

# **INVITATION TO BID**

Sealed bids will be received by the City of Foley at Foley City Hall, 407 East Laurel Avenue, Foley, Alabama 36535 *or* P.O. Box 1750, Foley, Alabama 36536 until 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, July 16, 2019 for:

# "PRESSURE WASHING – VARIOUS CITY LOCATIONS"

## Requisition No. COF-071619

at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. Specifications may be obtained at Foley City Hall, 407 East Laurel Avenue, Foley, Alabama, 36535, by calling (251) 943-1545, or, the bid may be downloaded from the City's website at http://www.cityoffoley.org.

To be eligible for consideration, bids must be submitted on complete original bid forms found in the Invitation to Bid package. <u>The specifications and all executed bid forms must be</u> <u>submitted in a sealed envelope, clearly marked, identifying the bid and the date of the bid</u> <u>opening</u>. It shall be the sole responsibility of the bidder to assure receipt of the bid at the Foley City Hall prior to the published time for the bid opening.

The City of Foley reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and to waive technical errors if, in the City's judgment, the best interests of the City will thereby be promoted.

Rachel Keith Purchasing Agent City of Foley, Alabama



Pressure Washing – Various City Locations Requisition # COF - 071619

## **BID FORM**

## CITY OF FOLEY, ALABAMA OFFICE OF PURCHASING AGENT

## BIDS TO BE OPENED AT: 2:00P.M. DATE: Tuesday, July 16, 2019

Sealed bids will be received by the City of Foley, Alabama, at its office in Foley until the above date and time, and then opened as soon thereafter as practicable.

**Purchasing Agent** 

SPECIFICATIONS: SEE ATTACHED

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If you are unable to furnish an item as specified and desire to offer a substitute, give full description of the item. No errors will be corrected after bids are opened. Substitutions will be treated as "<u>approved equivalent or equal</u>" which is discussed in paragraph 1.05 of the bid documents *GENERAL CONDITIONS*. Please refer to Paragraph 1.05 prior to offering any substitutions. No prices shall include State or Federal Excise Tax. Tax exemption certificates furnished upon request. City reserves the right to accept or reject all bids or any portion thereof.

I hereby affirm I have not been in any agreement or collusion among bidders or prospective bidders in restraint of freedom of competition, by agreement to bid at fixed price or to refrain from bidding, or otherwise. I am not currently engaged in, nor will engage in, any boycott of a person or entity based in or doing business with a jurisdiction with which the State of Alabama can enjoy open trade.

THIS BID MUST BE NOTARIZED Sworn to and subscribed before me	FIRM:	
this the day of, 2019.	BY: Signature accepted in ink only	
	STREET ADDRESS:	
NOTARY PUBLIC	CITY:STATE:	
BIDS MADE OUT IN PENCIL WILL <u>NOT</u> BE ACCEPTED.	TERMS: FOR CASH PAYMENT WITHOUT REGARD TO DATE OF REMITTANCE	

## ALL BIDDERS MUST USE OUR BID FORM(S). THE BID NAME, REQUISITION NUMBER AND OPENING DATE AND TIME MUST BE PRINTED ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE SEALED ENVELOPE. EACH BID MUST BE IN SEPARATE ENVELOPES.



## **BIDDER'S INFORMATION:**

Company Name:		
Submitted By:		
Mailing Address:		
Telephone Number:		
Fax Number:		
Foley Business License Number:		
Business License Expiration Date:		
E-Mail Address:		
Ethics Disclosure:	Are you a City of Foley Appointed Official? Are you a City of Foley Employee? Are you the spouse of a City of Foley Appointed Official or Employee?	□ Yes         □ No           □ Yes         □ No           □ Yes         □ No

## ADDENDUM ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:

Bidder acknowledges receipt of the following addendums and has incorporated the requirements of such addendums into the bid.

(List all addendums issued for this bid.)

No.	Date

Date

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No.	Date

No.	Date

No.	Date



## **GENERAL DESCRIPTION**

The City of Foley is accepting bids for a service agreement with a qualified contractor to provide pressure washing services. Multiple departments within the City of Foley may at times need to utilize a pressure washing company to clean various city structures, sidewalks and miscellaneous items. The goal of this bid is to have one specific company in place that the City will be able to call upon when those needs arise. Upon giving notice to the company of an area that requires pressure washing, work must begin within 5 days. Work may be performed between 6AM – 6PM. Company must have an active City of Foley business license and insurance as described below.

