



Request for Quote

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

CREATION DATE : 10-DEC-14
BID NUMBER: 7549203
TITLE: PROVIDE MATERIAL, EQUIPMENT AND LABOR TO MECHANICALLY APPLY SHREDDED BARK MULCH
BLANKET START : 01-FEB-15
BLANKET END : 31-DEC-16
BID CLOSING DATE AND TIME: 12-JAN-2015 10:00:00

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

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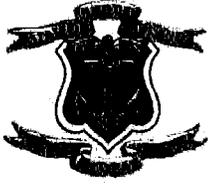
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Requisition Number: 1397230

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Line	Description	Quantity	Unit	Unit Price	Total
	BLANKET REQUIREMENTS: 2/1/15 - 12/31/16				
1	PROVIDE MATERIAL, EQUIPMENT AND LABOR TO MECHANICALLY APPLY SHREDDED BARK MULCH PER THE ATTACHED SPECIFICATIONS. 2/1/15-12/31/15 Provide material, equipment and labor to mechanically apply shredded bark mulch prior to commencement in mid-May. Vendor to supply mulch. Per the attached specifications.	450.00	Cubic Yard		
2	2/1/15-12/31/15: Alternate to item 1: Provide equipment and labor only to mechanically apply shredded bark mulch prior to commencement in mid-May. URI to supply mulch. Per the attached specifications.	450.00	Cubic Yard		
3	2/1/15-12/31/15 Provide material, equipment and labor to mechanically apply shredded bark mulch as needed. Vendor to supply mulch. Installed by vendor for the term of the contract. Quantity will vary depending on the need.	50.00	Cubic Yard		
4	2/1/15-12/31/15 Alternate to item 3: Provide equipment and labor only to mechanically apply shredded bark mulch as needed. URI to supply mulch. Installed by vendor for the term of the contract. Quantity will vary depending on the need.	50.00	Cubic Yard		
5	2/1/15-12/31/15 Furnish and deliver mulch only to URI Kingston campus. URI will apply mulch.	50.00	Cubic Yard		
6	2/1/15-12/31/15 Provide material, equipment and labor to mechanically apply Playground mulch as needed. Vendor to supply mulch. Installed by vendor for the term of the contract. Quantity will vary depending on the need.	30.00	Cubic Yard		
7	1/1/16-12/31/16 Provide material, equipment and labor to mechanically apply shredded bark mulch prior to commencement in mid-May. Vendor to supply mulch. Per the attached specifications.	450.00	Cubic Yard		
8	1/1/16-12/31/16 Alternate to item 7: Provide equipment and labor only to mechanically apply shredded bark mulch prior to commencement in mid-May. URI to supply mulch. Per the attached specifications.	450.00	Cubic Yard		
9	1/1/16-12/31/16 Provide material, equipment and labor to mechanically apply shredded bark mulch. Vendor to supply mulch. Installed by vendor for the term of the contract.	50.00	Cubic Yard		

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10	1/1/16-12/31/16 Alternate to item 9: Provide equipment and labor only to mechanically apply shredded bark mulch. URI to supply mulch. Installed by vendor for the term of the contract. Quantity will vary depending on the need.	50.00	Cubic Yard		
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Delivery: _____

Terms of Payment: _____

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Solicitation No. 7549203

Provide material, equipment, and labor to mechanically apply shredded bark mulch for the University of Rhode Island.

**BLANKET REQUIREMENTS: 02/01/15 - 12/31/16
PROVIDE AND INSTALL MULCH AS SPECIFIED**

Scope:

Pine bark mulch shall be shredded soft wood bark from pine, hemlock and fir trees and shall be more than 6 months and less than 18 months in age. Mulch shall be dark brown to reddish in color.

The length of chip shall not exceed 3" or be less than 1/4" in width or thickness. Mulch shall be uniform in texture and color. Sawdust cannot exceed 10% of the load. Recycled wood waste, yard waste, demolition debris, hardwood bark, leaves, twigs, weeds, stones, wood shavings or other foreign materials injurious to plant growth are unacceptable and the entire load will be rejected. Mulch must be capable of passing through 4" diameter blower hoses without clogging lines or equipment.

