



DIVISION OF FISHERIES & WILDLIFE

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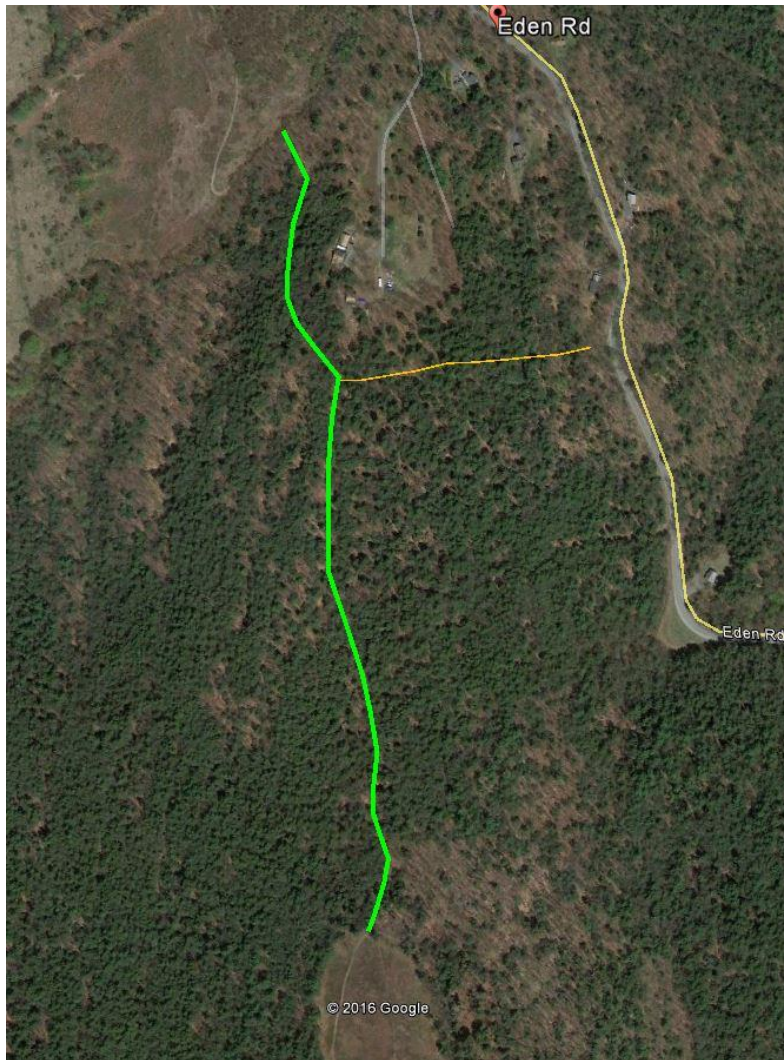
Addenda No. 1: Project DFW-2017-017: Mowing/Mulching at the Leyden WMA, Leyden, MA
Issue Date: December 8, 2016

Bidders are hereby notified of the following changes/clarifications to the bid documents for the above referenced project.

1. The Division of Fisheries and Wildlife (MassWildlife) has waived the mandatory bidder's conference requirement for the above referenced project. However, all bidders are strongly encouraged to view the site with a MassWildlife representative prior to submitting a bid to enable all bidders to formulate accurate bids based on existing site conditions. Site visits may be arranged by contacting Ben Mazzei by email at ben.mazzei@state.ma.us or by cell phone at 413-768-9090. To ensure that a site visit can be arranged prior to the deadline for bid submissions, please contact Ben no later than close of business on Tuesday, December 13, 2016.
2. All bidders should be aware that it has recently come to the attention of MassWildlife that an area within Unit 3 of up to 8 acres in size is located within a priority natural community that should not be mowed. MassWildlife is currently assessing the exact acreage of this area and will clearly mark it for retention in the field. Once the extent of the area is determined, MassWildlife will substitute an area of similar size and understory mowing condition in a nearby unit, to be agreed upon by MassWildlife and the successful vendor.
3. Masswildlife has issued a revised mandatory bid sheet that **MUST** be used when submitting your bid so that all bidders may acknowledge receipt of this addendum. The revised mandatory bid sheet is attached.
4. A question was asked regarding machinery access between the two separate treatment areas. Below is a description and map of the access trail between the two treatment areas.

