

SOLICITATION FOR:
IFB # 17-30 Lead-Free Brass Fittings



CITY OF SOMERVILLE, MASSACHUSETTS

RELEASE DATE: 10/24/2016
QUESTIONS DUE: 10/31/2016 by 12PM EST
DUE DATE AND TIME: 11/10/2016 by 11AM EST

Anticipated Contract Award	11/15/2016
Est. Contract Commencement Date	12/01/2016
Est. Contract Completion Date	11/30/2019
Est. Renewal Years (If Applicable)	

DELIVER TO:
City of Somerville
Purchasing Department
Attn: Orazio DeLuca
Construction Contract Manager
Odeluca@somervillema.gov
93 Highland Avenue
Somerville, MA 02143

CITY OF SOMERVILLE, MASSACHUSETTS
Enclosed You Will Find a Request for Bid For:
IFB # 17-30 Lead-Free Brass Fittings

SECTION 1.0
GENERAL INFORMATION ON BID PROCESS

1.1 General Instructions

Copies of the solicitation may be obtained from the Purchasing Department on and after 10/24/2016 per the below-noted City Hall hours of operation.

Hall Hours of Operation:	
Monday – Wednesday	8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.
Thursday	8:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

All Responses Must be Sealed and Delivered To:
Purchasing Department City of Somerville 93 Highland Avenue Somerville, MA 02143
<i>It is the sole responsibility of the Offeror to ensure that the bid arrives on time at the designated place. Late bids will not be considered and will be rejected and returned.</i>
Bid Format:
Submit one, original (1) sealed bid package; it must be marked with the solicitation title and number.
In an effort to reduce waste, please DO NOT USE 3-RING BINDERS.
Responses must be sealed and marked with the solicitation title and number.
All bids must include all forms listed in the Bidders Checklist (and all documents included or referenced in Sections 2.0 - 4.0). If all required documents are not present, the bid may be deemed non-responsive and may result in disqualification of the bid unless the City determines that such failure(s) constitute(s) a minor informality, as defined in Chapter MGL 30B.
A complete bid must also include a cover letter signed by an official authorized to bind the Offeror contractually and contain a statement that the bid is firm for ninety (90) days. An unsigned letter, or one signed by an individual not authorized to bind the Offeror, may be disqualified.
The Offeror's authorized official(s) must sign all required bid forms.
The Price Form in Section 4.0 must be completed. No substitute form will be accepted. Pricing must remain firm for the entire contract period.
All information in the Offeror's response should be clear and concise. The successful response will be incorporated into a contract as an exhibit; therefore, Offerors should not make claims to which they are not prepared to commit themselves contractually.
The successful Offeror must be an Equal Opportunity Employer.

1.2 Bid Schedule

Key dates for this Invitation for Bids:	
IFB Issued	10/24/2016
Deadline for Submitting Questions to IFB	10/31/2016 by 12PM EST
Bids Due	11/10/2016 by 11AM EST
Anticipated Contract Award	11/15/2016
Est. Contract Commencement Date	12/01/2016
Est. Contract Completion Date	11/30/2019

Responses must be delivered by 11/10/2016 by 11AM EST to:	City of Somerville Purchasing Department Attn: Orazio DeLuca 93 Highland Avenue Somerville, MA 02143
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1.3 Submission Instructions

Please submit *one sealed bid package* with the following contents and marked in the following manner:

Contents of Sealed Bid Package	Marked As
Envelope 1: Sealed Bid: Shall Include (1) original and one (1) electronic copy. [Electronic copies are to be submitted on CD-ROM or thumb drives and are to be saved in Adobe Acrobat format. ("Read only" files are acceptable.)]	To Be Marked: IFB # 17-30Lead-Free Brass Fittings
Please send the complete sealed package to the attention of :	Orazio DeLuca Construction Contract Manager Purchasing Department Somerville City Hall 93 Highland Avenue Somerville, MA 02143

Bid Format

Responses shall be prepared on standard 8.5 x 11 inch paper (charts may be landscaped but must be on 8.5 x 11 inch paper) and shall be in a legible font size (12). All pages of each response shall be appropriately numbered (and with consecutive page numbering across tabs). **In an effort to reduce waste, please DO NOT USE 3-RING BINDERS.**

Elaborate format and binding are neither necessary nor desirable. All bids will clearly identify the Offeror's name, solicitation number, and formal solicitation title.

Cover Letter

Submit a cover letter that includes the official name of the firm submitting the bid, mailing address, e-mail address, telephone number, fax number and contact name. The letter must be signed by an official authorized to bind the bidder contractually and contain a statement that the bid is firm for ninety (90) days. An unsigned letter, or one signed by an individual not authorized to bind the Offeror, may be disqualified.

Qualifications & Experience

The Offeror shall include qualifications and experience of the firm (or sole proprietor). The Offeror shall identify the year the firm was established, the total number of employees currently employed, and the number of employees focused on this engagement. This section should also describe work that is similar in scope and complexity that the Offeror has undertaken in the past. A discussion of the challenges faced, and solutions developed are highly recommended. The Offeror may include any additional literature and product brochures. The Quality Requirements Form (Section 2), or set of basic business standards, must be submitted with bid.

References

The Offeror shall list at least three relevant references, which the City may contact. The City of Somerville reserves the right to use ourselves as a reference. References shall include the following information:

●The name, address, telephone number, and email address of each client listed above.	
●A description of the work performed under each contract.	●The amount of the contract.
●A description of the nature of the relationship between Offeror and the customer.	
●The dates of performance.	●The volume of the work performed.

1.4 Questions

Questions are due: 10/31/2016 by 12PM EST

Questions concerning this solicitation must be delivered in writing to:

Orazio DeLuca
Construction Contract Manager
Somerville City Hall
Purchasing Department
93 Highland Avenue
Somerville, MA 02143

Or emailed to:

Odeluca@somervillema.gov

Or faxed to:

617-625-1344

Answers will be sent via an addendum to all Offerors who have registered as bid holders. Bidders are encouraged to contact the Purchasing Department to register as a bid document holder to automatically be alerted as to addenda as they are issued. It is the responsibility of the Offeror to also monitor the bid portal on the City's website for any updates, addenda, etc. regarding that specific solicitation. The web address is:

<http://www.somervillema.gov/departments/finance/purchasing/bids>.

If any bidders contact City personnel outside of the Purchasing Department regarding this bid, that bidder may be disqualified.

1.5 General Terms

Estimated Quantities

The City of Somerville has provided estimated quantities, which will be ordered/purchased over the course of the contract period. These estimates are estimates only and not guaranteed.

Bid Signature

A response must be signed as follows: 1) if the Offeror is an individual, by her/him personally; 2) if the Offeror is a partnership, by the name of the partnership, followed by the signature of each general partner; and 3) if the Offeror is a corporation, by the authorized officer, whose signature must be attested to by the clerk/secretary of the corporation (& with corporate seal).

Time for Bid Acceptance and City Contract Requirements

The contract will be awarded within 90 days after the bid opening. The time for award may be extended for up to 45 additional days by mutual agreement between the City of Somerville and the Offeror that is most advantageous and responsible. The Offeror's submission will remain in effect for a period of 90 days from the response deadline or until it is formally withdrawn, a contract is executed, or this solicitation is canceled, whichever occurs first. The Offeror will be required to sign a standard City contract per the City's general terms included herein as Appendix A.

Holidays are as follows:

New Year's Day	Martin Luther King Day	Presidents' Day	Patriots' Day
Memorial Day	Bunker Hill Day	Independence Day	Labor Day
Columbus Day	Veterans' Day	Thanksgiving Day	Thanksgiving Friday
Christmas Eve (half day)	Christmas Day		

Please visit <http://www.somervillema.gov/> for the City's most recent calendar. *Under State Law, all holidays falling on Sunday must be observed on Monday.

If the awarded Offeror for their convenience desires to perform work during other than normal working hours or on other than normal work days, or if the Offeror is required to perform work at such times, the Offeror shall reimburse the City for any additional expense occasioned the City, thereby, such as, but not limited to, overtime pay for City employees, utilities service, etc. UNLESS otherwise specified in these provisions, services will be performed during normal work hours. When required services occur on holidays, work will be performed on either the previous or following work day, unless specified otherwise.

