



INVITATION FOR SEALED BID

BID 01-326

Description: ANIMAL COLLECTION TRUCK BODIES

Department: POLICE

NIGP Commodity Code(s): 495-10-00-000-0

Total pages including this page is 16

NOTE: FAXED BIDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

Important Instruction - Read Carefully:

If you have obtained these bid specifications from either of:

City of Tulsa's Fax-on-Demand (918-596-1171) or

City of Tulsa's Website : www.cityoftulsapurchasing.org

you must notify the buyer LARRY HOOD of your intent to bid by e-mail lhood@ci.tulsa.ok.us in order to receive addenda. The buyer will always acknowledge your e-mail for your records. All addenda will be posted on fax-on-demand and the website.

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Note #2: Signature of an authorized agent and notary required

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Your bid response should follow the same format listed above plus any additional information requested in the body of the bid invitation.

**INVITATION FOR SEALED BIDS
TO
City of Tulsa**

200 CIVIC CENTER, ROOM 109, TULSA, OKLAHOMA 74103

Bid number and date of bid opening must appear on the lower
left outside corner of bid envelopes and all related containers.

DATE OF OPENING: MAY 2, 2002

BID NUMBER: 01-326

BID MUST BE IN THE CITY CLERK'S OFFICE AT THE ABOVE ADDRESS BY 5:00 P.M. THE DAY PRECEDING THE "DATE OF OPENING" SHOWN ABOVE.

BIDS WILL BE OPENED AT 8:30 A.M. IN THE CITY COUNCIL ROOM ON THE DAY SPECIFIED UNDER "DATE OF OPENING."

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Bid must be accompanied by bidder's bond, cashier's check or certified check in the amount of: **NOT REQUIRED**

PLEASE READ TERMS AND CONDITIONS ON THE NEXT PAGE BEFORE COMPLETING BID DOCUMENTS

***** THE **FOLLOWING SECTION MUST BE COMPLETED BY BIDDER** *****

Delivery will be made in not more than _____ days after receipt of order.

Payment terms _____ % _____ days.

City of Tulsa may increase quantity of order at the unit price bid for _____ days. (Bidder to Specify Days) I have examined the terms and specifications and the instructions to bidders herein and agree, provided I am awarded a contract, to provide the above described items for the sum shown in accordance with the terms and specifications stated herein. All deviations are in writing and attached hereto.

Enclosed is a BID BOND ; CASHIER'S CHECK; Certified Check in the amount of \$ _____, which I agree the City of Tulsa may retain as liquidated damages in the event of my failure to comply with the terms of this bid.

MUST BE SIGNED BY AUTHORIZED AGENT TO BE VALID

FIRM NAME _____ by _____

STREET _____ TITLE _____

CITY STATE _____ ZIP CODE _____ PHONE NUMBER _____ DATE _____

GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SEALED BIDS

THESE ITEMS APPLY TO AND BECOME A PART OF THE BID.

NO EXCEPTIONS TO THESE TERMS & CONDITIONS WILL BE CONSIDERED.

