



NEW BEDFORD PORT AUTHORITY  
NEW BEDFORD, MA

## REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

### **WATERWAYS TRAFFIC MONITORING AND MANAGEMENT SYSTEM**

**RFP NO. # NBPA-FY26-001**

The New Bedford Harbor Development Commission, d.b.a. the New Bedford Port Authority (NBPA), is soliciting Proposals from Qualified Consultants for assistance in developing a Waterways Traffic Monitoring and Management System.

Sealed proposals will be received by the NBPA, at 123 MacArthur Drive, New Bedford, MA, 02740, between 8:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M., Monday through Friday, until the date and time of the submission deadline.

#### **SUBMISSION DEADLINE**

**DECEMBER 19, 2026**

**11:00 A.M. Prevailing Time**

Request for Proposals (RFP) documents are available electronically by contacting Ceasar Duarte, via email at: [Ceasar.Duarte@newbedford-ma.gov](mailto:Ceasar.Duarte@newbedford-ma.gov), with subject: "NBPA-FY26-001: RFP WTMS REQUEST" on or after **NOVEMBER 19, 2025**.

All inquiries and questions must be submitted electronically via email to [Ceasar.Duarte@newbedford-ma.gov](mailto:Ceasar.Duarte@newbedford-ma.gov), no later than **DECEMBER 5, 2025, at 4:00 P.M.** Answers to all questions will be posted in the form of an addenda via e-mail, simultaneously to all recipients of the RFP.

Proposal procedures and the award of the Contract will be in accordance with the provisions of M.G.L. Chapter 30B, 6, of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of MA. The project will be awarded to the most advantageous proposal from a responsible and responsive proposer taking into consideration price and non-price proposals.

The Bidder must complete the instructions for filing proposals included in the RFP and furnish all required forms with their proposal.

The NBPA reserves the right to cancel this procurement at any time before a contract is executed and approved, in which event the NBPA will reject all submissions received in response to the RFP.