Unforeseen Office Closure

If, at the time of the scheduled bid opening, the Purchasing Department is closed due to uncontrolled events such as fire, snow, ice, wind, or building evacuation, the bid due date will be postponed until 2:00 p.m. on the next normal business day. Bids will be accepted until that date and time. In the event of inclement weather, the Offeror is responsible for listening to the media to determine if the City has been closed due to weather.

Changes & Addenda

If any changes are made to this solicitation, an addendum will be issued. All proposers on record as having picked up the solicitation will be alerted via email as to the posting of all addenda. The City will also post

addenda on its website (<http://www.somervillema.gov/departments/finance/purchasing/bids>). No changes may be made to the solicitation documents by the Offerors without written authorization and/or an addendum from the Purchasing Department.

Modification or Withdrawal of Bids, Mistakes, and Minor Informalities

An Offeror may correct, modify, or withdraw a bid by written notice received by the City of Somerville prior to the time and date set for the bid opening. Bid modifications must be submitted in a sealed envelope clearly labeled "Modification No. ___" to the address listed in Section 1. Each modification must be numbered in sequence and must reference the original solicitation. After the bid opening, an Offeror may not change any provision of the bid in a manner prejudicial to the interests of the City or fair competition. Minor informalities will be waived or the proposer will be allowed to correct them. If a mistake and the intended bid are clearly evident on the face of the bid document, the mistake will be corrected to reflect the intended correct bid, and the proposer will be notified in writing; the proposer may not withdraw the bid. A proposer may withdraw a bid if a mistake is clearly evident on the face of the bid document, but the intended correct bid is not similarly evident.

Right to Cancel/Reject Bids

The City of Somerville may cancel this solicitation, or reject in whole or in part any and all bids, if the City determines that cancellation or rejection serves the best interests of the City.

Unbalanced Bids

The City reserves the right to reject unbalanced, front-loaded, and conditional bids.

Brand Name “or Equal”

Any references to any brand name or proprietary product in the specifications shall require the acceptance of an equal or better brand. The City has the right to make the final determination as to whether an alternate brand is equal to the brand specified.

Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT)

For EFT payment, the following shall be included with invoices to the point of contact:

- Contract/Order number; Contractor’s name & address as stated in the contract;
- The signature (manual or electronic, as appropriate) title, and telephone number of the Offeror’s representative authorized to provide sensitive information;
- Name of financial institution; Financial institution nine (9) digit routing transit number;
- Offeror’s account number; Type of account, i.e., checking or saving.

IFB # 17-30
SECTION 2.0
RULE FOR AWARD /
SPECIFICATIONS/SCOPE OF SERVICES

Rule for Award

The contract shall be awarded to the responsible and responsive Bidder submitting the lowest total price. The contract will be awarded within ninety (90) days after the bid opening. The time for award may be extended for up to 45 additional days by mutual agreement between the City and the apparent lowest responsive and responsible bidder.

Background

The City of Somerville Department of Public Works Water Department estimates the contract value to be \$50,000.00 to 75,000.00 annually. This is just an estimate and does not guarantee the maximum amount.

Scope of Work

The City of Somerville is requesting bids for Lead – Free Brass Fittings for the DPW Water Dept. This bid is in two sections. Vendors may bid on one or both sections.

Specifications / Requirements

Please see the attached specifications all prices must contain a unit and a total contract price as requested on the bid price form in this IFB. All items in a given section should be priced even if listed quantity is zero.

Specifications

Background

The City of Somerville's Water Department, through its Purchasing Department, is seeking bids for no lead brass fittings. This contract will be for a one year term, with two optional renewal years.. The estimated value of this contract should be \$50,000.00 to \$75,000.00. The City of Somerville does not guarantee the minimum or maximum herein stated.

Section I CORPORATION STOPS, CURB STOPS, BALL VALVES & GENERAL FITTINGS

A-1. Corporation Stops - 3/4" and 1"

Corporation Stops shall conform to AWWA Standard C-800 as regard to thread types and diameters. Corporation Stops shall be designed so that they may be installed in mains under pressure using standard tapping machines. All castings shall be of certified waterworks no lead brass. Each stop shall be water tight and the waterway diameter shall be approximately equivalent to the nominal size of the stop. Inlet threads shall be tapered to AWWA Standards unless iron pipe threads are specified. All threads shall be coated or capped for protection against damage during shipment or handling. Stops shall be shipped well boxed and marked with the size and the type. All stops shall be well designed, have good appearance, and be entirely suitable for the intended purpose. This description does apply to 3/4" and 1" corporation stops.

A-2. Corporation Stops - 1 1/2" and 2"

Corporation Stops of 1 1/2" and 2" size shall be of the Ball Valve type. The body, ball stem and nut shall be of certified no lead brass. The ball shall be fluoral carbon-coated and shall be held in position by and seal off against seats of Buna-N rubber that are held securely in place with epoxy adhesive. Valves shall be watertight at any pressure up to 300 psi. The waterway shall be no smaller than the nominal size of the valve and shall be designed to create minimum resistance to flow.

Corporation Stops shall be designed so that they may be installed in mains under pressure using standard tapping machines. The stops shall turn easily and be either 1 1/2", or 2" in size as specified by the purchase order. They shall be available with either AWWA or iron pipe tapered inlet threads. All threads shall confirm to AWWA standard C-800.

B. Specifications for Curb Stops

Curb Stops shall be of the ball valve type. These valves shall be of certified no lead brass. The ball shall be fluoro-carbon coated brass, and shall be held in position by and seal off against seats of Buna-N rubber that are held securely in place with epoxy adhesive. Valves shall be water-tight against flow in either direction. The waterway shall be no smaller than the nominal size to create resistance to flow.

The seal around the stem shall consist of two "O" rings. Each valve shall have a substantial T-head for the operation of opening and closing with a 90 degree turn of a standard slotted wrench. The stops or lugs for controlling the motion of the T-head shall be enclosed and properly positioned to line up the waterway through the ball with the water passage through the valve body.

The valve shall be available in sizes from 3/4" through 2". The valve shall turn easily and shall be of quality construction throughout.

C. General Fittings

Male and female iron pipe shall conform to AWWA Standard C-800. General fittings shall also conform to a composition of certified no lead brass.

Compression fittings shall provide direct contact with service line by means of a clamping mechanism which utilizes a stainless steel set screw. The clamping mechanism shall be machined to provide for sufficient and uniform restraint of the service line. Gasketing material shall be Buna-N rubber. Fittings shall also include a slip ring to prevent binding of rubber and compression nut.

Section II

STEEL BOLTED COUPLING FOR PLAIN END PIPE

A. Type

Type-Couplings shall be wedge gasketed and sleeve type. Each coupling shall consist of a steel middle, two-steel followers, two wedge shaped rubber compounded gaskets and steel bolts. Couplings must be available for all steel pipe sizes as well as all cast iron pipe. Couplings shall be made for pipes of same diameter or as reducers.

B. Followers

1. Sizes 3/4" through 1 1/2" shall be one piece steel forgings.
2. Sizes 2" and 2 1/2" shall be cold formed two piece construction.
3. All followers shall have a solid formed gasket recess, free of seams or breaks, to confine the gasket.

C. Gasket

Gaskets shall be rubber compounded material that will not deteriorate from age or exposure to air under normal storage or use. The rubber in the gasket should have a ridged metal band inside the washer to prevent twisting or collapsing. The gaskets shall be immune to attack from water, normal minerals found in water, or minerals normally found in soil.

D. Bolts

Bolts shall be elliptical neck, track head design. The elliptical hole in the follower to prevent the bolt from turning. The shank of the bolts shall be normal size. Each coupling shall have a sufficient number of threads to properly compress the gasket.

E. Shopcoat

Unless otherwise specified all metal parts shall be shopcoated.

