

#### INVITATION TO BID

SOLICITATION TITLE: Service, Repair and Maintenance for Elevators, Escalators and other

Vertical Transportation Equipment - Repair/Parts

**SOLICITATION NUMBER: 7554496** 

BID PROPOSAL SUBMISSION DEADLINE: August 21, 2017 at 10:00 AM

**PREBID CONFERENCE:** There will not be a Pre-Bid Conference held for this solicitation.

**QUESTIONS** about this solicitation must be emailed and received by the Division of Purchases at **doa.purquestions3@purchasing.ri.gov** no later than Wednesday, August 02, 2017, 5:00 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 as an addendum to this solicitation

**BID BOND REQUIRED:** ⊠ NO

 $\square$  YES

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

 $\square$  YES

**SPECIFICATIONS AND PLANS:**  $\square$  NO

✓ YES → See Electronic Solicitation Bidding Information.

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**RIVIP REGISTRATION:** Bidders must be registered vendors through the online Division of Purchases Rhode Island Vendor Information Program at <a href="www.purchasing.ri.gov">www.purchasing.ri.gov</a>. To register or update information, click on "Vendor Center," then "Vendor Information" from the dropdown menu on the left.

**BIDDER CERTIFICATION COVER FORM**: Bidders must download (obtainable at <a href="https://www.purchasing.ri.gov">www.purchasing.ri.gov</a>), complete, and submit a Bidder Certification Cover Form with each bid proposal.

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

Bidders are invited to submit bid proposals to the Division of Purchases 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.

The award of the contract pursuant to this solicitation will be made to the responsive and responsible bidder with the lowest bid price. The Division of Purchases 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: Chief 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 <a href="https://www.purchasing.ri.gov">www.purchasing.ri.gov</a>



#### **SOLICITATON # 7554496 MPA 534**

#### Titled:

Service, Repair and Maintenance for Elevators, Escalators and other Vertical Transportation Equipment - Repair/Parts

#### **INTRODUCTION:**

The State of Rhode Island (the "State"), by and through its Division of Purchases (the 'Division") on behalf of all State agencies ("User Agencies"), is soliciting qualified Contractors capable of *Providing Services for Repairing Elevators, Escalators and other Vertical Transportation equipment Repair/Parts*, on an as needed basis in accordance with the terms of this request for quote ("RFQ") and the Division's General Conditions of Purchase, which may be obtained at <a href="https://www.purchasing.ri.gov">www.purchasing.ri.gov</a>. If awarded, the term of the Master Price Agreement (MPA) contract shall commence on or about *September 1, 2017 and expire August 31, 2020, with an option to renew for 1, 12-month period*, unless terminated, cancelled, by the Division.

The intent of this solicitation is to identify qualified firms for inclusion in a Master Agreement. Offerors will be required to provide services for the various types of *Vertical Transportation Equipment Services & Repair* as described herein.

Services are sought on an "as-needed" basis. Once need has been determined, utilization by the user agency will be based on several factors, including, but not limited to price, expertise, and availability.

This request for quote does not guarantee that the State will utilize any contractor for a minimum/maximum amount of time or for a minimum/maximum dollar value over the term of the MPA contract.

The prices/rates provided in this Master Price Agreement (MPA) represent the maximum price/rate that may be charged by Contractors to User Agencies. Prices provided must remain in effect for the dates noted on the Proposal Form. The User Agencies reserves the right to negotiate a lower price/rate from one or more of the MPA Contractors or request lump sum fixed fee quotes based on specific requirements or quantities.

Vendors may be utilized by any State agency. In addition, vendors may be utilized by quasipublic agencies, Rhode Island municipalities, and the Legislative and Judicial branches of State government at their own discretion. Placement of vendors on the MPA is no guarantee of future business. All ordering and billing shall be between the vendor and the user agency.

The Division of Purchases has the authority to remove vendors from the MPA list if non-responsive to agency requests for quotes. There is no guarantee of any level of spending activity to a vendor or vendors selected for this award.

#### PART 1 - GENERAL REQUIREMENTS:

The Contractor shall be responsible for insuring that all work performed as scheduled maintenance or under separate order, not included in the maintenance service monthly cost as a result of inspection recommendations, is completed in compliance with chapter 23-33 of the General Laws of the State of Rhode Island as Amended, and The National elevator Code Section 8.6 ASME A17.1 must be complied within its entirety. He shall also pay for all permit fees required.

If, at any time during the contract period, the Rhode Island Department of Labor, Division of Occupational Safety, determines the completed work has not been done in compliance with previously cited portions of Rhode Island Law, the Contractor shall correct the work to insure compliance, at no additional cost to the Department.

