Jenness Beach Streetlight Upgrade Project RFP # JB2016-02

Questions and Answers

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1. Who will install the new mast arms (where required) and wiring, Eversource or the Contractor?

Eversource will install the mast arms and any new wiring. Eversource will make it hot to the end of the mast arm, and then the Contractor will finish the install. Eversource may authorize the Contractor to install the mast arms and new wiring and have the Contractor bill Eversource for that work.

2. For new streetlight #72 at Jenness State Beach crosswalk, who will install the 100 feet of Triplex wire, Eversource or the Contractor?

Eversource will install the Triplex or authorize the Contractor to install it and bill to Eversource.

3. Who will fix any problems found with the existing mast arms or wiring, eg. dry rot at connections at bottom of fixtures, broken grounds, cracked insulation, cracked mast arm or missing bolts?

The Contractor shall notify the Project Manager of these issues, and Eversource will repair them or authorize the Contractor to repair them and bill to Eversource.

4. If a streetlight is dimmed using the Field Adjustable Option, should the Contractor put a new wattage label on the fixture or leave the 30-watt label in place?

Leave the 30-watt label in place, even if the fixture is dimmed.

5. Is there a Town of Rye ordinance for work hours?

Work hours may be 7 a.m. to 7 p.m., Monday-Saturday. Sunday hours must be approved by the Selectmen.

6. Where the Contractor is using their own flagger (Central Road, Cable Road, and Ocean Blvd., except where Rye Police are to be used for traffic control), who pays for this?

The Jenness Beach District will pay for the Rye Police coverage. The contractor should include the cost of their own flagger in their proposal.

7. Clarify which streetlight numbers shall require Rye Police for traffic control.

- Removal of test LED streetlights near Jenness State Beach
- Streetlights #34 and #72 on Project Map near the entrance of Jenness State Beach
- Streetlights #47 and #73 at the intersection of Cable Road and Ocean Blvd.
- Streetlights #5 and #6 at the intersection of Cable Road and Central Road.

8. Will the Jenness Beach District accept bids on the Cree RSW streetlights or equivalent streetlights from other manufacturers?

Yes. The Jenness Beach has tested and approved the Cree RSW fixtures. However, Cree is currently redesigning the mounting collar for the fixture, which we have not yet seen. For this reason, Jenness Beach will accept bids on other streetlights. The streetlight spec can be obtained by emailing jennessbeachstreetlights@gmail.com.