



RFQ Web Advertisement for SBE / MBE Contractor Pre-Selection (Minor Capital Projects Between \$100,000 and \$500,000)

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Request for Qualifications (RFQ) Web Advertisement for SBE / MBE Contractor Pre-Selection (Minor Capital Projects between \$100,000 and \$500,000) Connecticut Department of Administrative Services - Division of Construction Services Office of Design & Construction – Process Management Unit 165 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, CT 06106

IMPORTANT NOTE: This is NOT an Invitation to Bid. Please read this RFQ Web Advertisement and all referenced documents carefully. For additional information on Small Business Enterprise (SBE) or Minority Business Enterprise (MBE) Certification, see Item 8 on page 2.

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Table with 7 rows detailing selection type, general statement, contractor classification, cost of work range, project locations, project delivery method, and objective criteria for evaluating SBE/MBE contractors.



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8. SBE / MBE Certification Requirements: SBE / MBE Contractor Pre-Selection is dependent upon all Prospective Contractors being Certified by the Connecticut Department of Administrative Services as a Small Business Enterprise (SBE) or Minority Business Enterprise (MBE) or both by the QBS Submittal Due Date as stated in this RFQ Web Advertisement. For more information about SBE / MBE Certification see the Department of Administrative Services Website: http://das.ct.gov/cr1.aspx?page=34

Table with 2 columns: Step and Description. Title: \*\*NEW\*\* Quality-Based Selection (QBS) Procedures for SBE / MBE Contractor Pre-Selection. Steps 1-4 describe the process from advertisement to invitation to bid.

10. QBS Submittal Booklets: All Prospective SBE / MBE Contractors must complete and submit QBS Submittal Booklets in accordance with the all of the instructions and requirements stated in 1862 - QBS Submittal Booklet for SBE / MBE Contractor Pre-Selection, which is provided with this RFQ on the State Contracting Portal (and on the DAS-DCS SBE / MBE Contractor Pre-Selection web page: http://das.ct.gov/DCS/CPS\_RFQ\_Grid.asp). IMPORTANT NOTE: When you click on the 1862 - QBS Submittal Booklet for SBE / MBE Contractor Pre-Selection, be sure to save it to your computer prior to editing.

11. Informational and Technical Assistance Meeting: All Prospective SBE / MBE Contractors are encouraged to attend a non-mandatory "Informational and Technical Assistance Meeting" at the State Of Connecticut, DAS - Division of Constructive Services, State Office Building, 165 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut 06106 as follows: Date: Wednesday, February 3, 2016 Start Time: 10:00 AM Room No.: 479

12. QBS Submittal Deadline: Deadline for the receipt of the QBS Submittal Booklets is: 3 p.m. Wednesday, February 24, 2016

13. QBS Submittal Location: Rebecca Cutler, DAS Process Management Unit Department of Administrative Services (DAS)/ Division of Construction Services (DCS) Room 483, 165 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut 06106 IMPORTANT NOTE: Failure to submit properly formatted QBS Submittal Booklets with all of the required contents by the designated deadline and location may result in the Prospective SBE/MBE Contractor's submittal being deemed deficient for consideration for this Pre-Selection.

14. QBS Questions: Rebecca Cutler, DAS Process Management Unit 165 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut 06106 Email: rebecca.cutler@ct.gov IMPORTANT NOTE: Responses to requests for more specific information than is contained in this Advertisement shall be limited to information that is available to all Firms and that is necessary to complete this QBS process. All requests for more specific Pre-Selection information must be sent in writing (email acceptable).