F. Dimensions - Minimum

<u>No. Pipe Size</u>	<u>Middle Ring Thickness & Length</u>	<u>Bolts, Diameter</u>	<u>Overall Length wing Bolts Tightened</u>	<u>Working Pressure</u>
3/4"	.120 x 5"	2 1/2" x 6 3/4"	5 3/4"	1500PSI
1"	.130 x 5"	2 1/2" x 6 3/4"	5 3/4"	1500PSI
1 1/4"	.140 x 5"	2 1/2" x 6 3/4"	5 3/4"	1500PSI
1 1/2"	.145 x 5"	2 1/2" x 6 3/4"	5 3/4"	1500PSI
2"	.150 x 5"	3 5/8" x 8"	7"	1500PSI
2 1/2"	.200 x 5"	3 5/8" x 8"	7"	1500PSI

Section III ASSORTED SMALL EQUIPMENT

A. Meter Horns (Brass)

Meter Horn - must be able by using this fitting to set meters where no meter connections exist; must be able to adapt to brass or copper pipe with no soldering. These valves shall be of certified no lead brass. Fitting should come with meter connections spaced for various size meters as specified in proposal form. They should come with and without valves, either wheel handle, gate valve or a ball valve with level handle. All solder connections shall be made with lead-free solder.

B. Basement Resetter

Fitting should allow the resetting of a meter which is presently set in a vertical position to a horizontal position. These valves shall be of certified no lead brass. All solder connections shall be made with lead-free solder.

C. Resetter

Fitting should allow the resetting of a meter in a raised position; these fittings should come in various heights. These valves shall be of certified no lead brass. All solder connections shall be made with lead-free solder.

D. Valve and Service Box Locators

Magnetic Locator shall be pre-adjusted for this area of the country. It shall operate on magnetism, and shall include a leather case and long strap.

Quality Requirements

Quality requirements, or basic business requirements, are the minimum set of standards that an entity must meet and certify to be considered responsible and responsive. **Please complete the Quality Requirements form, below, and submit it with your completed bid.** The City of Somerville will disqualify any response that does not meet the minimum quality requirements. A "No Response" to items 1, 2, or 3, or a failure to respond to any of the following minimum standards may result in disqualification of your bid.

QUALITY REQUIREMENTS		YES	NO
1.	Has the vendor been in the business of supplying the lead – Free Brass Fittings, to other municipalities for at least five (5) years?		
2.	Can the Vendor provide the Lead – Free Brass Fittings, according to the specifications?		
3.	Can your company deliver supplies within 10 working days of receiving an order from the DPW?		
4.	Can you guarantee all pieces will adhere to applicable specifications of the American Water Works Association?		
5.	Do your products meet or exceed the specifications as stated in the price sheet?		
6.	Optional: Are you a Mass. Supplier Diversity Office MBE/WBE certified minority or woman owned business? Additional minority designations may be submitted by attaching supporting documentation.		

In order to provide verification of affirmative responses to items 1, 2, and 3 under the quality requirements listed in the Quality Requirements Form, Offeror must submit written information that details the general background, experience, and qualifications of the organization. Subcontractors, if applicable, must be also included.

Period of Performance

The period of performance for this contract begins on or about 12/01/2016 and ends on or about 11/30/2019. If applicable, optional renewal years may be exercised by the sole discretion of the City (see cover page for anticipated contract term).

Place of Performance

All services, delivery, and other required support shall be conducted in Somerville and other locations designated by the Department point of contact. Meetings between the Vendor and City personnel shall be held at the City of Somerville, Massachusetts, unless otherwise specified.

Vendor Conduct

The Vendor's employees shall comply with all City regulations, policies, and procedures. The Vendor shall ensure that their employees present professional work attire at all times. The authorized contracting body of the City may, at his/her sole discretion, direct the Vendor to remove any Vendor employee from City facilities for misconduct or safety reasons. Such rule does not relieve the Vendor of their responsibility to provide sufficient and timely service. The City will provide the Vendor with immediate written notice for the removal of the employee. Vendors must be knowledgeable of the conflict of interest law found on the Commonwealth's website <http://www.mass.gov/ethics/laws-and-regulations-/conflict-of-interest-information/conflict-of-interest-law.html>. Vendors may be required to take the Conflict of Interest exam.

Vendor Personnel

The Vendor shall clearly state the name of the proposed project manager. All proposed staff must demonstrate the ability to carry out the specified requirements.

Confidentiality

The Vendor agrees that it will ensure that its employees and others performing services under this contract will not use or disclose any non-public information unless authorized by the City. That includes confidential reports, information, discussions, procedures, and any other data that are collected, generated or resulting from the performance of this scope of work. All documents, photocopies, computer data, and any other information of any kind collected or received by the Vendor in connection with the contract work shall be provided to the City upon request at the termination of the contract (i.e., the date on which final payment is made on the contract or at such other time as may be requested by the City or as otherwise agreed by City and the Vendor). The Vendor may not discuss the contract work in progress with any outside party, including responding to media and press inquiries, without the prior written permission of the City. In addition, the Vendor may not issue news releases or similar items regarding contract award, any subsequent contract modifications, or any other contract-related matter without the prior written approval of the City. Requests to make such disclosures should be addressed in writing to the Vendor's point of contact.

Deliverables

Vendor shall provide for all day-to-day supervision, inspection, and monitoring of all work performed to ensure compliance with the contract requirements. The contractor is responsible for remedying all defects and or omissions to the supplies or services provided to ensure that said deliverables meet the requirements as detailed in the contract specifications.

IFB # 17-30
SECTION 3.0
Lead-Free Brass Fittings
BIDDERS' CHECKLIST

Please ensure all documents listed on this checklist are included with your bid. Failure to do so may subject the proposer to disqualification.

Required with Sealed Bids

- _____ Cover Letter
- _____ Price Form (Section 4.0)
- _____ Acknowledgement of Addenda (if applicable)
- _____ Quality Requirements (Section 2.0)
- _____ Somerville Living Wage Form (if applicable)
- _____ Certificate of Non-Collusion and Tax Compliance
- _____ Certificate of Signature Authority
- _____ Reference Form (or equivalent may be attached)
- _____ W9

Required with Contract, *Post Award*

- _____ Certificate of Good Standing (will be required of awarded Vendor; please furnish with bid if available)
- _____ Insurance Specifications (will be required of awarded Vendor; furnish sample certificate with bid, if possible)

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Give Form to the
requester. Do not
send to the IRS.

Print or type See Specific Instructions on page 2.	Name (as shown on your income tax return)	
	Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above	
	Check appropriate box for federal tax classification: <input type="checkbox"/> Individual/sole proprietor <input type="checkbox"/> C Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> S Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Trust/estate <input type="checkbox"/> Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=partnership) ▶ _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Other (see instructions) ▶ _____	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Exempt payee	
	Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.) City, state, and ZIP code List account number(s) here (optional)	
Requester's name and address (optional)		

Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on the "Name" line to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I instructions on page 3. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN* on page 3.

Note. If the account is in more than one name, see the chart on page 4 for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Social security number								
				-				
Employer identification number								
				-				

Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me), and
2. I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding, and
3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below).

Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions on page 4.

Sign Here	Signature of U.S. person ▶	Date ▶
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General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

Purpose of Form

A person who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) to report, for example, income paid to you, real estate transactions, mortgage interest you paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, or contributions you made to an IRA.

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN to the person requesting it (the requester) and, when applicable, to:

1. Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued),
2. Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or
3. Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee. If applicable, you are also certifying that as a U.S. person, your allocable share of any partnership income from a U.S. trade or business is not subject to the withholding tax on foreign partners' share of effectively connected income.

Note. If a requester gives you a form other than Form W-9 to request your TIN, you must use the requester's form if it is substantially similar to this Form W-9.

Definition of a U.S. person. For federal tax purposes, you are considered a U.S. person if you are:

- An individual who is a U.S. citizen or U.S. resident alien,
- A partnership, corporation, company, or association created or organized in the United States or under the laws of the United States,
- An estate (other than a foreign estate), or
- A domestic trust (as defined in Regulations section 301.7701-7).

Special rules for partnerships. Partnerships that conduct a trade or business in the United States are generally required to pay a withholding tax on any foreign partners' share of income from such business. Further, in certain cases where a Form W-9 has not been received, a partnership is required to presume that a partner is a foreign person, and pay the withholding tax. Therefore, if you are a U.S. person that is a partner in a partnership conducting a trade or business in the United States, provide Form W-9 to the partnership to establish your U.S. status and avoid withholding on your share of partnership income.



Certificate of Authority (Corporations Only)

Instructions: Complete this form and sign and date where indicated below.

