

**Wicomico County Purchasing Department
125 N. Division Street, Room B-3
Salisbury, Maryland 21801**



INVITATION FOR BID

PROJECT Wicomico War Veterans' Memorial Lighting Fixtures

DEPARTMENT: Recreation, Parks and Tourism

VENDOR:

NAME:

ADDRESS:

BID OPENING:

DATE:

August 7, 2014

TIME:

2:00 PM

BID INSTRUCTIONS

1. **Submission of Bids:** *Two* full copies of the bid must be submitted on the bid form provided in the solicitation. The bid form shall be signed and submitted in a sealed envelope clearly identified on the outside of all envelopes with the name of the bid/project and date and time of the scheduled bid opening as indicated in the advertisement. Electronically mailed bids are **not** considered sealed bids and will **not** be accepted.
2. **Addendums:** Bids are subject to change in the form of addendums. Questions can be addressed in writing to the Purchasing Agent at rkonrad@wicomocounty.org . Bids are subject to change in the form of addendums. Addendums are posted on the County website at www.wicomocounty.org under Government: Departments: Purchasing: at www.wicomocounty.org/bids.aspx at least 5 days before bid opening. It is the bidders responsibly to make sure all addendums are included in their bid. Failure to do so could result in the bid being disqualified.
3. **Delivery of Bids:** Bids should be mailed or hand carried to **Wicomico County Purchasing Department, 125 N. Division Street, Government Office Building, Room B-3, Salisbury, MD 21801**, in order to be received in the office of the Purchasing Agent prior to the announced bid opening. *Bids received after said time or delivered to the wrong location will be returned to the bidder unopened.* It is fully the responsibility of the bidder to insure that the bid is received on time. The County will not speculate as to reasonableness of the postmark, nor comment on the apparent failure of a public carrier to have made prompt delivery of the bid.
4. **Qualifications:** The Bidder must be in compliance with the laws regarding conducting business in the State of Maryland. Bidder shall provide a copy Certificate of Status from the Maryland Department of Assessments and Taxation, along with their bid, evidencing the Bidder is in good standing with the State of Maryland. See https://sdatcert1.resiusa.org/certificate_net/ for information on obtaining the Certificate of Status. Wicomico County reserves the right, at its sole discretion, to extend the date this documentation must be provided. The Bidder's inability to provide this documentation will result in the bid being rejected.

All vendors who wish to bid on County projects and contracts need to register as a bidder at www.wicomocounty.org/list.aspx?Mode=Subscribe#bids by checking off the categorie(s) for which you wish to be informed of future bids

5. **Descriptive Literature:** Descriptive literature fully describing the product bid (where such literature exists) shall be included with the bid to assist the Purchasing Department in evaluating the submission. Failure to do so may be cause for rejection of the bid. ***Any items, systems or devices supplied in this bid that are proprietary in nature relative to maintenance, repair, servicing or updating must be disclosed on the bid form.***

6. **Exceptions:** Any exceptions to the specifications requested should be listed on a separate sheet of paper attached to the bid. An exception to the specifications may not necessarily disqualify the bid. The County will determine if the exception is an essential deviation or a minor item. In the case of a minor deviation, the County maintains the option to award to that bidder if it determines the performance is not adversely affected by the exception.
7. **Bid Evaluation:** If some characteristic of the bid requires that the bid must be reviewed by the County Council, the award can be expected within 30 days. Bid tabulations will be posted on the County website at www.wicomicocounty.org/bids.aspx and click on the box Show Closed/Awarded/Cancelled Bids and find the bid tabulation for the bid you are interested in.

The tabulations will typically be posted within 24 hours of the bid opening. Please use this resource rather than calling the Purchasing Office. Bid evaluations typically take 1-2 weeks.

8. **Award of Bid:** The Purchasing Agent shall award a bid to the best, responsive and responsible bidder complying with the provisions of the Invitation for Bid. All bid awards are contingent upon available funding. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to award a bid by individual items, in aggregate, or in combination thereof as deemed necessary to fulfill the anticipated requirements of the County.

All awards over \$1000.00 require a Purchase Order to be executed before any work can be started. Some awards will require a County contract. A sample is attached if this is applicable.

