



## INVITATION TO BIDDERS

The City of Gatlinburg is accepting sealed bids on the purchase of specialized fertilizers and turf chemicals for the Gatlinburg Golf Course for a period of one (1) year.

Bids shall be received at Gatlinburg City Hall until **2:30 p.m., August 6, 2015** at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud. Bids must be sealed with the bidder's name, address, bid opening time and date and the quotation "Fertilizers & Turf Chemicals Bid" stated plainly on the outside.

Bid Documents may be obtained from Delea Patterson, AP/Purchasing, 1230 Parkway East, Suite 2, P.O. Box 5, Gatlinburg, Tennessee 37738, Telephone Number (865) 436-1404, email: [deleap@gatlinburgtn.gov](mailto:deleap@gatlinburgtn.gov).

Technical and specification questions should be referred to Jeff Rumph, Superintendent, Gatlinburg Golf Course, Dollywood Lane, Pigeon Forge, Tennessee 37863, Telephone Number (865) 680-4836.

Bid specifications will also be available on the City of Gatlinburg website at [www.gatlinburgtn.gov](http://www.gatlinburgtn.gov) under "Out for Bids" tab. This bid tab can be found under Gatlinburg Government, and then select Purchasing. Bid results are posted in the same area as shortly after bid opening as possible.

No bid may be withdrawn for thirty (30) days. Bid results will be posted as soon as possible after bid opening on the City of Gatlinburg website (see above address).

The City of Gatlinburg reserves the right to waive informalities, to accept or reject any bid and/or any part thereof and to accept the bid deemed in the best interest of the City.

## 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. Pigeon Forge, Tennessee unless otherwise indicated.

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 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 judgements 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.

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.

## SPECIFICATIONS

The City of Gatlinburg shall purchase the following fertilizers and chemicals in the following quantities:

<u>ITEM #</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>QUANTITY</u>
1.	Fungicide	5 Gallons total
2.	Fungicide	6 @ 5 Gallons Case
3.	Fungicide	3 @ 20 LB cases
4.	Fungicide	2 @ 5 Gallons Case
5.	Fertilizer	70 Acres (1000 LB. super sacks)
6.	Fungicide	7 @ 48 LB. Cases
7.	Fertilizer	75 @ 25 LB. Bags
8.	Fungicide	8 gallons total
9.	Fungicide	2 @ 22 LB. Cases
10.	Fungicide	4 Gallons Total
11.	Fungicide	2.5 Gallons Total
12.	Growth Regulator	7.5 Gallons Total
13.	Herbicide	17.5 Gallons Total
14.	Herbicide	50 Gallons Total
15.	Fungicide	3 Gallons Total
16.	Fungicide	3 Gallons Total
17.	Insecticide	3 Quarts Total
18.	Fungicide	366 Ounces Total

19.	Fungicide	5 Gallons or equivalent
20.	Phosphite Product	5 gallons total
21.	Pre-Emerge Herbicide	35 gallons
22.	Fertilizer	70 Acres coverage
23.	Pre-Emerge Herbicide	40 gallons total
24.	Fungicide	117 ounces total
25.	Pre-Emerge Herbicide	262.5 ounces total
26.	Fungicide	252 ounces total

All bid amounts shall include freight to the Gatlinburg Golf Course Maintenance Building at 520 Dollywood Lane in Pigeon Forge, TN. **Deliveries will NOT be accepted at City Hall in Gatlinburg at 1230 East Parkway.** Delivery contact is Jeff Rumph at 865-680-4836.

It is the intention of this bid that one delivery be made by September 30, 2015 so that quantity discounts may be received.

The City of Gatlinburg reserves the right to delay payment for up to thirty (30) days and to return, freight collect any item received which does not meet specifications.

All products proposed and furnished under the terms of this agreement must comply with any applicable Local, State, or Federal Laws and Regulations governing these products including, but not limited to; Federal Hazardous Substances Act, O.S.H.A. Regulations, and E.P.A. Registration Requirements. Suppliers shall be required to supply Material Safety Data Sheets to using departments as required by law. Suppliers shall make available to the City of Gatlinburg, a website on the internet, to receive and print all MSDS for products supplied to the City of Gatlinburg.

<u>ITEM #</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
1.	Fungicide The product should be a flowable emulsion of Iprodione at 2 lb. active ingredient per gallon. 5 Gallons total
2.	Fungicide The product should be a flowable emulsion of Chlorothalonil at 6 lb. active ingredient per gallon, plus Acibenzolar-S-methyl at .012 lb active ingredient per gallon. 6 @ 5 Gallon cases or equivalent.
3.	Fungicide Product should be a water dispersible granule of 82.5% Chlorothalonil. 60 LB total
4.	Fungicide The product should be a flowable emulsion of Thiophanate-methyl at 4.5 lb. active ingredient per gallon. 2 @ 5 Gallon total.
5.	Fertilizer The product should be a good quality "fairway grade" fertilizer with an approximate NPK analysis of 8-2-34. Application should yield 1.3 lb. K per 1000 square feet. Total coverage - 70 acres.
6.	Fungicide Product should be a water dispersible granule of 80% Mancozeb containing a blue dye. 7 @ 48 lb. cases total.
7.	Fertilizer Water soluble fertilizer with analysis of 16-3-16 plus micronutrients. 75 @ 25 lb. bags.
8.	Fungicide The product should be a liquid concentrate of Etridiazole at 4 pounds active ingredient per gallon. 8 gallons total.
9.	Fungicide The product should be a dry formulation of 80% Aluminum Tris. 2 @ 22 lb. cases total.

