



## NOTICE TO BIDDERS

DARTMOUTH FIRE DISTRICT 3 (DISTRICT) invites sealed bids from qualified vendors for the replacement and installation of frame rails on its 2003 Emergency One Pumper Engine as outlined in the applicable specifications, available upon request.

Project specifications (solicitation materials) will be available electronically by e-mail request to: [chief@dfd3.org](mailto:chief@dfd3.org) beginning Tuesday, April 8 2025. In the subject line of the email, please be sure to include the project name, "Frame Rail Replacement."

A mandatory pre-bid meeting will be held on April 16, at 10:00 a.m. at District Headquarters, 140 Cross Road, Dartmouth MA, 02747.

Sealed bids must be received no later than 2:00 pm, Monday, April 28, at the District headquarters located at 140 Cross Road, Dartmouth MA, 02744. Bids will be opened at this time.

A bid deposit equal to 5% of bid must accompany any bid submission. Bid deposit may be in the form of cash, certified treasurer's or cashier's check from a responsible bank or trust company made payable to "Dartmouth Fire District 3," or bid bond from a surety company. Payment bond in the amount of 50% of the award will be required by any successful bidder upon contract award.

All bids shall remain in effect for sixty (60) days, Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays excluded, as of the bid opening date.

The District reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it deems it to be in the public interest to do so.