT OWNER DETERMINATIONS THAT MAY PRECLUDE THE NEED FOR GOODS/SERVICES.

**AWARD**

THE STATE, AT ITS SOLE DISCRETION, SHALL RESERVE THE RIGHT TO MAKE ONE OR MULTIPLE AWARDS FOR THIS REQUIREMENT AND/OR TO REJECT ANY OR ALL BIDS.

**BID ALL ITEMS**

BIDDERS MUST BID ALL ITEMS TO BE CONSIDERED. AWARD WILL BE BASED ON TOTAL LOW.

**CHARGES PERMITTED**

NO CHARGES OTHER THAN PARTS AND LABOR ON THE JOB - NO TRAVEL, NO MILEAGE, NO MISCELLANEOUS CHARGES, NO PORTAL TO PORTAL.

**READING VENDOR NAMES ONLY**

DUE TO LENGTH OF BID AND TIME CONSTRAINTS, THE STATE WILL ONLY ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT AND READ THE NAMES OF VENDORS SUBMITTING PROPOSALS. NO EXAMINATION OF DOCUMENTS OR PRESENTATION OF INFORMATION CONTAINED IN PROPOSALS WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE AT THE BID OPENING; HOWEVER, INSTRUCTIONS TO OBTAIN THE TABULATION OR SUMMARY OF BID RESPONSES WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE AT THE RI DIVISION OF PURCHASES WEBSITE AT [WWW.PURCHASING.RI.GOV](http://WWW.PURCHASING.RI.GOV)



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

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### STATE CONTRACT ADDENDUM

#### RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND TRAINING

#### PREVAILING WAGE REQUIREMENTS

(37-13-1 ET SEQ.)

The prevailing wage requirements are generally set forth in RIGL 37-13-1 et seq. These requirements refer to the prevailing rate of pay for regular, holiday, and overtime wages to be paid to each craftsmen, mechanic, teamster, laborer, or other type of worker performing work on public works projects when state or municipal funds exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

All Prevailing Wage Contractors and Subcontractors are required to:

1. Submit to the Awarding Authority a list of the contractor's subcontractors for any part or all of the prevailing wage work in accordance with RIGL § 37-13-4;
2. Pay all prevailing wage employees at least once per week and in accordance with RIGL §37-13-7 (see Appendix B attached);
3. Post the prevailing wage rate scale and the Department of Labor and Training's prevailing wage poster in a prominent and easily accessible place on the work site in accordance with RIGL §37-13-11; posters may be downloaded at [www.dlt.ri.gov/pw/Posters.htm](http://www.dlt.ri.gov/pw/Posters.htm) .poster/htm or obtained from the Department of Labor and Training, Center General Complex, 1511 Pontiac Avenue, Cranston, Rhode Island;
4. Access the Department of Labor and Training website, at [www.dlt.ri.gov](http://www.dlt.ri.gov) on or before July 1st of each year, until such time as the contract is completed, to ascertain the current prevailing wage rates and the amount of payment or contributions for each covered prevailing wage employee and make any necessary adjustments to the covered employee's prevailing wage rates effective July 1st of each year in compliance with RIGL §37-13-8;
5. Attach a copy of this CONTRACT ADDENDUM and its attachments as a binding obligation to any and all contracts between the contractor and any

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subcontractors and their assignees for prevailing wage work performed pursuant to this contract;

