

**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
CLASSIFIED LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT**

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
EXECUTIVE OFFICE FOR HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH
OFFICE OF ENGINEERING AND FACILITIES MANAGEMENT**

General Bids Submission Deadline: 12:00 P.M. Friday June 16, 2023

The Category of Work is: HVAC

Project Name: 2024-007 Preventative Maintenance and Services of Chambers Building HVAC Equip.

Project Location: Taunton State Hospital 60 Hodges Ave. Taunton, MA 02780

Estimated Construction Cost: \$75,000

Perform preventative maintenance and services of Chambers Building - HVAC equipment at Taunton State Hospital in accordance with the project plans and specifications.

Minimum rates of wages to be paid on the project have been determined by the Commissioner of the Division of Occupational Safety under the provisions of Sections 26 and 27, Chapter 149 of the General Laws and will be included in the bid package.

Proposals will ONLY be submitted online via COMMBUYS website by the General Bids Submission Deadline date on forms furnished by the Department of Mental Health (DMH) and clearly identified as a bid, endorsed with the name and address of the bidder, and the project name.

Each general bid proposal must be secured by an uploaded photocopy of an accompanying **deposit of 5%** of the total bid amount, including all alternates, in the form of a bid bond, a certified, treasurer's, or cashier's check issued by a responsible bank or trust company made payable to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Awarded vendor will then mail the original 5% deposit bond or check to the Department of Mental Health Engineering and Facilities Management Department at 167 Lyman Street Room 158 Westborough, MA 01581. The Department reserves the right to waive any informality in or reject any or all Bids if it is in the public interest to do so.

Plans and Specifications will ONLY be available at COMMBUYS from **05/24/2023 until bid opening as amended**. Bid must be submitted electronically on COMMBUYS by the General Bids Submission Deadline date above. If you have any questions or concerns with using COMMBUYS, please contact the COMMBUYS help desk at 617-720-3197 (8am - 5pm EST Monday thru Friday).

Pre-Bid Conference: A MANDATORY Pre-Bid Conference will be held at **11:00AM on Thursday 6/1/2023**. Contractors should meet at the power plant at Taunton State Hospital located at 60 Hodges Ave, Taunton to review and discuss project details. Please contact Mark Anderson, DMH project Engineer, at (508) 562 - 2648. **After attending the Mandatory Pre- Bid Conference, all bidding questions must be uploaded to COMMBUYS by 12:00PM Tuesday 6/06/2023.**

Project Duration is three (3) years.

MBW/WBE Contractors are encouraged to inquire about this project.

**DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH
BROOKE DOYLE, COMMISSIONER**