



INVITATION TO BIDDERS

The City of Gatlinburg is accepting sealed bids for the purchase of a Thirty-Five (35) Cubic Yard Self-Contained Compactor. The specifications are located within the bid packet.

Bids will be received at City Hall until **2:30 p.m., August 12, 2021**, at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud. No bid may be withdrawn for thirty (30) days.

Bid shall be sealed in an envelope with the bidder's name, address, the bid opening time and date and the quotation "Self-Contained Compactor" stated plainly on the outside.

For questions concerning the Bid Documents, Bidders may contact City of Gatlinburg, Delea Patterson, AP/Purchasing at 865-436-1409 or Fax 865-436-6464 or deleap@gatlinburgtn.gov.

Questions about the specifications need to be directed Public Works Director Larry Henderson at 865-680-5462 or LHenderson@Gatlinburgtn.gov.

Bid specifications will also be available on the City of Gatlinburg website at www.gatlinburgtn.gov under "Out for Bids" tab. This bid tab is located under Gatlinburg Government, and then Purchasing. Bid results are posted in the same area as shortly after bid opening as possible.

The City reserves the right to qualify bidders, to waive any informalities, to reject any and/or all bids, and to accept the bid deemed most favorable and in the best interest of the City.

It is the policy of the City of Gatlinburg not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, sex, or disability in its hiring and employment practices, or in admission to, access to, or operation of its programs, services and activities. With regard to all aspects of this contract, contractor certifies and warrants it will comply with this policy.

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Prices quoted shall not include Federal or State taxes, if any are applicable. The successful bidder shall furnish tax exemption forms, if required, with their invoices.

The prices quoted are that for which the materials or services will be delivered F.O.B. Gatlinburg, Tennessee.

Any additions, deletions, or variations from the following specifications must be noted.

Inspection of the materials or equipment will be made by an agent of the City of Gatlinburg, and if found defective or fails in any way to meet the terms of this agreement, it will be rejected. Rejected materials or equipment will be replaced at the expense of the bidder.

All technical specifications must accompany bid.

The City of Gatlinburg reserves the right to purchase additional units or services under the same terms and conditions for a period of one (1) year.

The City of Gatlinburg reserves the right to defer payment for thirty (30) days after delivery. The City of Gatlinburg also reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids.

The bidder agrees to indemnify the City of Gatlinburg from any and all liability; loss or damage the City may suffer as a result of claims, demands, costs, or judgments against it arising from any and all work under this agreement.

The bidder agrees to notify the City, in writing, within thirty (30) days, by registered mail, at the City's address as stated in this agreement, of any claim against the bidder on the obligations indemnified against.

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Vendor shall possess all of the necessary insurances and licenses required to perform this type and size of project. Winning bidder may be asked for a list of references.

Certain projects with a total cost of \$25,000 or more require a TN Contractors license. This License #, Classification and Expiration date MUST be listed on the bid envelope. Bidders cannot use license of another to bid on any City of Gatlinburg project.

BID SPECIFICATIONS

See **Exhibit A** for Schematic/Rendering of the Compactor

See **Exhibit B** for Detail Compactor Specifications

Compactor should meet specifications or be acceptable alternative.\

Please provide Standard Warranty information as well as Extended Warranty Options

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Delea Patterson, AP/Purchasing
City of Gatlinburg
1230 Parkway East
P.O. Box 5
Gatlinburg, TN 37738

RE: Self-Contained Compactor:

The specifications for the above-mentioned items have been reviewed and the following is offered for all labor and materials involved in providing a Self-Contained Compactor:

\$ _____
Price of Compactor, including delivery

Estimated Days for delivery after bid awarded _____.

All bids are to include delivery to a specified location in Gatlinburg.

Any deviations from these specifications are listed below (use back if necessary).

DEVIATIONS YES ___ NO ___

Bidder Contact Information:

Signed/

Date

Name (Print)

Telephone

Company Name

Fax Number

Address

Email

City State Zip

BIDDER LIST

(Project open to all qualified bidders)

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