1. I hereby certify that I, the undersigned, am the duly elected Clerk/Secretary of

(Insert Full Name of Corporation)

2. I hereby certify that the following individual _____
(Insert the Name of Officer who Signed the Contract and Bonds)

is the duly elected _____ of said Corporation.
(Insert the Title of the Officer in Line 2)

3. I hereby certify that on _____
(Insert Date: Must be on or before Date Officer Signed Contract/Bonds)

at a duly authorized meeting of the Board of Directors of said corporation, at which a quorum was present, it was voted that

(Insert Name of Officer from Line 2) (Insert Title of Officer from Line 2)

of this corporation be and hereby is authorized to make, enter into, execute, and deliver contracts and bonds in the name and on behalf of said corporation, and affix its Corporate Seal thereto, and such execution of any contract of obligation in this corporation's name and on its behalf, with or without the Corporate Seal, shall be valid and binding upon this corporation; and that the above vote has not been amended or rescinded and remains in full force and effect as of the date set forth below.

4. **ATTEST:**

Signature: _____
(Clerk or Secretary)

AFFIX CORPORATE SEAL HERE

Printed Name: _____

Printed Title: _____

Date: _____
(Date Must Be on or after Date Officer Signed Contract/Bonds)

Form:_____
Contract Number:_____

CITY OF SOMERVILLE

Rev. 08/01/12



Non-Collusion Form and Tax Compliance Certification

Instructions: Complete each part of this two-part form and sign and date where indicated below.

A. NON-COLLUSION FORM

I, the undersigned, hereby certify under penalties of perjury that this bid or proposal has been made and submitted in good faith and without collusion or fraud with any other person.

As used in this certification, the word "person" shall mean any natural person, business, partnership, corporation, union, committee, club, or other organization, entity, or group of individuals.

Signature: _____
(Individual Submitted Bid or Proposal)
Duly Authorized

Name of Business or Entity: _____

Date: _____

B. TAX COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATION

Pursuant to M.G.L. c. 62C, §49A, I certify under the penalties of perjury that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, I am in compliance with all laws of the Commonwealth relating to taxes, reporting of employees and contractors, and withholding and remitting child support, as well as paid all contributions and payments in lieu of contributions pursuant to MGL 151A, §19A(b).

Signature: _____
(Duly Authorized Representative of Vendor)

Name of Business or Entity: _____

Social Security Number or Federal Tax ID#: _____

Date: _____

INSURANCE SPECIFICATIONS

INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR AWARDED VENDOR ONLY:

Prior to commencing performance of any work or supplying materials or equipment covered by these specifications, the contractor shall furnish to the Office of the Purchasing Director a Certificate of Insurance evidencing the following:

A. GENERAL LIABILITY - Comprehensive Form

Bodily Injury Liability.....\$ 500,000.00

Property Damage Liability.....\$ 500,000.00

B. COVERAGE FOR PAYMENT OF WORKER'S COMPENSATION BENEFIT PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 152 OF THE MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAWS IN THE AMOUNT AS LISTED BELOW:

WORKER'S COMPENSATION.....\$ Statutory

EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY.....\$ Statutory

C. AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY INSURANCE AS LISTED BELOW:

BODILY INJURY LIABILITY.....\$ STATUTORY

1. A contract will not be executed unless a certificate (s) of insurance evidencing above-described coverage is attached.
2. Failure to have the above-described coverage in effect during the entire period of the contract shall be deemed to be a breach of the contract.
3. All applicable insurance policies shall read:
"CITY OF SOMERVILLE" as a certificate holder and as an additional insured for general liability only along with a description of operation in the space provided on the certificate.
4. Please comply with our requirement of a **thirty (30) day** notice of cancellation and note on certificate.

Certificate Should Be Made Out To:

City Of Somerville
Purchasing Department
93 Highland Avenue
Somerville, Ma. 02143

Note: If your insurance expires during the life of this contract, you shall be responsible to submit a new certificate(s) covering the period of the contract. No payment will be made on a contract with an expired insurance certificate.



CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an **ADDITIONAL INSURED**, the policy(ies) must be endorsed. If **SUBROGATION IS WAIVED**, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

PRODUCER	CONTACT NAME:	
	PHONE (A/C, No. Ext):	FAX (A/C, No):
INSURED	E-MAIL ADDRESS:	
	INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE	
	NAIC #	
	INSURER A :	
	INSURER B :	
	INSURER C :	
INSURER D :		
INSURER E :		
INSURER F :		

COVERAGES**CERTIFICATE NUMBER:****REVISION NUMBER:**

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

INSR LTR	TYPE OF INSURANCE	ADDL INSR	SUBR WVD	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFF (MM/DD/YYYY)	POLICY EXP (MM/DD/YYYY)	LIMITS
	GENERAL LIABILITY						EACH OCCURRENCE \$
	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY						DAMAGE TO RENTED PREMISES (Ea occurrence) \$
	<input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS-MADE <input type="checkbox"/> OCCUR						MED EXP (Any one person) \$
							PERSONAL & ADV INJURY \$
							GENERAL AGGREGATE \$
	GEN'L AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER:						PRODUCTS - COMP/OP AGG \$
	<input type="checkbox"/> POLICY <input type="checkbox"/> PRO-JECT <input type="checkbox"/> LOC						\$
	AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY						COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT (Ea accident) \$
	<input type="checkbox"/> ANY AUTO						BODILY INJURY (Per person) \$
	<input type="checkbox"/> ALL OWNED AUTOS						BODILY INJURY (Per accident) \$
	<input type="checkbox"/> HIRED AUTOS						PROPERTY DAMAGE (Per accident) \$
							\$
	UMBRELLA LIAB						EACH OCCURRENCE \$
	<input type="checkbox"/> EXCESS LIAB						AGGREGATE \$
	<input type="checkbox"/> DED <input type="checkbox"/> RETENTION \$						\$
	WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY						WC STATUTORY LIMITS <input type="checkbox"/> OTH-ER <input type="checkbox"/>
	ANY PROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EXECUTIVE OFFICER/MEMBER EXCLUDED? (Mandatory in NH) <input type="checkbox"/> Y / N <input type="checkbox"/> N / A						E.L. EACH ACCIDENT \$
	If yes, describe under DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS below						E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE \$
							E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT \$

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (Attach ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, if more space is required)

DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT, SOLICITATION NUMBER AND THAT THE CITY OF SOMERVILLE IS A CERTIFICATE HOLDER AND ADDITIONAL INSURED

CERTIFICATE HOLDER**CANCELLATION**

CERTIFICATES SHOULD BE MADE OUT TO:

CITY OF SOMERVILLE
c/o PURCHASING DEPARTMENT
93 HIGHLAND AVE
SOMERVILLE, MA 02143

SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS.

AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE



**Certificate of Authority
(Limited Liability Companies Only)**

Instructions: Complete this form and sign and date where indicated below.

1. I, the undersigned, being a member or manager of

_____,
(Complete Name of Limited Liability Company)

a limited liability company (LLC) hereby certify as to the contents of this form for the purpose of contracting with the City of Somerville.

2. The LLC is organized under the laws of the state of: _____.
3. The LLC is managed by (**check one**) a Manager or by its Members.
4. I hereby certify that each of the following individual(s) is:
- a member/manager of the LLC;
 - duly authorized to execute and deliver this contract, agreement, and/or other legally binding documents relating to any contract and/or agreement on behalf of the LLC;
 - duly authorized to do and perform all acts and things necessary or appropriate to carry out the terms of this contract or agreement on behalf of the LLC; and
 - that no resolution, vote, or other document or action is necessary to establish such authority.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>

5. **Signature:**_____

Printed Name: _____

Printed Title:_____

Date: _____

CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING

TO: Vendor

FROM: Purchasing Department

RE: **CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING**

The **Awarded Vendor** must comply with our request for a **CURRENT “Certificate of Good Standing”**.

