



City of
Los Banos
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CITY OF LOS BANOS
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

INVITATION FOR SEALED BIDS

PROPOSAL FOR THE PURCHASE OF ONE
NEW 2017/2018 MODEL
VACUUM STREET SWEEPER

City of Los Banos
Public Works Department
411 Madison Avenue
Los Banos, CA 93635
(209) 827-7056

Mark Fachin P.E.
Public Works Director/ City Engineer

The sealed bids must be received no later than 2 p.m.

Tuesday, October 24, 2017

By the office of the City Clerk
520 J Street
Los Banos, CA 93635

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the LOS BANOS PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (herein called the "Owner") invites and will receive sealed bids up to the hour of 2:00 p.m. Pacific Standard Time (PST) on **Tuesday, October 24, 2017** for the purchase of one (1) New 2017/2018 Model Vacuum Street Sweeper. At said time, sealed Bid Proposal (herein called the "Bid") will be publicly opened and read aloud in the City of Los Banos Council Chambers by the office of the City Clerk at:

**Los Banos City Hall
520 "J" Street
Los Banos, California 93635**

Questions regarding the Bid Documents are to be directed to Dan Bronson, Public Works Fleet Coordinator, by email at dan.bronson@losbanos.org.

Bids shall be submitted only on forms provided in the Bid Packet. Bids shall be in the hands of the City Clerk of the City of Los Banos, 520 J Street, Los Banos, California, 93635 on or before the hour of 2:00 p.m. PST on **Tuesday, October 24, 2017**. No late Bids will be accepted and will be returned unopened. No oral, telegraphic, electronic, facsimile, or telephone bid submittals or modifications will be considered. Bids received after the bid submittal deadline will be rejected and returned to the Bidder unopened.

The Bid Proposal forms can be obtained from the City of Los Banos website at www.losbanos.org.

The City of Los Banos reserves the right to reject any and/or all Bids received.

Information for Bidders

Bids will be received by the City of Los Banos Office of the City Clerk for the Owner, at the City Council Chambers of the City of Los Banos, 520 J Street, Los Banos, CA, 93635, until 2:00 p.m. Pacific Standard Time (PST), on **Tuesday, October 24, 2017**, then publicly opened and read aloud. Each Bid must contain one complete original set of Bid Proposal Forms. The Bid Proposal forms include "Specifications Compliance" and "Bid Form". The Addendum, if issued, will be posted on the City's website at www.losbanos.org. Bidder must acknowledge Addendum, if issued, by submitting signed Addendum with the Bid Proposal Forms. The completed Bid must be submitted in a sealed envelope and addressed to the Owner at 520 J Street, Los Banos, CA 93635. Each sealed envelope containing a Bid must be plainly marked on the outside as "**Street Sweeper Bid; Attention City Clerk**", and the envelope shall also bear on the outside, the name of the Bidder, and their address. If forwarded by mail, the sealed envelope containing the Bid Proposal forms must be enclosed in another envelope addressed to the City of Los Banos at 520 J Street, Los Banos, CA, 93635, and both envelopes clearly state "**Street Sweeper Bid; Attention City Clerk**"

Total Bid Price must be filled in, in ink or typewritten, and the Bid Form must be fully completed and executed when submitted, unless otherwise indicated. The Bid Form shall be signed by a person or persons legally authorized to bind Bidder to the Contract. The individuals signing each document shall warrant that they are authorized to bind the Bidder. Mistakes must be corrected and the correction inserted; correction must be initialed in ink by person signing the Bid Form. Each Bidder is responsible for the review of the Bid documents.

The Owner may waive any informalities or minor defects or reject any and all Bids. Any Bid may be withdrawn prior to the above scheduled time for the opening of Bid or authorized postponement thereof. Any Bid received after the time and date specified shall not be considered. All Bids shall remain firm for at least ninety (90) calendar days after the date and time of the bid opening unless otherwise specified. Should there be reasons why the Bid cannot be awarded within the specified period; the time may be extended by mutual agreement between the Owner and the Bidder. Award of Bid will be to the lowest responsible Bidder as determined by the Owner. A conditional or qualified Bid will not be accepted. The failure and omission of any Bidder to do any of the foregoing shall not relieve any Bidder from any obligation with respect to the Bid. The Owner will not be responsible for, nor be bound by, any oral instructions, interpretations, or explanations issued by the Owner or its representatives. Any request for clarifications or questions of the bid documents shall be emailed to:

Dan Bronson, Public Works Fleet Coordinator
dan.bronson@losbanos.org

Requests for clarification or questions shall be delivered to the Owner by 5:00 p.m. PST on **Wednesday, October 11, 2017**. Any Owner response to a request for clarification, questions and answers will be posted to the City's website at www.losbanos.org not later than 5:00 p.m. PST, **Friday, October 13, 2017** and if necessary become a part of the Bid as an Addendum. The proposed timeline of events associated with the awarding of Bid Proposal:

