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Sealed bids will be received for the following items:

Asphalt Materials 2018

Sealed Bids will be Opened on
March 27, 2018
at
1:30 P.M.
at the Office of the
Board of County Commissioners,
Commissioners Hearing Room,
Grant County Courthouse,
P.O. Box 37,
35 C Street NW

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

- 1) Sealed bids, plainly marked **BID for Asphalt Materials, 2018** will be received by Grant County at the Office of the Board of County Commissioners located in the County Courthouse, P.O. Box 37, 35 C Street NW - Room 206, Ephrata, WA, 98823, until **1:30 P.M., Tuesday, March 27, 2018** and will then and there, in the Commissioners Hearing Room be opened and publicly read for the construction of the improvements.
- 2) The bidder may submit a bid on any or all items listed. If the bidder does not wish to bid any particular item or items, please write **NO BID** on the appropriate line of the proposal sheet.
- 3) Proposal signature sheet(s) must be signed.
- 4) ALL exceptions or changes to the specifications must be attached to the proposal sheet(s) in written form.
- 5) The Board of County Commissioners reserves the right to reject or accept all or part of the proposal submitted by the bidder.
- 6) Bidders are advised that the unit price bid for each item will be compared with the current State contract price for equivalent materials. After said comparison the County may reject or accept all or part of the proposal submitted by the bidder and purchase items directly from the State contract.
- 7) The Clock of Record for this bid is the Time Stamp Clock in the Office of the Board of County Commissioners

INFORMATIONAL ONLY

SPECIAL PROVISIONS

DESCRIPTION OF WORK

This proposal provides for furnishing 2,900 – 3,300 tons of HFE-150 liquid asphalt and 550 - 750 tons of HFE-90 liquid asphalt for the 2018 season to Grant County and other work in accordance with the specifications. A combination of product purchases may occur if availability or price becomes an issue. When ordering HFE-90 material, it is Grant County's intention to place a minimum order of 100 tons, 3-5 working days prior to pick-up and to take receipt of all material within 96 hours of the specified delivery time.

This proposal provides for furnishing 5,000 – 7,000 tons of Hot Mix Asphalt (HMA) HMA Class ½" PG 64-28 and HMA Class 3/8" PG 64-28 for the 2018 season to Grant County and other work in accordance with the specifications. A combination of product purchases may occur if availability or price becomes an issue.

This proposal contains multiple bid items, please write in the proposal "**NO BID**" on items that a bid is not submitted for.

DATE OF OPENING BIDS

Sealed bids plainly marked "**Bid for Asphalt Materials - 2018**" will be received at the following location before the specified time:

The Office of the Board of County Commissioners, Grant County Courthouse -Room 206, 35 C St. NW, P.O. Box 37, Ephrata, WA 98823. The Clock of Record shall be the Time Stamp Clock in the BOCC Office.

The bid opening date for this project shall be March 27, 2018. The bids will be publicly opened and read in the Commissioners Hearing Room after 1:30 P.M. on this date.

AWARD OF CONTRACT

No materials supply contract will be awarded. However, Grant County intends to do business with the materials supplier offering the lowest cost and availability for asphalt materials that comply with WSDOT specifications. Grant County will award the work for each class of asphalt bid or some combination thereof.

The material supplier's unit price bid will be considered along with asphalt hauling costs. The County Engineer's review of each material supplier's bid will include the cost of freight and dispatching services to be provided under a separate bid.

The work will be given to the company whose product prices along with freight and dispatch costs awarded under a separate contract represent the best value to Grant County. Consideration will also be given to the following material supplier performance measurements:

- Price Stability
- Product Availability/Minimum Quantity
- Product Quality
- Reliable and Safe Loading Access
- Dependable Loading Temperature Controls
- Attentive Dispatch Processing

Should the selected materials supplier be unable to provide asphalt products in the manner prescribed above or in the quantities required the County Engineer will purchase asphalt products from the company with the next best value.

PROSECUTION AND PROGRESS

The material supplier shall be capable of supplying at least 128 tons per day HFE – 150 or HFE-90 at the loading temperatures shown in the proposal between the hours of 2:00 A.M. and 1:00 P.M. All costs incurred by

Asphalt Emulsion HFE-90 Specifications

Test on Emulsion		Minimum	Maximum
- Viscosity @ 122 Degree F SFS	T59	50	400
- Sieve test %,	T59	--	0.1
Distillation:			
- Oil Distillate by volume of emulsion %	T59	--	5
- Residue %	T59	65	--
Tests on the Residue from Distillation:			
- Penetration 77 Degrees F, 100g, 5s	T49	90	150
- Float at 140 Degrees F., sec.,		1200	--

Hot Mix Asphalt

Hot mix asphalt shall meet the requirement of the 2018 Edition, WSDOT Standard Specifications for **HMA CL ½” PG 64-28** and **HMA CL 3/8” PG 64-28**. Documentation shall be provided to the County.

