

Dedham Public Schools

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INVITATION TO BID

Sealed proposals for furnishing School Bus Transportation of school children for the Town of Dedham School Department, in accordance with the specifications, will be received at the Office of the Town Administrator, 26 Bryant Street, Dedham, MA 02026, until 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, November 9, 2011 at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened and read.

A bid bond or certified check payable to the Town of Dedham shall be submitted with each bid proposal, for not less than 20% of the total three year bid amount for 2012-2013. Such bid deposits shall be returned within thirty business (30) days, (Saturday, Sunday and Holidays excluded) to all except the approved low bidder, whose deposit shall be retained until the contract is awarded.

The School Committee, pending and subject to Annual Town Meeting funding, will make award of the contract.

All bids for this contract are subject to minimum wage rates established by the Department of Labor and Workforce Development, and must be updated and revised annually for each year of the contract, under the provisions of the Massachusetts General Laws.

Specifications and bid forms will be available at the Assistant to the Superintendent for Business and Finance Office, 100 Whiting Avenue, Dedham, MA 02026, on or after October 20, 2011. All proposals must be submitted on the bid form furnished by the School Committee.

The Dedham School Committee reserves the right to waive any formalities not required by law, to accept or reject any or all proposals or parts of proposals and to accept any bid it deems to be in the best interest of the Town of Dedham.

DEDHAM SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Kevin Coughlin, Chairman

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