

STATE OF MAINE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed Bids addressed to the Maine Department of Transportation, Augusta, Maine 04333 and endorsed on the wrapper "Bids for **MSFS Vessel Fire Protection Systems Services** in city of **Rockland**, and towns of **Lincolntonville, Islesboro, Bass Harbor (Tremont), and Swans Island**, will be received from contractors at the Reception Desk, Maine DOT Building, Capitol Street, Augusta, Maine, until 11:00 o'clock A.M. (prevailing time) on **October 24, 2018**, and at that time and place publicly opened and read. Bids will be accepted from all bidders. The highest scored responsive bidder must demonstrate successful completion of projects of similar size and scope to be considered for the award of this contract.

Description: Maine State Ferry Service Vessel Fire Protection Systems Service

Location: Services to be performed in Rockland, Lincolntonville, Islesboro, Bass Harbor (Tremont), and Swans Island, in the counties of Hancock, Knox and Waldo, Maine.

Outline of Work: Provide all labor, tools and equipment needed to perform annual inspections, testing, maintenance and service to fire suppression systems, semi portable systems and portable extinguishers. Work shall be done at Ferry Service docks, Rockland Marine Corporation or for some vessels while the vessel is en route.

The basis of award will be Section 0001 and Section 0002.

For general information regarding Bidding and Contracting procedures, contact George Macdougall at (207) 624-3410. Our webpage at <http://www.maine.gov/mdot/contractors/> contains a copy of the Schedule of Items, Plan Holders List, written portions of bid amendments, bid results and an electronic form for RFI submittal. For Project-specific information fax all questions to **Gail Iler** at (207) 624-3431, use electronic RFI form or email questions to **RFI-Contracts.MDOT@maine.gov**, project name and identification number should be in the subject line. Questions received after 12:00 noon of Friday prior to bid date will not be answered. Bidders shall not contact any other Departmental staff for clarification of Contract provisions, and the Department will not be responsible for any interpretations so obtained. TTY users call Maine Relay 711.

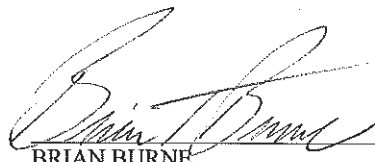
Bid Documents, specifications and bid forms can be viewed and obtained digitally at no cost at <http://www.maine.gov/mdot/contractors/>. They may be seen at the Maine DOT Building in Augusta, Maine and at the Department of Transportation's Maine State Ferry Service, Rockland. They can be obtained at no cost at the Department at 24 Child Street, Augusta, ME, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., may be requested by telephone at (207) 624-3536 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. or from Maine Department of Transportation, **Attn.: Mailroom**, 16 State House Station, Augusta, Maine 04333-0016.

There will be no bid bond, performance bond or payment bond required.

All work shall be governed by "State of Maine, Department of Transportation, Standard Specifications, November 2014 Edition", price \$10 [\$15 by mail], and Standard Details, November 2014 Edition, price \$10 [\$15 by mail]. They also may be purchased by telephone at (207) 624-3536 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Standard Detail updates can be found at <http://www.maine.gov/mdot/contractors/publications/>.

The right is hereby reserved to the Maine DOT to reject any or all bids.

Augusta, Maine
October 3, 2018


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