



INVITATION TO BID

BID #2010-33 BUCKET TRUCK

The City of Edinburg, Texas is soliciting sealed separate bids for the above referenced as requested by the Public Works/Streets Department. The bid shall be received no later than **3:00 p.m., Monday, December 28, 2009**. Any bid received after the time set for opening will be returned to bidder unopened. Bidder(s) must provide an original and shall be addressed to:

**CITY OF EDINBURG
C/O CITY SECRETARY
415 W. UNIVERSITY DRIVE
P.O. BOX 1079
EDINBURG, TEXAS 78540-1079**

Bids must be submitted in an envelope sealed with tape and prominently marked on the lower left hand corner of the bid envelope with corresponding bid number and title. All bids will be opened and publicly read aloud at the above designated time at the City of Edinburg (New City Hall) Conference Room, 1st Floor, located at 415 W. University Drive, Edinburg, Texas. Bids sent via facsimile shall not be accepted.

The City of Edinburg reserves the right to accept or reject bids submitted, waive formalities in bidding, accept the bid deemed most advantageous to the City of Edinburg, and to hold the bids for a period of ninety (90) days without taking action thereon. If you have any questions or require additional information regarding this bid, please contact Mr. Joe Zamora, Streets Superintendent, at (956) 292-2122.

If you choose not to submit a bid and would like to remain on the City of Edinburg bidder's list for future bids, you must respond in writing.

Sincerely,

Lorena Fuentes, Purchasing Agent



**210 W. McIntyre • P.O. Box 1079 • Edinburg, Texas 78540
Phone (956) 383-5661 • Fax (956) 383-7111**



GENERAL CONDITIONS & INSTRUCTIONS – READ CAREFULLY

1. The bids must be submitted on this form only.
2. The City reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, waive formalities, and accept the bid deemed most advantageous to the City.
3. The City reserves the right to award the bid to the lowest responsible bidder.
4. Prices must be itemized.
5. All quotations must be F.O.B. Edinburg and include all costs for delivery and packaging.

Delivery time shall be specified by the bidder. Failure to state a firm delivery date will make an incomplete bid. Delivery time will be one of the determining factors in selecting the best bid. However, if the delivery time is not met when stated, upon notification of the same, the City may allow a ten-day grace period for delivery. If delivery is not met after the ten-day grace period allowed, the City of Edinburg reserves the right to completely cancel order and to revoke and render void the purchase order previously issued for same.

6. In cases of discrepancy between the unit price and the extension, the unit price will be taken.
7. All bids must be signed by an authorized representative.
8. Envelope containing this bid **must** be marked with **Bid No. and Bid Title** from Page 1 and sealed with tape.
9. Bid guarantee (if applicable) must be submitted with bid.
10. Any bid received after the time set for opening will be returned to bidder unopened.
11. This bid tabulation shall constitute a binding contract subject to acceptance by the City.
12. Special reference is made to bid specifications (if attached) for other conditions and instructions.
13. Failure to adhere or comply with the above general conditions and instructions will cause the bid to be rejected.
14. Bidders are advised that in addition to local bids received, the City participates in Texas Cooperatives that comply with the bidding requirements of the State of Texas; therefore, the City will include State Cooperative pricing to determine the selection of bid award that is most advantageous to the City.
15. No citizen or business shall be qualified to submit competitive bids for city purchases or improvements if it has a substantial delinquency to the City, including taxes, utility bills, or rental obligations, or has pending litigation against the City.

In compliance with the invitation for bid, and subject to all conditions thereof, the undersigned offers, and agrees, if this bid be accepted within 90 days from **time of closing**, to furnish any or all of the items or render such services upon which prices are quoted in accordance with the bid specifications applying, and at the price set opposite each item.

For bid inquiries, please call the Purchasing Agent at (956) 388-1895, Ext. 8972.

