The communities of Ashby, Ayer, Clinton, Orange, Palmer, Shirley, Sturbridge and Westminster, MA are jointly requesting proposals under Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 30B from qualified energy-related service municipal procurement and negotiation consultants to represent their municipal interests in managing and conducting a public procurement and subsequent contract negotiations for photovoltaic (PV) systems on municipal properties. The Town of Palmer is the lead community for this RFP. The RFP will be available starting March 28, 2011 at 9 AM and will be available electronically for no charge or in hard copy for a fee of \$5.00 by contacting Patricia Town Manager, 4417 Main St., Palmer, Kennedy, MA patk@townofpalmer.com. Proposals must be submitted in two separate sealed envelopes marked "Municipal Procurement Consultant: Technical Proposal" and "Municipal Procurement Consultant: Price Proposal" and will be accepted until noon on April 12, 2011. Late responses will be disqualified. The towns reserve the right to reject any and all proposals in the best interest of the towns. All towns are EOE and AA employers.