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BID REQUEST NO. 08-0055

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The City of Sioux Falls, SD, requests formal bids for Furnish Landfill Dozer.

Sealed bids shall be received by Purchasing, 3rd Floor, City Hall, 224 W. 9th St., P.O. Box 7402, Sioux Falls, SD 57117-7402, not later than 2 p.m., May 29, 2008. **Bids shall be publicly opened and read in City Hall, 1st Floor, at 2:15 p.m.**

Specifications and bid forms that must be used are available from Purchasing at above address. Cite Bid Request No. 08-0055.

The City of Sioux Falls reserves the right to reject any or all bids, waive technicalities, and make award(s) as deemed to be in the best interest of Sioux Falls, SD.

Purchasing

**Supplies, Equipment, Materials, or Services
Instructions to Bidders**

1. **Purpose:** The purpose of this request is to provide the City of Sioux Falls with a contract for the purchase of supplies, equipment, material, or services as specified herein.
2. **Contract Period:** The equipment/supplies will be obtained on a one-time purchase contract.
3. **F.O.B. Point:** All prices quoted are to be F.O.B. Destination, City of Sioux Falls, Sioux Falls, South Dakota.
4. **Completing the Bid Form:** All bids must be made on the bid forms provided by the City. Information shall be typed or printed in ink. Erasures and/or corrections must be initialed by the preparer. Each bid must be signed in ink by the bidder or authorized officer.
5. **Quality and Brand:** The specifications included herein are the minimum specifications for each product. Bidder shall indicate brand names of products to be supplied. Any material delivered that does not meet or exceed the specifications as awarded will be rejected.
6. **Alternate Products:** Bids are invited on products equal or superior to the minimum specifications set out herein. Complete product literature must be provided for any alternates proposed. The City shall determine the suitability of any proposed alternates.
7. **Price Discrepancies:** Any discrepancies between the bid unit price and extension shall be resolved in favor of the unit price.
8. **Local Preference:** By virtue of statutory authority, preference will be given to materials, products, and supplies found or produced within the State of South Dakota. Bidders residing in South Dakota shall be allowed a preference over the bid of any bidder from any other state enforcing or having a preference for resident bidders, equal to such preference.
9. **Conflicting federal rules govern on subsidized projects.** The letting of any public contract in connection with funds that are granted or advanced by the United States of America shall be subject to the effect, if any, of related laws of said United States and valid rules and regulations of federal agencies in charge or governing use and payment of such federal funds. Bid awards when federal funds are involved must be made to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder without regard to state preferential bid provisions.
10. **Envelope:** Each bid must be sealed and submitted in or under cover of the envelope provided herewith. All bids must be identified with the bid number and date of opening to be considered as a valid bid. Any bid submitted in other than the provided envelope may be subject to being opened prior to or after the public bid

opening. Any bid so opened shall be rejected and returned to the bidder without further consideration for award. Descriptive literature, if required, may be submitted in the provided envelope or a separate envelope. If in a separate envelope, the lower left corner of that envelope shall be identified as "Literature for Bid Request" and the Bid Request number. No prices shall be quoted on the literature.