DATE: _____

BID PRICE: _____

DELIVERY DATE: _____

BIDDER NAME: _____

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE: _____

TITLE: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

TELEPHONE NO.: _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

FEDERAL ID #: _____

Specifications for Aerial Telescopic Platform Lift

- ▶ Insulated 37 ft. telescopic aerial platform lift, 42 ft.
- ▶ Standard platform capacity of 350 lbs. (158.7 kg).
- ▶ Platform full pressure Unitrol single-lever control with safety trigger and emergency stop control.
- ▶ Full pressure turret mounted lower controls including override.
- ▶ Engine start/stop system with controls at platform and lower controls.
- ▶ Three gpm (11.4 lpm) open center hydraulic system.
- ▶ Chassis insulating system (lower boom insert)
- ▶ Fiberglass inner boom and patented ELECTROGARD providing 42 in. (1.07 m) insulation gap fully retracted.
- ▶ Hydraulic tool power at bucket.
- ▶ ELECTROGARD and inner boom finished with white urethane paint over white gel coat.
- ▶ Integral hydraulic oil reservoir with dual sight gauges.
- ▶ End mounted closed 24 in. x 30 in. x 42 in. (0.61 m x 0.76 m x 1.07 m) fiberglass platform with one step, liner and cover.
- ▶ Master/slave hydraulic leveling with upper control to tilt for clean-out and rescue. Leveling control at lower controls.
- ▶ Non-lube bearings at all pivot points.
- ▶ Multi-link hose carrier system through booms.
- ▶ Boom cradle and ratchet type tie down strap.
- ▶ Two speed engine throttle control for hydraulic tool power.
- ▶ Emergency power providing power to all boom functions.
- ▶ Mounting hardware for chassis/cab installation.
- ▶ Painted standard white urethane.
- ▶ Two operator's manuals and two service manuals.
- ▶ ANSI A92.2-2001 data plate.
- ▶ Full body harness and lanyard.

Cab and chassis specifications:

- ▶ 2010 F-550 4 x4 or equivalent
- ▶ 84" cab to axle
- ▶ Diesel engine, power stroke or equivalent
- ▶ Automatic transmission with O/D
- ▶ 4.88 limited slip axle
- ▶ Air conditioning
- ▶ LT225/70R19.5G BSW Traction Tires
- ▶ AM/FM radio
- ▶ TowCommand Integrated Trailer Brake Controller
- ▶ TowCommand system
- ▶ Painted Oxford White
- ▶ Service Body

132" Long x 40" high x 96" wide service body to include the following:

- ▶ 24" tread plate tail shelf

- ▶ Cable access step at rear and side access
- ▶ Grab handles at side access and rear tail shelf
- ▶ Stainless steel automotive rotary door latches with rod and socket hinges.
- ▶ Chain stops on all doors.
- ▶ Master locking system
- ▶ Wheel chock storage one (1) each side.
- ▶ Grey paint on the interior of the compartments.
- ▶ 1st Vertical: Two (2) adjustable shelves with dividers.
- ▶ 2nd Vertical: One (1) adjustable shelf with dividers.
- ▶ Horizontal: Open
- ▶ Rear Vertical: Two (2) adjustable shelves with dividers.
- ▶ Hot stick shelf with rear access door.
- ▶ Curbside Compartments:
- ▶ 1st Vertical: Two (2) adjustable shelves with dividers
- ▶ 2nd Vertical: Gripstrut access steps to bed area with grab handle
- ▶ Horizontal: Open
- ▶ Rear Vertical: Five (5) fixed material hooks (1-3-1)

Lift installation:

- ▶ Install Lift, mounting hardware and belt drive system.
- ▶ Install Timbrens, rear torsion bar and ballast
- ▶ Install service body and accessories.
- ▶ Install back up alarm, combination pintle hitch with 2" ball and 7 prong trailer plug
- ▶ Install two (2) amber strobe lights mounted at curbside front and streetside rear
- ▶ Install mud flaps and park brake interlock system
- ▶ Furnish fire extinguisher, 3 piece triangle reflector kit and pair of rubber wheel chocks
- ▶ Test and certify per ANSI A92.2-2001.