



## CITY OF BANGOR

**Request for Proposals**  
**Public Works ¾ Ton Truck**  
**Proposal No. P26-44**

**Purchasing Department**  
**73 Harlow Street**  
**Bangor, ME 04401**  
**207-992-4282**

**Issue Date: March 10, 2026**

### **I. Introduction**

The City of Bangor (City) requests proposals to furnish and deliver one (1) FULL SIZE; 3/4 TON; FOUR WHEEL DRIVE; FOUR DOOR CREW CAB WITH SIX AND A HALF FOOT BED. FOB Destination to the City of Bangor Fleet Maintenance Division, 481 Maine Avenue. The vehicles shall be new, current-year trucks furnished and delivered in accordance with the attached specifications. The City will consider alternate proposals for the purchase of an unsold previous-year models if they meet or exceed the requested specifications.

### **II. General Information**

Available at the following web address: [www.bangormaine.gov/proposals](http://www.bangormaine.gov/proposals) on the City's website. By submitting a response to this solicitation, the Proposer accepts the responsibility for downloading, reading, and bidding by the terms and conditions set forth in the City's "General Information for Vendors".

In your proposal, please specify whether you currently have or are in the process of developing a domestic violence policy. If you do not have such a policy, let us know if you would like to receive a copy of the City of Bangor's policy as a reference.

### **III. Submission**

For consideration, submit the proposal Bid Form and pages four (4) through six (6) of this request in an envelope marked "**Proposal No. P26-44: Public Works ¾ ton Truck**" by 2:00 P.M. on **Wednesday, April 8, 2026**.

Submission of documents can be completed by:

- A. **Emailing** to [bids@bangormaine.gov](mailto:bids@bangormaine.gov) ; or
- B. **Hand Deliver** to Customer Service, 73 Harlow Street, Bangor, ME; or

- C. **US Post Office** addressed to City of Bangor-Purchasing Department, 73 Harlow Street, Bangor, ME 04401; or
- D. **All Other Delivery Services** addressed to City of Bangor-Purchasing Department, 73 Harlow Street, Bangor, ME 04401.

All submissions should reference “**Proposal No. P26-44: Public Works ¾ Ton Truck**”. Proposals will be publicly opened at the time stated above in the Council Chambers (First floor) 73 Harlow Street, Bangor, Maine.

A tabulation of all received proposals will be posted on the City's website as soon as possible after the opening. Visit [www.bangormaine.gov/bids](http://www.bangormaine.gov/bids) for results. The "Show Closed/Awarded/Cancelled Bids" box must be checked to see the proposal information.

#### **IV. Questions**

Any questions must be directed in writing to [bids@bangormaine.gov](mailto:bids@bangormaine.gov) no later than 4:30 P.M., **Friday, March 20, 2026**.

The City will provide a response by 4:30 P.M. on **Friday, March 27, 2026**. This response will be in the form of an addendum, accessible on the City's website. To receive these updates, the City strongly encourages all potential bidders to sign up for alerts from the Notify Me system at <https://www.bangormaine.gov/list.aspx?Mode=Subscribe#bids>.

#### **V. Late Proposals**

It is the responsibility of the Proposer(s) to see that their proposals have sufficient time to be received by the Purchasing Department before the submittal deadline. Any proposal, portion of a proposal, or requested proposal revision received at the City Purchasing Department after the time and date specified, will be returned to the Proposer unopened.

#### **VI. Withdrawal of Proposals**

No Proposer may withdraw their proposal for a period of ninety (90) days from the date of opening. All proposals shall be subject to acceptance by the City during this period.

To withdraw a proposal prior to the opening, the Proposer shall request the withdrawal in writing. All costs associated with the withdrawal (i.e. mailing fees) will be borne by the Proposer.

#### **VII. Rejection**

The City reserves the right to reject any proposals, waive any informalities or defects in proposals, or accept a higher cost proposal if it is deemed to be in the best interest of the City.

The City also reserves the right to request clarification, of any details, from the successful Proposer.

### **VIII. Information for Proposers**

- A. All Federal and State taxes must be excluded from the proposal price. Upon request, a tax exemption certificate for the City of Bangor shall be furnished to the successful Proposer.
- B. The Bid Form, included with this request must be completed and returned for a proposal to be considered.
- C. The vehicles and all equipment must be thoroughly inspected, serviced, and ready for use upon delivery. All work performed must meet established industry standards of quality to be acceptable. Any unacceptable work must be corrected before payment is issued.
- D. Any exception to the provisions in Section X. *Specifications* must itemized on a separate page titled "Exceptions," referenced by section, subsection, and number, along with a detailed explanation of the exceptions.
- E. Pages four (4) and five (5) of this request must be completed and returned within the proposal to be considered.