11. **Bid Guaranty:** Each bid of \$25,000 or greater must be accompanied by a bid bond in the amount of 10% (ten percent) of the amount of the bid, or in lieu thereof a certified check, cashier's check, or bank draft in the amount of 5% (five percent) of the amount of the bid. All bid guaranties shall be made payable to the City of Sioux Falls. Bonds shall be issued by a surety authorized to do business in this state. Checks shall be certified or issued by a State or National Bank. **Bid guaranties other than those mentioned will not be accepted by the City of Sioux Falls.** Bid guaranties of unsuccessful bidders shall be returned within 30 calendar days of the bid opening. Bid guaranty of the successful bidder shall be retained until the contract is executed and a performance guaranty (if applicable) has been submitted. Should a successful bidder fail to enter into contract, the bid guaranty shall be forfeited to the City to compensate for administrative expenses of making a re-award or issuing a new request.
12. **Method of Award:** This request will be awarded to the lowest total responsive and responsible bidder meeting specifications. (All items must be bid.) The City of Sioux Falls reserves the right to reject any or all bids, waive technicalities, and make award(s) as deemed to be in the best interest of the City.
13. **Quantities:** The quantity indicated for each item in the specifications is estimated only, and the City reserves the right to order less or more as dictated by actual needs.
14. **Firm Prices:** Unit prices awarded shall remain firm for the entire contract period.
15. **Orders, Invoices, and Payments:** Purchase orders or government procurement cards will be issued/used at time of award and/or throughout the contract period for actual quantities ordered. Invoices or packing slips shall be submitted to the bill to address indicated on each order. Payments shall be processed upon receipt of correct invoice (or normal procurement card process) after receipt and acceptance of each delivery.
16. **Questions:** All questions shall be directed to Purchasing, Third Floor, City Hall, 224 West Ninth Street, P.O. Box 7402, Sioux Falls, South Dakota 57117-7402; telephone (605) 367-8013. If the Purchasing Manager deems it of general interest, the answer shall be issued in written addendum to each vendor that has been sent a bid request.
17. **Withdrawal of Bids:** A bid may be withdrawn by the bidder by letter, telegram, facsimile, or in person before the time set for the opening of bids. No bid shall be withdrawn for a period of 30 (thirty) days after the bid opening.
18. **Federal Tax ID Number:** Each bidder shall state its Federal Tax Identification Number on the line provided on the bid form. The City is required to report to IRS

on Form 1099 all payments involving labor or services provided by vendors, and lack of this number may delay contract payments until the number is provided.

19. **Contract:** The successful bidder(s) will be required to enter into contract by signature on separate contract documents which will be prepared by the City from information in this bid request and the successful bidder's response thereto.
20. **Bid Results:** Results of bid openings on Thursday will be available at noon on the following Tuesday from the Purchasing Office. After an award has been made and signed by the Mayor, all bid proposals and related information will be on file in Purchasing for public review. All formal and informal notifications of bid awards will be done by Purchasing. **Bid results are available via the Internet at www.siouxfalls.org/business.**
21. **Nonappropriation of Funds:** In the event funds are not budgeted or appropriated for any fiscal year, purchase under this contract shall impose no obligation on the City of Sioux Falls and shall become null and void except as to the purchases agreed upon for which funds have been appropriated or budgeted, and no right of action or damage shall accrue to the benefit of the bidder/contractor, its successors, or assignees, for any further payments.
22. **Right to Protest:** Any bidder who is aggrieved in connection with the award of a contract may protest. The protesting bidder shall file a written statement with the Purchasing Office during normal business hours, within seven calendar days of the date the Mayor signed the bid award document.
23. **Addendum:** Changes to the specifications of bid will be issued by addendum and sent to vendors on the bidder's list. If a bidder downloads from the City of Sioux Falls webpage, it is the bidder's responsibility to visit the City's Notice to Bidders webpage prior to the opening date to download any addendum(s) issued. The bidder shall deliver the addendum to the City of Sioux Falls Purchasing Office per the instructions on the document. The addendums can be found by visiting <http://www.siouxfalls.org/business.aspx> and clicking on the bid request.

Civil Rights Requirements

- (a) With respect to any and all business conducted or acts performed pursuant to this contract, contractor shall be deemed an employer within the meaning of Chapter 21 1/2 of the Ordinances of the City of Sioux Falls entitled "Human Relations" and shall be subject to the provisions of such chapter.
- (b) In the event contractor fails to perform the aforesaid contractual provisions, this contract may forthwith be terminated and canceled in whole or in part by the City; and said contractor shall be liable for any costs or expense incurred by City in obtaining from other sources the work and services to be rendered or performed or the goods or properties to be furnished or delivered to the City under this contract if terminated or canceled.
- (c) Should the Human Relations Commission in a proceeding brought as provided in Chapter 21 1/2 of the Code of Ordinances find that the said contractor has engaged in discrimination in connection with this contract and issue a cease and desist order with respect thereto, the City shall withhold up to fifteen percent (15%) of the contract price until such time as the Commission's order has been complied with or the contractor has been adjudicated not guilty of such discrimination.
- (d) Contractor will permit access to any and all records pertaining to hiring and employment and to other pertinent data and records for the purpose of enabling the Human Relations Commission, its agencies or representatives to ascertain compliance with the provisions of Chapter 21 1/2 of the Sioux Falls Code of Ordinances applicable to said contractor.
- (e) This section shall be binding on all of the subcontractors and/or suppliers of contractor.

