



CITY OF SAN ANTONIO

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ADDENDUM II

SUBJECT: Tractors and Mower Attachments, Invitation for Bid (6100002676), Scheduled to Open: April 12, 2013; Date of Issue: March 19, 2013

FROM: Paul J. Calapa
Procurement Administrator

DATE: April 10, 2013

THIS NOTICE SHALL SERVE AS ADDENDUM NO. II - TO THE ABOVE REFERENCED INVITATION FOR BID

THE IFB OPENING DATE IS HEREBY EXTENDED TO WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17, 2013, 2:00 PM LOCAL TIME.

THE RESPONSES TO THE QUESTIONS ASKED SHALL CONSTITUTE CHANGES TO SECTION 004 OF THE SPECIFICATIONS OF THE IFB. THIS ADDENDUM IS PART OF THE CONTRACT AND SHALL BE SUBMITTED WITH EACH PROPOSAL.

- 1. 004 SPECIFICATIONS / SCOPE OF SERVICE,** Owners/Service Manuals Section is revised as follows: Each tractor and mower attachment shall be delivered with the following documents in a hard copy format:
 - Operator's Manual; electronic copies of the operator's manual will be accepted as a supplement
 - Parts List
 - Maintenance Manual
 - Service Manual
- 2. 004 SPECIFICATIONS / SCOPE OF SERVICE,** Training Section is revised as follows: The vendor shall provide a minimum of sixteen (16) hours of training; an eight (8) hour operators training and an eight (8) hour mechanical training. The training will be conducted at a City facility and shall be held within fifteen (15) days of delivery. Training shall be scheduled upon award.
- 3. 004 SPECIFICATIONS / SCOPE OF SERVICE,** Items 1a, 2a, 3a, 4a, 5a, 6a Tractor – subsection 12 is hereby added, and each shall read as follows: Diagnostic Hardware and Software: Upon award the vendor shall provide one (1) set of necessary hardware and software to properly diagnose and troubleshoot the engine and transmission for each tractor. The hardware shall include all necessary cabling to connect to a laptop. The price of these items shall be included in the price of the tractor.
- 4. 004 SPECIFICATIONS / SCOPE OF SERVICE,** Items 1a, 2a, 3a, 4a, 5a, 6a Tractor - subsection 1, Engine: Add the following statement to this subsection: Fuel tanks shall have locking gas cap that shall be keyed-alike with all other bid items.
- 5. 004 SPECIFICATIONS / SCOPE OF SERVICE,** Items 1a, 2a, 5a Tractor - subsection 6 Hydraulics: is revised to read as follows: Hydraulics – Closed center, pressure and flow compensated pump system with minimum 30 gallon per minute at the remotes. Minimum 3 remote spool valves with quick coupler

connections. Tractor shall also be equipped with factory installed hydraulic set (including joystick and 3 function valves) for use with quick detachable front loader with grapple.