1. **BIDS MUST BE SUBMITTED ON THIS FORM ONLY INCLUDING A SIGNATURE OF AN AUTHORIZED AGENT.** Each bid shall be placed in a separate envelope. Be sure envelope is completely and properly identified and sealed, showing the bid number and date in the lower left hand corner. Bids must be time stamped in the office of the City Clerk by 5:00 P.M. on the day before date of opening.
2. No bidder may withdraw his proposal for a period of thirty (30) days after the date and hour set for the opening of bids.
3. All prices shall be quoted F.O.B. Tulsa, Oklahoma, and delivery to City of Tulsa location shall be without additional charge.
4. The bidder shall attach the manufacturer's name of the equipment or material to be furnished, type, model numbers, manufacturer's descriptive bulletins and specifications. All guarantees and warranties should be clearly stated. This data shall be in sufficient detail to describe accurately the equipment or material to be furnished. Manufacturer's specifications, in respect to the successful bidder, shall be considered as part of his contract with the City of Tulsa.
5. The bidder shall show in the proposal both the unit prices and total amount, where required, of each item listed. In the event of error or discrepancy in the mathematics, the unit prices shall prevail.
6. Any exceptions or deviations from written specifications shall be shown in writing and attached to the bid form.
7. Each bidder agrees to comply with the terms of Title 5, Chapter 1, of Tulsa, Oklahoma Charter and revised ordinances relating to equal employment opportunity.
8. **THE ENCLOSED FORMS REGARDING NON-COLLUSION AND FINANCIAL INTEREST MUST BE SIGNED, NOTARIZED, AND RETURNED WITH THE BID.**
9. The City of Tulsa reserves the right to reject any and all bids, to waive any technicalities in the bidding, and to award each item to different bidders or all items to a single bidder.
10. All bids must be accompanied by bidders bond, cash, certified or cashier's check in the amount shown on the face of the bid form. This amount shall be retained by the City of Tulsa as liquidated damages in the event the successful bidder (or bidders) fails to execute a contract, if required. The bidder agrees that said amount is presumed to be the damages sustained by the City due to the impracticability and extreme difficulty in fixing the actual damages. The office of the City Clerk will return the bid deposits to the unsuccessful bidders, after a contract has been awarded or all bids have been rejected.
11. In the event cash discounts are offered by the bidder, the discount date shall begin with the date of invoice, the date of receipt of all material covered by the purchase order, or the date of receipt by the City of Tulsa of the original copy of the purchase order with properly executed Affidavit of Claimant, whichever is the later date.
12. Direct purchase of certain items of equipment or material by the City of Tulsa are exempt from Federal Excise Tax and Oklahoma Sales Tax. In such cases the bidder shall quote prices that do not include Federal Excise Tax and Oklahoma Sales Tax. The City of Tulsa will furnish executed exemption certificates upon presentation by the bidder at the time of purchase.
13. Bid must show number of days required for delivery under normal conditions. Failure to state delivery time obligates bidder to complete delivery in fourteen (14) calendar days. Unrealistically short or long delivery promises may cause bid to be disregarded. Contractor must keep Purchasing Department advised at all times of status of order. Default in promised delivery or failure to meet specifications authorizes the Purchasing Agent to purchase supplies elsewhere and charge full increase of cost and handling to defaulting contractor. Consistent failure to meet delivery promises without valid reason may cause removal from bid list.
14. Bidder agrees to defend and save City of Tulsa from and against all demands, claims, suits, costs, expenses, damages and judgments based upon infringement of any patent relating to goods specified in this order or the ordinary use or operation of such goods by City or use or operation of such goods in accordance with bidders direction.
15. If the bid requires a written contract, the successful bidder shall execute a written contract with the City of Tulsa and return the required bonds and insurance certificates within ten (10) days after submission of contracts to said bidder by the City.

BIDDER AFFIDAVIT - TITLE 74 O.S. (1974 SUPP.) 85.22-85.25

STATE OF _____ COUNTY OF _____

_____, of lawful age, being first duly sworn on oath says

Authorized Agent

1. (s)he is the duly authorized agent of _____, the bidder submitting the competitive bid which is attached to this statement, for the purpose of certifying the facts pertaining to the existence of collusion among bidders and between bidders and municipal officials or employees, as well as facts pertaining to the giving or offering of things of value to government personnel in return for special consideration in the letting of any contract pursuant to the bid to which this statement is attached.
2. (s)he is fully aware of the facts and circumstances surrounding the making of the bid to which this statement is attached and has been personally and directly involved in the proceedings leading to the submission of such bid; and
3. neither the bidder nor anyone subject to the bidder's direction or control has been a party;
 - a. to any collusion among bidders in restraint of freedom of competition by agreement to bid at a fixed price or to refrain from bidding,
 - b. to any collusion with any municipal official or employee as to quantity, quality or price in the prospective contract, or as to any other terms of such prospective contract, nor
 - c. in any discussions between bidders and any municipal official concerning exchange of money or other thing of value for special consideration in the letting of a contract.

SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED AGENT

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 20_____.

Signature of Notary Public

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES

The Bidder Affidavit must be completed, signed by an authorized agent, and notarized.

CONTRACTOR/BIDDER INFORMATION SHEET

To be completed by all Bidders
For Contracts with the City of Tulsa
(Please print or type)

Project No. or Description _____

Full Name of Bidder _____

Legal Identity
(Corporation, Partnership,
Individual, etc.) _____

Person Authorized to Sign Contracts _____

Address _____

Telephone No. _____

FAX No. _____

Taxpayer Identification Number _____

Contact Person _____

Phone No. _____

Fax No. _____

E-mail address _____

Webpage Address _____

Price Sheet Summary

Vendor Name: _____ Signature: _____
Date: _____

You will be able to obtain a copy of the Bid Summary on the City of Tulsa's Purchase-Net Fax-on-Demand and Website shortly after bid opening.