Special Instructions

All sealed bids must be received by Purchasing, Third Floor, City Hall, 224 West Ninth Street, P.O. Box 7402, Sioux Falls, SD 57117-7402, NO later than 2 p.m. on the date of opening.

Bids received after 2 p.m. or at a location other than Purchasing, will not be accepted. Bids will be publicly opened and read in the City Council Room at **2:15 p.m.**

Receipts will be issued for hand-delivered bids. Bids delivered by Federal Express, U.S. Mail, etc., will be receipted as they arrive in Budgeting/Purchasing.

Brand Name or Equal

Whenever an article or material is defined by describing a proprietary product or by using the name of a manufacturer, the term "or equal" if not inserted shall be implied. The specified article or material shall be understood as indicating the type, function, minimum standard of design, efficiency, and quality desired and shall not be construed as to exclude other manufactured products of comparable quality, design, and efficiency.

The evaluation of bids and determination as to equality of the products shall be the responsibility of the City and will be based on information furnished by the bidder or identified in his bid, as well as other information reasonably available to the City.

**Equipment Specifications for the Lease Purchase of
One (1) New, Most Current Model Year, Track-Type
Tractor Dozer, with Waste Handler (Landfill) Package, for
Use at the City of Sioux Falls Sanitary Landfill**

**City of Sioux Falls
Public Works, Fleet Management
1000 East Chambers Street
Sioux Falls, South Dakota 57104**

Bid Request 08-0055

Equipment specifications for a Lease Purchase of one (1) new, most current model year, track-type tractor dozer, with waste handler (Landfill) package, for use at the City of Sioux Falls Sanitary Landfill. The lease period shall be 60 months. or 10,000 hours, whichever occurs first. The tractor dozer will be delivered F.O.B. to the City of Sioux Falls, Sanitary Landfill site.

General:

The Landfill tractor dozer shall include all standard features, as advertised, plus all optional features as specified.

- The tractor dozer shall be equipped with a semi-U blade, with trash rack, with heavy-duty replaceable cutting edges and end bits that are designed for solid waste disposal applications. The blade will be equipped with a reinforced 5/8-inch (5/8") center plate for push loading applications with hydraulic tilt and manual pitch adjustment.
- The blade capacity (SAE), with trash rack, shall be a minimum of 22.5 cubic yards.
- The dozer shall be capable of being completely locked at all access and fill openings.
- The dozer shall have all metal surfaces primed and painted with the manufacturer's standard color, except as noted in the section: Waste Handler (Landfill) Package.
- The vendor shall supply one (1) service manual, one (1) operator's manual, and one (1) safety manual.
- Bidders must submit, with their bids, the newest descriptive literature for the tractor dozer that is being bid. This literature must provide complete specifications on the machine and its attached equipment.
- A quick-fill fuel system shall be provided.
- One (1) front tow hook shall be included.
- One (1) rear draw bar, with pin, shall be included.

Comply **Does Not Comply**

Deviation from Specification: _____

Operating Weight:

- Operating weight, including lubricants, coolant, fuel, blade, optional equipment, and operator, shall be a minimum of 80,000 pounds.

Comply **Does Not Comply**

Deviation from Specification: _____

Hydraulic System:

- The hydraulic system shall be fully filtered, self-contained, and airtight with adequate flow and pressure for landfill dozer operations. The dozer shall be equipped with a hydraulic sight gauge, accessible at ground level.
- The hydraulic system shall be electronically controlled for bulldozer control with a joystick type lever.