#### **Emergency Service:**

The Contractor shall provide emergency call back service at any hour, at no additional cost over and above the monthly cost. This is a full service maintenance contract to include all emergencies and intervening services call in the monthly cost. This service shall consist of a prompt response to a request for services and such adjustments and/or repairs as may be required to restore the elevator to safe and satisfactory operation.

#### Response times shall be:

- 1. One (1) hour during regular business hours
- 2. Two (2) hours during non-business hours
- 3. Twenty (20) minutes for entrapments
- 4. Thirty (30) minutes to aid those with disabilities.

Call back service shall be initiated by the Agency office during regular business hours or the Capitol Police during non-business hours. Service request from other sources must be verified before responding. The Contractor will respond immediately, regardless of the origin of the call, if someone is trapped in an elevator.

The Contractor may invoice on a time and material basis, for authorized call backs in which the service requirement results from vandalism, negligence (to include dropped keys), abuse or misuse of the elevator by persons other than the Contractor, his agents or employees, or damages resulting from a cause other than normal wear and tear.

Invoices for billable call back service as required and described in paragraph 3 must include the date and time of the call and the name of the authorized caller. Also included shall be a copy of the technician's time sheet or service report clearly showing the time of arrival and departure,

the nature of the service problem and its resolution, materials used, and a statement of the operation status of the elevator. It shall be the Contractor's responsibility to insure that his employees and agents maintain sufficient records to provide the Authority with all documentation required by this paragraph.

Contractor personnel working in state buildings shall sign in and out at the Agencies facility office.

#### **Scope of Service:**

During regularly scheduled maintenance, the following services will be performed in conjunction with monthly inspections. Additionally, the national Elevator Code Section 8.6 ASME A17-1 must be complied with in its entirety.

Clean the elevator machine, including motor and brake; control equipment including controller, selector, hoist way and car operating devises' safety equipment including car safeties, over speed governor, safety linkages, releasing devices, interlock and automatic door protective devices; door operator equipment including linkage, drive motor, speed reduction units and electromechanical or motor operated cam devices. In addition, contractor will brush down and vacuum the hoist way, divider beams, door hangers, car top and bottom, and doorsills (beyond opening). Elevator pits shall be kept clean and dry. Water or other liquids shall be pumped out.

Lubricate bearings, gear reduction unit, selector, governor, tension frame, sheaves, hoist ropes, cam equipment, door operator, hangers, interlocks, safety and door operator linkages, roller guides and guide rails.

Adjust associated equipment and devices including the following, providing the adjustment can be performed by the examiner as part of examiner's normal routine:

- 1. Operating switches and relays on the following: controller, selector, brake, governor, leveling device, car safety systems, door operator system including door protective device, car and hall button operating stations, and the hoist way and pit.
- 2. Mechanical and electro-mechanical devices (not requiring disassembly for adjustments) including brake, machine, safety shoe and door operator linkages, hangers, interlocks, pit equipment, cams and rollers, roller guides and guide shoes.

#### **Provide Parts and Supplies as follows:**

Lubricating oils and greases; cleaning materials; operating switch and relay components (including metal and carbon contacts, insulators, springs, connectors, holders, arc deflectors and barriers, and distance pieces); motor brushes, special lamps for cars and hall signal fixtures; and fuses (Except main line disconnect).

Parts, Inventory and Wiring Diagrams: Contractor will, during the term of this contract, maintain for the performance of routine preventive maintenance, either in each elevator machine room or as part of their inventory, a supply of frequently used replacement parts and lubricants selected by Contractor to meet the specific requirements of the units. Any parts replaced under this

contract will be with new parts, manufactured or selected by Contractor or with parts refurbished to Contractor's standards. All replacement parts will be furnished by Contractor in exchange for the parts replaced. Contractor further agrees to maintain a supply of replacement parts in their local parts warehouse, available for express delivery in case of emergencies. Contractor, during the term of the contract must, obtain and maintain all original wiring diagrams for the units.

#### **Safety Tests**

Rhode Island General Law requires that car safety and speed governor devices be tested annually in the presence of a State Elevator Inspector or other authorized inspectors. The elevator Contractor shall schedule all tests to be completed no later than the last working day in May of each year.

Three-year full load safety test shall be performed on all hydraulic elevators and a five-year full load safety test shall be performed on all cable elevators in accordance with Rhode Island General Law. Hydraulic elevators must be maintained according to new regulations pertaining to underground cylinders.

Agency Facilities shall be notified, by letter, when the testing date is established.