BIDDER AGREES TO FURNISH ANIMAL COLLECTION TRUCK BODIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH BID SPECIFICATIONS AT THIS PRICE:

TWO (2) or more ANIMAL COLLECTION TRUCK BODIES \$ _____ EACH*

MANUFACTURER AND MODEL OF ITEM QUOTED:

EXPECTED DELIVERY TIME: _____

Note: Delivered Cost

SPECIFICATIONS

GENERAL: Two or more, new, 2002 animal collection bodies to mount on 2002 ¾ ton extended cab Ford trucks with the long wheel base (8 foot).

All specifications listed herein are to be considered as minimum. Minor deviations not affecting the serviceability of the bodies will be considered, but must be noted and approved prior to award of bid.

Bids for the bodies must include shipping. Delivery will be made to E.M.D. body shop, 1790 Newblock Park Drive, Tulsa, OK. The bid price should reflect the price for each unit, as additional units may be required at a later date.

Animal Collection Body – Six stall and front storage compartment. The six stalls shall have pass through center gates that will latch closed or open to either side.

Description	Minimum Specifications
Frame	Aluminum framework-Steel subframe. No spot welding of square tubing. All joints shall be continuously M.I.G. welded with materials and craftsmanship meeting industrial standards. The unit's frame, roof supports and door support frames shall be constructed of 6061T6, 1 inch x 1 inch x .125 aluminum square tubing. The doorframes shall be constructed of 6061T6, 1 inch x 1 inch x .062 aluminum square tubing.
Skin	Stainless steel skin, with insulation package. The exterior and interior of the unit, including exterior animal stall door skins, shall be constructed of 24 gauge, grade/type 304, stainless

steel. The exterior and interior skin shall be attached to the unit's frame with rivets. The rivets shall be spaced a maximum of four (4) inches between each rivet. All seams shall be sealed with silicone caulk to prevent water penetration. The seam between the roof and side walls shall be sealed and covered with drip rail trim. All rivets shall be a minimum of 3/16-inch diameter of aluminum, coated steel or stainless steel. The unit's entire outer shell shall be insulated with a minimum of one (1) inch polyisocyanurate material. The insulation material shall be installed between the shell's exterior and interior skins. The underside of the collection body should be protected from the elements and tire splash. Though the base of the unit might consist of marine-grade plywood, it should be covered in a stainless steel skin.

Skirt Long-wheel base skirt package with 4 storage boxes

Bumper Bumper with light hook up for stock trailer

Ventilation System An interior ventilation system for all animal stalls shall be designed in the unit to provide continuous airflow through each animal stall by allowing fresh air to intake at the stall door and the stale air to be vented out of the stall through roof mounted vents and an electric, roof mounted, low profile

exhaust fan. These air intakes, exhaust vents and air passageways shall be of sufficient size to allow a continuous movement of air, but not allow small cats to escape confinement within the stall. A minimum of four (4) roof mounted, low profile, pop up vents and a minimum of two (2) low profile, roof mounted 12-volt electric, 100 cfm, and 1.5 amps draw exhaust fans shall be installed. The on/off switch for the exhaust fans shall be located in the front equipment storage stall.

Stalls

All six (6) animal stalls shall have, in addition to an exterior door, a safety café style double door. This café door shall be constructed in such a manner as to prevent the escape of a confined animal within when the exterior door is open, but will allow the placement of an animal into the stall by inward swinging action (double door). The café door shall be mounted to a steel hinge, which has a steel spring with adjustable action. The café door shall be constructed of 1 inch square aluminum frame with 3/8 inch aluminum rods welded to the frame and across the opening. The entire door assembly shall be mounted to a 1 inch square aluminum frame, which swings out (café double door within a door) and can be latched closed with a slide “one hand” latch.

The hinge on the café door shall be constructed of a type and positioned on the frame to allow the door to

open, without interference from the outer door, a minimum of ninety (90) degrees from the unit. An inside width of doors opened must be at least 24 inches wide. The height of the stall's openings should be at least 29 inches. Each animal stall shall contain a rubber floor mat covering its entire floor area. The mat shall not be attached to the floor but easily removed for cleaning. The rubber floor mats shall be of heavy duty construction and a minimum of 3/8 inch thick.

Interior stall lighting

All animal compartments should be well lit. Interior lighting must be protected from water when cleaning.

Front storage area

Includes a door on each end, carpeted floor, interior lighting and equipment hooks. All on/off light and exhaust fan switches shall be located in the front equipment storage stall and easily accessible from the driver's side of the truck. All switches shall be installed on one panel, which is labeled in accordance with each switch's function. All electrical switches and in-line fuses shall be easily accessible for replacement and maintenance.