### **IX. Award**

The award will be based on one or more of the following:

- A. Quality and performance of the vehicle offered.
- B. Availability of vehicle.
- C. Prior history and experience with the Proposer and/or prior history and experience with the vehicle offered. If there is no history or experience, references may be requested of the successful Proposer.
- D. Cost.

## **X. Specifications**

The specifications listed below represent the City's basic requirements for the vehicles requested. The specifications should be viewed as a guideline for the City's needs and not an absolute minimum or maximum requirement. Alternate specifications will be considered.

**Vehicle: ONE (1) FULL SIZE; 3/4 TON; 4WD; 4 DOOR CREW CAB WITH 6-1/2'FT BED SUCH AS GMC 2500, FORD F-250 OR APPROVED EQUAL**

### **1. General:**

- a. GVWR: Minimum 9,500 lbs.
- b. Engine: Minimum 6.0L EFI (gas, no diesel).
- c. Automatic transmission.
- d. Heavy-duty suspension with Trailering Package.
- e. Power windows and locks
- f. Heated side mirrors.
- g. Rear window defroster.
- h. AM/FM radio with Bluetooth capability.
- i. Rubber floor covering.
- j. 40-20-40 cloth seats with flip down center.
- k. 60/40-fold-up rear bench seat.
- l. Seventeen-inch (17-inch) tires with aluminum wheels all season minimum.
- m. Full size spare wheel and tire.
- n. Air conditioning and heat.
- o. Four (4) molded mud flaps.
- p. Work truck equipment group.
- q. Electronic brake controller.
- r. Factory upfit switches.
- s. Ground temperature sensor that can be read inside the cab.
- t. Spray in bedliner (Line X or approved equal).
- u. Remote start.
- v. Entry assist steps under all four doors.
- w. Weather tech floor mats front and rear

### **2. Color:**

- a. Exterior: White.
- b. Interior: Dark color.

### **3. Warranty:**

Full factory warranty as nationally advertised.

**4. Bumper:**

- a. A Reece trailer hitch (or approved equal), ball mount receiver and seven (7) wire flat pin RV style connector.
- b. Rated maximum allowed tow capacity.

**5. Electrical:**

- a. Heavy duty, maintenance free battery.
- b. Will be pre-wired for a two-way radio with a discrete harness and a wide band VHF antenna.

**No splicing or taping shall be allowed, all wiring shall be protected by rubber grommets in pass-throughs and sealed loom plugs**

**6. Body:**

- a. Magnum cab protector.
- b. Amber/Green light mounted on the cab protector.
- c. Two (2) amber LED strobe light mounted in grill, one left-hand and one right-hand side.
- d. Two (2) green LED strobe light mounted in grill, one right-hand and one left-hand side.
- e. Hard tonneau cover with fold up action or approved equal.
- f. Truck bed organizer such as Decker Drawer System or approved equal.
- g. Back up camera.

**Vendor Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Does the Bidder comply with Section X?**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Yes** \_\_\_\_\_ **No** \_\_\_\_\_ **Initials**



**Bid Form**

**CITY OF BANGOR**

**P/W ¾ ton Truck  
Proposal No. P26-44**

**Bid Deadline:  
2:00 P.M., Wednesday,  
April 8, 2026**

***Notes: The proposal must include this Bid Form along with page four (4) and five (5). A detailed explanation of ALL exceptions must be included. Failure to comply will result in disqualification.***

<b>Business Name:</b>	
<b>Contact Name/Title:</b>	
<b>Street Address:</b>	
<b>City, State Zip:</b>	
<b>Telephone Number:</b>	
<b>Email Address:</b>	

<b>Item</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Qty.</b>	<b>Unit</b>	<b>Total Price</b>
1	<u>Public Works ¾ ton Truck</u>  Year:  Make:  Model:	1	EA	\$
<b>Total Bid Amount:</b>				
<b><i>Price must include all miscellaneous charges: fuel, transportation etc. No other charges will be accepted.</i></b>				
<b>Estimated delivery after receipt of order:</b>				
<b>Warranty terms in years:</b>				
<b>Address where vehicle will be serviced:</b>				