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| Release of Advertisement for Bids | | Friday, September 22, 2017 |
| Deadline to submit questions/clarifications | 5:00 p.m. | Wednesday, October 11, 2017 |
| Addendum/Questions/Clarifications Posted | 5:00 p.m. | Friday, October 13, 2017 |
| Bid Opening | 2:00 p.m. | Tuesday, October 24, 2017 |
| City Council Awards Bid | | Wednesday, November 15, 2017 |
| Issuance of a Purchase Order | By | Friday, December 1, 2017 |

Prior to receiving, the one (1) New 2017/2018 Model Street Sweeper will be inspected to insure the vehicle meets the specifications. The new Sweeper must be completely assembled, ready to operate, and serviced with **FULL TANK OF FUEL** by Bidder prior to acceptance by the Owner.

Specifications Compliance

The Bidder shall note their compliance with each specification in the box provided with an X or check mark. Each line item requires an X or check mark. **Any specification left blank shall be considered a non-responsive Bid and will be rejected.** Any deviations from the specifications or where submitted literature does not fully support the meeting of the specifications, must be clearly cited and explained by the Bidder in the comment section following the specifications. The Owner will be responsible for determining specifications compliance.

Yes No Each line specification requires checking either the Yes or No box

- Sweeper supplied shall be the manufacturer's current production model and shall be bid with all of the standard equipment as specified in the manufacturer's printed literature. In addition, the Sweeper shall include the equipment shown on the subsequent specifications, but may not be limited to said equipment.
- Bidder shall quote purchase price to include manufacturer's warranty for one (1) New 2017/2018 Street Sweeper. The warranty shall commence upon acceptance of the completed vehicle by the Owner.
- Bidder shall quote the price for the one (1) New 2017/2018 Street Sweeper including eight and one quarter percent (8.25%) sales tax, but excluding Federal excise tax. Bidder quote shall include delivery charges to the Owner.
- Sweeper must meet all current air quality standards, California Emission Control Regulations, all Federal Safety Standards, and Department of Motor Vehicle Regulations.
- Bid shall include estimated delivery date of the New 2017/2018 Street Sweeper. The estimated delivery date shall be one hundred eighty (180) days or less from the date of bid award.
- In the event that the new Sweeper has not arrived at the Owner facilities, 1015 F Street, Los Banos California, on or before the estimated delivery date, liquidated damages can be charged at the rate of one percent per calendar day of the unit price of the Sweeper not delivered in accordance with the time specified on the bid proposal.

Specifications Compliance - Continued

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CHASSIS

- Two axle (one front and one rear driving).
- GVWR-33,000 pounds (minimum).
- Cab- standard conventional with tilt hood.
- License plate mounting: front and back.
- Front bumper chrome, two tow hooks.
- Mud flaps installed behind rear axle.
- Rear fenders to cover both sets of tires.
- Fuel tank 50 gallons.

ENGINE

- Inline 6 cylinder 200 horse power turbo diesel (minimum).
- California clean air regulations compliant (certified clean idle decal).
- Alternator 160 amps (minimum).
- Dual batteries.
- Automatic shutdown system for low oil pressure and over temperature protection.

TRANSMISSION

- Allison 3500 Rugged duty series (RDS) automatic transmission with Power take off (PTO) provision (or equivalent).
- External oil filter.
- External oil cooler.

SUSPENSION

- 12,000 pounds front axle (minimum).
- 21,000 pounds in rear (minimum).
- Aluminum rims
- 295/75RX22.5 14 PLY all season foam filled (or equivalent).

BRAKES

- Anti-locking brake system.
- Automatic slack adjusters, front and rear.
- Air drain valve with pull cable.
- Air dryer with heater.

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Specifications Compliance - Continued

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EXTERIOR

- White cab and black frame.
- Heated, power remote mirrors.
- Two eight 8" inch convex mirrors mounted on right and left of cab hood.
- LED flood lights on the right and left side of gutter broom and rear for night time sweeping.
- Two rear mounted strobe lights with guards and front bumper mounted strobe lights for safety.
- Directional arrow stick mounted in rear.
- LED tail lights, backup lights and alarm.

CAB INTERIOR

- Floor covering gray vinyl.
- Air ride gray drivers and passenger vinyl seat with lumbar support and arm rests.
- Floor mats black with manufacturer's trademark.
- Factory tinted glass.
- 12 volt power accessory plug on dash.
- Power windows and door locks.
- Air horn.
- Sun visors right and left.
- Factory air conditioning, heating, and defroster.
- AM/FM stereo with Bluetooth capability.
- Dome light.
- Two independent accelerator pedals for operation from either side.
- Intermittent windshield wipers adjustable both sides.
- Dual cross over power steering system with complete dual gauges at each operator position to permit operation from either side of cab.
- Back up camera.

