



**Purchasing Department
73 Harlow Street
Bangor, Maine 04401
Tel. 207-992-4282**

**Request for Bids
Multiple Truck Bid
Issue Date: August 19, 2016**

I. Introduction

The City of Bangor requests bids to furnish and deliver two (2); full size; 3/4 ton; 2WD; Extended cab Pickups ; w/ Lift Gates 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 bids for the purchase of unsold 2016 models if they meet or exceed the requested specifications. The City reserves the right to award to one (1) or more Bidders.

II. General Information

General information is available on the City's website at the following web address: www.bangormaine.gov/proposals. By submitting a response to this solicitation, the bidder accepts the responsibility for downloading, reading and bidding by the terms and conditions set forth in the City's "General Information for Vendors".

III. Submission

To be considered, return pages of this Request for Bids in an envelope clearly marked "**Bid: Multiple Truck Bid**" by **2:00 PM, Wednesday, September 7, 2016** to the Purchasing department, City Hall, 73 Harlow Street, Bangor, Maine 04401.

Bids may also be submitted via email by using the link at the top of this page or by sending to: bids@bangormaine.gov. If emailing bid, please reference "**Bid: Multiple Truck Bid**" in the subject line. Bids will be publicly opened at the time stated above.

A tabulation of all bids received will be available within 24 hours of the opening. Bid results may be viewed by visiting the City's website at www.bangormaine.gov/bidtabs.

IV. Questions

Any questions must be directed in writing to bids@bangormaine.gov no later than **4:30 PM on Thursday, August 25, 2016**.

The City will issue a response to any questions or inquiries submitted in writing by the date above, on or before **4:30 PM, Monday, August 29, 2016**. The response will be in the

form of an addendum, which will be available on the City's website. Bidders are responsible for checking the City's website for issuance of any addenda.

V. Withdrawal of Bids

No Bidder may withdraw his/her bid for a period of ninety (90) days from the date of opening. All bids shall be subject to acceptance by the City during this period.

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

VI. Award

The bid award will be based on the following:

1. Quality and performance of equipment offered.
2. Availability of equipment and parts.
3. Prior history or experience with the Bidder and equipment (if no history or experience, references will be requested).

VII. Rejection

The City of Bangor reserves the right to reject any and all bids, to waive any informalities or defects in bids or to accept a higher cost bid if it is deemed to be in the best interest of the City of Bangor. The City also reserves the right to negotiate with the lowest responsive Bidder.

VIII. Information for Bidders

- A. Pages three through five of this request must be completed and returned with all questions answered in order to be considered.
- B. Any exception to the provisions in the specifications must be marked in the body of this document and itemized on a separate page titled "Exceptions", referenced by section number and paragraph, along with a detailed explanation of the exception.
- C. The entire units 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. All Federal and State taxes must be excluded from the bid price. A tax exemption certificate for the City of Bangor shall be furnished to the successful Bidder upon request.

Vendor Name: _____

IX. Specifications

After each section in this Request for Bids, a space is provided for the Bidder to answer whether they comply with the referenced section. Caution should be taken by the Bidder to ensure that all questions are answered in the spaces provided and that all information requested is provided.

Truck No. 1 & 2:

Full size; ¾ ton; 2WD; Extended cab Pickups with 8 foot bodies , such as Ford F250, Dodge 2500 HD or approved equal with Lift Gate Set ups

General:

- GVW: Minimum 9,500 lbs.
- Engine: Minimum: V8, 6.0L
- Transmission: 5 or 6-speed automatic
- Suspension: Heavy Duty with Trailering Package
- Traction control (electronic)
- Floor covering: Rubber
- 40-20-40 vinyl seat with flip down center
- Tires: 17 inch all season blackwall
- Full size spare wheel and tire
- Air conditioning
- AM/FM Stereo with digital clock
- Heavy duty external transmission oil cooler
- Work truck equipment group
- Four (4) molded mud flaps
- Six inch black assist steps
- Electronic brake controller
- vent shades over windows

Color:

- White
- Dark color interior

Warranty:

- Full factory warranty as nationally advertised.

Body:

- Spray on type liner over sides, such as Line-X or approved equal.
- Back rack cab protector with Federal LED Strobe mounted in center
- Reese style trailer hitch receiver with seven wire RV plug

Lift Gate:

- Palfinger, Tommy Gate or equivalent; Minimum capacity 1000lbs
- Maximum bed height: 40"
- Control switch should be mounted on curbside of the truck and it should be a 3-way toggle switch; up-neutral-down
- Gates will be painted in black electrocoat topcoat

➤ Does the Bidder comply with Truck No. 1 & 2 Specifications? If no, a complete list of all exceptions including your proposed specifications must be included in bid submission.

_____ Yes _____ No
_____ Initials



**Bid Form
Multiple Truck Bids**

**Bid Deadline: 2:00 P.M.
Wednesday, September 7, 2016**

Note: Vehicles must be bid by submitting pages 3-5; if there are any exceptions in the units, a complete list of such exception must accompany all bids. Failure to comply with the above may result in disqualification

Item	Description	Qty.	Unit	Price
1	Vehicle No. 1 Year: _____ Make: _____ Model: _____	1	EA	\$ _____
2	Vehicle No. 2 Year: _____ Make: _____ Model: _____	1	EA	\$ _____
Total Bid Amount:				\$ _____

Discount if both vehicles are purchased by your company:

Address where vehicles will be serviced:

Delivery time after receipt of order:

*Price must include all miscellaneous charges: fuel, transportation etc.
No other charges will be accepted.*

Business Name:			
Complete Address:			
Telephone Number:			
Contact Name:		Title:	
Email Address:		Date:	