6. Provide for the payment of overtime for prevailing wage employees who work in excess of eight (8) hours in any one day or forty (40) hours in any one week as provided by RIGL §37-13-10;
7. Maintain accurate prevailing wage employee payroll records on a Rhode Island Certified Weekly Payroll form available for download at [www.dlt.ri.gov/pw.forms/htm](http://www.dlt.ri.gov/pw.forms/htm), as required by RIGL §37-13-13, and make those records available to the Department of Labor and Training upon request;
8. Furnish the fully executed RI Certified Weekly Payroll Form to the awarding authority on a monthly basis for all work completed in the preceding month.
9. For general or primary contracts one million dollars (\$1,000,000) or more, shall maintain on the work site a fully executed RI Certified Prevailing Wage Daily Log listing the contractor's employees employed each day on the public works site; the RI Certified Prevailing Wage Daily Log shall be available for inspection on the public works site at all times; this rule shall not apply to road, highway, or bridge public works projects. Where applicable, furnish both the Rhode Island Certified Prevailing Wage Daily Log together with the Rhode Island Weekly Certified Payroll to the awarding authority.
10. Assure that all covered prevailing wage employees on construction projects with a total project cost of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) or more has a OSHA ten (10) hour construction safety certification in compliance with RIGL § 37-23-1;
11. Employ apprentices for the performance of the awarded contract when the contract is valued at one million dollars (\$1,000,000) or more, and comply with the apprentice to journey person ratio for each trade approved by the apprenticeship council of the Department of Labor and Training in compliance with RIGL §37-13-3.1;
12. Assure that all prevailing wage employees who perform work which requires a Rhode Island trade license possess the appropriate Rhode Island trade license in compliance with Rhode Island law; and

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13. Comply with all applicable provisions of RIGL §37-13-1, et. seq;

Any questions or concerns regarding this CONTRACT ADDENDUM should be addressed to the contractor or subcontractor's attorney. Additional Prevailing Wage information may be obtained from the Department of Labor and Training at [www.dlt.ri.gov/pw](http://www.dlt.ri.gov/pw).

**CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that I have reviewed this CONTRACT ADDENDUM and understand my obligations as stated above.

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn before me this \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public  
My commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_

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APPENDIX A

**TITLE 37**  
**Public Property and Works**  
**CHAPTER 37-13**  
**Labor and Payment of Debts by Contractors**  
**SECTION 37-13-5**

**§ 37-13-5 Payment for trucking or materials furnished - Withholding of sums due.** -A contractor or subcontractor on public works authorized by a proper authority shall pay any obligation or charge for trucking and material which have been furnished for the use of the contractor or subcontractor, in connection with the public works being performed by him or her, within ninety (90) days after the obligation or charge is incurred or the trucking service has been performed or the material has been delivered to the site of the work, whichever is later. When it is brought to the notice of the proper authority in a city or town, or the proper authority in the state having supervision of the contract, that the obligation or charge has not been paid by the contractor or subcontractor, the proper authority may deduct and hold for a period not exceeding sixty (60) days, from sums of money due to the contractor or subcontractor, the equivalent amount of such sums certified by a trucker or materialman creditor as due him or her, as provided in this section, and which the proper authority determines is reasonable for trucking performed or materials furnished for the public works.

APPENDIX B

**TITLE 37**

**Public Property and Works**

**CHAPTER 37-13**

**Labor and Payment of Debts by Contractors**

**SECTION 37-13-7**

**§ 37-13-7 Specification in contract of amount and frequency of payment of wages.**

-(a) Every call for bids for every contract in excess of one thousand dollars (\$1,000), to which the state of Rhode Island or any political subdivision thereof or any public agency or quasi-public agency is a party, for construction, alteration, and/or repair, including painting and decorating, of public buildings or public works of the state of Rhode Island or any political subdivision thereof, or any public agency or quasi-public agency and which requires or involves the employment of employees, shall contain a provision stating the minimum wages to be paid various types of employees which shall be based upon the wages that will be determined by the director of labor and training to be prevailing for the corresponding types of employees employed on projects of a character similar to the contract work in the city, town, village, or other appropriate political subdivision of the state of Rhode Island in which the work is to be performed. Every contract shall contain a stipulation that the contractor or his or her subcontractor shall pay all the employees employed directly upon the site of the work, unconditionally and not less often than once a week, and without subsequent deduction or rebate on any account, the full amounts accrued at time of payment computed at wage rates not less than those stated in the call for bids, regardless of any contractual relationships which may be alleged to exist between the contractor or subcontractor and the employees, and that the scale of wages to be paid shall be posted by the contractor in a prominent and easily accessible place at the site of the work; and the further stipulation that there may be withheld from the contractor so much of the accrued payments as may be considered necessary to pay to the employees employed by the contractor, or any subcontractor on the work, the difference between the rates of wages required by the contract to be paid the employees on the work and the rates of wages received by the employees and not refunded to the contractor, subcontractors, or their agents.