The Contractor shall furnish all necessary labor, tools, and weights required for the test. All necessary retests, as may be required by the State Elevator Inspector, will be made at no cost to the State or State Agency.

Annual, three-year, and five-year tests will be included in the price for monthly maintenance.

#### **Reports**

Service Personnel shall leave a written copy of a report of the condition of the elevators, which he has inspected, with the Building Manager when he signs out at the end of each monthly inspection.

Facilities office shall be immediately notified by service personnel of any elevator found in to be in unsafe operating condition. This notification shall be confirmed in a special report. The Contractor shall, within seven (7) calendar days, submit a report to the State Buildings and Grounds coordinator advising him of the problem, cost to repair, shutdown time, and if parts are required, the elapsed time required to obtain the parts.

#### **Vendor Requirements**

Bidders must visit the agency to review the work required and the equipment to be serviced.

Vendors must ask questions and satisfy themselves that they fully understand this requirement. After the bids are opened, there will be no opportunity to change your bid price or negotiate the terms because of a misunderstanding of this requirement.

Any objection to the specifications must be filed in writing with the Purchasing Agent at least 96 hours before the bid opening. This equipment is and has been, under a maintenance service type contract.

Three successive one year contracts annually renewable at the discretion of the State. Termination may be affected by the State based upon determining factors such as unsatisfactory performance of the determination by the State to discontinue the service, or to revise the scope and need of the type of service; also, management-owner determinations that may preclude the need for service and subject to availability of funds. Termination will be effective thirty (30) days after notification by the State to discontinue service.

#### Part 2 - Service, Repairs, Parts as needed

This portion of the contract is for all other repairs, services and parts not covered under Part 1. Bidders will respond and quote all hourly rates and any other charges. No 'hidden' charges will be accepted or paid for as part of this contract.

This section will be on an as needed, as requested basis. No work shall be performed without an approved Purchase Order Number. The contractor is responsible to obtain said number BEFORE work is performed.

The contractor shall invoice the department for the time spent at the facility only. Minimum charges or travel time will not be charged to the department. It is the contractor's responsibility to detail, on the work completion slip, and have verified (by department personnel) the exact date and time in and time out. Billing will be to the closest half-hour. If all requirements are not recorded on the work completion slip, this contract allows the department to adjust the invoice to reflect the department's decision as to what is owed. In said case, the contractor shall immediately issue a credit against the institution's account. Payment may not be processed until the department is satisfied with said billing/credit.

Although normal services and repairs should be scheduled during normal working hours, the contractor(s) are required to be available on a 24-hours, 7 days a week basis.

This section also includes the outright purchase of parts. Contractor's pricing will be based on a cost plus basis. All parts will be delivered FOB. The contractor will not bill the department for shipping charges.

<u>Contract Expansion:</u> The State reserves the right to include, amend or negotiate any additional commodities or services to this existing contract in which the successful bidders offer, when necessary, and only as approved by the Division of Purchases of this contract, without having to conduct a separate competitive procurement.

#### **Labor Rates**

Labor rates shall be all inclusive without limitations, wages, benefits, vehicle, fuel, tools, mobilization and demobilization, supervision, insurance, all licenses, permits, overhead and profit and all other requirements necessary for the commencement, performance and completion of the Work.

#### **Monthly/one (1) Year Agency Agreements:**

Agencies may engage in monthly/yearly, service/maintenance/inspection agreements with any of the awarded contract recipients. Agencies at their own discretion may select a vendor based on pricing provided for this contract or acquire quotes to obtain one (1) year's worth of service under an agency purchase agreement (APA) from this contract.

#### **Pricing per Month per Unit:**

User Agencies reserve the right to negotiate and execute price adjustments with the contractor for equipment determined "not good condition" as necessary to result in the intent of this RFQ.

#### **Fixed Fee Lump Sum Award:**

\*This method will apply to those PROJECTS that have a defined scope of work outside scope described within PART 1 or 2.

No individual Project shall exceed the maximum cost of thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000). A minimum of three (3) written quotes will be required form user agency. The Contractor shall submit a properly itemized proposal covering the requested Work. This proposal shall be itemized to include the various components of work and shall be segregated by labor, materials and equipment in a format satisfactory to the User Agency. Any amount in excess of the maximum dollar amount must be reviewed and receive authorized by the Division. The Division reserves the right to solicit quotes from all Contractors for any project regardless of its estimated value. Contractors must conduct a no cost site inspection and issue a no cost written price quote for any project at the request of the User Agency. The quotation shall be provided within three (3) business days of the original request, and shall include a detailed summary in accordance with the MPA contract rates. The User Agencies shall be under no obligation to pay for Work done without prior approval and the State may at its sole option request alternative quotations.