## SCOPE OF WORK

The scope of work shall include:

- Removal of trash and debris before pressure washing.
- Gum, heavily soiled or miscellaneous stains should be spot cleaned prior to pressure washing.
- Removal of dirt and stains by pressure washing the area.
- Removal of graffiti.
- Benches & trashcans located in the area contracted for pressure washing should also be pressure washed.
- Clearly legible CAUTION signs, cones or other safety barriers shall be placed around the areas being power washed or identify the area of work.

## TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

The following technical specifications must be in order:

- Contractor shall furnish all equipment including, but not limited to, all trucks, tanks, hand brooms, scrapers, hoses, man lifts and other equipment necessary to thoroughly clean the various areas.
- Contractor shall possess or shall be able to obtain necessary replacement equipment and manpower to ensure that the work will be performed without regard to equipment failures or absenteeism of employees.
- Contractor shall have the capability to provide their own water source.

## WASHING REQUIREMENTS

Each area to be washed may need different techniques/applications in order to be properly cleaned. This will be up to each professional to determine the best way to clean each area. Sometimes this may include using a high pressure washer, chemical washing, soft washing process, or a variation.

The use of products that are harmful to the environment is prohibited.

## CONTRACT TERM

The initial term of this contract will be for a period of one (1) year, beginning on the date stipulated in the contract, with an option to renew for two additional one (1) year terms if the Contractor and the City mutually agree. The City of Foley reserves the right to re-bid these items



at any time or for any reason. No guarantee is made that the awarded vendor will receive a specific amount of work as a result of this contract, nor is the City obligated to purchase all pressure washing services through the awarded vendor.

Pricing offered shall be firm against any increase for one year from the date of award. It shall be the Contractor's responsibility to send written notification of any requested price changes thirty (30) days in advance prior to the commencement of subsequent renewal periods. The City reserves the right to grant or deny the request for a price increase.

## CANCELLATION

The City may terminate this contract at any time without cause, in whole or in part, upon giving the Contractor a thirty (30) day written notice. Upon such cancellation, the contractor shall immediately cease services. Cancellation shall not release the contractor from legal remedies available to the City. The Contractor may not cancel the award during the first year of contract period. After the first year, the contractor may, upon sixty (60) days written notice to the City, cancel the contract.

## PAYMENT TERMS

Selected contractor shall provide a W-9 upon award of bid.

The payment terms shall be "**Net 30 days**" unless otherwise negotiated. The payment terms stated herein must appear on the contractor's invoice.

During the term of the contract, any quotes for services not covered by this contract shall be clearly and fully stated as requested. Unless otherwise negotiated, no additional charges shall be passed to the City, including any applicable taxes, delivery or surcharges.

## INSURANCE

The awarded company shall obtain, at its own expense, from insurance companies licensed in Alabama, and shall keep in force during the life of this Contract the insurance coverage as required below:

- A. Workers Compensation.
  - Bodily Injury by Accident: \$500,000 each occurrence
  - Bodily Injury by Disease: \$500,000 each occurrence
  - Policy Limit by Disease: \$500,000 each occurrence
- B. Comprehensive General Liability.
  - Bodily Injury: \$2,000,000 each occurrence
  - Property Damage: \$2,000,000 each occurrence
- C. Comprehensive Automobile Liability:
  - Bodily Injury: \$500,000 per person
  - Property Damage: \$1,000,000 per occurrence

The Company shall deliver to the City certified copies showing the City as an additional insured on Companies General Liability policy. All such policies shall contain a waiver of subrogation rights against the City by the insurers. Before commencing any of the work, the Company shall file with the City valid certificates of insurance specified herein showing the type, amount, class of operations covered, effective dates, and date of expiration of policies.



Such certificates shall include a statement guaranteeing that they will not be canceled or altered, except after 30 days written notice has been received by the City. Failure to notify the appropriate city official of any changes in Insurance may result in termination of this agreement. Nothing contained in these insurance requirements shall be interpreted as limiting the extent of the Company's responsibility and/or legal liability for payment of damages resulting from his operations under this Contract.