If you require information on how to obtain the “Certificate of Good Standing” or Certificate of Registration (Foreign Corporations) from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, please call the Secretary of State’s Office at (617) 727-2850 (Press #1) located at One (1) Ashburton Place, 17th Floor, Boston, MA 02133 or you may access their web site at:
<http://corp.sec.state.ma.us/CorpWeb/Certificates/CertificateOrderForm.aspx>

If your company is incorporated outside of Massachusetts and therefore is a “foreign corporation”, but is registered to do business in Massachusetts, please comply with our request for the Certificate of Registration from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. If your company is a foreign corporation, but is not registered to do business in Massachusetts, please provide the Certificate of Good Standing from your state of incorporation.

Please note that without the above certificate (s), the City of Somerville cannot execute your contract.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Requests for Certificates of Good Standing by mail may take a substantial amount of time. A certificate may be obtained immediately in person at the Secretary’s Office at the address above. Also, at this time, the Secretary of State’s Office may not have your current annual report recorded. If this is the case, and you are therefore unable to obtain the Certificate of Good Standing, please forward a copy of your annual report filing fee check with your signed contracts. Please forward your original Certificate of Good Standing to the Purchasing Department upon receipt.

Thank You,

Purchasing Director

IFB # 17-30SECTION 4.0 PRICING

By signing this Price Form, the Proposer certifies the following bulleted statements and offers to supply and deliver the materials and services specified below in full accordance with the Contract Documents supplied by the City of Somerville entitled: Lead-Free Brass Fittings

- The bids will be received at the office of the Purchasing Director, Somerville City Hall, 93 Highland Avenue, Somerville, MA 02143 no later than **11/10/2016 by 11AM EST**
- If the **awarded** vendor is a Corporation a "Certificate of Good Standing" (produced by the Mass. Sec. of State) must be furnished with the resulting contract (see Section 3.0.)
- **Awarded Vendor** must comply with Living Wage requirements (see Section 3.0; only for services)
- **Awarded Vendor** must comply with insurance requirements as stated in Section 3.0.
- The Purchasing Director reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and/or to waive any informalities if in her/his sole judgment it is deemed to be in the best interest of the City of Somerville.
- The following prices shall include delivery, the cost of fuel, the cost of labor, and all other charges.
- This form to be enclosed in sealed bid package.

Please provide Unit Price for the following and include any additional fees not listed:

<u>12/01/2016 - 11/30/2019 Total Unit Costs and Fixed Fees</u>	
Name of Company/Individual:	
Address, City, State, Zip:	
Tel #	Email:
Signature of Authorized Individual	
Please acknowledge receipt of any and all Addenda (if applicable) by signing below and including this form in your bid package. Failure to do so may subject the proposer to disqualification.	
ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ADDENDA:	
Addendum #1 ____ #2 ____ #3 ____ #4 ____ #5 ____ #6 ____ #7 ____ #8 ____ #9 ____ #10 ____	

Bid Pricing Sheet

Section I Brass Fittings

A. <u>Corporation Stops</u>									
A-1 Corporation Adaptors – Straight Coupling									
				Year 1 12/1/16-11/30/17		Year 2 12/1/17-11/30/18		Year 3 12/1/18-11/30/19	
Size	Qty	Brand Name	Ref #	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price
¾" x 5/8"	200								
¾"	50								
1 x ¾"	200								
1"	200								
¾"	100								
1"	100								
1 ½"	25								
2"	25								
Total:						Total:		Total:	
Total – Part A:									

B. <u>Curb Stops – Ball Valves</u>									
B-1 Female Iron Pipe Thread X Female Iron Pipe Thread									
				Year 1 12/1/16-11/30/17		Year 2 12/1/17-11/30/18		Year 3 12/1/18-11/30/19	
Size	Qty	Brand Name	Ref #	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price
¾"	200								
1"	200								
1" Reduced Port									
1 x 3/4									
1x¾ w/winglock									
1 1/4"	25								
1 1/2"	25								
2"	25								
Total:						Total:		Total:	

B. <u>Curb Stops – Ball Valves</u>									
B-2 Ball Valves Female Thread X Copper Compression									
				Year 1 12/1/16-11/30/17		Year 2 12/1/17-11/30/18		Year 3 12/1/18-11/30/19	
Size	Qty	Brand Name	Ref #	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price
3/4"	200								
3/4 x 1	25								
1"	200								
1" reduced port	25								
1x3/4 reduced port	25								
1 1/4"	25								
1 1/2"	25								
2"	25								
Total:						Total:		Total:	

B. <u>Curb Stops – Ball Valves</u>									
B-3 Compression by Compression									
				Year 1 12/1/16-11/30/17		Year 2 12/1/17-11/30/18		Year 3 12/1/18-11/30/19	
Size	Qty	Brand Name	Ref #	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price
3/4"	200								
1"	200								
1 x 3/4	25								
1 1/4"	25								
1 1/2"	25								
2"	50								
Total:						Total:		Total:	
Total Part B:									

C. <u>Adapters</u>									
C-1 Male Adapters – Copper – Tube Size Compression by I.P.T.									
				Year 1 12/1/16-11/30/17		Year 2 12/1/17-11/30/18		Year 3 12/1/18-11/30/19	
Size	Qty	Brand Name	Ref #	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price
3/4"	200								
3/4" x 1	100								
1"	200								
1 1/4"	25								
1 1/2"	25								
2"	25								
				Total:		Total:		Total:	

C. <u>Adapters</u>									
C-2 Straight Adapter – for replacement of flared copper tube nut - Female Copper Service thread by Copper Tube Size Compression									
				Year 1 12/1/16-11/30/17		Year 2 12/1/17-11/30/18		Year 3 12/1/18-11/30/19	
Size	Qty	Brand Name	Ref #	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price
3/4"	200								
3/4" x 1	100								
1"	200								
1 1/4"	25								
1 1/4 x 1									
1 1/2"	25								
2"	25								
				Total:		Total:		Total:	

C. <u>Adapters</u>									
C-3 Female Adapters – Female Iron Pipe Thread X Copper Tube Size Compression									
				Year 1 12/1/16-11/30/17		Year 2 12/1/17-11/30/18		Year 3 12/1/18-11/30/19	
Size	Qty	Brand Name	Ref #	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price
3/4"	200								
3/4" x 1	100								
1"	200								
1 1/4"	25								
1 1/2"	25								
2"	25								
Total:						Total:		Total:	

C. <u>Adapters</u>									
C-4 3 Part Compression Union for Copper Tubing									
				Year 1 12/1/16-11/30/17		Year 2 12/1/17-11/30/18		Year 3 12/1/18-11/30/19	
Size	Qty	Brand Name	Ref #	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price
3/4"	300								
1"	200								
1 1/4"	25								
1 1/2"	25								
2"	25								
2" No lead	25								
Total:						Total:		Total:	

C. <u>Adapters</u>									
C-5 Space Nipples – Brass I.P.T.									
				Year 1 12/1/16-11/30/17		Year 2 12/1/17-11/30/18		Year 3 12/1/18-11/30/19	
Size	Qty	Brand Name	Ref #	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price
3/4" X 6"	300								
3/4" X 4"	100								
3/4" X 3"	100								
1" X 6"	200								
1 1/4" X 6"	50								
1 1/2" X 6"	50								
2" X 6"	50								
Total:						Total:		Total:	

C. <u>Adapters</u>									
C-6 Close Nipples - Brass I.P.T.									
				Year 1 12/1/16-11/30/17		Year 2 12/1/17-11/30/18		Year 3 12/1/18-11/30/19	
Size	Qty	Brand Name	Ref #	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price
1/2"	50								
3/4"	300								
1"	200								
1 1/4"	50								
1 1/2"	50								
2"	50								
Total:						Total:		Total:	

C. <u>Adapters</u>									
C-7 Steel Bolted Couplings									
				Year 1 12/1/16-11/30/17		Year 2 12/1/17-11/30/18		Year 3 12/1/18-11/30/19	
Size	Qty	Brand Name	Ref #	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price
1/2"	50								
3/4"	300								
1"	200								
1 1/4"	50								
1 1/2"	50								
2"	50								
Total:						Total:		Total:	

C. <u>Adapters</u>									
C-8 Couplings – Brass I.P.T.									
				Year 1 12/1/16-11/30/17		Year 2 12/1/17-11/30/18		Year 3 12/1/18-11/30/19	
Size	Qty	Brand Name	Ref #	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price
1/2"	50								
3/4"	300								
1"	200								
1 1/4"	50								
1 1/2"	50								
2"	50								
Total:						Total:		Total:	