6. **004 SPECIFICATIONS / SCOPE OF SERVICE**, Items 1a, 2a, 3a Tractor - subsection 7 are revised to read as follows: Tires: Front rim size shall be a R24. Front tire shall be a R1W bias, OEM recommended size with a minimum 12 ply. Rear rim size shall be a R34. Rear tire size shall be a R1W bias, OEM recommended size with a minimum 16 ply rating.
7. **004 SPECIFICATIONS / SCOPE OF SERVICE**, Items 4a, 5a, 6a Tractor - subsection 7 are revised to read as follows: Tires: Front tires shall be 16" diameter, 36x11, minimum 22 ply rating, polyester, aircraft types. Rear tires shall be a R34, R1W bias, OEM recommended size with a minimum 16 ply rating.
8. **004 SPECIFICATIONS / SCOPE OF SERVICE**, Items 1a, 2a, 4a, 5a, 6a Tractor - subsection 8 Cab: reference to tinted glass is hereby revised to read "factory or OEM tinted glass".
9. **004 SPECIFICATIONS / SCOPE OF SERVICE**, Item 3a Tractor - subsection 8 Cab: The reference to tinted glass is hereby deleted. The following requirement is hereby added to this subsection: Polycarbonate windows shall replace all glass windows including the windshield.
10. **004 SPECIFICATIONS / SCOPE OF SERVICE**, Items 4a, 5a, 6a Tractor - subsection 11 is revised to read as follows: Miscellaneous: Tractor shall have a minimum base weight (minus counter weights) of 10,000 lbs. Tractor shall have slow moving emblem (SMV) mounted on rear of unit. Tractor shall have appropriate amount of counter balance; front bumper mounted weights to accommodate the specified attachment.
11. **004 SPECIFICATIONS / SCOPE OF SERVICE**, Items 2b, 4b, 5b 7' Mowing Deck Attachment -- subsection 5 Tail Wheel is revised to read as follows: The unit shall be equipped with a 4 bolt, laminated, 360 degree swivel 15.5" inch tire that is supported by a tubular steel support. Wheel shall be mounted in a fork or yoke style support. Single sided support will not be accepted.
12. **004 SPECIFICATIONS / SCOPE OF SERVICE**, Item 6b 20' Batwing Mower Deck - subsection 7 Wheels and Tires is replaced with the following: Wheels and Tires -- each unit shall be equipped with eight (8) each 21x5.25x9 inch, laminated or segmented tires, (5) bolt hole steel rims. The center section shall be equipped with two (2) spring loaded wheel arms and dual wheels on each wheel arm. Each wing shall be equipped with dual wheels that shall trail within the cut width. Deck to be equipped with heavy duty axle with air spring suspension with shock absorbers.

QUESTIONS SUBMITTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 003, PRE-SUBMITTAL CONFERENCE:

On March 25, 2013, the City of San Antonio hosted a Pre-Submittal Conference to provide information and clarification for the IFB for Tractors and Mower Attachments for the City of San Antonio. Below is a list of questions that were asked during the conference. The City's official response to questions asked is as follows:

Question 1: Item 3b outlines the specifications for the mid-mount boom mower attachment however the specifications include a polycarbonate window; please clarify.

Response: Refer to specification changes number 9 of this Addendum.

Question 2: Should the tractors for the Airport have to be a specify color per FAA regulations?

Response: No, FAA allows the tractors to operate with a checkered flag; the flag will not need to be supplied by the vendor.

Question 3: The tires specified on all items are not recommended by the manufacture, please clarify.

Response: Refer to the specification changes number 6 and number 7 of this Addendum.

QUESTIONS SUBMITTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 003, RESTRICTIONS ON COMMUNICATION:

Question 4: Is a 58 gallon fuel tank required?

Response: Refer to section 004 Specifications / Scope of Service Tractor specifications, all fuel tanks are required to be at least 58 gallons.

Question 5: Will the City accept Tier III tractors?

Response: Refer to section 004 Specifications / Scope of Service Tractor specifications all tractors must be EPA certified Interim Tier IV compliant.

Question 6: In regards to the hydraulics; it is not possible to mix and match loaders from different brands that are produced from the factory.

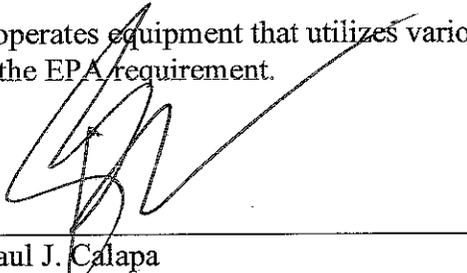
Response: Refer to section 004 Specifications / Scope of Service Tractor specifications number 5 of this addendum changes the hydraulics specifications.

Question 7: There is no vandal prevention in your quote. I would think that a tractor being used in public settings would need things like locking fuel caps or locking hoods. Also noticed there nothing requiring a back up alarm, might not be needed, but often used in your type of applications.

Response: Refer to section 004 Specifications / Scope of Service Tractor specifications number 4 of this addendum changes the fuel tank specifications.

Question 8: Some tractor models need two types of fuel to function, DEF additive. Does the City need a tractor that runs on one type of fuel?

Response: Currently the City of San Antonio currently owns and operates equipment that utilizes various types of fuel including DEF additive. All tractors must meet the EPA requirement.



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