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THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS: NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

The Department of Fish & Game, Division of Fisheries & Wildlife (DFW) invites sealed bids for the installation of two new 60 kW standby generators (owner supplied), two automatic transfer switches (owner supplied), a generator pad, pavilion style structure, and miscellaneous electrical improvements associated with the installation of the new generators at the Roger Reed State Fish Hatchery (DFW-2027-006) located at 693 Ware Street, Palmer, Massachusetts in accordance with specifications prepared by HDR for DFW. The estimated project value is (\$344,700, Owner to procure generator and two automatic transfer switches). General Bids shall be submitted on the forms furnished by DFW in the bid package, and will be received at the DFW Field Headquarters, 1 Rabbit Hill Rd, Westborough, MA until 2:00 PM, local time, November 25, 2026, 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 September 9, 2026, at www.commbuys.com.

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.

In order to be eligible and responsible to bid on this project, General Bidders shall submit with their bid a current Certificate of Eligibility issued by the Division of Capital Asset Management and Maintenance (DCAMM) in the category of Electrical, together with an Update Statement as required by M.G.L. Chapter 149, Section 44D.

A mandatory pre-bid Meeting will be held on-site November 3, 2026 at 9:00 AM.

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.

By: Everose Schlüter, Director
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

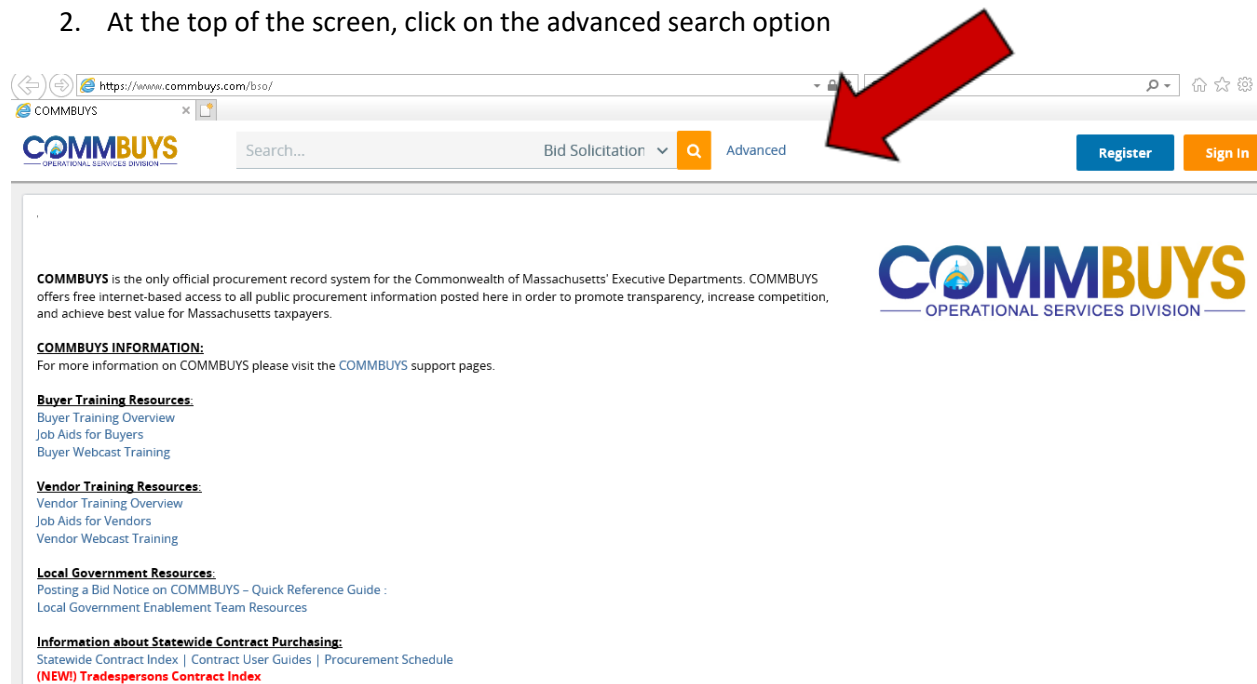
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COMMBUYS NOTE: If you do not have a Commbuys user account you may still obtain the project specifications by following the instructions below, however, if you are not logged into a Commbuys user account when obtaining the specification documents you WILL NOT be automatically added to the plan holders list and may not be notified of project updates and addenda.

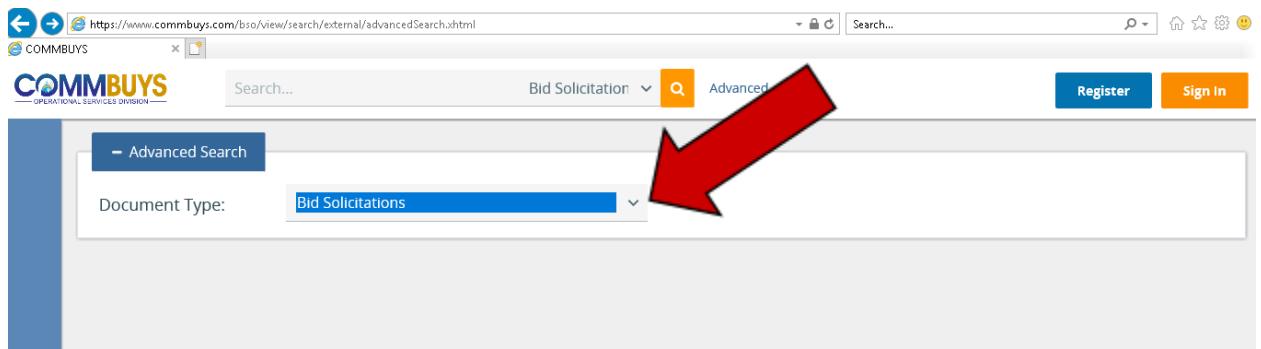
To ensure timely notification of project updates you may either register for a free Commbuys account OR send an email to james.burnham@mass.gov and reference the project number (DFW-2027-006) in the subject line and include the appropriate contact name and mailing address in the body of the email. You will be added to the list of bidders that have obtained this IFB and will be notified of any and all changes to the bid documents. If you were logged into your Commbuys user account, you have automatically been added to the list of plan holders.

Instructions to obtain bid documents from Commbuys

1. Go to www.commbuys.com
2. At the top of the screen, click on the advanced search option



3. On the Advanced Search page, click the dropdown box and select bid solicitations.



4. In the Description Box type the project number: DFW-2027-006 OR enter the Commbuys bid number 132556 in the Bid Solicitation # field.
5. The bid results will be displayed. Click on the blue bid solicitation # to obtain the bid documents.