

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

PLANTING & MAINTENANCE OF WELCOME TRIANGLE & DOWNTOWN PLANTERS

April 2, 2019

The Town of Edgartown, acting through its Beautification Committee, is seeking competitive bids, from qualified landscaping firms, for the planting and maintenance of the Welcome to Edgartown triangle garden bed, and the whiskey barrel planters and hanging planters located throughout Downtown. The Town requires all three areas to be planted prior to Thursday, May 23rd, 2019 (pre Memorial Day Weekend) per the specifications indicated in the Invitation for Bids. The abovementioned areas shall be maintained in good health and appearance until Sunday, December 1st, 2019 (post Thanksgiving Weekend).

A one (1) year contract, with two (2) one (1) year options to renew at the sole discretion of the Town, is being offered. The contract is subject to the appropriation of funding for this purpose.

This solicitation is being conducted in accordance with the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 30B, and all contracts must be strictly awarded in accordance with the requirements of MGL Ch. 30B and the Invitation for Bids. If it becomes necessary to revise any part of the IFB or otherwise provide additional information, an addendum will be issued to all prospective bidders who received copies of the original request.

The Awarding Authority will be the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Edgartown, acting by and through the Beautification Committee. The Scope of Services, any published addenda to the IFB and the Bidder's Response will become part of the Contract between the Town of Edgartown and the successful bidder. The bidder shall be familiar with all state, local and other laws relating to this type of work and shall obtain all permits and licenses required and shall pay all expenses for same.

Bid documents are available electronically or in hard copy, please call 508-627-6185 or email jmulinare@edgartown-ma.us to obtain a copy.

Bids must be submitted, *sealed* and in writing, to the Town of Edgartown Procurement Office, Edgartown Town Hall, Third Floor, 70 Main Street (or mailed to P.O. Box 5158), Edgartown Massachusetts 02539, in a package plainly marked "*Bid for Planting and Maintenance of Welcome Triangle and Downtown Planters*, Ref: BOS-19-27" on or before 11:00AM, Monday, April 22nd, 2019. Bids will be publicly opened at that time by the Beautification Committee. Award will be made within ten (10) days after the bid opening. The Town of Edgartown reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any informality in bids received whenever such rejection or waiver is in its best interest. The Town of Edgartown fully complies with federal, state, and local laws and directives governing equal opportunity, affirmative action and non-discrimination in all Town activities and actively solicits bids from MBE/WBE businesses.