C. Adapters

C-9	Reducer Couplings - Brass I.P.T.
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				Year 1 12/1/16-11/30/17		Year 2 12/1/17-11/30/18		Year 3 12/1/18-11/30/19	
Size	Qty	Brand Name	Ref #	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price
¾" X ½"	100								
1 X ¾"	200								
1½"X 1"	50								
1½"X ¾"	50								
2"X1 ½"	25								
2"X1 ¼"	25								
2" X 1"	25								
Total:						Total:		Total:	

C. Adapters

C-10	Elbows - Brass 90°
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				Year 1 12/1/16-11/30/17		Year 2 12/1/17-11/30/18		Year 3 12/1/18-11/30/19	
Size	Qty	Brand Name	Ref #	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price
1/2"	100								
3/4"	100								
1"	100								
1 1/4"	20								
1 1/2"	20								
2"	20								
Total:						Total:		Total:	

C. Adapters

C-11	Reducing Elbows - Brass
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				Year 1 12/1/16-11/30/17		Year 2 12/1/17-11/30/18		Year 3 12/1/18-11/30/19	
Size	Qty	Brand Name	Ref #	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price
¾" X ½"	100								
1" X ¾"	100								
Total:						Total:		Total:	

C. Adapters

C-12 Bushings (Brass) - Hex									
				Year 1 12/1/16-11/30/17		Year 2 12/1/17-11/30/18		Year 3 12/1/18-11/30/19	
Size	Qty	Brand Name	Ref #	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price
3/4" X 1/2"	100								
1 X 1/2"	100								
1 X 3/4"	200								
1 1/4 x 1"									
1 1/2" X 3/4"	25								
1 1/2" X 1"	50								
1 1/2" X 1 1/4"	50								
2 X 3/4"	25								
2" X 1"	25								
2" X 1 1/4"	25								
2" X 1 1/2"	25								
Total:						Total:		Total:	

C. <u>Adapters</u>									
C-13 Tees - Brass I.P.T.									
				Year 1 12/1/16-11/30/17		Year 2 12/1/17-11/30/18		Year 3 12/1/18-11/30/19	
Size	Qty	Brand Name	Ref #	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price
3/4"	25								
1"	25								
1 1/4"	25								
1 1/2"	25								
2"	25								
2" X 1"	12								
2" X 3/4"	12								
Total:						Total:		Total:	

C. <u>Adapters</u>									
C-14 Brass Plugs C. C. Thread									
				Year 1 12/1/16-11/30/17		Year 2 12/1/17-11/30/18		Year 3 12/1/18-11/30/19	
Size	Qty	Brand Name	Ref #	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price
3/4"	12								
1"	12								
1 1/2"	12								
2"	12								
				Total:		Total:		Total:	

C. <u>Adapters</u>									
C-15 Brass Caps I.P.S.									
				Year 1 12/1/16-11/30/17		Year 2 12/1/17-11/30/18		Year 3 12/1/18-11/30/19	
Size	Qty	Brand Name	Ref #	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price
3/4"	12								
1"	12								
1 1/2"	12								
2"	12								
				Total:		Total:		Total:	

C. <u>Adapters</u>									
C-16 Meter Connections – (Brass Meter nut drilled for Sealing Wire Unit Price – not price per pair)									
				Year 1 12/1/16- 11/30/17		Year 2 12/1/17-11/30/18		Year 3 12/1/18-11/30/19	
Size	Qty	Brand Name	Ref #	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price
5/8” Straight	100								
5/8” 90 Bend	100								
¾” Straight	25								
1” Straight	25								
1½” Straight	25								
2 “ Straight	25								
Total:						Total:		Total:	
Total Part C:									
Total Part A:									
Total Part B:									
Total Part C:									
Total Section I:									

Section II

A. Steel Bolted Couplings for Plain End Pipe									
				Year 1 12/1/16- 11/30/17		Year 2 12/1/17-11/30/18		Year 3 12/1/18-11/30/19	
Size	Qty	Brand Name	Ref #	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price
3/4"	200								
1"	200								
1 1/4"	50								
1 1/2"	50								
2"	50								
2 1/2"	50								
Total:						Total:		Total:	

B. Galvanized Pipe – 21" length in price per foot									
				Year 1 12/1/16- 11/30/17		Year 2 12/1/17-11/30/18		Year 3 12/1/18-11/30/19	
Size	Qty	Brand Name	Ref #	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price	Unit Price	Total Price
3/4"	100'								
1"	100'								
1 1/4"	100'								
1 1/2"	100'								
2"	100'								
Total:						Total:		Total:	
Total Part A:									
Total Part B:									
Total Section II:									

Section III Miscellaneous

A. <u>Miscellaneous Parts</u>		
Indicate Basis for Charges: Check appropriate box		
List Price	<input type="text"/>	
List Minus _____% Discount	<input type="text"/>	Indicate %
List Plus _____% Markup	<input type="text"/>	Indicate %

Brass Fittings			
	Year 1 12/1/16- 11/30/17	Year 2 12/1/17-11/30/18	Year 3 12/1/18-11/30/19
Total Section I:			
Total Section II:			
Total Sections I & II:			

APPENDIX A
City's General Terms and Conditions

CITY OF SOMERVILLE STANDARD CONTRACT GENERAL CONDITIONS

1. Definitions

"City" shall mean the City of Somerville, Massachusetts.

"Contract" and "Contract Documents" shall include the following documents, as applicable: City's Standard Contract Form; these Standard Contract General Conditions; Supplemental Conditions (if applicable); City's Invitation for Bids, Request for Proposals, Request for Quotation, or other solicitation; the Vendor's response to the City's solicitation document including certifications but excluding any language stricken by City as unacceptable. Appendices are made an integral part of this Contract. The Contract documents are to be read collectively and complementary to one another; any requirement under one shall be as binding as if required by all. In the event of any conflict or inconsistency between the City's Standard Contract General Conditions and the Supplemental Conditions, the Supplemental Conditions shall prevail. In the event of any conflict or inconsistency between the provisions of the City's Standard Contract Form or these Standard Contract General Conditions and any other Contract Documents or appendices, the provisions of the City's Standard Contract Form and/or these Standard Contract General Conditions shall prevail. In the event of any conflict or inconsistency between the Contract Documents and any applicable state law, the applicable state law shall prevail.

"Certify" or "Certifies" shall mean that the Vendor certifies under pains and penalties of perjury to the statement referenced.

"Vendor" shall mean the individual, corporation, partnership, or other entity which is a party to this Contract.

2. Performance; Time

The Vendor shall perform in accordance with all provisions of this Contract in a manner satisfactory to the City. The Vendor's performance shall be timely and meet or exceed industry standards for the performance required. It is understood and agreed that all specified times or periods of performance are of the essence of this Contract.

3. Acceptance of Goods or Services

Performance under this Contract shall include services rendered, obligations due, costs incurred, goods and deliverables provided and accepted by the City. The City shall have a reasonable opportunity to inspect all goods and deliverables, services performed by, and work product of the Vendor, and accept or reject same.

4. Compensation

The City shall pay in full and complete compensation for goods received and accepted and services performed and accepted under this Contract in an amount not to exceed the amount stated on the face of this Contract paid in accordance with the rate indicated or in accordance with a prescribed payment schedule.

The Vendor shall periodically submit invoices to the City, for which compensation is due under this Contract and requesting payment for goods received or services rendered by the Vendor during the period covered by the invoice. The invoice must agree to the rates/payment schedule as indicated in this contract. The invoice shall include the following information: vendor name, vendor remit address, invoice date, invoice number, itemized listing of goods, services, labor, and expenses and indicating the total amount due. The City shall review the invoice and determine the value of goods or services accepted by the City in accordance with the Contract Documents. Payments due to the Vendor will be made within sixty (60) days from receipt and approval of an invoice. Final invoices from the Vendor are due no later than ninety (90) days from the Completion Date. Any invoice received past the ninety (90) day date will not be paid. If this Contract is extended, invoices related to the extension period are due no later than ninety (90) days from the Extended Completion Date.