#### **Time and Materials Award:**

\*This method is for those projects or special tasks for which the specifications are uncertain or difficult to determine in advance.

The cost of the services to be performed under the time and materials provision shall not be increased over the initial cost estimate without a written estimate signed by the agency and Contractor. Contractors must document and submit an estimate for a change in cost or time with sufficient data to allow an evaluation of the estimate. Provide detailed breakdown of the cost and estimate for labor and materials including a detailed breakdown for subcontractors or vendor's work. Include copies of written estimates from subcontractors or vendors.

#### **Pricing:**

\*Complete and submit attached Price Sheet with proposal labeled ATTACHMENT "A".

#### **Prompt Payment Discounts ("PPD")**

The Department of Administration's ("Department") goal in establishing the PPD program is to provide an opportunity for expedited payment to vendors, while reducing the cost to the State through vendor discounts. State agencies are encouraged to utilize vendors that offer cash discounts, along with competitive pricing, when selecting services or goods from master price agreements. In addition, the Department seeks to promote prompt payment through the use of electronic funds transfer ("EFT") through the ACH system.

#### **Prompt Payment Discount Form**

All vendors submitting proposals in response to designated master price agreement solicitations must submit the attached PPD form in order to participate in the PPD program. Nothing herein prevents the State Purchasing Agent or designee from negotiating lower pricing or greater discounts and/or waiving technicalities related to PPDs in the best interests of the State.

\*Note: All vendors responding to the within solicitation must complete the attached prompt payment discount "PPD" form as part of this master price agreement solicitation.

#### **Concluding Statements:**

Notwithstanding the above, the Division reserves the right not to award this contract to accept or reject any or all proposals, and to award in its best interest. The Division's General Conditions of Purchase contain the specific contract terms, stipulations and affirmations to be utilized for the MPA contract award pursuant to this RFQ.

Failure to submit any required document or information may deem bid non-responsive.

#### \*Attachments:

Price Sheet (excel file) labeled ATTACHMENT "A"

PRICING SHEET - ATTACHMENT "A"								
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FY-20: 7/1/20 -6/30/21								
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#### STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

Department of Administration DIVISION OF PURCHASES One Capitol Hill Providence, RI 02908-5855 Tel: (401) 574-8100 Fax: (401) 574-8387

Website: www.purchasing.ri.gov

# DIVISION OF PURCHASES INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS PUBLIC WORKS SERVICES (PWS)

#### **Compliance with Instructions to Bidders**

These Instructions to Bidders contain terms and conditions that will govern the preparation and submission of a bid proposal and any contract awarded pursuant to this solicitation.

Bidders must comply with each and every requirement of these Instructions to Bidders. Any failure to comply with any requirement may result in the determination of a nonresponsive bid proposal and/or the rejection of the bid proposal.

#### **Priority of Terms and Conditions**

The terms and conditions in these Instructions to Bidders *supersede* any and all inconsistent or conflicting terms and conditions in any other provision of any other document in this solicitation or in the bid proposal and govern this solicitation, the bid proposal, and any contract awarded pursuant to this solicitation.

#### Offer to Contract

Bid proposals constitute an offer to contract with the State of Rhode Island through the Department of Administration Division of Purchases on the terms and conditions contained in the solicitation, the laws of the State of Rhode Island, including all procurement statutes and regulations (available at www.purchasing.ri.gov), and applicable federal and local law, all of which are incorporated into this solicitation and any contract awarded pursuant to this solicitation by this reference.

#### **Addenda**

Responses to questions from bidders, interpretations of plans and specifications, changes prior to the bid proposal submission deadline, approvals of any substitutions, and supplemental instructions and terms will be posted as addenda on the Division of Purchases website at www.purchasing.ri.gov, and all addenda become incorporated into this solicitation upon posting. Bidders are responsible for checking the website to determine the issuance of any addenda. No addenda will be posted within the 5-day period preceding the bid proposal submission deadline except for an addendum withdrawing the solicitation or extending the bid proposal submission deadline.

#### **Inspection**

The bidder is responsible for carefully reviewing all of the requirements of this solicitation, inspecting the project location, including checking and/or verifying site conditions, any limitations, and other details, prior to preparing and submitting its bid proposal. Claims for additional costs or time resulting from the bidder's failure to inspect and/or verify will not be considered.