Comply **Does Not Comply**

Deviation from Specification: _____

Engine:

- The engine shall be a four-cycle, six-cylinder, turbo charged, and after-cooled diesel. The minimum net horsepower, at the flywheel, shall be 300 horsepower. The engine shall meet all applicable regulatory off-road emission certifications and regulations.
- The cooling system shall be the modular type, high ambient radiator equipped with a higher cooling capacity than conventional radiators. The system shall be designed for safe operation in 115 degrees (Fahrenheit) ambient temperatures. The dozer shall be delivered with antifreeze rated for a minimum 34 degrees below 0 (Fahrenheit). The coolant shall be the extended life type.
- The radiator shall be heavy-duty and designed for easy access, cleaning, and maintenance.
- The radiator and housing will be constructed as to not collect debris. An automatic-reversing fan shall be supplied. The operator shall also be able to manually engage the reversing fan at any time.
- The dozer shall be equipped with a minimum of a 1,500-watt engine block heater.
- A two-stage dry type air cleaner will be utilized along with a turbine type air pre-cleaner.
- The fuel system shall be direct injection with spin-on type filter and water separator.

Comply **Does Not Comply**

Deviation from Specification: _____

Electrical System:

- The electrical system will be equipped with a high capacity brushless alternator, rated at a minimum of 75 amperes.
- The 24-volt direct electric starting and operating system shall include either glow plugs or an automatic ether cold weather starting aid.
- Electronic monitoring of critical functions will be utilized.
- Maintenance-free, heavy-duty batteries will be provided.
- The electrical system will be protected by a single location fuse panel, located inside the cab.
- A master switch/battery disconnect, with ground level access, shall be required. A second disconnect switch shall be wired in series with the primary switch. This second switch will be located in the cab, close to the operator seat, to allow quick access.
- An amber, single flash strobe beacon shall be mounted atop the cab and will extend above the highest part of the equipment. A backup alarm shall be provided.

Comply **Does Not Comply**

Deviation from Specification: _____

Transmission:

- The transmission will be either a fully hydrostatic drive with infinite speed ranges or a planetary-type power shift transmission (minimum of three speeds forward and three speeds reverse) with torque converter and will be controlled by a joystick type lever.
- The transmission shall permit fast speed and directional changes.

Comply **Does Not Comply**

Deviation from Specification: _____

Brakes:

- The brakes shall be multiple disc, oil cooled, and adjustment free.
- A parking brake, with lock, shall be provided.

Comply Does Not Comply

Deviation from Specification: _____

Steering and Final Drive:

- The steering will be either a planetary differential steering system or a hydrostatic steering system and will be controlled by a joystick type lever.
- Either steering system will allow for full power turns and counter rotation.
- The final drive shall be double reduction with second reduction being planetary or full-planetary reduction.

Comply Does Not Comply

Deviation from Specification: _____

Waste Handler (Landfill) Package:

- The purpose of the required Waste Handler (Landfill) package is two-fold:
 - (a) Provide the maximum protection for critical machine components, body panels, and the radiator.
 - (b) To increase productivity.

The following components, while not inclusive, shall be required as part of this package:

- The engine enclosures shall consist of perforated hood and side panels.
- The fuel and the hydraulic tanks shall be guarded.
- A crankcase guard(s) shall be provided. It shall be electrically raised and lowered.
- **The radiator shall be protected by a hinged, heavy-duty guard.** The lower portion of the radiator shall also be protected by additional guarding.