The trail between the two fields (thick green line in the attached map) should be driveable with a tracked machine. There may be a few downed trees that need to be cut through but, for the most part, the trail is still intact. A fair number of locals hike it regularly. The attached map shows the rough path of this trail.

Additionally, there is a second trail off Eden Trail Road connecting to the main trail. On the map, the thinner orange line is a path that goes from the Eden Trail gate to the main trail. This side trail is likely smaller but should still be somewhat clear. It is possible to back a truck & trailer up to that gate for access. It has enough room for maybe 2 trucks to park next to the gate.



Map of access trails at the Leyden Wildlife Management Area

REVISED MANDATORY BID SHEET
DFW-2017-017: Mowing/Mulching at the Leyden WMA
Leyden, MA

This Bid Includes Addenda No(s). _____

Project Costs:

Mowing & Mulching

1. Re-mow/mulch approximately 13.8 acres, Units 2 & 4: \$ _____
2. Mow/mulch approximately 21.2 acres in the understory, Units 1 & 3: \$ _____
Note: up to an 8 acre portion of Unit 3 is located within a priority natural Community that cannot be mowed. MassWildlife is currently working to determine the extent of this area and will substitute an area of equal size and mowing condition in a nearby unit.
3. Mow/mulch approximately 3,000 linear feet of 12 foot wide fuel breaks (.8 ac) \$ _____
4. Equipment cleaning: \$ _____
5. Remobilization Cost (if approved by MassWildlife) \$ _____
6. Additional Costs* \$ _____
7. **Total Costs (add items 1-6, above)** **\$**

8. Logistics: List the **equipment and methods** proposed to complete this work. Describe the type of mowing head (e.g., Fecon-type, rotary, etc.) and mowing teeth/blades (e.g., disposable carbide teeth, steel teeth that can be sharpened, etc.) employed to achieve the shredded/blunted stumps described under Treatment Specifications above (use additional sheets if necessary):

***Please give a detailed description on a separate sheet of any additional costs associated with this project site that are not included in the Project Costs above, including site access improvements. MassWildlife will only pay additional authorized costs specified in your response to this scope of services.**

Bid Deposit Calculation: Multiply the **Total Costs** (item 7, above) by 0.05 (5%) to calculate the **Bid Deposit Amount**.

- 1) **Total Bid Price:** \$ _____
(add up each total cost from the highlighted boxes for Treatments 1-4)
- 2) **5% Bid Deposit Amount:** \$ _____
(multiply the Total Bid Price by 0.05)

By signing below, the bidder certifies that he/she is able to furnish labor that can work in harmony with all other elements of labor employed or to be employed in the work and that all employees to be employed at the worksite will have successfully completed a course in construction safety and health approved by the United States Occupational Safety and Health Administration that is at least 10 hours in duration at the time the employee begins work and who shall furnish documentation of successful completion of said course with the first certified payroll report for each employee.

The undersigned further certifies under the penalties of perjury that this bid is in all respects bona fide, fair and made without collusion or fraud with any other person. As used in this paragraph the word "person" shall mean any natural person, joint venture, partnership, corporation or other business or legal entity. The undersigned further certifies under penalty of perjury that the said undersigned is not presently debarred from doing public construction work in the commonwealth under the provisions of section twenty-nine F of chapter twenty-nine, or any other applicable debarment provisions of any other chapter of the General Laws or any rule or regulation promulgated thereunder.

Bidder's Information

Name (printed)		Signature	
Company		Date	
Street Address		Phone	
City, State, Zip Code		Email	

Signature conveys approval with all proposed bids and agreement with all terms set out in this Scope of Services.