



**INVITATION FOR BIDS
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BID NUMBER 17192220**

The City of New Bedford, Massachusetts, Department of Facilities and Fleet Management in conjunction with the Purchasing Department (Awarding Authority) invites sealed bids for Zeiterion Theatre Exterior Façade Renovation.

The work of this contract is predominately Renovations done to the exterior façade of the Zeiterion Performing Arts Center, Contract Documents, including Drawings, Bidding Requirements, General Conditions, Specifications, and Addenda may be seen or examined on or after **Tuesday, September 27, 2016**, at the following place during normal business hours: Mount Vernon Group Architects, Inc, 47 No. Second Street, New Bedford, MA 02740, Monday through Friday – 7:30 AM - 4:00 PM

Sealed Bids for the General Contract will be received by the New Bedford Purchasing Department, 133 William Street, Room 208, New Bedford, Massachusetts, 02740 **until 1:00 PM, on October 12, 2016** at which time all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. Included with General Bid shall be an Update Statement, DCAMM Certification and 5% bid deposit. Bid deposits may be in the form of Certified Check, Certificate of Deposit, or Bid Bond made payable to the City of New Bedford, Massachusetts

A **NON/Mandatory** Pre Bid Conference / Site inspection will be conducted for the benefit of all potential bidders on **October 4, 2016** at **1:00 PM** at the Project Site: 684 Purchase Street, New Bedford, MA 02740. Questions regarding the site inspection may be forwarded to **Mount Vernon Group Architects, Inc. attention Jorge Figueiredo** @ jfigueiredo@mvgarchitects.com or 508-991-7500

The attention of Bidders is called to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 149 sections 44A through 44H inclusive, qualification will be by the Division of Capital Asset Management (DCAMM). Furthermore, all bidders must submit a **Certificate of Eligibility and update statement** along with their bid. Any bid submitted without the appropriate certificate shall be invalid. Procedures respecting bids and the selection of contractors shall be in conformance with the provisions of M.G.L. Chapter 149, Sections 44A-44H inclusive.

Attention is directed to the minimum wage rates to be paid on the work as determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries under the provisions of M.G.L. Chapter 149, Sections 26 and 27D inclusive. The successful general contractor and all sub-bidders will be required to submit a certified payroll and a statement of compliance on a weekly basis for review by the party designated by the Awarding Authority.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any and/or all informalities in the bidding. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject any or all bids, or to accept any other than the lowest bidder should it be deemed to be in the best interest of the City of New Bedford, Massachusetts, to do so.

Awarding Authority
City of New Bedford
Debra Travers, Purchasing Agent