

REQUEST FOR QUOTES
Scraping/Recycling of City Transit Buses

The City of Knoxville is requesting quotes from licensed scrap/recycle yards for recycling of six (6) 35-foot city transit buses. Offers are expected to be in the form of price per bus the offeror will pay the City of Knoxville. Quoting entities must take the following information into consideration when developing their quotes.

- Knoxville Area Transit (KAT) will fulfill scrapping actions in accordance with TDEC guidelines prior to each bus being made available to the scrap/recycle yard.
- KAT's scrapping actions will include cutting a 3-inch hole in the engine block and cutting the vehicle's frame rails completely in half immediately behind the rear axle.
- Each bus will be complete with all metal panels, glass, seats, and plastic components intact. The engine/transmission cradle will be separate.
- Curb weight of each bus with engine/transmission cradle is approximately 23,500 lbs.
- The City will provide State of Tennessee Salvage Titles with each bus.
- KAT will arrange for transportation of each bus and engine/transmission cradle to the scrap/recycle yard as long as the yard resides within Knox County or counties bordering Knox County. If the yard is outside of these limits, the scrap/recycle yard must arrange for and provide transportation of each bus and engine/transmission cradle at its own expense.
- KAT intends to have all six (6) buses available by October 1, 2020.
- Entities interested in providing a quote may make an appointment to view the six buses by calling Mike Bannon at 865.215.7838 or John Hull at 865.215.7873.