

MINIMUM SPECIFICATIONS

It is the intent of these specifications to guide Bidders in submitting competitive Bids on the following:

Commercial front load dumpsters and roll off containers

Up to \$30,000 worth of dumpsters

These will be in various sizes consisting of:

1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, and 30 yard dumpsters

The endless chain style open top 30 yard containers will have 10 gauge floors and 12 gauge sides.

Options that need to be included for the endless chain style open top 30 yard containers are as follows:

Lids for the endless chain style open top 30 yard containers that are both solid and mesh style

The bids for these should be for the dome style lids only.

Dumpster's sizes 1 - 8 need to have the following options included if available:

Plastic and metal dumpster bids are allowed

(Include prices for both styles if available)

All Swivel Casters,

Gravity lock bars,

Lid props,

Drain and plug,

Bolt on pads for casters,

Top shield plates,

The style of the containers must be for front load refuse trucks.

The actual style of dumpster is not important whether it is cathedral style or the box type.

If both of these styles are available please include both of them.

Please list any and all other options available for the dumpsters.

The City of Sedro-Woolley (City) may choose to award none, one or all of the containers to one Vendor for the year of 2009. Additionally, the City may elect to award to multiple vendors as best suits the needs of the City. The selection may be based upon criteria other than lowest price, such as, maintenance costs, compatibility with existing equipment, financial ability of the Vendor to support a contract of this size, experience of the Vendor in supplying this type of equipment and location of factory authorized service dealer or distributor.

Minor deviations from these specifications may be considered, provided the manufacturer or dealer submits, in writing, a description in detail of each variation with reference made to each item to which the variation will apply. These variations must be submitted with and made a part of this Bid. Without any statement of deviation, the City will assume that the specifications will be met as written and the Bidder must comply as such.

This equipment is described with a combination of integral or integrated design and construction in sufficient detail to secure Bids on comparable equipment. All parts not specifically mentioned which are necessary in order to provide a complete cart shall be included in the Bid.

The units shall be complete with all standard equipment as advertised and include all additional equipment and accessories included in City specifications. The unit Bid shall not be of a make or model, which has been or is foreseen in the near future to be a discontinued model of a company that regularly manufactures such equipment. If so desired, the City reserves the right to require any or all Bidders to verify, in writing, that the units Bid are not a manufacturer's discontinued or brand new models. New models and prototypes, experimental or one of a kind models, are not acceptable.

Products must have been in full production for a minimum of two (2) years.

The selling dealer shall be able to provide parts and service facilities to service the equipment and all its components and assure their performance. In order to provide on-location service at a reasonable fee in Sedro-Woolley, Washington, the Bidders are to be established dealers located in the State of Washington. Replacement parts must be delivered to the Fleet Division within 5 working days (Monday through Friday) of placement of order.

The City reserves the right to reject any Bid that does not meet the specifications as written, does not meet or exceed SAE standards, does not include the equipment called for in the specifications and/or the dealer does not have the parts and services.

Delivery shall be F.O.B., City of Sedro-Woolley.

The items to be provided at the time of delivery are as follows:

1. "Signed Price Invoice"
2. Pre-Delivery Inspection Report
3. Warranty Books
4. Parts, Service and Operator's Manuals (as per specifications)