## INDEMNITY

The Company hereby agrees to hold harmless, indemnify and defend the City, the City's agents, and the City's employees while acting within the scope of their duties from and against any and all liability, claims, damages, expenses and cost of defense arising out of the Company's actions hereunder or the Company's performance of the Work. The Company shall save harmless and indemnify the City and all its employees, agents, and representatives from all suits, actions, or claims of any character brought on account of any injuries or damages sustained by any person or property in consequence of performing any work in connection with this Work, or of any neglect in safeguarding the Work, or of any delay in completing the Work or of the use of any unacceptable or defective materials, or of any other act or omission either similar or dissimilar to the above enumerated acts, by said Company or his agent by which any person or property is injured through the fault of the said Company or his agents.

## SUBLETTING OR ASSIGNING CONTRACT

The Company shall not sublet, assign, transfer, convey, sell or otherwise dispose of any portion of the Contract, its right, title, or interest therein or its power to execute such Contract, to any person, firm, or corporation without written consent of the City, which consent may be withheld in City's sole discretion.

## **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

All questions related to this bid must be documented through email and should be sent to Rachel Keith at rkeith@cityoffoley.org no later than 72 hours prior to the scheduled bid opening. No questions will be addressed by any means other than email. Answers will be emailed to all bidders in the event that clarification is required. If further clarification is needed about a particular product bid or change within the bid, an Addendum will be emailed stating the change. All addendums must be acknowledged in the "Addendum Acknowledgment" section located on page 3 of this bid packet.

## INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

To be eligible for consideration, bids must be submitted on complete original forms found in the Invitation to Bid package. The entire bid packet and all executed bid forms must be submitted in a sealed envelope, clearly marked, identifying the bid and the date of the bid opening. It shall be the sole responsibility of the bidder to assure receipt of the bid at the Foley City Hall prior to the published time for the bid opening.

Bids should be sent to one of the following addresses:

<u>U.S. Postal Service</u> City of Foley Attn: Purchasing Agent P.O. Box 1750 Foley, AL 36536 <u>Physical Address</u> City of Foley Attn: Purchasing Agent 407 E. Laurel Avenue Foley, AL 36535



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# **PRICE SHEET**

Requisition No.<u>COF-071619</u>

	PRICE
"PRESSURE WASHING – VARIOUS CITY LOCATIONS"	
(Price to include all labor and materials to areas within 10 miles of downtown Foley)	
Surface Cleaning on 6' Sidewalks per Linear Feet	\$
Curbs per Linear Feet	\$
Surface Cleaning per Square Foot	\$
Exterior Building up to 12' tall per Square Foot	\$
Exterior Building from 12'-20' tall per Square Foot	\$
Stairs per section of 10 steps	\$
Miscellaneous items will be contracted on an as need basis with the awarded vendor.	

Company: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_Submitted By: \_\_\_\_\_\_Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_



## **REFERENCES**

Provide three references for pressure washing services from businesses. Attach photographs of before and after pressure washing, and give a brief description of your responsibilities in those areas.

## **REFERENCE 1:**

Name of Client/Company:	
Contact Person:	
Address:	
Phone:	Email:
List contracted responsibilities:	

## **REFERENCE 2:**

Name of Client/Company:	
Contact Person:	
Address:	
Phone:	Email:
List contracted responsibilities:	

#### **REFERENCE 3:**

Name of Client/Company:	
Contact Person:	
Address:	
Phone:	Email:
List contracted responsibilities:	



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## **GENERAL CONDITIONS**

To insure acceptance, all bidders submitting bids to the City of Foley shall be governed by the following conditions, attached specifications, and bid form(s) unless otherwise specified. Bids <u>not</u> submitted on the bid form(s) provided may be rejected, and bids <u>not</u> complying with these conditions will be subject to rejection.

#### 1.0 Intent of Specifications:

It is the intent of the specifications attached hereto to set forth and describe certain item(s) or service(s) to be purchased by the City of Foley including all materials, equipment, machinery, tools, apparatus, and means of transportation (meaning freight costs) necessary to provide these items or services.

#### 1.01 Legal Requirements:

All applicable provisions of Federal, State, County and local laws including all ordinances, rules and regulations shall govern the development, submittal and evaluation of all bids received in response to these specifications, and shall govern any and all claims between person(s) submitting a bid response hereto and the City of Foley, by and through its officers, employees and authorized representatives. A lack of knowledge by the bidder concerning any of the aforementioned shall not constitute a cognizable defense against the legal effect thereof.