(b) The terms "wages", "scale of wages", "wage rates", "minimum wages", and "prevailing wages" shall include:

- (1) The basic hourly rate of pay; and
- (2) The amount of:

(A) The rate of contribution made by a contractor or subcontractor to a trustee or to a third person pursuant to a fund, plan, or program; and

(B) The rate of costs to the contractor or subcontractor which may be reasonably anticipated in providing benefits to employees pursuant to an enforceable commitment to carry out a financially responsible plan or program which was communicated in writing to the employees affected, for medical or hospital care, pensions on retirement or death, compensation for injuries or illness resulting from occupational activity, or insurance to provide any of the foregoing, for unemployment benefits, life insurance, disability and sickness insurance, or accident insurance, for vacation and holiday pay, for defraying costs of apprenticeship or other similar programs, or for other bona fide fringe benefits, but only where the contractor or subcontractor is not required by other federal, state, or local law to provide any of the benefits; provided, that the obligation of a contractor or subcontractor to make payment in accordance with the prevailing wage determinations of the director of labor and training insofar as this chapter of this title and other acts incorporating this chapter of this title by reference are concerned may be discharged by the making of payments in cash, by the making of contributions of a type referred to in subsection (b)(2), or by the assumption of an enforceable commitment to bear the costs of a plan or program of a type referred to in this subdivision, or any combination thereof, where the aggregate of any payments, contributions, and costs is not less than the rate of pay described in subsection (b)(1) plus the amount referred to in subsection (b)(2).

(c) The term "employees", as used in this section, shall include employees of contractors or subcontractors performing jobs on various types of public works including mechanics, apprentices, teamsters, chauffeurs, and laborers engaged in the transportation of gravel or fill to the site of public works, the removal and/or delivery of gravel or fill or ready-mix concrete, sand, bituminous stone, or asphalt flowable fill from the site of public works, or the transportation or removal of gravel or fill from one location to another on the site of public works, and the employment of the employees shall be subject to the provisions of subsections (a) and (b).

(d) The terms "public agency" and "quasi-public agency" shall include, but not be limited to, the Rhode Island industrial recreational building authority, the Rhode Island economic development corporation, the Rhode Island airport corporation, the Rhode Island industrial facilities corporation, the Rhode Island refunding bond authority, the Rhode Island housing and mortgage finance corporation, the Rhode Island resource recovery corporation, the Rhode Island public transit authority, the Rhode Island student loan authority, the water resources board corporate, the Rhode Island health and education building corporation, the Rhode Island higher education assistance authority, the Rhode Island turnpike and bridge authority, the Narragansett Bay water quality management district commission, Rhode Island telecommunications authority, the convention center authority, the board of governors for higher education, the board of regents for elementary and secondary education, the capital center commission, the housing resources commission, the Quonset Point-Davisville management corporation, the Rhode Island children's crusade for higher education, the Rhode Island depositors economic protection corporation, the Rhode Island lottery commission, the Rhode Island

partnership for science and technology, the Rhode Island public building authority, and the Rhode Island underground storage tank board.



State of Rhode Island  
Division of Purchases

Public Works  
Bid Preparation Checklist

**Date:** 4/15/2014

**Bid#:** 7548668

**Title:** Landscape Maintenance – University of Rhode Island

**This checklist is provided to assist the bidder in preparing a bid proposal for submission. It is not a substitute for a thorough review of the Instruction to Bidders nor a comprehensive list of all bid proposal requirements. Each bidder is responsible to review the Instructions to Bidders and to comply with all requirements of the Solicitation.**

**Bid Proposal Package:**

- RIVIP Bidder Certification Cover Form (completed) signed in ink
- Bid Form
  - All applicable blank spaces on the Bid Form have been completed
  - All Addenda have been acknowledged
  - Bid price printed legibly in ink (in both words and figures that match where specified)
  - Erasures or corrections have been initialed by person signing the Bid Form
  - Bid Form is signed in ink
- Bid Surety
  - Bid bond or certified check (for DOT projects, bid bond only)
  - Bid surety is five percent of the bid total (or such other specified amount)
  - Bid Bond is signed by the bidder and surety
  - Power of Attorney is attached to the Bid Bond showing the name of person who signed the surety bond
- Public Copy of bid proposal in pdf format on a read-only CD-R media disk
- General Contractor Apprenticeship Certification Form "2013-14" (for projects \$1,000,000 and greater) required at time of bid proposal submission