- The semi-U dozer blade will be equipped with a heavy-duty trash rack. The rack shall be constructed of a minimum 1/2-inch x 2-inch steel bar stock and shall extend 30 inches above the blade. It shall tilt forward and conform to the curvature of the blade. The center 3-foot section of the trash rack shall be constructed of a minimum of a 5/8-inch-thick steel plate to prevent rebar, rods, wire, and other debris from damaging the radiator.
- Guarding will be provided for any applicable idler seals, pivot shafts, and final drive seals in addition to chassis guarding for the engine compartment.
- Front and rear, left and right, striker bars shall be provided.
- Exposed hydraulic lines and hoses shall be guarded.
- A rear-mounted retrieval hitch shall be installed.
- Additional sealing/guards/shields shall be used to protect key areas not specifically mentioned.
- Black nonreflective paint shall be provided on the hood, cylinders, and the back of the blade/trash rack to reduce glare.

Comply Does Not Comply

Deviation from Specification: _____

Undercarriage and Track:

- The rollers and idlers shall be sealed and lifetime lubricated.
- The track will be sealed and lubricated, with bolt-on sprockets.
- Front and rear track guides and sprocket guards shall be provided.
- Center track guides will be utilized.
- The severe application track shoes shall be a minimum **twenty-four (24) inches wide chopper pads**. The shoes shall each have a center hole to allow the sprocket to push out landfill packing and debris.

Comply Does Not Comply

Deviation from Specification: _____

Cab:

The operator's cab shall meet or exceed all current applicable requirements, as set forth by ROPS/FOPS, OSHA, ANSI/SAE, and MSHA standards.

- The greatest amount of sound suppression available shall be provided. The cab shall be fully enclosed and pressurized.
- The front and rear windshields shall be equipped with intermittent wipers and washers.
- All critical machine functions shall be monitored, with audible and visual warnings, including either an automatic shutdown for high engine temperature/low oil pressure or another system to alert the operator when potential problems arise.
- The cab shall have an interior (center-mounted) wide rearview mirror plus exterior rearview mirrors. A dome light shall be provided.
- A heavy-duty heater and a heavy-duty air conditioner, plus front and rear defrosters, will be required. The air conditioner and fans shall be ROPS mounted.
- A horn and a backup alarm will be utilized.
- The operator's seat shall be a fully adjustable, cloth-covered, air suspension seat and shall be equipped with a wide retractable seat belt, two- (2) inch-minimum width. The armrests shall also be adjustable.
- The following front and rear "high-mount" working lights shall be provided: Four (4) front halogen working lights will be mounted high enough to clear the trash rack extension on the dozer. There shall be two (2) cab-mounted front halogen working lights and two (2) cab-mounted rear halogen working lights. Two (2) fuel tank-mounted rear halogen working lights shall be provided.
- The minimum radio system shall be an AM/FM radio. The cab shall also be prewired for a 15-amp, 12-volt, two-way radio.
- One (1) five-pound ABC-rated fire extinguishers shall be mounted in the cab and one (1) 20-pound, ABC-rated fire extinguisher shall be mounted in the tool compartment/box.
- The following gauges or electronic monitoring shall be dash mounted: ammeter or voltmeter; engine oil pressure, engine coolant temperature; transmission or torque converter fluid temperature; electric hour meter, air filter indicator; fuel gauge.
- The cab shall have rubber-mounted, tinted safety glass in all windows. A sun visor with pull-down sunshade shall be provided.
- Operator access doors shall be provided on both sides of the cab, along with heavy-duty steps and handrails.

Comply **Does Not Comply**

Deviation from Specification: _____

Service Refill Capacities:

- The fuel tank capacity shall be a minimum of 160 gallons.
- The cooling system capacity shall have a minimum of 15 gallons and shall be rated for a minimum of 34 degrees below zero (Fahrenheit). Coolant filter and conditioner shall be provided.
- The engine crankcase capacity, with oil filters, shall be a minimum of 9.0 gallons.

Comply **Does Not Comply**

Deviation from Specification: _____

Delivery and Training:

- The dozer shall be fully serviced and ready to go to work when the vendor signs the unit over to the City’s operation. This date shall be considered the “in service” date.
- Bidders are required to state a firm delivery date. The dozer should be delivered by October 30, 2008.
- The successful bidder shall provide on-site training to City personnel when the new dozer is delivered to the Landfill. This training shall cover equipment operation, safety, and service instruction. The training shall include all hours necessary to satisfactorily train City employees in all applicable aspects of this new dozer.

