



Request for Quote

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

BUYER: Haley, Talia R
 PHONE #: 401-574-8151

CREATION DATE : 16-AUG-18
 BID NUMBER: 7596606
 TITLE: MPA-188 Telephone/Button Set/Expansion
 BID CLOSING DATE AND TIME: 14-SEP-2018 10:00:00

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Note to Bidders: QUESTIONS concerning this solicitation must be received by the Division of Purchases at (doa.purquestions2@purchasing.ri.gov) no later than August 23, 2018 @ 4:00 PM (EST). Questions should be submitted in a Microsoft Word attachment. Please reference the RFQ Bid #7596606 on all correspondence. Questions received, if any, will be posted on the Rhode Island Division of Purchases website 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	Telephone/Button Set/Expansion (MPA-188) Line Note to Bidders: *See attached specifications*	1.00	Each	**ENTER PRICING ON EXCEL SPREADHSHEET**	

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



REQUEST FOR QUOTE (RFQ) – BID #7596606

BID TITLE: MPA-188 TELEPHONE/BUTTON SET/EXPANSION

SUBMISSION DEADLINE: 09/14/2018 at 10:00 AM (EST)

PRE-BID CONFERENCE:

NO
 YES _____

Buyer Name: Talia Haley

Title: Buyer I

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NOTE TO VENDORS:

Vendors must register on-line at the Rhode Island Division of Purchases website at www.purchasing.ri.gov.

Offers received without the completed three-page Rhode Island Vendor Information Program (RIVIP) Generated Bidder Certification Cover Form attached may result in disqualification.

THIS PAGE IS NOT A BIDDER CERTIFICATION FORM



The Rhode Island Department of Administration, Division of Purchases, on behalf of all Rhode Island State agencies is soliciting for qualified vendors capable of providing Telephone/Button Set/ Expansion as bid to various State of Rhode Island locations listed herein as requested/as needed, by the user agency. In accordance with the terms of the Request and the State's General Conditions of Purchase (available at www.purchasing.ri.gov).

Blanket Term: November 1, 2018 – October 31, 2020

THERE ARE NO RENEWAL OPTIONS AVAILABLE FOR THIS MPA

- Vendors are required to complete the Bid Form provided and submit with their proposal.
- Delivery of product, as requested by agency.
- **All vendors responding to the within solicitation must complete the attached prompt payment discount “PPD” form as part of this master price agreement solicitation.**
- This bid needs to be detailed and priced on a per-line basis. Single fee bids will not be accepted.
- An Electronic Based File is attached that includes an Excel Spreadsheet for submission of the vendor bid form for this solicitation. **No USB drives will be accepted.**
- Submission instruction is as follows:
 - Bidders are instructed to submit pricing in excel on the Electronic Disc-Based Excel File OR print bid form in the same excel format provided and manually enter pricing.
 - If you choose to submit on the on the Electronic Based Excel File, please submit a DISC (CD) copy of your bid form in the same excel format provided. ***Please make sure that disk is completed and not blank before submitting***
 - A Bidder may choose not to submit a disc-based file. If so, please print and complete required bid form in **ink, clearly and legible** and submit a hard copy with proposal.

**BIDDERS MUST SUBMIT A HARD COPY OF THE BID FORM
ALONG WITH THE RIVIP THREE – PAGE BIDDER
CERTIFICATION COVER FORM.**

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: _____

Prompt Payment Discounts ("PPD"): 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: Vendors are allowed up to three different prompt payment options. 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 not offer any Prompt Payment Discounts	
<input type="checkbox"/>	

ACH Payments/Supplier Portal: 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 <http://controller.admin.ri.gov/Forms/index.php>.

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 <http://controller.admin.ri.gov/iSupplier/isup/index.php>.

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

Signature _____ Date _____

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.

Contract Terms and Conditions

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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.

DELIVERY PER AGENCY

DELIVERY OF GOODS OR SERVICES AS REQUESTED BY AGENCY.

INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS (ADDITIONAL)

ANNUAL RENEWAL INSURANCE CERTIFICATES FOR WORKERS' COMPENSATION, PUBLIC LIABILITY, PROPERTY DAMAGE INSURANCE, AUTO INSURANCE, PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY INSURANCE (AKA ERRORS & OMISSIONS), BUILDER'S RISK INSURANCE, SCHOOL BUSING AUTO LIABILITY, ENVIRONMENTAL IMPAIRMENT (AKA POLLUTION CONTROL), VESSEL OPERATION (MARINE OR AIRCRAFT) PROTECTION & INDEMNITY, ETC., MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE SPECIFIC AGENCY IDENTIFIED IN THE "SHIP TO" SECTION OF THE PURCHASE ORDER. CERTIFICATES ARE ANNUALLY DUE PRIOR TO THE BEGINNING OF ANY CONTRACT PERIOD BEYOND THE INITIAL TWELVE-MONTH PERIOD OF A CONTRACT. FAILURE TO PROVIDE ANNUAL INSURANCE CERTIFICATION MAY BE GROUNDS FOR CANCELLATION.