#### 1.02 Sealed Bids:

The specifications and all executed bid forms must be submitted in a sealed envelope. All proposals must be signed by an authorized representative of the bidder. In the event more than one bid opening is scheduled for the same date and time, do not include bids concerning different sets of specifications within the same envelope. The face of the envelope shall be plainly marked identifying the bid requisition number and opening date and time. It shall be the sole responsibility of the bidder to assure receipt of bid at the Purchasing Office prior to the published time for the bid opening. No bid will be opened that is received after closing time for receipt of bids, nor will any offers by telephone, fax, or any electronic means be accepted.

#### 1.03 Exceptions to Specifications:

During the drafting of written specifications, a sincere effort is made to describe products and services best suited to the needs of the City; however, in order that fair consideration is given in evaluating bids, all exceptions to or deviations from the specifications as written must be noted and fully explained. The Mayor and City Council are the final authority in determining the acceptability of any exceptions to specifications.

#### 1.04 <u>Discounts</u>:

Terms offering a discount for prompt payment will be considered in determining the low bid. The discount period shall begin whenever (1) the conditions of the specifications have been fully met and the product or service judged acceptable to the City of Foley or (2) a correct invoice and other required documents have been received, whichever is later. Discounts offered for a period of less than thirty (30) days will not be considered in determining the low bid.

#### 1.05 Approved Equivalents or Equals:

Unless otherwise specified, any manufacturer's names, trade names, brand names, model numbers, etc. listed in the specifications are for information only and not intended to limit competition. The bidder may offer any brand for which he is an authorized representative that meets or exceeds the specifications as written. If the bid is based on an "approved equivalent or equal" item, supportive information in the form of manufacturer's printed literature or brochures, sketches, diagrams and/or complete specifications must accompany the bid. The bidder must explain in detail the reasons why the proposed equivalent or equal will meet specifications and not be considered an exception thereto. The City of Foley reserves the right to determine acceptance of proposed equivalent or equal item.



#### 1.06 Bid Withdrawals:

Bids may be withdrawn by written request received from bidders prior to the time fixed for opening but no bid may be withdrawn after closing time for receipt of bids for a period of sixty (60) days. Negligence on the part of the bidder in preparing the bid confers no right for the withdrawal of the bid after it has been opened.

1.07 <u>Rejection of Bids</u>:

The City of Foley reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, to award bids on a split-order basis, to waiver any minor bid irregularities, technicalities, or informalities, and to re-advertise for bids when deemed in the best interest of the City of Foley.

If there is any reason for believing that collusion exists among the bidders, any or all proposals may be rejected, and those participating in such collusion may be barred from submitting bids on the same or other work with the City of Foley.

#### 1.08 <u>Delivery</u>:

Bid quotations shall include all freight cost to Foley, Alabama to point(s) specified herein or specified at the time the purchase order is placed. No title to the item(s) ordered nor any risk of loss shall be passed to the City of Foley until after receipt of delivery has been acknowledged by an authorized representative of the City of Foley.

#### 1.09 <u>Taxes</u>:

The City of Foley, a Municipal Corporation, is a tax exempt entity per Section 40-23-4(11), Code of Alabama 1975. The City of Foley is exempt from all state and local sales taxes. This should <u>not</u> be construed to mean that contractors or suppliers doing business with the City of Foley are exempt from paying tax (General Conditions, Section 1.11 Permits and Taxes).

#### 1.10 Licenses, Registration and Certificates:

A City of Foley Business License must be obtained within ten days of bid award. Each bidder must provide proof of State required competency certifications whenever applicable to engage in the business of contracting (or special contracting if the work to be performed necessitates a particular type of specialty contractor) in the City of Foley.

#### 1.11 Permits and Taxes:

The contractor shall procure all permits, pay all charges, fees and taxes and give all notices necessary and incidental to the due and lawful prosecution of the work.

#### 1.12 <u>Compliance with Federally Funded Programs:</u>

The successful bidder shall assure the City of compliance with any and all special provisions (if applicable) contained in the contract being bid. These provisions may include but are not limited to maintaining a Drug-Free Workplace, compliance with Clean Air and Water Laws and Regulations, and compliance with Equal Opportunity and Non-Segregated Facilities guidelines.

#### 1.13 Proof of Liability & Worker's Comp Insurance:

If applicable, Proof of Liability and/or Worker's Comp Insurance must be included in the bid packet. If a company is not covered by Worker's Comp Insurance, labor and material charges should be separated on the bid/proposal. This should be done in order for the City to determine the Worker's Comp rate (in accordance with the City's current Worker's Comp fee schedule) that will be deducted from payment to the company performing the work.