- 10.** Fungicide  
The product should be an emulsifiable concentrate of Azoxystrobin at .8 lb. active ingredient per gallon. 4 gallons total.
- 11.** Fungicide  
The product should be an emulsifiable concentrate of 14.3 % Propiconazole. 2.5 gallons total.
- 12.** Growth Regulator  
The product should be an emulsifiable concentrate of Flurprimidol at 13.26% and Trinexapac-ethyl at 5% combined. 7.5 Gallons total.
- 13.** Herbicide  
This product should be an emulsifiable concentrate of Bensulide at 4 lb. active ingredient per gallon. 17.5 gallons total.
- 14.** Herbicide  
This product should be an emulsion of Simazine at 4 lb. active ingredient per gallon. 50 gallons total.
- 15.** Fungicide  
This product should be an emulsifiable concentrate of 21% Menoxafam. 3 gallons total.
- 16.** Fungicide  
This product should be an emulsifiable concentrate of 66.5 % Propamocarb Hydrochloride, at 6.0 lb. active ingredient per gallon. 3 gallons total.
- 17.** Insecticide  
This product should be an emulsion of Lambda-cyhalothrin at .88 lb. active ingredient per gallon. 3 quarts total.
- 18.** Fungicide  
This product should be a liquid concentrate of Pyraclostrobin at 2.08 pounds active ingredient. 366 ounces total.
- 19.** Fungicide  
This product should be a suspension concentrate of Triticonazole 19.2% or 1.69 lb. active ingredient per gallon, 5 gallons total or equivalent in 30.1% or 3 lb. active ingredient per gallon formulation.

- 20.** Phosphite Product  
This product should be a liquid nutrient supplement of 28-30% Potassium Phosphite. 5 gallons total.
- 21.** Pre-Emerge Herbicide.  
This product should be a flowable formulation of Oxadiazon at 3.17 pounds active ingredient per gallon. 35 gallons total.
- 22.** Fertilizer  
Material should be a high nitrogen, slow release fertilizer with a nitrogen to potash ratio of 3:1 or 4:1 and an SGN size of 215 or smaller. The nitrogen should be at least 75% slow release coming from either polymer coated urea or enhanced urea that will last up to 120 days. Coverage is 70 acres with a nitrogen application of 1.65 pounds per thousand square feet. The material should come in 1000 pound super sacks.
- 23.** Pre-Emerge Herbicide  
This product should be a water-based, encapsulated formulation of Pendimethalin at 3.3 pounds active ingredient per gallon. Formulations other than water-based encapsulated are unacceptable. 40 Gallons total.
- 24.** Fungicide  
This product should be a flowable suspension of Cyazofamid at 34.5% and total 3.33 pounds active ingredient per gallon. 117 ounces total
- 25.** Pre-Emerge Herbicide  
This product should be Indaziflam at 20% in 2.5 oz water soluble pouches. Total should be 262.5 ounces.
- 26.** Fungicide  
This product should be a liquid with fluxaproxad at 14.33 % and Pyraclostrobin at 28.58 %. 252 ounces total.

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Gatlinburg, Tennessee 37738

**We have reviewed the specifications and offer the following:**

<u>ITEM #</u>	<u>UNIT PRICE</u>	<u>X</u>	<u>QUANTITY</u>	=	<u>TOTAL</u>
1.	_____	X	_____	=	_____
2.	_____	X	_____	=	_____
3.	_____	X	_____	=	_____
4.	_____	X	_____	=	_____
5.	_____	X	_____	=	_____
6.	_____	X	_____	=	_____
7.	_____	X	_____	=	_____
8.	_____	X	_____	=	_____
9.	_____	X	_____	=	_____
10.	_____	X	_____	=	_____
11.	_____	X	_____	=	_____
12.	_____	X	_____	=	_____
13.	_____	X	_____	=	_____
14.	_____	X	_____	=	_____
15.	_____	X	_____	=	_____
16.	_____	X	_____	=	_____



<u>ITEM #</u>	<u>UNIT PRICE</u>	<u>X</u>	<u>QUANTITY</u>	=	<u>TOTAL</u>
17.	_____	X	_____	=	_____
18.	_____	X	_____	=	_____
19.	_____	X	_____	=	_____
20.	_____	X	_____	=	_____
21.	_____	X	_____	=	_____
22.	_____	X	_____	=	_____
23.	_____	X	_____	=	_____
24.	_____	X	_____	=	_____
25.	_____	X	_____	=	_____
26.	_____	X	_____	=	_____

**GRAND TOTAL** \_\_\_\_\_

We understand that the prices stated on the previous page **do** include delivery to **Pigeon Forge, TN**. Any deviations from the specifications are noted as to item number and noted below. We understand that this bid may not be withdrawn for thirty (30) days.

Signed/ \_\_\_\_\_

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**Name (Print)**

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**Date**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Company Name**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Telephone Number**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Address**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Fax**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**City          State          Zip**

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**Email (if any)**

**EACH BIDDER SHALL SUBMIT THIS STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE WITH THEIR BID.**

**For Title VI and IX compliance, we ask for voluntary disclosure of the following information:**

**Gender:    Male          \_\_\_\_\_**

**Female          \_\_\_\_\_**

**Race:        Caucasian                  \_\_\_\_\_**

**African American          \_\_\_\_\_**

**Other (please specify)          \_\_\_\_\_**

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