Comply **Does Not Comply**

Deviation from Specification: _____

Equipment Parts/Service:

- Bid proposals will be considered only on equipment which can on short notice be serviced and maintained by the successful bidder. The bidder’s authorized facilities, owned by the bidder or under contract by the bidder to perform repair and maintenance service, must have the proper facilities, special tools, properly trained personnel, access to the necessary repair parts, and the authority of the manufacturer for this particular site to perform the required services.

- Submission of this bid shall constitute a guarantee by the bidder that a factory recommended stock of repair parts for the dozer shall be readily available.
- The bidder must also maintain at their authorized facility an adequate number of factory trained/certified mechanics to service and/or repair the brand and model of the dozer being bid.
- During the warranty period of the lease, should delivery of repair parts not be made within three (3) working days to the City of Sioux Falls, a daily charge of \$500 shall be charged to the bidder for each working day over three (3) days that the part is not delivered. Should parts not be available to the dealer from his manufacturer by reason of strike or national emergency, the daily charge shall not be made.
- City personnel, prior to the awarding of the bid, may inspect the local facilities.
- Parts used for repairs and/or servicing shall be the original equipment manufacturer's new or genuine remanufactured parts; no used or aftermarket parts will be accepted.

Comply Does Not Comply

Deviation from Specification: _____

Repair and Maintenance:

- The vendor shall be responsible for any and **all repair (warranty) work**, plus any associated costs, for (60 months or 7,500 hours, whichever occurs first), regardless of whether or not the manufacturers of the equipment, and/or its component parts, provide the actual coverage. The vendor will provide all parts, fluids, labor, and transportation costs to repair the tractor dozer as needed for the entire period of the lease.
- The vendor will carry out at regular intervals scheduled inspections and **maintenance** on the tractor dozer for 60 months or 10,000, whichever occurs first, as established by the manufacturer's lubrication and maintenance guidelines, based upon the operating hours.
- The vendor shall respond to requests for repair and maintenance assistance within four (4) hours of notification. All necessary repairs shall be completed within four (4) business days of notification. If repairs are not completed within this timeframe, the vendor will furnish equivalent equipment acceptable to City personnel (Caterpillar D8 size dozer or equivalent) until such repairs are completed. All costs associated with the replacement equipment are the vendor's responsibility.
- The vendor's repair responsibility will commence upon the "in service" date of the tractor dozer and will continue until the tractor dozer usage reaches 7,500 operating hours or 60 months, whichever occurs first.

- The vendor’s scheduled maintenance responsibility will commence upon the “in service” date of the tractor dozer and will continue until the tractor dozer usage reaches 7,500 operating hours or 60 months, whichever occurs first.
- All repairs that are a result of damages caused by acts of nature, fire, theft, vandalism, accident, and operator abuse are specifically excluded from this agreement. Fuel, cutting edges, mirrors, and glass are also excluded from this agreement.

Comply Does Not Comply

Deviation from Specification: _____

Brand Name:

- The ‘brand name’ descriptions used in the bid request are intended to be descriptive only and are to indicate the quality and characteristics of products that will be satisfactory. Bids for products other than the referenced product will be considered for award if such products are identified in the bid and are determined by the City of Sioux Falls to be acceptable alternatives in all material respects to the brand name product referenced. The bidder shall provide sufficient literature and specifications to enable City personnel to evaluate the acceptability of any alternate equipment.

Comply Does Not Comply

Deviation from Specification: _____

Vendor Provided Information for the Proposed Landfill Track-Type Tractor Dozer, with Waste Handler (Landfill) Package.

