

*City of*  
**SHELBYVILLE**  
*Tennessee*

DATE: November 2, 2021

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the CITY OF SHELBYVILLE, TENNESSEE is advertising for sealed bids on:

**FIREWORKS DISPLAY JULY 4TH, 2022  
AT H. V. GRIFFIN PARK**

Bids will be accepted by the City of Shelbyville Purchasing Office, 201 N. Spring Street, Shelbyville, TN 37160 or may be mailed to P.O. Box 185, Shelbyville, TN 37162 **until 2:00 P.M. on Thursday, November 18, 2021** Any bids received after the scheduled closing time for receipt of bids will be returned to the bidder unopened.

The bids shall be opened and read aloud during a public meeting of the City Council appointed BID COMMITTEE on Thursday, November 18, 2021 at 2:00 P.M. at Shelbyville City Hall, Conference Room, 201 N. Spring Street, Shelbyville, TN. Award of the bid is scheduled to be on the agenda at the next City Council business meeting at the Shelbyville Recreation Center. (December 9, 2021)

**GENERAL INFORMATION**

It will be the sole responsibility of the Bidder to deliver personally or by mail the bid or bids to the City of Shelbyville Purchasing Office, 201 N. Spring Street, Shelbyville, TN 37160 on or before the closing hour and date announced for the receipt of the bids. **The envelope must be sealed and marked on the outside “Sealed Bid for Fireworks Display July 4, 2022 at H. V. Griffin Park”.**

The City is exempt from taxes imposed by State and/or Federal Government. Exemption certificate, if required, will be furnished by the successful bidder and will be completed by the City.

Each variance to these specifications must be specifically stated by the bidder in the bidding proposal. The City Council reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, to waive informalities and to accept all or any part of any proposal as described therein, as they deem necessary to be in the best interest of the City.

City of Shelbyville

Bidders guarantee that the prices quoted in the bid will remain firm from the date of the bid opening until the completion of delivery.

All proposals shall be made on forms furnished by the CITY. Supporting information shall be on the bidder's stationery.

All proposals must indicate the firm's name and address and be signed in ink by an officer or employee having authority to bind the company or firm.

The intent of these specifications is to insure delivery of a new complete unit for operation. Omission of any essential detail from these specifications does not relieve the supplier from furnishing such unit. All bids must be on new models. This provision excludes surplus, used or demonstrators.

The bidder, by executing a contract or bid proposal on the terms of the invitation to bid, warrants the product that is supplied to be buyer shall remain fully in accord with the specifications and to be of the highest quality. In the event the product, as supplied to the buyer, is found to be defective or does not conform to the specifications, the buyer reserves the right to cancel the order upon written notice to the supplier and return such product to the supplier at the supplier's expense.

Payment will commence or be made in full after delivery and acceptance of product. All documents, invoice, title and exemption certificate shall be presented to the City of Shelbyville Purchasing Office.

All Bidders must comply with A.D.A. guidelines if required.

All Bidders must be in compliance with Title VI, Civil Rights Act of 1964, which specifies that: No person in the United States shall, on the grounds of race, color or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under a program or activity receiving federal financial assistance from the Department of Transportation or the U.S. Department of Justice.

The City of Shelbyville is subject to the Open Records Act, TCA 10-7-501, et. Seq. Bidders are advised that all documents submitted on behalf of this invitation to bid shall be open to the public for viewing and inspection.

The City of Shelbyville will fulfill Public Record Requests in compliance with Tennessee Open Records Act.

Failure on the part of the bidder to comply with all instructions herein may result in bid rejection.

**BID FORM**

TO: City of Shelbyville  
201 N. Spring Street  
Shelbyville, TN 37160

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

IN ACCORDANCE WITH YOUR INVITATION TO BID ON:

**FIREWORKS DISPLAY JULY 4TH, 2022 AT H. V. GRIFFIN PARK**

WE HEREBY SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING BID:

<u>MINIMUM SPECIFICATIONS</u>	<u>MEETS</u>	<u>EXCEEDS</u>	<u>DOESN'T MEET</u>
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Fireworks display July 4th, 2022  
9:00 pm  
H. V. Griffin Park  
220 Tulip Tree Road  
Shelbyville, TN

Program length approximately  
25 minutes, minimum 20 minutes

Maximum shell size - 6"

Turnkey project to include all  
necessary firing equipment,  
materials and manpower  
necessary for the production.

Quality production with  
Professional appearance required

Site survey highly recommended

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MEETS

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DOESN'T MEET

Please schedule site visit with  
Mike Alsup, Parks and  
Recreation Director  
931/684-9780

**All NFPA guidelines must be met or  
exceeded**

Set-up time will be coordinated  
with Parks & Recreation Director

**Meeting with Fire Department  
representative is required  
1-2 months prior to event**

**To be included with bid submission:**

- Type of display (electronic or hand firing)
- Inclement weather policy
- List of five references in the Middle TN area - name and phone number
- \$5,000,000 public liability insurance (proof of)
- Workers compensation insurance (proof of)
- Professional pyrotechnician license (proof of)
- Descriptive list of ALL fireworks to be shot in each category:
  - Opening
  - Main Program
  - Grand Finale
  - Lists to include quantity, description, including brands, size of shell (length & diameter, if cylinder - not circumference), diameter if round - not circumference  
*Example: 10 - Lidu Red Chrysanthemum to White Flashing, 6" aerial shell*

- Special effects should be listed separately
- Bid submission is to include all expenses necessary for complete production.

**This award shall be for the Independence Day program for 2022, with option to renew for the same program for two additional years. (if Independence Day programs are scheduled)**

**The option to renew will be reviewed 6-9 months prior to Independence Day both years.**

**The above is only renewable upon the agreement of both parties. If a price increase is necessary for the 2023 Independence Day program, it must be agreed upon by both parties. If the City determines the price increase is unreasonable, it will then re-bid the production.**

Clearly specify warranty.

Successful bidder must carry liability insurance and workers compensation insurance as listed above.

Any reference to name brands in this Invitation for Bids or the attached specifications is for example only. An approved equal will be accepted. The purchaser reserves the right to determine whether a substitute offer is equivalent to and meets the standard of quality indicated by the brand name referenced, and the purchaser may require a bidder offering a substitute to supply additional descriptive material.

- Vendors are welcome to submit more than one bid if options are available.
- A current business license must be furnished upon request.
- Any questions may be directed to Parks & Recreation Director, Mike Alsup, at 931-684-9780 or Lori Saddler, Purchasing / IT Director, at 931-684-2691.

We hereby submit the following price(s) for your consideration:

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ total for Fireworks Display for July 4,  
2022 turnkey project as described in specifications

Type of display (electronic or hand firing) \_\_\_\_\_

Inclement weather policy included with submission \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

List of five references in the Middle TN area - name and phone number included with  
submission \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

Proof of \$5,000,000 public liability insurance included with submission \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

Proof of Workers compensation insurance included with submission \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

Proof of Professional pyrotechnician license included with submission \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

Descriptive list of ALL fireworks to be shot in each category:

Opening

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Main Program

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Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Name and Address:

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Bid quote good for \_\_\_\_\_ days.