9. **Approved Equals:** In all specifications where a material or article is defined by describing a proprietary product or by using the name of a vendor or manufacturer, it can be assumed that an approved equal can be substituted. The use of a named product is an attempt to set a particular standard of quality and type that is familiar to the County. Such references are not intended to be restrictive. However, the County shall decide if a product does in fact meet or exceed the quality of the specifications listed in the solicitation. It shall be the responsibility of the vendor that claims his product is an equal to provide documentation to support such a claim.
10. **Sales Tax:** Wicomico County is exempt from being directly charged Federal excise and Maryland sales tax. A copy of an exemption certificate shall be furnished upon request. According to the Office of the Comptroller of Maryland, the Contractor is responsible for paying sales tax on his/her purchases relating to this project and should incorporate it into their bid.
11. **Delivery:** All items shall be delivered F.O.B. destination and delivery costs and charges included in the bid unless otherwise stated in the specifications or bid form.

12. **Insurance:** If required by the General Conditions or Terms and Conditions, the bidder shall provide the County with Certificates of Insurance within ten (10) days of bid award notification evidencing the required coverage. Bidder must provide Certificates of Insurance before commencing work in connection with the contract.
13. **Right to Reject:** The Wicomico County Council reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids or to waive any technicality it deems in the best interest of the County.
14. **Piggybacking:** Wicomico County may authorize, upon request, any governmental entity (hereafter Authorized User) within the County to purchase items under the contract awarded pursuant to this bid solicitation. All purchase orders issued against the contract by an authorized User shall be honored by the Contractor in accordance with all terms and conditions of this contract.

The issuance of a purchase order by an Authorized User pursuant to this provision shall constitute an express assumption of all contractual obligations, covenants, conditions and terms of the contract. A breach of the contract by any particular Authorized User shall neither constitute nor be deemed a breach of the contract as a whole which shall remain in full force and effect, and shall not affect the validity of the contract nor the obligations of the Contractor thereunder respecting the County.

The County specifically and expressly disclaims any and all liability for any breach by an authorized User other than the County and each such Authorized User and Contractor guarantee to save the County, its officers, agents and employees harmless from any liability that may be or is imposed by the Authorized User's failure to perform in accordance with its obligations under the contract.

BID SPECIFICATION

Request for Quotation
Wicomico War Veterans' Memorial Lighting Fixtures
July 17, 2014

The Department of Recreation, Parks & Tourism is seeking bids for

- Nine (9) RAB Lighting fixtures, model number EZLED78SF
- Nine (9) corresponding mounting poles RAB part # BGC to include any necessary hardware. (Spec Sheets Attached Exhibit A & B.)

These fixtures will be used to light the flag poles at the Wicomico War Veterans' Memorial located at the Wicomico Youth & Civic Center.

It is hoped that one or more of the bidders will wish to donate a portion of these materials in order to support our veterans. Any vendor willing to make a donation is asked to indicate the value of their donation on their quote and will be provided with a receipt for tax purposes.

Installation will be bid out separately.

BID FORM

TO: Wicomico County Purchasing Department
Government Office Building
125 North Division Street, Room B-3
Salisbury, MD 21801

Date: _____

BID - Wicomico War Veterans' Memorial Lighting Fixtures

QTY.	ITEM	UNIT COST	TOTAL
9	RAB Lighting Fixtures (#EZLED78SF)	\$ _____	\$ _____
9	RAB Mounting Poles (#BGC)	\$ _____	\$ _____
Total			\$ _____

Two copies of bid provided? Yes _____

Projected delivery date _____ Days from placement of order

Addendums Acknowledged (if applicable) - YES _____ #(s) _____ NO _____

Exceptions to the bid specifications YES _____ Attached _____ NO _____

Mfg. Specifications or Cut Sheets provided YES _____ NO _____ N/A _____

I have read, understood, and agreed to the terms and conditions of all contents of this BID. The undersigned agrees to furnish the commodity or service stipulated in this BID as stated above.

SIGNATURE: _____

NAME: _____

COMPANY: _____

ADDRESS: _____

TELEPHONE: _____ FAX: _____

EMAIL: _____

EZLED78SF

Exhibit A

This 78W spotlight combines high lumen output and a concentrated narrow beam distribution to illuminate objects up to 80 feet away with brilliant precision. Ideal for lighting large flags, tall building facades and signage.

