

SPECIFICATION A-96-23 **EQUIPMENT SERVICE RATES**

The County of Montgomery is soliciting bids for service rates for various pieces of equipment and/or manpower. Work will be related to highway equipment operations to be performed anywhere within the County of Montgomery.

Awards will be made based on this bid for each specific project. Companies will be required to submit a proposal using the rate as submitted in this bid for specific projects in need of repair as requested by the County. Proposals shall be submitted to the County within 15 days of request by the County. Work should start within 30 days after review of the proposal and notification to the Company with the lowest total cost for equipment and/or manpower necessary.

Compaction of material to be according to industry standards.

Equipment With Operator:

All maintenance and associated costs, including changing of oils, filters, cutting edges, etc. shall be the responsibility of the contractor.

Insurance coverage shall be the responsibility of the contractor.

All vehicle damage caused by the operator shall be the responsibility of the contractor.

Down time for preventative maintenance work shall not be charged to the County and shall be performed “after hours”.

Any damage resulting from the transporting of contractor equipment by County haulers at the request of the contractor shall be the responsibility of the contractor.

All time that is lost due to repair shall not be charged to the County. If repairs are not completed after two (2) days, equipment of similar capabilities must be provided as a replacement.

The use of Montgomery County operating supplies (i.e. fuel, grease, lubricants, etc.) on a replacement basis is not acceptable and will not be permitted. This is the responsibility of the contractor.

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

1. By these specifications, A-96, it is the intent of Montgomery County, through its Purchasing Department, to secure a bid for Equipment Service Rates. Sealed bids will be received until 9:30 a.m. Thursday, March 2, 2023 at which time bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.
2. Bids must be addressed to the Montgomery County Purchasing Department, 20 Park Street, Fonda, NY 12068 and must be in a sealed envelope plainly marked – BID FOR EQUIPMENT SERVICE RATES.
3. The contract period is for one (1) year beginning April 1, 2023 through March 31, 2024, with an option for one (1), one (1) year extension upon written agreement of both parties.
4. Bidders must be an established business enterprise and must satisfactorily prove to the Commissioner of Public Works, upon request, that he has adequate facilities to perform all requirements in the event of any award.
5. No contract resulting from this bid shall, either in whole or in part, be assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet, or otherwise disposed of to any other person, company, or corporation, unless prior approval is obtained, in writing, from the County of Montgomery.
6. The contractor must comply with Section 220 of the labor law as it pertains to the payment of the minimum prevailing wage rates for Montgomery County. The contractor must also comply with all other federal, state, and local laws and regulations applicable to this type of work.
7. This Agreement shall be void and of no affect unless through the term of the Agreement CONTRACTOR, in compliance with the provisions of the Worker's Compensation Law, shall secure compensation for the benefit of and keep insured during the life of this Agreement such employees as are required to be insured according to law.
8. Insurance requirements are attached. Signed Indemnity and Insurance Agreement and **a copy of your Certificate of Insurance must be returned with bid.**

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS (continued)

9. Bidders must be aware that all political subdivisions, and districts located in the State of New York, may be entitled to make purchases of materials, or supplies from the resulting bid award. It is understood that the extension of such award is at the discretion of the vendor and the vendor is only bound to any contract between the vendor and Montgomery County. In the event of a failure or breach in performance of any such bid by a participating entity or the successful Bidder, Montgomery County, specifically and expressly disclaims any and all liability for defective performance, breach, or failure of either party to perform in accordance with its obligations, covenants and the terms and conditions of this Montgomery County bid.
10. Purchases by Montgomery County are not subject to any sales or federal excise taxes. Montgomery County is also exempt from the Transportation Tax.
11. **ALL BIDS MUST BE SUBMITTED ON THE BID FORMS OBTAINED FROM THE MONTGOMERY COUNTY PURCHASING DEPARTMENT. Bids submitted on another form or revised bid document may be considered non-responsive and may be rejected.**
12. Montgomery County will reject any bid that does not have a signed proposal page. **ORIGINAL SIGNATURES, NO PHOTOCOPIES ACCEPTED.**
13. Failure to comply with any of the above terms or any evidence of poor quality or service will be considered cause for discontinuing business with the successful bidder.
14. Montgomery County, through its Purchasing Department, reserves the right to reject parts of any or all bids.
15. Questions regarding this bid should be directed to Eric M Mead, Commissioner of Public Works, (518) 853-3814

REFERENCE SHEET
***** (BID RESPONSE FORM) *****

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All bidders must complete this form providing three (3) references of past performance. References should involve projects and/or service situations of similar size and scope to this bid. References must have had dealings with the bidders within the last 36 months. The County reserves the right to contact any or all of the references supplied for an evaluation of past performance in order to establish the responsibility of the bidder before the actual award of this bid and/or contract.

Bidder's Name: _____

Reference Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Contact Person: _____

Reference Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Contact Person: _____

Reference Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Contact Person: _____

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***** (BID RESPONSE FORM) *****

_____, agrees to furnish Equipment and/or Manpower
 (firm name)
 for Equipment Operations, to the Montgomery County Public Works Department, as called for in
 Specification A-96.

EQUIPMENT:

<u>TYPE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>DAILY RATE</u>	<u>WEEKLY RATE</u>
Skid Steer	_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Track Excavator-Large	10 to 25 ton _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Mini Track Excavator	up to 5 ton _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Bulldozer-Small	up to 10 ton _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Bulldozer-Medium	up to 25 ton _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
10-12 Ton Roller	_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
8-10 Ton Roller	_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
2-5 Ton Roller	_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Rubber Tire Roller	_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
5-8 Ton (static) Roller	_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Dirt Roller	_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Water Truck	_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Broom Tractor	_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Loader	_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Grader	_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Foreman's Truck	_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Tri-Axle Trailer	_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Chipper	_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Chainsaw	_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
10 Wheel Dump Truck	_____	\$ _____	\$ _____

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LABOR:		
EMPLOYEE CATEGORY	8 HOUR DAY	OVERTIME PER HOUR
Broom Tractor Operator	\$ _____	\$ _____
Roller Operator	\$ _____	\$ _____
Foreman	\$ _____	\$ _____
Truck Driver	\$ _____	\$ _____
Skid Steer Operator	\$ _____	\$ _____
Loader Operator	\$ _____	\$ _____
Grader Operator	\$ _____	\$ _____
Bulldozer Operator	\$ _____	\$ _____
Excavator Operator	\$ _____	\$ _____
Laborer	\$ _____	\$ _____
Maintenance & Protection		
Of Traffic (flagger)	\$ _____	\$ _____

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MOBILIZATION (delivery & pick-up):

<u>EQUIPMENT TYPE</u>	<u>TOTAL COST OF DELIVERY & PICK-UP FOR EACH PIECE OF EQUIPMENT</u>
Broom Tractor	\$ _____
Roller	\$ _____
Skid Steer	\$ _____
Loader	\$ _____
Grader	\$ _____
Bulldozer	\$ _____
Excavator	\$ _____

Montgomery County, through its Purchasing Department, reserves the right to reject parts of any or all bids.

DATE _____ COMPANY _____
SIGNATURE _____ ADDRESS _____
NAME & TITLE _____
TELEPHONE _____ FAX _____
EMAIL _____