Exterior Lighting

Attached to the rear and top of the unit shall be one 12 volt flood light which provides sufficient illumination to light the area at the back of the unit during night time operation. The on/off switch for the flood light shall be located in the front storage area.

All US DOT required lights and reflectors and a high mount rear brake light. All such lights shall operate in accordance with their application. Install two extra light boxes on the back for strobe light package, including necessary wiring. The strobe lights will be installed by the purchaser. An arrow bar “Whelen”-type traffic advisor arrow bar shall be installed and mounted to the top/back section of the body, including necessary wiring, (traffic advisor seen in Gall’s magazine #D-DR013). All 12-volt electrical wiring shall be a minimum of 16 gauge with 15 amps. In-line fuses and enclosed in conduit.

Doors

All stall door hinges, except the safety café door hinges, shall be piano type hinges constructed of stainless steel. All doors lock and are keyed alike. On the exterior door of each animal stall shall be an adjustable multi-louver vent constructed of aluminum. These vents shall have a minimum of seven (7) louvers. The louvers of each vent shall be capable of being opened and closed from the outside with the door closed.

Warranty

Manufacture shall provide a minimum of a limited one year warranty that the product is free from defects in materials and workmanship.

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INTENT

THE INTENT OF THESE SPECIFICATIONS IS TO SET MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS, NOT TO OTHERWISE LIMIT BIDDING, FOR THE SUPPLY OF ANIMAL COLLECTION TRUCK BODIES FOR THE CITY OF TULSA.

PRICES

PRICES BID SHALL BE BASED ON NEW, UNUSED MATERIAL IN STRICT ACCORDANCE WITH THE SPECIFICATIONS INCLUDED IN THIS BID, DELIVERED TO THE JOB SITE.

DELIVERY AND SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER(S) SHALL DELIVER ALL MATERIAL, AT THEIR EXPENSE, TO THE LOCATION(S) SPECIFIED BY THE CITY.

ADDENDA AND INTERPRETATIONS

IF IT BECOMES NECESSARY TO REVISE ANY PART OF THIS BID, A WRITTEN ADDENDUM WILL BE PROVIDED TO ALL THE BIDDERS. THE CITY OF TULSA IS NOT BOUND BY ANY ORAL REPRESENTATION, CLARIFICATIONS OR CHANGES MADE IN THE WRITTEN SPECIFICATIONS BY CITY OF TULSA EMPLOYEES UNLESS SUCH CLARIFICATION OR CHANGE IS PROVIDED TO BIDDERS IN WRITTEN ADDENDUM FORM FROM THE PURCHASING DIVISION.

ALTERING BIDS

BIDS CANNOT BE ALTERED OR AMENDED AFTER SUBMISSION DEADLINE. ANY INTERLINEATION, ALTERATION, OR ERASURE MADE BEFORE OPENING TIME AND DATE MUST BE INITIALED BY THE SIGNER OF THE BID, GUARANTEEING AUTHENTICITY. BIDS MUST BE SUBMITTED IN INK OR TYPEWRITTEN, PENCILING WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL TAKE THE NECESSARY ACTIONS TO ENSURE ITS FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT ARE IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT. IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT THE PROGRAM OF THE CONTRACTOR IS NOT A PROGRAM OR ACTIVITY OF THE CITY OF TULSA. THE CONTRACTOR AGREES THAT ITS PROGRAM OR ACTIVITY WILL COMPLY WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE ADA. ANY COSTS OF SUCH COMPLIANCE WILL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF CONTRACTOR. UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES WILL CONTRACTOR CONDUCT ANY ACTIVITY WHICH IT DEEMS TO NOT BE IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE ADA.

EMPLOYMENT DISCRIMINATION BY CONTRACTOR PROHIBITED

A. DURING THE PERFORMANCE OF THIS CONTRACT, THE CONTRACTOR AGREES AS FOLLOWS:

(1) THE CONTRACTOR WILL NOT DISCRIMINATE AGAINST ANY EMPLOYEE OR APPLICANT FOR EMPLOYMENT BECAUSE OF RACE, RELIGION, COLOR, SEX OR NATIONAL ORIGIN, EXCEPT WHERE RELIGION, SEX OR NATIONAL ORIGIN IS A BONA FIDE OCCUPATIONAL QUALIFICATION REASONABLY NECESSARY TO THE NORMAL OPERATION OF THE CONTRACTOR. THE CONTRACTOR AGREES TO POST IN CONSPICUOUS PLACES, AVAILABLE TO EMPLOYEES AND APPLICANTS FOR EMPLOYMENT, NOTICES SETTING FORTH THE PROVISION OF THIS NON-DISCRIMINATION CLAUSE.

