

LEGAL NOTICE

INVITATION TO BID

TOWN OF VERNON

CONTRACT #1059- 05-15-2015

REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS/PROPOSALS ANNUAL FIREWORKS DISPLAY

The Town of Vernon, Connecticut is Requesting Proposals from Qualified (RFQ) pyrotechnic firms to provide the town's annual fireworks display. A firm must have a demonstrated experience, applicable licensure, and safety record in providing such services and adhere to standards and requirements typical for such services.

Copies of the RFQ are available online at the www.vernon-ct.gov/legal-notice with reference to Contract #1059 05-15-2015.

All questions about the proposal should be directed to Bruce Dinnie, Director of Parks and Recreation Department, by e-mail at bdinnie@vernon-ct.gov, with a copy (cc): to John D. Ward, Town Administrator at jward@vernon-ct.gov, no later than 1:00 p.m. Monday, May 11, 2015. Answers to all so received questions shall be posted on the Town's website under the bid section at <http://www.vernon-ct.gov/legal-notice> with the Contract # 1059 05-15-2015 no later than 5:00 PM, Thursday, May 14, 2015.

Two (2) copies of all proposals should be submitted in a sealed envelope, with "BID DOCUMENT – DO NOT OPEN - CONTRACT #1059 05-15-2015" clearly marked on the outside of the envelope, to: John D. Ward, Town Administrator, Town of Vernon, Memorial Building, 14 Park Place, 3rd Floor, Vernon, Connecticut 06066 by 10:00 AM on Friday, May 15, 2015, at which time proposals shall be opened and read aloud publicly. E-mailed bids will not be accepted.

If Respondent believes that any information in its proposal should be treated as confidential that material shall be clearly marked. The Town shall endeavor to protect confidential material from disclosure to non-town employees to the extent required by State or Federal law. In no event will the Town be responsible for the inadvertent disclosure of your response to this RFQ.

The selected firm must meet all municipal, state and federal AA and EEO practices and requirements. MBEs/WBEs/SBEs are encouraged to apply. The Town reserves the right to reject any or all proposals in whole or part, to award any one service or group of services or all services, to negotiate with any or all companies submitting proposals, and to enter into an agreement with any company for any services mentioned in this RFQ; if it is deemed to be in the best interest of the Town.

John Ward, Town Administrator