MBE PARTICIPATION

In accordance with R. I. Gen. Laws §§ 37-14.1-1 and 37-2.2-1 it is the policy of the State to support the fullest possible participation of firms owned and controlled by minorities (MBEs) and women (WBEs) and to support the fullest possible participation of small disadvantaged businesses owned and controlled by persons with disabilities (Disability Business Enterprises a/k/a "DisBE") in the performance of State procurements and projects. Any vendor issued a tentative award, shall submit an MBE plan utilizing the forms provided by Office of Diversity, Equity and Opportunity (ODEO) within 5 business days of the date of the tentative award notice.

Completed MBE forms are to be sent to Rhode Island Department of Administration, Office of Diversity, Equity and Opportunity (ODEO), Minority Business Enterprise Compliance Office at One Capitol Hill, 3rd Floor, Providence, Rhode Island 02908. For further information and forms, contact Dorinda Keene at (401) 574-8670 or dorinda.keene@doa.ri.gov or visit the Office of Diversity, Equity and Opportunity website at <http://odeo.ri.gov/>.

MPA BID AWARD (STATEWIDE APPLICABILITY)

STATEWIDE APPLICABILITY - Political Subdivisions (cities, towns, schools, quasi-public agencies), as authorized by law, may participate in this Agreement. All ordering and billing shall be between the vendor and the political subdivision (only).

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.

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

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

PPD - PROMPT PAYMENT DISCOUNT CLAUSE

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RIVIP INFO - BID SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

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The bid proposal must be delivered (via mail, messenger service, or personal delivery) to the Division of Purchases and date-stamped/received 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, 2nd Floor
One Capitol Hill, 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.

Bid proposals in electronic format are not accepted at this time.

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

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.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF PRICING AGREEMENT

SCOPE AND LIMITATIONS - This Agreement covers requirements as described herein, ordered by State agencies during the Agreement Period. No additional or alternative requirements are covered, unless added to the Agreement by formal amendment by the State Purchasing Agent or his designee.

Under State Purchasing Law, 37-2-54, no purchase or contract shall be binding on the state or any agency thereof unless approved by the department [of administration] or made under general regulations which the chief purchasing officer may prescribe. Under State Purchasing Regulation 8.2.1.1.2, any alleged oral agreement or arrangements made by a bidder or contractor with any agency or an employee of the Office of Purchases may be disregarded and shall not be binding on the state.

PRODUCT ACCEPTANCE - All merchandise offered or otherwise provided shall be new, of prime manufacture, and of first quality unless otherwise specified by the State. The State reserves the right to reject all nonconforming goods, and to cause their return for credit or replacement, at the State's option.

- a) Failure by the state to discover latent defect(s) or concealed damage or non-conformance shall not foreclose the State's right to subsequently reject the goods in question.
- b) Formal or informal acceptance by the State of non-conforming goods shall not constitute a precedent for successive receipts or procurements.

Where the vendor fails to cure the defect promptly or replace the goods, the State reserves the right to cancel the Release, contract with a different vendor, and to invoice the original vendor for any differential in price over the original contract price.

ORDER AUTHORIZATION AND RELEASE AGAINST PRICING AGREEMENT

In no event shall the Vendor deliver goods or provide service until such time as a duly authorized release document is certified by the ordering Agency.

State Agencies shall request release as follows: All releases shall reference the Price Agreement number, the Contract Issue number, the item(s) covered, and the unit pricing in the same format as described herein.

A Department Purchase Order (DPO) listing the items ordered shall be created by the agency. The agency may mail or fax a copy of the order to the Vendor. In some cases the agency may request delivery by telephone, but must provide the Vendor with a DPO Order Number reference for billing purposes. Vendors are encouraged to require written orders to assure payments are processed accurately and promptly.

DELIVERY If this is an MPA, Vendor will obtain "ship to" information from each participating

agency. This information will be contained in the DPO. APA delivery information will be contained in the Notice of Award.

PRICING - All pricing shall be as described herein, and is considered to be fixed and firm for the term of the Agreement, unless specifically noted to the contrary herein. All prices include prepaid freight. Freight, taxes, surcharges, or other additional charges will not be honored unless reflected herein.

INVOICING All invoices shall reference the DPO Order Number(s), Price Agreement number, the Contract Issue number, the item(s) covered, and the unit pricing in the same format as described herein. If this is an MPA, Vendor will obtain "bill to" information from each participating agency. This information will be contained in the DPO. APA billing information will be contained in the Notice of Award.

PAYMENT - Invoices for items not received, not priced according to contract or for work not yet performed will not be honored. No payment will be processed to any vendor for whom there is no IRS W-9 on file with the State Controller.

VENDOR SPECIFICATIONS

ALL VENDORS MUST INCLUDE SPECIFICATIONS WITH BID PROPOSAL (EVEN THOSE BIDDING BRAND SPECIFIED). FAILURE TO SUBMIT SPECIFICATIONS WITH BID PROPOSAL MAY RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION OF BID. ITEMS IN CATALOGS MUST BE CLEARLY MARKED AND PAGES TABBED.