#### **Prebid Conference**

At the discretion of the State Purchasing Agent, a prebid conference - mandatory or nonmandatory - may be held. 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 a mandatory prebid conference and identify the bidder he or she represents.

#### Costs

The bidder is responsible for all costs and expenses to develop and submit a bid proposal in response to this solicitation.

#### <u>Preparation of Bid Proposal</u>

Bid proposals must be made on the Request for Quote included in the solicitation. The bidder must complete the Unit Price and Total columns for each item listed and include specifications (including specifications where the solicitation requires a particular brand) in a legible manner, printed electronically, typed, or handwritten in ink. Items in catalogs must be clearly marked and pages tabbed. In the event of any contradictory terms, handwritten terms prevail over printed or typed terms, and words prevail over figures. Signatures must be in ink. No additional provisions, conditions, or limitations may be made by the bidder, and any erasures and/or corrections must be initialed in ink by the person signing on behalf of the bidder.

This solicitation contains a Bid Preparation Checklist to assist the bidder in preparing a bid proposal for submission.

#### **Submission of Bid Proposal**

Each bid proposal (a complete package, with the signed Bidder Certification Cover Form, signed Request for Quote, Bid Surety, IRS Form W-9, and public copy CD-R media disk) must be submitted in a *separate sealed envelope* with the bidder's name and address and the specific "Solicitation Number," "Solicitation Title," and the "Submission Deadline" marked in the upper left-hand corner of the envelope.

The bid proposal must be delivered to the Division of Purchases (via mail, messenger service, or personal delivery by the bidder) by the date and time specified for the bid proposal submission deadline. Bidders should mail bid proposals sufficiently in advance of the bid proposal submission deadline to ensure timely delivery to the Division of Purchases or, when delivering a bid proposal in person or by messenger, should allow additional time for parking and clearance through security checkpoints. Bid proposals 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 received by the Division of Purchases by the bid proposal submission deadline 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.

At the bid proposal submission deadline, bid proposals will be opened and read aloud in public.

#### **Charges**

Bid proposals shall include only materials, parts, and labor in the Unit Price and Total. Travel, mileage, or other miscellaneous charges shall not be included in the Unit Price or Total.

#### **Bidder Certification Cover Form**

The bidder must download, complete, sign, and submit the Bidder Certification Cover Form for this solicitation as the first document with each bid proposal. The Bidder Certification Cover Form is downloadable with the solicitation from the Division of Purchases website by logging in as a RIVIP vendor and clicking on the applicable "Bid Number."

#### **Public Copy**

Bid proposals submitted in response to this solicitation are public records pursuant to the Rhode Island "Access to Public Records Act," R. I. Gen. Laws §§ 38-2-1 et seq. Each bid proposal must include a "public copy" to be available for public inspection upon the opening of bids. The public copy must be submitted in .pdf (portable document file) format on a *read-only* CD-R media disk. The disk must include *all of the documents* submitted in response to the solicitation concatenated or merged into one file.

The public copy disk must be separately enclosed in a protective cover clearly marked "Public Copy" and include the following information: (1) Solicitation Title; (2) name of bidder and RIVIP vendor ID number; (3) Solicitation Number; and (4) bid proposal submission deadline.

The .pdf file must be named in the following manner:

SolicitationNumber\_Bid Proposal Submission Deadline\_BidderName\_VendorID.pdf

The bid proposal submission deadline must appear as mm-dd-yyyy. The bidder 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 of each bid proposal will be posted on the Division of Purchases website. Bidders may redact in the public copy any trade secrets or commercial or financial information which is of a privileged or confidential nature pursuant to the Access to Public Records Act.

For Rhode Island Department of Transportation highway and bridge projects, in addition to the Quest Lite compatible electronic copy and one hard copy, the bidder must also include a duplicate original of the Quest Lite compatible electronic copy on a **read-only** CD-R media disk as the "public copy."

#### **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.

#### <u>Subcontractors</u>

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 successful bidder must establish to the satisfaction of the State Purchasing Agent the reliability and responsibility of any subcontractors proposed to perform any work pursuant to this solicitation.

#### **Taxes**

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

#### **Bid Surety**

Bidders must furnish, with their bid proposals, either a bid bond from a surety licensed to conduct business in the State of Rhode Island or a certified check payable to the State of Rhode Island in the amount of five (5%) percent of the bid proposal. (*Bidders for Rhode Island Department of Transportation highway and bridge projects must furnish, with their bid proposals, a bid bond from a surety licensed to conduct business in the State of Rhode Island. Certified checks are not permitted for these projects.)* An attorney-in-fact who executes a bond on behalf of the surety must provide a certified current copy of the power of attorney. A successful bidder who fails to submit the additional documentation required by the tentative letter of award and/or fails to commence and pursue the work in accordance with the contract awarded pursuant to this solicitation may forfeit, at the discretion of the State Purchasing Agent, the full amount of the bid surety as liquidated damages. The State will retain the bid surety of all bidders until the earliest of: (i) the issuance of the Purchase Order; (ii) the 61<sup>st</sup> day following the bid proposal submission deadline; or (iii) the rejection of all bid proposals.

