



CITY OF WOONSOCKET, RHODE ISLAND
INVITATION TO BID FOR:

"MUSEUM of WORK & CULTURE DOOR REPLACEMENT" BID# 5766
for the Planning Department

Specifications are available at the Finance Department, Office of Purchasing, City of Woonsocket, 169 Main Street, Woonsocket, Rhode Island 02895 between the hours of 8:30 AM and 4:00 PM, Monday through Friday.

Sealed bids will be received by the City of Woonsocket in the Finance Department, Office of Purchasing, City Hall, PO Box 'B', Woonsocket, Rhode Island until **2:00 P.M. on Thursday January 26, 2017**, and then publicly opened and read aloud by the Finance Director in the Office of Purchasing, City Hall, 169 Main Street, Woonsocket, Rhode Island at **2:00 P.M.**

EACH BID SHOULD BE CLEARLY MARKED ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE ENVELOPE

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A Certified Check or Bid Bond in the amount of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000) payable to the City of Woonsocket must accompany each proposal. The Certified Check or Bid Bond will be returned to all but the successful bidder upon execution of the contract. The Certified Check or Bid Bond of the successful bidder will be returned upon acceptance of a Performance and Payment Bond by the City.

A Performance and Payment bond of Ten Thousand dollars (\$10,000), with a satisfactory surety company will be required of the successful bidder.

A mandatory pre-bid conference will be held with all bidders on the site on Wednesday January 4, 2017, at 10:30 A.M.

In accordance with RI General Law 37-13-7 contracts in excess of \$1,000 shall require compensation based on prevailing wages for construction, alteration and/or repair, painting and decorating.

WBE, MBE and Section 3 contractors are encouraged to bid.

The certified checks or bonds will be returned to all but the successful bidder upon execution of the contract. The bidder's check/bond will be returned when the terms of the conditions of the bid are met to the satisfaction of the City of Woonsocket.

In accordance with Rhode Island General Law 44-1-6, nonresident contractors are subject to a 3% withholding of the contract price to secure payment of any sales tax, use tax, and/or income tax withheld that may be due the State of Rhode Island.

Drawings and documents will be available online for free. Requested printed copies will be one hundred dollars (\$100.00) per set.

Individuals requesting interpreter services for the hearing impaired should call the Finance Director at 401-762-6400 seventy-two (72) hours in advance of the bid opening.

No bidder may withdraw its bid within sixty (60) days after the actual time and date of the opening thereof.

Responses will be evaluated on the basis of the relative merits of the bid in addition to the price. The City of Woonsocket reserves the right to reject any and all responses, or parts thereof, to waive any irregularity in the responses received and to accept the responses or parts thereof deemed to be most favorable to **THE BEST INTEREST OF THE CITY.**

Contact Chris Carcifero, Woonsocket Planning Department at (401) 767-9232 or Alex Ziemba, Aharonian & Associates Inc. at (401) 232-5010 with any questions.

Christine Chamberland, Finance Director