#### 1.14 Background Check:

The bid award of "Public Works" projects over \$50,000 will be contingent upon the results of a background check of the successful low bidder as stated in Ordinance No. 1029-08. According to this ordinance, the City of Foley will take criminal histories into account when deciding whether a low bidder is qualified to do work for the City.

#### 1.15 <u>Disqualification</u>:

The City can disqualify a company based upon the results of a background check or if the company has been prohibited from contracting with another government agency as stated in Ordinance No. 1029-08.

If, in the opinion of The City of Foley, a sealed bid contains false or misleading statements or references that do not support a function, attribute, capability, or condition as contended by Company, the sealed bid may be disqualified from further consideration.

#### 1.16 Expenses:

Expenses for developing sealed bids and addressing information requests herein are solely and entirely the responsibility of Company and shall not be chargeable in any manner to the City of Foley.

#### 1.17 <u>Beason-Hammon Act</u>:

Must be in compliance with the Beason-Hammon Alabama Taxpayer and Citizen Protection Act, Act No. 2011-535 dealing with immigration (Immigration Act).

#### 1.18 <u>Alabama Immigration Law</u>:

The Contractor receiving the bid award must abide by the Alabama Immigration Law (also referred to as "Act 2011-535" and codified in State law as Title 31, Chapter 13 of the Code of Alabama 1975) and as it was amended by Act #2012-491 that was signed by Governor Bentley on May 18, 2012.

#### 1.19 Local Bid Preference:

The City of Foley has accepted the local bid preference guidelines established in Act 2015-293 and allows these guidelines to be utilized when appropriate, on a case by case basis. The local preference area has been established per Resolution 15-2369-RES and is defined as the area within the police jurisdiction of the City of Foley. Bid awards may be made to local vendors in this area if their submission is within 5% of a lower bid submitted by a vendor outside of this area and a 10% preference is extended if the lower bidder is located outside the state.

"The City of Foley encourages all vendors to list job openings with Job Services of Alabama."



#### AFFIDAVIT OF ALABAMA IMMIGRATION COMPLIANCE The signed Affidavit must be notarized.

In compliance with Sections 31-13-9 of the Alabama Code, this Affidavit of Alabama Immigration Compliance must be completed and signed by an officer or the owner of a business entity or employer and notarized. Please complete Part I if you do NOT employ one or more employees or Part II if you DO employ one or more employees.

Company Name	
<b>Company Representative</b>	(Please Print Name)
Address	
City, State, & Zip Code	

#### PART I – (Complete if you do NOT employ one or more employees and notarize below.)

I certify in my capacity as \_\_\_\_\_\_ for the above noted business entity that said entity does not employ one or more employees. I further certify that should my status change and I am required to comply, I will submit all required documents to the City of Foley. I have read this Affidavit and swear and affirm that it is true and correct.

Signature of Affiant

#### PART II – (Complete if you DO employ one or more employees and notarize below.)

As a condition of the above-referenced Entity/Company's receipt of any contract, grant, or incentive from, by or with the City of Foley, Alabama, the undersigned, as such officer, agent or representative of said Company, after being first duly sworn, states as follows:

- 1. That said Company will not knowingly employ, hire for employment, or continue to employ an unauthorized alien.
- 2. That said Company has enrolled in, is currently participating in, and will continue to participate in the "E-Verify" program run by the United States Citizenship and Immigration Service Bureau of the United States Department of Homeland Security for the entire term of said Company's performance under any contract, grant, or incentive it has with the City of Foley, Alabama.
- 3. The undersigned further represents that, should said entity/company employ or contract with any subcontractor(s) in connection with the physical performance of services pursuant to the contract with the City of Foley, it will secure from such subcontractor(s) verification of compliance with Section 31-13-9 of the Code of Alabama 1975, in a form substantially similar to this affidavit.

#### Entity's E-Verify Employment Eligibility Verification User Identification Number is:

I have read this Affidavit and swear and affirm that it is true and correct.

	Signature of Affiant
NOTARY SECTION	
State of: County of:	
Sworn to and subscribed before me this day of (or made known) to me to be the identical party he or she claims to be.	, 20 I certify that the affiant is known
	Signature and Seal of Notary Public My Commission Expires:

Please execute, have notarized, and return to the City of Foley, P.O. Box 1750, Foley, AL 36536. Page 12 of 12