#### **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 formed, extruded, forged, cast, fabricated, or otherwise processed from steel made in the United States.

#### **Withdrawal**

A bidder may withdraw its bid proposal at any time prior to the bid proposal submission deadline. Bid proposals are irrevocable for a period of 60 days following the bid proposal submission deadline.

#### Reservation of Rights

The Division of Purchases reserves the right, at any time, for any reason, in its sole discretion, to: (i) revoke, suspend, or terminate this solicitation; (ii) accept or reject any and all bid proposals, in whole or in part; (iii) waive any technical defects, irregularities, or omissions in any bid proposals; and/or (iv) terminate any contract awarded pursuant to this solicitation, with or without cause.

#### **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 proposal. The State Purchasing Agent may determine, in his or her sole discretion, the low bid proposal on the basis of the amount of the Base Bid Price plus the alternates selected in accordance with the Request for Quote. The successful bidder will receive a tentative letter of award from the Division of Purchases with instructions for the bidder to submit further documentation. A binding contract, to the extent of available funds, between the State of Rhode Island and the successful bidder will be formed by the issuance, and only by the issuance, of a Purchase Order from the Division of Purchases. The successful bidder shall be authorized to commence work only upon the issuance of the Purchase Order and, in addition, an authorization from the user agency. The issuance of the Purchase Order and the continuation of any contract awarded pursuant to this solicitation is contingent upon the availability of funds.

#### **Prevailing Wages**

The successful bidder and its subcontractors must pay their workers at the applicable prevailing wage rates (adjusted every July 1) for the various trades on a weekly basis, pay their workers one and one-half times the applicable prevailing wage rates for each hour worked in excess of 8 hours in any one day or 40 hours in any one week, and submit certified weekly payroll forms on a monthly basis to the user agency. Prevailing wage posters and rate schedules, available at the Rhode Island Department of Labor and Training website at www.dlt.ri.gov, must be posted at the project site.

#### **Occupational Safety**

The successful bidder must ensure (if the total contract price 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.

#### **Hazardous Substances**

The successful bidder must submit a chemical identification list to the Rhode Island Department of Labor and Training upon receipt of a Purchase Order from the Division of Purchases prior to performance of the contract awarded pursuant to this solicitation and make available to all employees a list of any hazardous substances that may present a risk of exposure.

#### <u>Substitutions</u>

Any proposal in response to a request for substitutions in the solicitation must include the detailed information necessary for a comprehensive evaluation, including (without limitation) the name of the material or equipment of the proposed substitution and a complete description of the proposed substitution, with drawings and performance and test data. 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. All substitution approvals will be posted, as addenda to the solicitation on the Division of Purchases website.

#### **Licenses**

The successful bidder and anyone performing any services on the contract awarded pursuant to this solicitation must possess all of the licenses required by any federal, state, or local law to perform such work.

#### **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 (referencing the solicitation number) 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:

#### Type of Insurance

#### **Amount of Coverage**

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 nonowned and/or hired vehicles and equipment

**Workers Compensation** 

Coverage B \$100,000

Environmental Impairment \$1 Million or 5% of contract amount, ("pollution control") whichever is greater

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

#### **Minority Business Enterprises**

The Division of Purchases reserves the right to give additional consideration to bid proposals submitted by minority/women business enterprises certified by the Division of Purchases, Minority Business Office ("MBEs") provided that any such bid proposal is fully responsive to the terms and conditions of this solicitation, and the bid price is determined, in the discretion of the Division of Purchases, to be within a competitive range.

Any bidder who does not intend to perform all of the work with its own forces shall recruit and engage MBEs to perform at least 10% of the dollar value of the contract awarded pursuant to this solicitation. To reach that goal, the bidder may allocate up to 60% of its costs for materials and supplies obtained from MBE dealers or 100% of its costs for materials and supplies obtained from MBE manufacturers.

The successful bidder must submit a plan to meet this requirement for approval by the Division of Purchases, Minority Business Enterprise Compliance Office within the 21-day period following the tentative letter of award, identifying all MBEs, and must also demonstrate its good faith best efforts to meet these MBE goals. Information about this requirement and a directory of MBEs certified in Rhode Island is available at www.mbe.ri.gov or (401) 574-8670.