*Note: General Contractor Apprenticeship Re-Certification and Certification Form "2013-16" and Subcontractor Apprenticeship Certification Form "2013-15" are not required at time of bid proposal submission deadline.*

- Applicable professional licenses (as specified in the Solicitation)
- Rhode Island Contractor Registration Board No.
- All bid proposal documents in a sealed envelope with the specific Solicitation #, Solicitation title, and the bid proposal submission deadline marked in the upper left hand corner of the envelope
- Each bid proposal submitted in a separate sealed envelope
- Completed Form W-9
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Buyer Name:** Gary P. Mosca Senior Buyer

**Contact Information:** Department of Administration Division of Purchasing One Capitol Hill Providence, RI.  
02908 Phone - 401-574-8124 Fax - 401-574-8387 email [gary.mosca@purchasing.ri.gov](mailto:gary.mosca@purchasing.ri.gov)

**State of Rhode Island  
PAYER'S REQUEST FOR TAXPAYER  
IDENTIFICATION NUMBER AND CERTIFICATION**

**THE IRS REQUIRES THAT YOU FURNISH YOUR TAXPAYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER TO US. FAILURE TO PROVIDE THIS INFORMATION CAN RESULT IN A \$50 PENALTY BY THE IRS. IF YOU ARE AN INDIVIDUAL, PLEASE PROVIDE US WITH YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER (SSN) IN THE SPACE INDICATED BELOW. IF YOU ARE A COMPANY OR A CORPORATION, PLEASE PROVIDE US WITH YOUR EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (EIN) WHERE INDICATED.**

**Taxpayer Identification Number (T.I.N.)**

Enter your taxpayer identification number in the appropriate box. For most individuals, this is your social security number.

**Social Security No. (SSN)**

**Employer ID No. (EIN)**

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**NAME** \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS** \_\_\_\_\_

**(REMITTANCE ADDRESS, IF DIFFERENT)** \_\_\_\_\_

**CITY, STATE AND ZIP CODE** \_\_\_\_\_

**CERTIFICATION:** Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

- (1) The number shown on this form is my correct Taxpayer Identification Number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me), and
- (2) I am not subject to backup withholding because either: (A) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (B) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding.

**Certification Instructions** -- You must cross out Item (2) above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are subject to backup withholding because of under-reporting interest or dividends on your tax return. However, if after being notified by IRS that you were subject to backup withholding you received another notification from IRS that you are no longer subject to backup withholding, do not cross out Item (2).

**PLEASE SIGN HERE**

**SIGNATURE** \_\_\_\_\_ **TITLE** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE** \_\_\_\_\_ **TEL NO.** \_\_\_\_\_

**BUSINESS DESIGNATION:**

Please Check One: Individual  Medical Services Corporation  Government/Nonprofit Corporation   
 Partnership  Corporation  Trust/Estate  Legal Services Corporation

**NAME:** Be sure to enter your full and correct name as listed in the IRS file for you or your business.

**ADDRESS, CITY, STATE AND ZIP CODE:** Enter your primary business address and remittance address if different from your primary address). If you operate a business at more than one location, adhere to the following:

- 1) Same T.I.N. with more than one location -- attach a list of location addresses with remittance address for each location and indicate to which location the year-end tax information return should be mailed.
- 2) Different T.I.N. for each different location -- submit a completed W-9 form for each T.I.N. and location. (One year-end tax information return will be reported for each T.I.N. and remittance address.)

**CERTIFICATION** -- Sign the certification, enter your title, date, and your telephone number (including area code and extension).

**BUSINESS TYPE CHECK-OFF** -- Check the appropriate box for the type of business ownership.

**Mail to: Supplier Coordinator, One Capitol Hill, Providence, RI 02908**