



## INVITATION TO BID

### BID #2010-58 NEW TIRES AND RETREAD SERVICES

The City of Edinburg, Texas is soliciting sealed separate bids for the above referenced as requested by the Solid Waste Department. The bid shall be received no later than **3:00 p.m., Monday, April 12, 2010**. 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, 1<sup>st</sup> 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 sixty (60) days without taking action thereon. If you have any questions or require additional information regarding this bid, please contact Mr. Ramiro Gomez, Director of Solid Waste, at (956) 381-5635.

**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



# INVITATION TO BID

ASSIGNED BID NO.: 2010-58

BID TITLE: New Tires and Retread Services

CLOSED DATE & TIME: April 12, 2010 @ 3:00 PM      SPECIFICATIONS ATTACHED XX

DELIVER SEALED BID TO: CITY OF EDINBURG      ADDENDUM ONLY \_\_\_\_\_  
C/O CITY SECRETARY  
415 W. UNIVERSITY DRIVE  
P.O. BOX 1079  
EDINBURG, TEXAS 78540

Quotations are requested for furnishing materials or services described below in accordance with terms set forth herein.

ITEM	QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION OF GOODS OR SERVICES	UNIT PRICE	AMOUNT
1	1	SEE ATTACHED LISTING OF SPECIFICATIONS AND QUOTATION ITEMS.		
		Note: The City reserves the right to accept or reject bids submitted, waive formalities in bidding, consider each item submitted as a separate bid, award all or individually, whichever may be more advantageous to the City, and to hold the bids for a period of sixty (60) days without taking action thereon.		

**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 60 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 #: \_\_\_\_\_

**REQUEST FOR SEALED BID  
NEW TIRES AND RETREAD SERVICES  
CITY OF EDINBURG, TEXAS  
February 26, 2010**

You are invited to submit a sealed bid for the purchase of new tires and retread services as requested by the City of Edinburg Department of Solid Waste Management.

***RETREAD SALES***

The City is requesting pricing for recapping tires. Tires shall be recapped using a full cap Pre-Cure or Mold Cure such as Bandag, Michelin Retread Technologies or approved equal. The mold tread must be designed for mixed service use; on/off road. Tread must also have compound for chip and cut resistance. The City reserves the right to reject recaps which, in the opinion of the Fleet Manager or his designee, do not meet quality standards. The City will mark all casings sent for retreading. The supplier will ensure that the same casings sent for retreading are returned to the City after retreading and not sold to other customers. Supplier will be required to pick up tires designated for recapping. A timely turnaround time is essential and will be a critical factor in this award. **The bidder shall provide a current "Cooperative Plant Quality Certification" certificate indicating its facility has been approved to retread Government Tires.**

***NEW TIRES***

The City of Edinburg's intent is to obtain lowest prices offered as compared to, but not limited to, any other State or Federal Government entities for the same product or service. Tires are to be OEM or better; Goodyear, BF Goodrich, Bridgestone, or Michelin unless otherwise noted. Tires bid on and delivered to the City on this proposal must be known in the Rubber Industry as a Tier I Premium Tire and shall be "First Line Quality" produced by the manufacturer and shall carry the company name. Each tire must meet or exceed the listed Uniform Tire Quality guide ratings for these type tires. Tires shall be radial, manufactured with steel cord casing and steel cord belts or better, no blemishes or seconds. They also must be manufactured using Goodyear or equal chunk cut and chip resistant ultra abrasive compound, which offer protection against crippling and scaling in mixed services. Tires must be manufactured using owner's OEM-type rims and built to original equipment height. The price on this bid is to include dismounting, mounting and balancing when required. Bidder must maintain an adequate supply of all tire sizes available at all times. Bidder agrees to substitute for equal quality and value, any tires that have been discontinued and are no longer available. Delivery of tires shall be to SWM shop. In addition, the City requests that the awarded vendor(s) keep a supply of the City's most popular tires in their inventory.

***TIRE REQUIREMENTS***

General

All tires sold and mounted on City vehicles must be new, unless the Fleet Services Manager or designee approves a vehicle for retread tires. All new tires must have retreadable casing and have the capability to run the full life of the second retread.