#### **Equal Opportunity**

The successful bidder must demonstrate a commitment to equal opportunity and submit an affirmative action plan for review by the Rhode Island Department of Administration State Equal Opportunity Office) within the 21-day period following the tentative letter of award. Information about this requirement is available at www.diversity.ri.gov/eeo/eoopagehome.htm or (401) 222-3090.

#### **Drug-Free Workplace**

The successful bidder shall comply, and require that its employees comply, with the State of Rhode Island Drug Free Workplace policy and provide a certificate of compliance within the 21-day period following the tentative letter of award.

#### Sprinkler Impairment

The successful bidder must comply with the requirements of the State of Rhode Island's insurance carrier for sprinkler impairment and hot work, accessible at the Division of Purchases website at www.purchasing.ri.gov.

#### **Foreign Corporations**

No foreign corporation or limited liability company 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, and no foreign limited partnership may transact business in the State of Rhode Island until it shall have obtained a Certificate of Registration from the Rhode Island Secretary of State. The successful bidder, if a corporation or limited liability company, will be required to provide a Good Standing Certificate, and if a limited partnership, will be required to provide a Letter of Legal Existence, issued by the Rhode Island Secretary of State within the 21-day period following the tentative letter of award.

#### **Campaign Finance**

The successful bidder who has contributed, within the 24 months preceding the contract award, an aggregate amount of more than \$250.00 within a calendar year to any Rhode Island general officer, candidate for general office, any member of the general assembly, or any Rhode Island political party, must file a "Vendor Affidavit" with the State of Rhode Island Board of Elections. Information about "Vendor Affidavits" and electronic filing is available at www.elections.ri.gov or Board of Elections, Campaign Finance, (401) 222-2056.

#### **Binding Contract**

A binding contract between the State of Rhode Island and the successful bidder will be formed by the issuance of a Purchase Order from the Division of Purchases, and only by the issuance of a Purchase Order, and only to the extent of available funds. The binding contract will incorporate and be subject to the terms and conditions of the solicitation, including the Invitation to Bid, the Instructions to Bidders, the Bid Preparation Checklist, the Request for Quote, the Bidder Certification Cover Form, the Agreement (if applicable to this solicitation), and also the Purchase Order. The successful bidder shall be authorized to commence work only upon the issuance of the Purchase Order and, in addition, an authorization from the user agency.

#### **Compliance with Terms of Contract**

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

#### **Contract Terms and Conditions**

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#### **Terms and Conditions**

#### BID STANDARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS

#### TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR THIS BID

#### 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.

#### CAMPAIGN FINANCE COMPLIANCE

CAMPAIGN FINANCE: In accordance with RI General Law 17-27-2, Every person or business entity providing goods or services of \$5,000 or more, and has in the preceding 24 months, contributed an aggregate amount in excess of \$250 within a calendar year to any general officer, or candidate for general office, any member, or candidate for general assembly, or political party, is required to electronically file an affidavit regarding political contributions at:

https://secure.ricampaignfinance.com/RhodeIslandCF/Public/VendorAffidavit.aspx

#### ARRA SUPPLEMENTAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

For contracts and sub-awards funded in whole or in part by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009. Pub.L.No. 111-5 and any amendments thereto, such contracts and sub-awards shall be subject to the Supplemental Terms and Conditions For Contracts and Sub-awards Funded in Whole or in Part by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009. Pub.L.No. 111-5 and any amendments thereto located on the Division of Purchases website at <a href="https://www.purchasing.ri.gov">www.purchasing.ri.gov</a>.

#### **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.

For all Purchase Orders issued on behalf of the University of Rhode Island, Community College of Rhode Island, and Rhode Island College, vendors will receive a confirming order from the respective entity prior to proceeding.

#### **DELIVERY PER AGENCY**

DELIVERY OF GOODS OR SERVICES AS REQUESTED BY AGENCY.

#### 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.

#### 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.

#### 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 ordering 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.

Mailing Address for Bid Proposals issued by the State of Rhode Island, Division of Purchases:

All Bid Proposals must be submitted to the following address:

State of Rhode Island
Department of Administration
Division of Purchases, 2nd Floor
One Capitol Hill
Providence, RI 02908

#### **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

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#### **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

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#### 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 reguired to:

- I. 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 .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 <a href="www.dlt.ri.gov">www.dlt.ri.gov</a> 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 Ist 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, 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 journeyperson 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.