The Vendor shall furnish such information relating to the goods or services or to documentation of labor or expenses as may be requested by the City. Acceptance by the Vendor of any payment or partial payment, without any written objection by the Vendor, shall in each instance operate as a release and discharge of the City from all claims, liabilities, or other obligations relating to the performance of this Contract.

In case of an error in extension prices quoted herein, the unit price will govern (Applicable To Goods Only).

5. Release of City on Final Payment

Acceptance by the Vendor of payment from the City for final delivery of goods or rendering of services under this Contract shall be deemed to release forever the City from all claims and liabilities, except those which the Vendor notifies the City in writing within three (3) months after such payment.

6. Risk of Loss

The Vendor shall bear the risk of loss, for any cause, for any Vendor materials used for this Contract and for all goods, deliverables, and work in process, until possession, ownership, and full legal title to the goods and deliverables are transferred to and accepted by the City.

The Vendor shall pay and be exclusively responsible for all debts for labor and material contracted for by the Vendor for the rental of any appliance or equipment hired by Vendor and/or for any expense incurred on account of services to be performed or goods delivered under this Contract.

The City shall not be liable for any personal injury or death of the Vendor, its officers, employees, or agents.

7. Indemnification

The Vendor shall indemnify, defend (with counsel acceptable to City, which acceptance shall not be unreasonably withheld), and hold harmless the City of Somerville, its officers, employees, agents and representatives from and against any and all claims, suits, liabilities, losses, damages, costs or expenses (including judgments, costs, interest, attorney's fees and expert's fees) arising from or in connection with any act or omission relating in any way to the performance of this Contract by the Vendor, its agents, officers, employees, or subcontractors.

The extent of this indemnification shall not be limited by any obligation or any term or condition of any insurance policy. The obligations set forth in this paragraph shall survive the expiration or termination of this Agreement.

8. Default; Termination; Remedies

A. Events of Default

The following shall constitute events of default under this Contract: (1) The Vendor has made any material misrepresentation to the City; or (2) a judgment or decree is entered against the Vendor approving a petition for an arrangement, liquidation, dissolution or similar relief relating to bankruptcy or insolvency; or (3) the Vendor files a voluntary petition in bankruptcy or any petition or answer seeking any arrangement, liquidation or dissolution relating to bankruptcy, insolvency or other relief for debtors; or (4) the Vendor seeks or consents or acquiesces in the appointment of any trustee or receiver, or is the subject of any other proceeding under which a court assumes custody or control over the Vendor or of any of the Vendor's property; or (5) the Vendor becomes the defendant in a levy of an attachment or execution, or a debtor in an assignment for the benefit of creditors; or (6) the Vendor is involved in a winding up or dissolution of its corporate structure; or (7) any failure by the Vendor to perform any of its obligations under this Contract, including, but not limited to, the following: (i) failure to commence performance of this Contract at the time specified in this Contract due to a reason or circumstance within the Vendor's reasonable control, (ii) failure to perform this Contract with sufficient personnel and equipment or with sufficient material to ensure the completion of this Contract within the specified time due to a reason or circumstance within the Vendor's reasonable control, (iii) failure to perform this Contract in a manner reasonably satisfactory to the City, (iv) failure to promptly re-perform within reasonable time the Services or Supplies that were properly rejected by the City as erroneous or unsatisfactory, (v) discontinuance of the Services or Supplies for reasons not beyond the Vendor's reasonable control, (vi) failure to comply with a material term of this Contract, including, but not limited to, the provision of insurance and nondiscrimination; or (8) any other acts specifically and expressly stated in this Contract as constituting a basis for termination of this Contract.

B. Termination Upon Default.

In the event of a default by the Vendor, the City, acting through its Chief Procurement Officer, may, at its option, terminate this Contract immediately by written notice of termination specifying the termination date.

Notwithstanding the above, in the event of a default by the Vendor, the City, acting through its Chief Procurement Officer, may give notice in writing of a default, which notice shall set forth the nature of the default and shall set a date, by which the Vendor shall cure the default, subject to approval of the City.

If the Vendor fails to cure the default, the City, in the alternative, may make any reasonable purchase or contract to acquire goods or services in substitution for those due from Vendor. The City may deduct the cost of any substitute contract or nonperformance together with incidental and consequential damages from the Contract price and shall withhold such damages from sums due or to become due to the Vendor. If the damages sustained by the City exceeds sums due or to become due, the Vendor shall pay the difference to the City upon demand.

Upon immediate notification to the other party, neither the City nor the Vendor shall be deemed to be in default for failure or delay in performance due to Acts of God or other causes factually beyond their control and without their fault or negligence. Subcontractor failure to perform or price increases due to market fluctuations or product availability will not be deemed factually beyond the Contractor's control. The City retains all rights and remedies at law or in equity.

If the Vendor fails to cure the default within the time as may be required by the notice, the City, acting through its Chief Procurement Officer, may, at its option terminate the Contract.

The parties agree that if City erroneously or unjustifiably terminates this Contract for cause, such termination shall be deemed a termination for convenience, which shall be effective thirty (30) days after such notice of termination for cause is provided.

C. Termination For Convenience.

Notwithstanding any language to the contrary within this Contract, the City, acting through its Chief Procurement Officer, may terminate this Contract, without cause at any time, effective upon the termination date stated in the notice of termination. In the event of termination for convenience, the Vendor shall be entitled to be paid for goods delivered and accepted and services rendered and accepted prior to notice of termination at the prices stated in the Contract, subject to offset of sums due the Vendor against sums owed by the Vendor to the City. Any goods or services delivered after notification of termination but prior to the effective termination date must be approved in writing in advance by the City in order to be eligible for payment. In no event shall the Vendor be entitled to be paid for any goods or services delivered after the effective date of termination. The Vendor shall be entitled to no other compensation of any type. In no case shall a Vendor be entitled to lost profits.

D. Obligations Upon Termination.

Upon termination of this Contract with or without cause, the Vendor shall immediately, unless otherwise directed by the City: 1. cease performance upon the stated termination date; 2. surrender to the City the Vendor's work product, which is deliverable under the Contract, whatever its state of completion; and 3. return all tools, equipment, finished or unfinished documents, data, studies, reports, correspondence, drawings, plans, models, or any other items whatsoever prepared by the Vendor pursuant to this Contract, which shall become property of the City, or belonging to or supplied by the City.

E. Rights and Remedies.

The City shall have the right to: a) disallow all or any part of the Vendor's invoices not in material compliance with this Contract; b) temporarily withhold payment pending correction by the Vendor of any deficiency; c) sue for specific performance or money damages or both, including reasonable attorneys' fees and costs incurred in enforcing any Vendor obligations hereunder; d) pursue remedies under any bond provided; and e) pursue such other local, state and federal actions and remedies as may be available to the City.

Any termination shall not effect or terminate any of the rights or remedies of the City as against the Vendor then existing, or which may accrue because of any default. No remedy referred to in this subsection is intended to be exclusive, but shall be cumulative, and in addition to any other remedy referred to above or otherwise available to the City or Vendor at law or in equity. The Vendor shall not gain nor assert any right, title or interest in any product produced by the Vendor under this Contract.

9. Insurance

The Vendor shall comply with all insurance requirements set out in the Contract Documents. The Vendor shall deliver to the City new certificates of insurance at least ten (10) calendar days prior to expiration of the prior insurance and shall furnish the City with the name, business address and telephone number of the insurance agent. Vendor certifies compliance with applicable state and federal employment laws or regulations including but not limited to G.L. c. 152 (Workers' Compensation), as applicable, and Vendor shall provide City with acceptable evidence of compliance with the insurance requirements of this chapter.

10. Governing Law; Forum

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Any action arising out of this Contract shall be brought and maintained in a state or federal court in Massachusetts which shall have exclusive jurisdiction thereof.

11. Complete Agreement

This Contract supersedes all prior agreements and understandings between the parties and may not be changed unless mutually agreed upon in writing by both parties.

12. Amendment

No amendment to this Contract shall be effective unless it is signed by the authorized representatives of all parties and complies with all requirements of the law. All alterations or additions, material or otherwise, to the terms and conditions of this Contract must be in writing and signed by the City, as set forth in the below section, and the Vendor.