- Dozer Manufacturer _____

- Dozer Model _____

- Dozer Model Year _____

- Operating Weight _____

- Engine Manufacturer _____

- Engine Model _____

- Engine Horsepower _____

- Average Fuel Consumption/Hour _____

- Dozer Delivery Date _____

City of Sioux Falls Responsibilities:

- Provide operator, fuel, cutting edges, and repair/replacement of glass and mirror breakage.
- Conduct documented daily walk-around inspections as per factory recommendations, check fluid levels (adjusting if needed), perform daily lubrication as required, and maintain daily records.
- Operate the tractor dozer only within its rated capacity.
- The City agrees to provide a reasonable working location, on site, at the Sanitary Landfill where the vendor may perform scheduled maintenance and repairs. If scheduled or unscheduled repairs require transport of the tractor dozer to the vendor's facility, those costs shall be the responsibility of the vendor.
- The City will assume responsibility for costs of repairs due to fire, theft, vandalism, accident, or operator negligence.
- The City agrees to provide the vendor with accurate operating hours upon request and/or at established intervals.

Lease Terms:

- The City will make (1) one prompt payment per year within 15 days thereof the anniversary of the "in service" date of the tractor dozer; total of (5) five payments will be made over the life of the lease. The term of the lease will be (60) sixty months or 10,000 hours, whichever occurs first. The lease price will include all maintenance and repair of the dozer as specified in the above specifications. At the termination of the lease, the City will have the option to buy equipment for a \$1.00 or turn it back to the dealer with a guaranteed repurchase option. The City will not be responsible for any repairs, maintenance, or cleanup of the dozer at the termination of the lease.

If the City of Sioux Falls does not take the buy option, the City will not be responsible for any changes from the dealer or leasing company at the end of the lease including, but not limited to, normal wear and tear items such as shoes, brakes, cutting edges, paint, decals, operators seat, and cleanup. Normal wear and tear is defined as ordinary and reasonable use of equipment. Repairs not made during the lease term will be the responsibility of the dealer or leasing company.

BID REQUEST NO. 08-0055
SPECIFICATIONS/BID FORM

BID FORM

The undersigned shall, if awarded this contract, furnish to the City of Sioux Falls, South Dakota, the following 2008 Track-Type Tractor Dozer in accordance with the conditions, specifications, and requirements as set out in the bid request and this response.

Award, if made, will be based on the low net bid price at present value. Calculations for the present value discount shall be made at the City's current investment rate of three percent dated May 5, 2008. **All items must be bid.**

Item No. 1. Purchase Price for one (1) new 2008 Track-Type Tractor Dozer including repairs and maintenance as specified in these bid specifications 1. \$ _____

Item No. 2. Guaranteed Bid Price for this one (1) Track-Type Tractor Dozer at the end of 10,000 hours or five (5) years, whichever occurs first. 2. \$ _____

Item 2A: Net Present Value Factor for Guaranteed Bid Price Item No. 2 based on SD interest rate of 3 percent is .86261

Item 2B: Net Present Value of Guaranteed Bid Price (Item 2 x Item 2A) 2B. \$ _____

Item No. 3. Annual Lease Payment for the one (1) Dozer bid above. First payment due on delivery. Lease/Purchase option at end of Lease period to be One Dollar (\$1.00). Lease to be based on five (5) years and 10,000 hours of usage during the lease term. 3. \$ _____

Item 3A: Net Present Value of Item No. 3 based on SD interest rate of 3 percent is 4.5797 x _____ 3A. \$ _____

Item No. 4. Total of Five Annual Lease Payments (Item No. 3 x 5). 4. \$ _____

Total Bid Price
Bid will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder utilizing the net present value of the five annual lease payments minus the net present value of the guaranteed bid price. (Item 3A minus Item 2B) \$ _____

Note: The City will pay one fifth (1/5) of the total net bid 15 days after delivery. Annual payments will be made on the anniversary of the initial payment at the rate of one fifth (1/5) the net purchase price until paid in full with a dollar buyout.

Signature of Bidder _____

Typed/Printed Name and Title _____

Company Name _____

Address _____

Telephone _____ FAX _____

Federal Tax ID No. _____ Security Enclosed: _____

South Dakota Sales Tax Permit No. _____

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