Specifications Compliance - Continued

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AUXILIARY ENGINE

- John Deere 4045T tier 4 final (or equivalent).
- Remote engine fluid drain accessible from ground level coolant, engine oil, hydraulic oil and gear box oil.
- Enclosed engine compartment with access doors.
- Automatic shutdown system for low oil pressure and over temperature protection.
- LED lights in engine compartment.

BLOWER

- The blower needs to generate the necessary airflow to convey the debris from the suction nozzle into the hopper and vacuum needed to overcome any restrictions such as rocks or bulky debris.

SUCTION NOZZLES

- Dual 30 (minimum) abrasion resistant suction nozzles.
- Tilt nozzle from cab to allow easy entry of larger debris.

GUTTER BROOMS

- Gutter brooms and components shall be free floating, of trailing arm design with inward motion to prevent damage when sweeping and encountering a fixed obstacle.
- Adjustable down pressure controlled from cab.
- Pneumatically raise and lower.
- Gutter brooms to be held in place by a positive means of support during transport.
- Side broom tilt or rotation controlled from cab.
- One pallet of gutter brooms for sweeper.
- Gutter broom speed control from cab.
- Automatic pickup in reverse gear of all sweeping equipment.
- A preprogrammed sweep setting or memory sweep (or equivalent).

HYDRAULIC SYSTEM

- Hydraulic tank capacity 20 gallons (minimum) and have a exterior sight glass.
- Hydraulic cooler to provide adequate cooling for demand.
- Filter shall be accessible from ground level for easy service.

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HOPPER BODY

- Body capacity 8 yards (minimum).
- Hopper body made out of stainless steel.
- Hopper screens operation lower from ground level for the purpose of cleaning without use of tools.
- A warning beeper incorporated anytime the hopper or rear door is being raised or lowered.
- Rear hopper door and body safety prop.
- Hopper right and left side inspection doors.
- Controls for hopper dumping in cab and outside cab.

WATER SYSTEM

- Tank 400 gallons (minimum).
- PM-10 compliant.
- Anti-siphon air gap water tank fill to prevent water supply contamination.
- Water system connectors to be push type for easy maintenance.
- External water filter with shut off valve for servicing.
- Front spray bar.
- Hose and provisions for fire hydrant filling.
- Wash down system with 25 foot hose and hand lance.

MISCELLANEOUS

- One truck chassis owner manual, transmission manual and operator's manual.
- One sweeper manual, operator manual, parts manual and service manual.
- A qualified technician shall provide complete training (6) personnel at the city of Los Banos fleet yard.
- One set of wheel chocks mounted.
- Provide a list of wear items.
- Road reflectors that meets Department of Transportation (DOT) requirements (mounted).
- First aid kit that meets DOT requirement (mounted).
- Fire extinguisher 5 lbs ABC that meets DOT requirements (mounted).
- Six (6) complete sets of keys for truck.
- 5 year 100,000 mile bumper to bumper warranty.
- Must be delivered with **full tank of fuel** by bidder at delivery.

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Bid Form

TO: OWNER
City of Los Banos
520 J Street
Los Banos, CA 93635

DATE: _____

In compliance with the Invitation for Sealed Bids for **One (1) New 2017/2018 Model Street Sweeper**, the undersigned, as Bidder, hereby offers to sell to the Owner, in accordance with the terms, conditions, requirements and specifications set forth in the Bid documents for the price quoted on this Bid Form for **One (1) New 2017/2018 Model Street Sweeper**.

MANUFACTURER: _____

MODEL NUMBER: _____

DELIVERY DATE: _____

One Hundred eighty (180) days or less from the date Owner issues Purchase Order

TOTAL BID PRICE \$ _____

Total Bid Price includes California Sales Tax, California Tire Recycling Fee, DMV documentation fees, freight, and delivery charges but excludes Federal Excise Tax, if any.

Total Bid Price Written:

Written form

The undersigned certifies under penalty of perjury that the quotation on this Bid Form constitutes a bona-fide offer to sell, that he/she is an authorized representative of the company listed, that the quotation is in no way sham or collusive, and that issuance of a Purchase Order by Owner constitutes acceptance of bidder's offer on the terms and conditions stated in the Bid documents, and forms a contract. Bidder will not withdraw its Bid for at least ninety (90) calendar days from the date and time of the bid opening.

BIDDER'S COMPANY

PRINT NAME - AUTHORIZED

ADDRESS

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

TELEPHONE NUMBER

ARE YOU CLAIMING A LOCAL BUSINESS PREFERENCE? _____ YES _____ NO

If yes submit written proof of the address of your principle place of business and a copy of your current City business license.

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