1. Firm bids are requested for Hot Mix Asphalt (HMA) for the period April 1, 2018, through November 21, 2018. The estimated quantity is 5,000 – 7,000 tons. The volume of Class ½ and Class 3/8 will be determined by the County’s needs. Class ½ and Class 3/8 inch Hot Mix Asphalt recycled asphalt pavement (RAP) permitted per WSDOT Specifications.
2. Receipt of product will be made on an “as needed – when needed” basis. No penalty shall be involved for delays caused by acts of God, governmental action, accident or other causes beyond the seller’s control. It is intended that the County will pick up HMA on days when the plant is currently producing mix. If the plant is not in operation, please provide in the location provided on the Proposal minimum tons of HMA required to be purchased. Daily quantities may be as little as 2 tons of product or as much as 150 tons of product. Payment will only be for quantity of material purchased. The bid items are for both HMA Class ½” and 3/8” mix, the County prefers the 3/8” mix but understands the mix is not available at all times. If the plant is currently producing HMA Class ½” and to produce a batch of HMA Class 3/8” would seriously impact plant operations the County will accept the HMA Class ½”. The estimated quantity is for bidding purposes only.
3. The County reserves the right to cancel its purchase if the deliveries are delayed by reason of neglect or carelessness on the part of the seller or if the quality of the product is reduced from specifications in this agreement or if the County determines its interests will be better served by another supplier.
4. The County reserves the right to purchase product from multiple bidders if time, haul length, availability, a specific product or an emergency situation become factors.
5. The bid price for both classes of hot mix asphalt shall be FOB at the plant. The supplier shall load the asphalt into County trucks. The successful bidder shall have operators available at the plant to load County trucks by 6:30 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. each work day. The supplier shall at the

11. Unless specified otherwise, all materials shall meet the requirements of the latest Edition of the WSDOT Standard Specifications. The tolerances for Commercial Evaluation [WSDOT Standard Specification 5-04.3(7) A3] will be used for acceptance. The County will take samples for testing. Should the HMA fail to meet specifications, the County will reserve the right to make equitable price adjustments, including possibly not paying for the mix. Costs incurred by the County in performing tests on non-specification compliant material shall be deducted from monies owed to the supplier.
12. Acceptance of the asphalt will be based upon laboratory tests and visual acceptance of the mix by the County. Tests performed and frequency will be at the discretion of the County.
13. Material found to be out of specification may be cause for the County to declare the supplier to be in default and proceed with purchasing material from other sources. Said declaration will be at the sole discretion of the County.
14. Contaminated or unsuitable asphalt will be returned to the supplier at no cost to Grant County. Supplier will also be subject to costs borne by the County related to time loss/returned material

PROPOSAL BID ITEM 1

To: Board of County Commissioners
Grant County, Washington

Date: _____, 2018

This certifies that the undersigned has examined the details of the work as outlined in the specifications for **Asphalt Materials - 2018** located in Grant County, Washington, and has read and thoroughly understands the specifications and proposal governing the work embraced in this improvement and the method by which payment will be made for said work and hereby proposes to undertake and complete the work embraced in this improvement in accordance with said plans, specifications, and proposal and at the following schedule of rates and prices:

Note: Unit prices for all items must be shown. Please type or use ink. Please initial changes. Do not include state sales taxes.

Item No.	Plan Quantity	Item Description	Price per Unit* Dollars • Cents	Bidder must list: Available Quantity/ Terminal Address/ Sales Tax at Terminal
1A	2,900 – 3,300 Tons	Furnish HFE – 150 Liquid Asphalt at 185°F	At \$ Per Ton F.O.B. terminal	
1B	550 - 750 Tons	Furnish HFE – 90 Liquid Asphalt at 185°F	At \$ Per Ton F.O.B. terminal	

In the event Grant County requires asphalt hauling services, please list the names of the companies that would be available. Provide the average tanker/trailer size and the cost of delivery including 90 minutes demurrage to each listed location. It is understood that the materials supplier cannot guarantee the availability of services from an asphalt hauling company.

Company Name _____ Dispatch Contact _____ Dispatch Phone _____

Average tanker/trailer size for each load: Tanker _____ tons Trailer _____ tons

Freight cost per load including 90 min. demurrage _____

PROPOSAL BID ITEM 2

To: Board of County Commissioners
Grant County, Washington

Date: _____, 2018

This certifies that the undersigned has examined the details of the work as outlined in the specifications for **Asphalt Materials - 2018** located in Grant County, Washington, and has read and thoroughly understands the specifications and proposal governing the work embraced in this improvement and the method by which payment will be made for said work and hereby proposes to undertake and complete the work embraced in this improvement in accordance with said plans, specifications, and proposal and at the following schedule of rates and prices:

Note: Unit prices for all items must be shown. Please type or use ink. Please initial changes. Do not include state sales taxes.

Item No.	Plan Quantity	Item Description	Price per Unit* Dollars • Cents	Bidder must list: Available Quantity/ Plant Address/ Sales Tax at Plant
2A	5,000 – 7,000 Tons	Furnish HMA Class ½" PG 64-28	At \$ Per Ton F.O.B. terminal	
2B	5,000 – 7,000 Tons	Furnish HMA Class 3/8" PG 64-28	At \$ Per Ton F.O.B. terminal	

The Bidder agrees to furnish Hot Mix Asphalt when the plant is not currently in operation for others at a minimum delivery of _____ tons.

Proposal – Signature Page

The bidder is hereby advised that by signature of this proposal he/she is deemed to have acknowledged all requirements and signed all certificates contained herein.

No bid bond or performance bond is required for this materials supply bid.

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of addendum(a)No.(s) _____, _____ & _____.

Does the terminal location require an access agreement? Yes _____, No _____. If yes, please attach an informational copy of said agreement. Terminal access agreements found to contain unacceptable liability transfer language will not be approved and no products will be purchased from said company.

Signature of Authorized Official(s)

BID PROPOSAL MUST BE SIGNED → _____

Print Name of Authorize Official(s)

Firm Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Federal ID No. _____

State of Washington Contractor's License No. _____

Note:

- (1) This proposal form is not transferable and any alteration enter hereon without prior permission from the County Engineer will be cause for considering the proposal irregular and subsequent rejection of the bid.
- (2) Please refer to section 1-02.6 of the Standard Specification, re: "Preparation of Proposal," or "Article 4" of the instruction to bidders for building construction jobs.
- (3) Should it be necessary to modify this proposal either in writing or by electronic means, please make reference to the Following proposal identifier in you communication: **Asphalt Materials – 2018**

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