13. Conditions of Enforceability Against the City

This Contract is only binding upon, and enforceable against, the City if: (1) the Contract is signed by the Mayor; (2) endorsed with approval by the City Auditor as to appropriation or availability of funds; (3) endorsed with approval by the City Solicitor as to form; and (4) funding is appropriated for this Contract or otherwise made available to the City.

This Contract and payments hereunder are subject to the availability of an appropriation therefor. Any oral or written representations, commitments, or assurances made by any City representatives are not binding. Vendors should verify funding and contract execution prior to beginning performance.

When the amount of the City Auditor's certification of available funds is less than the face amount of the Contract, the City shall not be liable for any claims or requests for payment by Vendor which would cause total claims or payments under this Contract to exceed the amount so certified.

The City's Standard Contract Form and Standard Contract General Conditions shall supersede any conflicting verbal or written agreements or forms relating to the performance of this Contract, including contract forms, purchase orders, or invoices of the Vendor.

The City shall have no legal obligation to compensate a Vendor for performance that is outside the scope of this Contract. The City shall make no payment prior to the execution of a Contract.

14. Taxes

Purchases incurred by the City are exempt from Federal Excise Taxes and Massachusetts Sales Tax, and prices must exclude any such taxes. Tax Exemption Certificates will be furnished upon request. The City of Somerville's Massachusetts Tax Exempt Number is: **MO46 001 414**.

15. Independent Contractor

The Vendor is an independent contractor and is not an employee, agent or representative of the City. The City shall not be obligated under any contract, subcontract, or commitment made by the Vendor.

16. Assignment; Sub-Contract

The Vendor shall not assign, delegate, subcontract, or transfer this Contract or any interest herein, without the prior written consent of the City.

17. Discrimination

The Vendor agrees to comply with all applicable laws prohibiting discrimination in employment. The Vendor agrees that it shall be a material breach of this Contract for the Vendor to engage in any practice which shall violate any provision of G.L. c. 151B, relative to discrimination in hiring, discharge, compensation or terms, conditions or privileges of employment because of race, color, religious creed, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, age, or ancestry.

18. Waiver

All duties and obligations contained in this Contract can only be waived by written agreement. Forbearance or indulgence in any form or manner by a party shall not be construed as a waiver, nor in any way limit the legal or equitable remedies available to said party.

19. Severability

In the event that any provision of this Contract shall be held to be illegal, unenforceable or void, such provision shall be severed from this Contract and the entire Contract shall not fail on account thereof, but otherwise remain in full force and effect and shall be enforced to the fullest extent permitted by law.

20. Notice

The parties shall give notice in writing by one of the following methods: (i) hand-delivery; (ii) facsimile; (iii) certified mail, return receipt requested; or (iv) or overnight delivery service, to the Vendor at the contact information specified on the face of this Contract; to the City addressed to: Purchasing Director, Somerville City Hall, 93 Highland Avenue, Somerville, MA 02143, Fax # 617-625-1344 with a copy to: City Solicitor, City Hall, 93 Highland Avenue, Somerville, MA 02143. Notice shall be effective on the earlier of (i) the day of actual receipt, or (ii) one day after tender of delivery.

21. Captions

The captions of the sections in this Contract are for convenience and reference only and in no way define, limit or affect the scope or substance of any section of this Contract.

22. Non-Collusion

This Contract was made without collusion or fraud with any other person and was in all respects bona fide and fair. As used in this paragraph, the word, "person," shall mean any natural person, joint venture, partnership, corporation, or other business or legal entity. The Vendor certifies under penalties of perjury that this bid or proposal has been made and submitted in good faith and without collusion or fraud with any other person. As used in this certification, the word "person" shall mean any natural person, business, partnership, corporation, union, committee, club, or other organization, entity, or group of individuals.

23. Tax and Contributions Compliance

The Vendor certifies, under pains and penalties of perjury, in accordance with MGL c. 62C, s. 49A, that the Vendor is in full compliance with all laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts relating to taxes, is in good standing with respect to all returns due and taxes payable to the Commonwealth, reporting of employees and contractors, and withholding and remitting of child support and to contributions and payments in lieu of taxes. In the event that the City is notified by the IRS that the TIN provided by the vendor and the vendor name as recognized by the IRS do not match their records, the vendor is responsible for all penalties.

24. Municipal Taxes, Charges and Liens

The Vendor certifies that it has paid all accounts receivable owed to the City of Somerville, including but not limited to real estate, personal property or excise tax, parking fines, water/sewer charges, license/permit fees, fines and/or any other municipal lien charges due to the City of Somerville. Pursuant to MGL c. 60, s. 93, the Vendor agrees that the Collector/Treasurer of the City may withhold from amounts owing and payable to the Vendor under this Contract any sums owed to any department or agency of the City which remain wholly or partially unpaid. This shall include but not be limited to unpaid taxes and assessments, police details, and any other fees and charges until such sums owed have been fully paid, and the Collector/Treasurer may apply any amount owing and payable to the Vendor to satisfy any monies owed to the City.

25. Compliance with Applicable Laws

The Vendor shall comply with all applicable federal and state laws, and city ordinances and regulations, which in any manner affect performance of this Contract. The Vendor shall defend, indemnify, and hold harmless the City, its officers, agents and employees against any claim or liability arising from or based on the violations of such ordinances, regulations or laws, caused by the negligent actions of the Vendor, its agents, employees or subcontractors.

26. Conflict of Interest

The Vendor certifies that no official or employee of the City has a financial interest in this Contract or in the expected profits to arise therefrom, unless there has been compliance with the provisions of G. L. c. 43, § 27 (Interest in Public Contracts by Public Employees), and G. L. c. 268A (Conflict of Interest). The Vendor certifies that it has reviewed the Massachusetts Conflict of Interest Law, MGL c. 268A and at any time during the term of this Contract, the Vendor is required to affirmatively disclose in writing to the City the details of any potential conflicts of interest of which the Vendor has knowledge or learns of during the Contract term.

27. Licenses and Permits

The Vendor certifies that it is qualified to perform the Contract and shall obtain and possess at its sole expense, all necessary licenses, permits, or other authorizations required by the City, the Commonwealth of Massachusetts or any other governmental agency, for any activity under this Contract. The Vendor shall submit copies of such licenses and/or permits to the City upon request. If a business, the Vendor certifies that it is a duly organized and validly existing entity, licensed to do business in Massachusetts, in good standing in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, with full power and authority to consummate the Contract, and listed under the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Secretary of State's website as required by law.

28. Recordkeeping, Audit, and Inspection of Records All records, work papers, reports, questionnaires, work product, regardless of its medium, prepared or collected by the Vendor in the course of completing the work to be performed under this Contract shall at all times be the exclusive property of the City. In the event of termination or upon expiration of the Contract, the Contractor shall promptly deliver to the City all documents, work papers, calculations, data, drawings, plans, and other tangible work product or materials pertaining to the services performed under this Contract, in both a physical format and electronic format. The electronic format shall be either Comma Separated Values (CSV) files along with the mapping information for each field, or Microsoft SQL (2005/2008) database with all associated Database Schemas, or such other electronic format(s) acceptable to the city. At no additional cost to the City, the Contractor shall store and preserve such records while in their possession in accordance with the requirements of the Massachusetts Public Records Law, the Commonwealth of Massachusetts record retention schedule and City of Somerville record retention schedule. The City shall have the right to at reasonable times and upon reasonable notice to examine and copy, at its reasonable expense, the books, records, and other compilations of data of the Vendor which relates to the provision of services under this Contract. Such access shall include on-site audits, review, and copying of said records.

29. Debarment or Suspension

The Vendor certifies that it has not been and currently is not debarred or suspended by any federal, state, or municipal governmental agency under G. L. c. 29, § 29F or other applicable law, nor will it contract with a debarred or suspended subcontractor on any public contract.

30. Warranties (Applicable to Goods Only)

The Vendor warrants that (1) the goods sold are merchantable, (2) that they are fit for the purpose for which they are being purchased, (3) that they are absent any latent defects and (4) that they are in conformity with any sample which may have been presented to the City. The Vendor guarantees that upon inspection, any defective or inferior goods shall be replaced without additional cost to the City. The Vendor will assume any additional cost accrued by the City due to the defective or inferior goods. The Vendor guarantees all goods for a period of no less than one (1) year, unless a greater period of time is specified in the Contract Documents.