

INVITATION TO SUBMIT CONTRACTOR QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE
FOR FISH PASSAGE RESTORATION PROJECTS
WOOD-PAWCATUCK WATERSHED ASSOCIATION

Sealed pre-qualification packages for the separate Horseshoe Falls Dam Fish Ladder and Kenyon Mill Dam Fish Passage projects in Richmond and Charlestown, RI will be received by the Wood-Pawcatuck Watershed Association (WPWA), care of Fuss & O'Neill, Inc., 317 Iron Horse Way, Suite 204, Providence, RI, 02908 until 4:00 PM, February 15, 2011, at which time submitted packages will be publicly opened and tabulated. Prospective bidders interested in undertaking either or both of these projects shall submit two copies of a completed pre-qualification package for each project of interest, substantiating their qualifications and experience to undertake the work entailed in the project(s). Pre-qualification packages may be obtained from Fuss & O'Neill, Inc at the address noted above weekdays from 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. or from WPWA's website at www.wpwa.org/shannock.htm.

Completed pre-qualification packages will be reviewed for completeness, evaluated, and tabulated based upon information provided and up to six contractors are expected to be shortlisted for each project, who will be subsequently invited to submit cost proposals for construction planned for 2011 or 2012. The WPWA reserves the right to waive any informalities or to reject any or all solicitations. Prevailing wage rates of the State of Rhode Island apply, a 10% DBE goal will be required, and contractors shall satisfy all applicable American Reinvestment and Recovery Act (ARRA) requirements, as these projects are partially funded by ARRA programs.