Color: Bronze

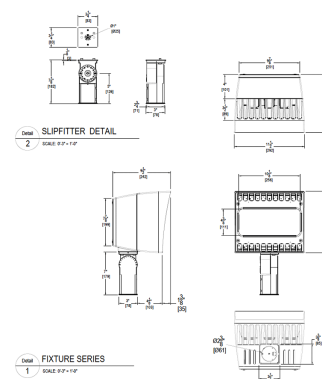
Weight: 26.6 lbs

LED Info

Watts: 78W
 Color Temp: 5000K (Cool)
 Color Accuracy: 68
 L70 Lifespan: 100000
 LM79 Lumens: 6,357
 Efficacy: 71 LPW

Driver Info

Type: Constant Current
 120V: 0.82A
 208V: 0.53A
 240V: 0.46A
 277V: 0.40A
 Input Watts: 89W
 Efficiency: 87%



Technical Specifications

UL Listing:

Suitable for wet locations. Suitable for mounting within 4 ft. of the ground.

IP Rating:

Ingress Protection rating of IP66 for dust and water.

Effective Projected Area:

EPA = 1.2

LEDs:

Three multi-chip, high-output, long-life LEDs.

Lifespan:

100,000-hour LED lifespan based on IES LM-80 results and TM-21 calculations.

Driver:

3x26W drivers Constant current, Class2, 100-277V.
 50/60 Hz, 6KV Surge Protection, 720mA, 100-277V
 0.4A, Power Factor 99%.

THD:

13.7% at 120V

Cold Weather Starting:

Minimum starting temperature is -40°F/-40°C.

Ambient Temperature:

Suitable for use in 40°C (104°F) ambient temperatures.

Thermal Management:

Superior thermal management with external Air-Flow fins.

Housing:

Precision die-cast aluminum housing and door frame.

Mounting:

2 3/8" slipfitter mount with stainless steel hardware.

Lens:

Tempered glass.

Reflector:

Vacuum-metalized, specular thermoplastic.

NEMA Type:

NEMA Beam 3H x 3V.

Gaskets:

High-temperature silicone.

Finish:

Our environmentally friendly polyester powder coatings are formulated for high-durability and long-lasting color, and contains no VOC or toxic heavy metals.

Color Consistency:

7-step MacAdam Ellipse binning to achieve consistent fixture-to-fixture color.

Color Stability:

LED color temperature is warranted to shift no more than 200K in CCT over a 5 year period.

Color Uniformity:

RAB's range of CCT (Correlated Color Temperature) follows the guidelines of the American National Standard for Specifications for the Chromaticity of Solid State Lighting (SSL) Products, ANSI C78.377-2011.

Green Technology:

Mercury and UV free, and RoHS compliant.

California Title 24:

See EZLED78SF/BL for a 2013 California Title 24 compliant product. Any additional component requirements will be listed in the Title 24 section under technical specifications on the product page.



IESNA LM-79 & LM-80 Testing:

RAB LED luminaires have been tested by an independent laboratory in accordance with IESNA LM-79 and LM-80, and have received the Department of Energy 'Lighting Facts' label.

Patents:

The design of EZLED is protected by patents in U.S. Pat D679,856, and pending patents in Canada, China, Taiwan and Mexico.

BGC**Exhibit B**

Pole mounts

Color: Bronze

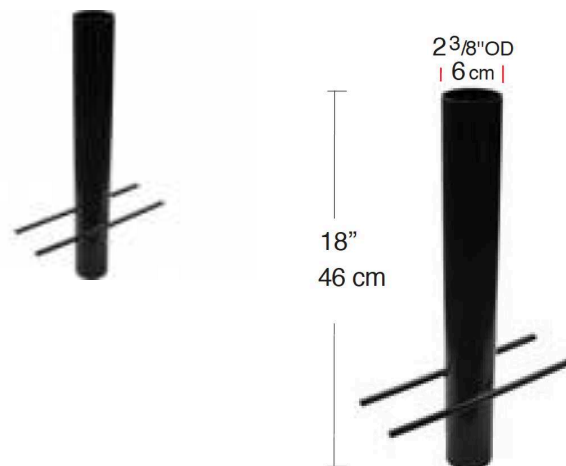
Weight: 5.8 lbs

Technical Specifications**Finish:**

Weather resistant polyester powder, bronze.

Patents:

The designs of fixtures are protected under U.S. and international intellectual property laws.

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