

Request For Proposals (RFP)

POSTED DATE: August 11, 2022 - CORRECTED

DEADLINE: August 23, 2022, 10:00 AM



Two (2) 2022 550/5500 Pickup Truck or Equivalent

Project Introduction

Barton County Road and Bridge is seeking to replace two (2) pickups with two (2) new 2022 550/5500 Series pickups or equivalents. Specifications are included on the last page of this RFP.

Specifications

(See last page of RFP for full details) Seeking two (2) 2022 Crew Cab diesel 350 HP pickups to include warranty and delivery.

Project Funding Source

Barton County Road and Bridge Equipment Replacement Line (072-00-6485)

Project Timeline

As soon as possible.

Project Inquiries

Questions concerning the Request for Proposal must be submitted in writing via email or letter to:

Name: Darren Williams
Title: County Works Director
Address: 2401 7th Street
City, State, Zip: Great Bend, Ks. 67530
Phone: 620-793-1816
Email: dwilliams@bartoncounty.org

Submission Procedures

There are two submission options for formal procurement methods.

1) *Vendors may receive electronic notifications and submit bids/proposals electronically through Vendor Registry, a link found under the Procurement tab at www.bartoncounty.org.*

OR

2) *Bids/proposals may also be submitted via mail or courier in a sealed envelope, with the exterior marked with the Bid Number/Description, to the Barton County Clerk, 1400 Main Street, Room 202, Great Bend, KS 67530.*

Barton County will not consider any bids/proposals not prepared and not submitted in accordance with the provisions hereof and may waive any informalities or reject any and all bids/proposals. Any bids/proposals may be withdrawn prior to the above scheduled time for the opening of bids or authorized postponement thereof. Any bids/proposals received after the time and date specified shall not be considered. Bids/proposals submitted after the closing date and time will be returned unopened. Bids/proposals may not be withdrawn within sixty (60) days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

Opening and Tabulation

Bids/proposals will not be opened until after the published deadline and at the time and place prescribed in the invitation. The bids/proposals must be opened publicly. Electronic bid/proposal submission software does not permit the opening prior to the published deadlines. Mailed bids/proposals will be received and date/time stamped in the County Clerk's office.

Following the deadline, bids/proposals may be opened by the initiating Board of County Commissioners, Operations Director, or Department Head, and anyone may attend.

The Operations Director or requesting Department Head will furnish tabulation sheets to the County Commissioners. Tabulation sheets will vary depending on the type of expenditure and may include such as information about delivery, installation, project timeline, product features, warranties, etc.

Awarding Bids/Proposals

Barton County reserves the right to reject any and all bids/proposals and award in the County's best interests. Barton County will award bids/proposals only to responsible contractors possessing the ability to perform successfully under the terms and conditions of a proposed procurement. In addition, consideration will be given to such matters as contractor integrity, compliance with public policy, a record of past performance, delivery, warranty, integration, and financial and technical resources.

Bid results are available by a written request. Please send requests to the Freedom of Information Officer (FIO).

Barton County cannot enter into contracts with vendors that have been suspended or debarred from participating in contracts supported with federal funds. For contracts over \$25,000 supported with federal funds, Barton County will verify that a vendor/contractor is not excluded or disqualified by either:

- Checking SAM (www.sam.gov);
- Collecting a certification from that contractor; or
- Adding a clause or condition to the cover transaction with that contractor.

False or Misleading Statements

In the opinion of Barton County, if a vendor's bid/proposal contains false or misleading statements or references which do not support the function, attribute, capability, or condition of their company and the products and services outlined in their bid/proposal, their bid/proposal shall be rejected.

Conflicts of Interest

Barton County Commissioners, the Operations Director, Department Heads, and vendors shall list any current or potential clients or projects which may be (or cause) a conflict of interest in working for Barton County and describe the possible extent of the conflict.

Modification of Bids/Proposals

Modifications to bids/proposals already submitted will be allowed if submitted following the submission procedures before the deadline.

Specifications

Items
Year: 2022 Cab and Chassis only Cab: Crew Cab Color: Red (Primary) White (Accepted) Engine: Diesel 350 HP Transmission: 6 Speed Allison Climate Control: A/C Axle 4.30L/S Axle Ratio Axle: 4X4 Steering: Power Steering, Tilt Electrical: Cruise, Power Windows, Door Locks, Power Mirrors Extendable Htd Radio: AM/FM/CD/MP3 Axle Weight: FA 7500LBS, RA 13,500LBS, GVW 19,500LBS Cab To Axle: 60" Back Up Camera Suspension: Spring Wheels: Steel Or Aluminum Steps: Cab Assist Seats: Bench

Please indicate the warranty and delivery