#### **CERTIFICATION**

Telephone:

TTY:

(401) 462-8000

Via RI Relay 711

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.

#### APPRENDIX 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 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.

### Prompt Payment Discount Form (Invoice discounts for receiving fast payments)

Note: All vendors doing business with the State of Rhode Island must complete a Prompt Payment Discount ("PPD") form as part of this Master Price Agreement solicitation.

Bidder Name:		
RFQ/RFP Bid Solicitation Number: _		
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<u>Prompt Payment Discounts ("PPD")</u>: Vendors benefit from PPD by increased, usable cash flow as a result of fast and efficient payments for commodities or services rendered. While Bidders/Contractors have flexibility in determining the actual % discount(s) offered to the State, the discount(s) must be identified in 10 days or more for Payment Issuance Date. The State may use the prompt pay discounts submitted as a basis for selection and may negotiate discounts as deemed in the best interest of the State.

All discounts offered will be automatically deducted from payment when the issue date is within the specified number of days listed below and in accordance with the State's Prompt Payment Law. Payment days will be measured **from** the date goods are received and accepted/performance was completed OR the date an invoice is received by the Office of the DOA Controller, whichever is later **to** the date the payment is issued via ACH or mailed by the State Treasurer. The date of payment "issue" is the date a payment is considered "paid" not the date a payment is "received" by a vendor.

Enter the Prompt Payment Discount percentage (%) off the invoice payment, for the available payment issue dates listed below. Note: <u>Vendors are allowed up to three different prompt payment options</u>. Example prompt payment options are:

5% - 10 Days 3% - 20 Days 1% - 25 Days

Discount %	Payment Issue Date Within
%	10 Days
%	15 Days
%	20 Days
%	25 Days
By checking this box, we certify that we will Prompt Payment Discounts	not offer any

<u>ACH Payments/Supplier Portal:</u> Vendors are highly encouraged to enroll for ACH payments. This payment method will increase the prompt pay benefit since funds are paid directly to designated bank accounts, thus eliminating the delay of check clearance policies and traditional mail lead time. The form required for ACH enrollment can be found at <a href="http://controller.admin.ri.gov/Forms/index.php">http://controller.admin.ri.gov/Forms/index.php</a>.

The State also highly encourages Vendors to use the RIFANS Supplier Portal which includes the functionality to electronically submit invoices against open Purchase Orders. This efficient invoicing method eliminates handling time, mailing expenses, and will further expedite the payment process. Information on the portal can be found at <a href="http://controller.admin.ri.gov/iSupplier/isup/index.php">http://controller.admin.ri.gov/iSupplier/isup/index.php</a>.

We will sign up for ACH payment.			1
(please circle response)	Yes	No	
We will utilize the State's Supplier Portal to electronically submit invoices.	Yes	No	1
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Signature	Dat	e

#### All procurements requiring PPD shall include the following language:

#### **Prompt Payment Discounts ("PPD")**

The Department of Administration's ("Department") goal in establishing the PPD program is to provide an opportunity for expedited payment to vendors, while reducing the cost to the State through vendor discounts. State agencies are encouraged to utilize vendors that offer cash discounts, along with competitive pricing, when selecting services or goods from master price agreements. In addition, the Department seeks to promote prompt payment through the use of electronic funds transfer ("EFT") through the ACH system.

#### **Prompt Payment Discount Form**

All vendors submitting proposals in response to designated master price agreement solicitations must submit the attached PPD form in order to participate in the PPD program.

Nothing herein prevents the State Purchasing Agent or designee from negotiating lower pricing or greater discounts and/or waiving technicalities related to PPDs in the best interests of the State.

FORM W-9 REV 8/15

#### STATE OF RHODE ISLAND FORM W-9 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.

Enter your taxpayer i	dentification number in For most individuals, curity number.	Social Security No. (SSN)	Employer ID No	. (EIN)
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ADDRESS				
CITY, STATE AND Z	ZIP CODE			
PAYMENT REMITTA	ANCE ADDRESS, IF DIF	FERENT FROM THE ADDRESS	S ABOVE	
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Date Entered \_

Entered By\_



### Public Works Bid Preparation Checklist

Date: 7/21/2017

Bid#: 7554496

**Title:** Service, Repair and Maintenance for Elevators, Escalators and other Vertical Transportation

Equipment – Repair/Parts

This checklist is provided to assist the bidder in preparing a bid proposal for submission. It is <u>not</u> 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:**

- - 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 <u>and</u> 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
- ☐ Other: Form 2013-17 Prevailing wage certification, PPD Form

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