## Quality

Tires shall be of tubeless design and have retreadable casings. Suppliers may be required to submit proof that tires offered meet the specification listed.

1. Waste Vehicle Tires—All Tires Must Meet or Exceed the Following:
  - a. The tires must be new.
  - b. All tires must be radial.
  - c. Steer Axle: Tire must be an All Position or Steering Optimized Radial Tire. Load Range L / **20 ply** with minimum of **23/32nds** Tread Depth.
  - d. Drive Axle: Tire must be an All Position On/Off Road Radial Tire; Load Range H / **16 ply** with a minimum of **31/32nds** Tread Depth.
  - e. Retread Tires must have a minimum of **26/32nds** Tread Depth
  - f. All Tires must have Full Width Elastic Protector
  - g. Rectangular Bead Structure/Rounded Bead Structure
  - h. Shall meet or exceed specification for on/off highway use; use in mixed or improved and aggressive on/off road surfaces
  - i. Side Wall Wear indicators
  - j. Curb Guards
  - k. Tires shall have a belt crown package for extended casing life and which promotes retreadability and protects the working plies from shocks, bruises and impacts.
  - l. All tires must have been produced within the last 12 months prior to delivery
  - m. Warranty against defective material, workmanship, and failure to perform in accordance with required performance criteria for the life of the original tread, with the exception of road hazards(side failure shall not void the warranty)
- 1.1 Order, Delivery, Stock, and Pricing
  - a. The vendor must be able to deliver up to 16 each of size tires for each of order placed.
  - b. Tires must be delivered within four hours of order.
  - c. Bid price will include all costs including fees for fuel or delivery charge.
  - d. There is no minimum or maximum order quantity.

## **SATISFACTORY SERVICE**

It is agreed that all service by the supplier shall be to the satisfaction of a designated City representative. In the event that the vendor defaults on performance of any of these requirements, the City shall have the right to terminate this agreement upon 30 days written notice delivered to the supplier by mail. The supplier shall maintain this contract during the termination period. Termination of the contract may not relieve the supplier of any liability to the City for damages sustained by the City because of any breach of contract by the supplier. The City may withhold any payments to supplier for the purpose of set-off until such time as the exact amount of damages due the City is determined.

## **WARRANTY**

The successful bidder shall furnish factory warranty on all equipment furnished hereunder against defect in materials and/or workmanship. The factory warranty shall become effective on the date of delivery and acceptance by the City. Should any defect in material or workmanship, excepting ordinary wear and tear, appear during the above stated warranty period, the successful bidder shall repair or replace same at no cost to the City. Warranties shall be indicated on the bid sheet or enclosed therewith.

**New Tire Quote**

Item No.	Est'd Qty.	TIRE SIZES	STANDARD TIRES & RIMS					
			Retail Cost per Unit	State Bid Price per Unit	Cost to Dismount & Mount	Balancing	Manufacturer	Warranty
1	2	385/65 22.5 Steering Tires	\$	\$	\$	\$		
2	4	11 R 22.5 Steering Tires	\$	\$	\$	\$		
3	4	425/65 22.5 Steering Tires	\$	\$	\$	\$		
4	8	315/80 R 22.5 Steering Tires	\$	\$	\$	\$		
5	32	11 R 22.5 Drive Tires	\$	\$	\$	\$		
6	4	LTX 235/85 R16	\$	\$	\$	\$		
7	4	LTX 285/75 R16	\$	\$	\$	\$		
8	4	LTX 275/65 R18	\$	\$	\$	\$		
9	4	P 235/70 R17	\$	\$	\$	\$		
10	8	LT 235/70 R16	\$	\$	\$	\$		
11			\$	\$	\$	\$		
12			\$	\$	\$	\$		
13			\$	\$	\$	\$		
14			\$	\$	\$	\$		
15			\$	\$	\$	\$		
16			\$	\$	\$	\$		
17			\$	\$	\$	\$		
18			\$	\$	\$	\$		
19			\$	\$	\$	\$		

**RETREAD TIRE QUOTE**

Tire Size	Mold Type	Tread Depth	Load Range	Price for Retread	Casing Cost (New)	Turn Around Time	Warranty
11R 22.5 Drive							