(2) THE CONTRACTOR, IN ALL SOLICITATIONS OR ADVERTISEMENTS FOR EMPLOYMENT PLACED BY OR ON BEHALF OF THE CONTRACTOR, WILL STATE THAT SUCH CONTRACTOR IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER.

(3) NOTICES, ADVERTISEMENTS AND SOLICITATIONS PLACED IN ACCORDANCE WITH FEDERAL LAW, RULE OR REGULATION SHALL BE DEEMED SUFFICIENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF MEETING THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS SECTION.

B. THE CONTRACTOR WILL INCLUDE THE PROVISION OF THE FOREGOING PARAGRAPHS OF THIS SECTION IN EVERY SUBCONTRACT OR PURCHASE ORDER OF OVER \$10,000, SO THAT THE PROVISIONS WILL BE BINDING UPON EACH SUBCONTRACTOR OR VENDOR.

AWARD OF BID

THE BID SHALL BE AWARDED TO THE FIRM WHOSE PROPOSAL IS RESPONSIVE TO THE BID AND IS MOST ADVANTAGEOUS TO THE CITY, CONSIDERING THE FACTORS IDENTIFIED IN THE BID AND SECTION 406E OF TITLE 6, THE PURCHASING ORDINANCE SET FORTH BELOW:

E. AWARD OF CONTRACT.

1. AUTHORITY OF MAYOR. THE MAYOR SHALL HAVE THE AUTHORITY TO AWARD CONTRACTS WITHIN THE PURVIEW OF THIS CHAPTER.

2. LOWEST SECURE BIDDER. CONTRACTS SHALL BE AWARDED TO THE LOWEST SECURE BIDDER MEETING SPECIFICATIONS. IN DETERMINING "LOWEST SECURE BIDDER", IN ADDITION TO PRICE, THE FOLLOWING FACTORS SHALL BE CONSIDERED:

A. THE ABILITY, CAPACITY AND SKILL OF THE BIDDER TO PERFORM THE CONTRACT OR PROVIDE THE SERVICE REQUIRED;

B. WHETHER THE BIDDER CAN PERFORM THE CONTRACT OR PROVIDE THE SERVICE PROMPTLY OR WITHIN THE TIME SPECIFIED, WITHOUT DELAY OR INTERFERENCE;

C. THE CHARACTER, INTEGRITY, REPUTATION, JUDGMENT, EXPERIENCE AND EFFICIENCY OF THE BIDDER;

D. THE QUALITY OF PERFORMANCE OF PREVIOUS CONTRACTS OR SERVICES;

E. THE PREVIOUS AND EXISTING COMPLIANCE BY THE BIDDER WITH LAWS AND ORDINANCES RELATING TO THE CONTRACT OR SERVICE;

F. THE SUFFICIENCY OF THE FINANCIAL RESOURCES AND ABILITY OF THE BIDDER TO PERFORM THE CONTRACT OR PROVIDE THE SERVICE;

G. THE QUALITY, AVAILABILITY AND ADAPTABILITY OF THE SUPPLIES OR CONTRACTUAL SERVICES TO THE PARTICULAR USE REQUIRED;

H. THE ABILITY OF THE BIDDER TO PROVIDE FUTURE MAINTENANCE AND SERVICE FOR THE USE OF THE SUBJECT OF THE CONTRACT, AND;

I. WHERE AN EARLIER DELIVERY DATE WOULD BE OF GREAT BENEFIT TO THE REQUISITIONING AGENCY, THE DATE AND TERMS OF DELIVERY MAY BE CONSIDERED IN THE BID AWARD, AND;

J. THE NUMBER AND SCOPE OF CONDITIONS ATTACHED TO THE BID.

K. IF A POINT SYSTEM HAS BEEN UTILIZED IN THE BID SPECIFICATIONS, THE NUMBER OF POINTS EARNED BY THE BIDDER.

BID DOCUMENTS

BIDDER SHALL RETURN ALL BID DOCUMENTS (16 PAGES) EXACTLY AS FURNISHED IN THEIR ORIGINAL FORM. ALL BID DOCUMENTS REQUIRING SIGNATURES MUST BE SIGNED BY AN AUTHORIZED AGENT OF THE COMPANY BIDDING. .PRINTING YOUR NAME IN LIEU OF A SIGNATURE WILL NOT BE ALLOWED. **FAILURE TO COMPLY WILL RESULT IN REJECTION OF YOUR BID.**