

1 Legal Notice

The Metropolitan Area Planning Council (“MAPC”), pursuant to M.G.L. c. 7 § 22B and M.G.L. 30B, is seeking proposals from qualified Respondents to create and operate a private bike share system for the following municipalities: Arlington, Bedford, Belmont, Chelsea, Everett, Lexington, Malden, Medford, Melrose, Milton, Needham, Newton, Revere, Waltham, Watertown and Winthrop, (“Participating Communities”). The objective of the RFP is to provide the Participating Communities with a safe, accessible, user-friendly, and equitable bike share system that allows for seamless operations across municipal boundaries. Services shall include supplying equipment and providing operational services for and across 16 of Greater Boston’s inner-suburban municipalities. Vendors may seek private sponsorship and or advertising, according to the bylaws of each municipality. Those Respondents identified as offering the most advantageous proposals against these factors will be awarded contracts.

The Request for Proposals (“RFP”) may be obtained from MAPC by contacting Kasia Hart by email at khart@mapc.org on or after November 20, 2017 at 10:00 a.m. EST until 5:00 p.m., EST, until December 6, 2017 and requesting RFP no. MAPC 2018 No Cost Regional Bike Sharing System. Proposals are due at 12:00 p.m., EST, Monday, December 18, 2017 at MAPC, 60 Temple Place, 6th Floor, Boston, MA 02111. Price and technical proposals **must** be submitted separately, sealed, and clearly marked. Proposals that are not prepared as required will be considered non-responsive. Late proposals will not be accepted.

The term of any contract resulting from this RFP shall be one year from the date of contract execution. MAPC reserves the right to cancel all or part of this solicitation and to reject in whole or part any and all proposals. No bid bond is required.

Boston Herald Published: Monday, November 20, 2017

CommBuys Published: Monday, November 20, 2017

Goods & Services Bulletin Published: Monday, November 20, 2017

MAPC Posted: Monday, November 20, 2017