

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS:

The Department of Fish & Game, Division of Fisheries & Wildlife (MassWildlife) invites sealed bids for Installation of a Standby Generator, electrical upgrades, roof extension, and generator pad at the Sandwich State Fish Hatchery (**DFW-2025-003**) located at **164 MA-6A, Sandwich, Massachusetts** in accordance with specifications prepared by HDR for MassWildlife. The estimated project value is **\$300,000, (Owner to procure Generator)**. General Bids shall be submitted on the forms furnished by MassWildlife in the bid package, and will be received at the MassWildlife Field Headquarters, 1 Rabbit Hill Rd, Westborough, MA until **2:00 PM, local time, Wednesday, March 5, 2025**, at which time they will be publicly opened and read. All bids must be submitted in accordance with the Contract Documents and shall be accompanied by a bid deposit in the amount of 5% of the value of the bid. Bid deposits, payable to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Division of Fisheries & Wildlife shall be in the form of a bid bond, certified, cashier's or treasurer's check issued by a responsible bank or trust company. Contract Documents will be available after **February 5th, 2025** at www.commbuys.com. DCAMM prime certification in electrical required.

Under M.G.L. Chapter 149, Section 44A-H, Part (D) every contract for the construction, reconstruction, installation, demolition, maintenance or repair of any building by a public agency estimated to cost more than \$150,000, except for a pumping station to be constructed as an integral part of a sewer construction or water construction project bid under the provisions of section 39M of chapter 30, shall be awarded to the lowest responsible and eligible general bidder on the basis of competitive bids in accordance with the procedure set forth in section 44A to 44H, inclusive.

A mandatory pre-bid Meeting will be held on-site **Tuesday, February 18th, 2025 at 9:00 AM. A virtual meeting invitation is available upon request for those unable to attend in-person.**

Minimum wage rates for this project have been predetermined by M.G.L. under Chapter 149, Section 26 to 27, inclusive. Proposals that do not have the Affidavit (of non-collusion, etc.) properly completed will be declared informal. Bids are subject to provisions of M.G.L. Chapter 30, Section 39M and Chapter 149, Sections 44A to 44J, inclusive. The right is reserved to waive any informality in or reject any or all proposals.

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