Provide material, equipment and labor to mechanically apply approximately 450 cubic yards of shredded bark mulch to areas designated by owner. Mulch shall be uniformly spread to one to one and one-half inch (1" – 1-1/2") depth (200-250 SF/CY). Overspray, spilled or misapplied mulch shall be swept, raked or blown from plants, buildings, walks, roads and other structures as part of this work.

Mulch shall conform to RI DOT M.18.07.3 pine bark mulch.

Equipment: FINN 816, 16 to 20 CY capacity mulch blowing truck or approved equal, with 4" diameter application hose; 250 feet of hose; remote controls; and all tools necessary to complete work as necessary.

No portal to portal charges, rates start on the job.

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Installation date for items 1 & 2; 7 & 8 to be scheduled by owner and must be completed prior to campus commencement ceremonies in mid-May. All other work as requested. Areas to be designated by owner.

***SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS:** Pine Bark Mulch shall be placed to a depth of 1 inch and shall be no closer than 4 inches to the trunk of individual trees and shrubs. No volcano mulching is acceptable around the trees.

Deliver to:
URI Facilities Services, Lands and Grounds
523 Plains Road, Sherman Building
Kingston, RI 02881

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Contract Terms and Conditions

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INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS

BIDDERS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR INSPECTION OF EQUIPMENT AND/OR LOCATION, TAKING MEASUREMENTS* WHEN REQUIRED, AND MAKING THEMSELVES AWARE OF THE TOTAL REQUIREMENT BEFORE SUBMITTING A BID. *MEASUREMENTS PROVIDED WITH ANY BID ARE FOR REFERENCE PURPOSES AND ARE NOT GUARANTEED TO BE COMPLETELY ACCURATE.

INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

AN INSURANCE CERTIFICATE IN COMPLIANCE WITH PROVISIONS OF ITEM 31 (INSURANCE) OF THE GENERAL CONDITIONS OF PURCHASE IS REQUIRED FOR COMPREHENSIVE GENERAL LIABILITY, AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY, AND WORKERS' COMPENSATION AND MUST BE SUBMITTED BY THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER(S) TO THE DIVISION OF PURCHASES PRIOR TO AWARD. THE INSURANCE CERTIFICATE MUST NAME THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AS CERTIFICATE HOLDER AND AS AN ADDITIONAL INSURED. FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THESE PROVISIONS MAY RESULT IN REJECTION OF THE OFFEROR'S BID. ANNUAL RENEWAL CERTIFICATES MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE AGENCY IDENTIFIED ON THE PURCHASE ORDER. FAILURE TO DO SO MAY BE GROUNDS FOR CANCELLATION OF CONTRACT.

NOTE: IF THIS BID COVERS CONSTRUCTION, SCHOOL BUSING, HAZARDOUS WASTE, OR VESSEL OPERATION, APPLICABLE COVERAGES FROM THE FOLLOWING LIST MUST ALSO BE SUBMITTED TO THE DIVISION OF PURCHASES PRIOR TO AWARD: * PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY INSURANCE (AKA ERRORS & OMISSIONS) - \$1 MILLION OR 5% OF ESTIMATED PROJECT COST, WHICHEVER IS GREATER. * BUILDER'S RISK INSURANCE - COVERAGE EQUAL TO FACE AMOUNT OF CONTRACT FOR CONSTRUCTION. * SCHOOL BUSING - AUTO LIABILITY COVERAGE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$5 MILLION. * ENVIRONMENTAL IMPAIRMENT (AKA POLLUTION CONTROL) - \$1 MILLION OR 5% OF FACE AMOUNT OF CONTRACT, WHICHEVER IS GREATER. * VESSEL OPERATION - (MARINE OR AIRCRAFT) - PROTECTION & INDEMNITY COVERAGE REQUIRED IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1 MILLION.

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.

RIVIP INFO - BID SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

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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.

CHARGES PERMITTED

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