

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received in the Office of the Ottawa County Clerk, Reba G. Sill, at 102 East Central Avenue, Suite 103 in Miami, Oklahoma 74354 until 9:05 AM on December 16, 2013. Bids will then be opened and read aloud by the Ottawa County Board of Commissioners on the following:

STANDARD CARBON DOUBLE-BEVEL CURVED GRADER BLADES FOR THE PERIOD JANUARY 1, 2014 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2014

All grader blades must meet or exceed the following specifications:

Chemical composition limits (%)

Carbon	0.80 to 0.93
Manganese	0.60 to 0.90
Phosphorus	0.04 maximum
Sulphur	0.05 maximum
Silicon	0.15 to 0.30

Diameter of Brinell indentation: 3.80 to 3.38 millimeters

Hardness properties for standard carbon blades

Brinell hardness: 10mm ball; 3,000kg load: 250 to 325

Rockwell hardness C-Scale: 25.4 to 34.7

Bolt holes shall conform with the Society of Automotive Engineers Specification No. J-740 for countersunk square holes for cutting edges

Holes shall be spaced very accurately on a straight line and be located within 1/16" of the dimensioned position using both end holes as datum points

Bids submitted must be clearly marked on the outside of a sealed envelope:

BID 2013-2014.17: GRADER BLADES OPEN: DECEMBER 16, 2013 @ 9:05 AM

and must be accompanied by a completed and notarized "Statement of Non-Collusion" as required by O.S. 74, Section 85.22.

The successful bidder must comply with O.S. 19, Chapter 33 (Purchasing Procedures).

Bids received late will be returned unopened.

The Board of County Commissioners reserves the right to reject any or all bids and/or make an award to other than the low bidder if such an award is deemed to be in the best interest of the County.

Brenda M. Ellis,
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INVITATION TO BID

BID 2013-2014.17: GRADER BLADES

ISSUED: NOVEMBER 20, 2013

OPEN: DECEMBER 16, 2013 @ 9:05 AM

PERIOD OF BID: JANUARY 1, 2014 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2014

DESCRIPTION

GRADER BLADES

3/4" Bolt Hole

5/8" x 8" x 7'

\$ _____ per linear ft *

5/8" Bolt Hole

5/8" x 8" x 7'

\$ _____ per linear ft *

Manufacturer _____

Minimum order _____

Delivery / days _____

* Price per linear foot shall include cost of prepaid freight delivery to each of three Ottawa County Highway District Barns located in Picher (Dist 1), Wyandotte (Dist 2) and Fairland (Dist 3), Oklahoma

CONDITIONS OF BID

Sealed bids will be opened in the Office of the County Commissioners located in the Ottawa County Courthouse at 102 East Central Avenue, Suite 104 in Miami, Oklahoma, at the time and date shown on the Invitation to Bid.

Late bids will not be considered. Bids must be received in sealed envelopes (one to an envelope) with Bid Number, Date and Time written on the outside of the envelope.

Unit prices will be guaranteed correct by the bidder.

Firm prices will be FOB Ottawa County.

Purchases by Ottawa County, Oklahoma are not subject to State or Federal taxes.

This bid is submitted as legal offer and any bid, when accepted by the County, constitutes a firm contract.

Oklahoma laws require each vendor submitting a bid to a County for goods or services to furnish a notarized sworn Statement of Non-Collusion (**form supplied below**).

NOTE: Other terms and conditions may be added at the discretion of county officers.

STATEMENT OF NON-COLLUSION

AFFIDAVIT: I, the undersigned, of lawful age, being first duly sworn on oath say that he (she) is the agent authorized by the bidder to submit the above bid. Affiant further states that the bidder has not been a party to any collusion among bidders in restraint of freedom of competition by agreement to bid at a fixed price or to refrain from bidding; or with any state official or employee as to quantity, quality or price in the prospective contract or any other terms of said prospective contract; or in any discussions between bidders and any state official concerning exchange of money or other thing of value for special consideration in the letting of a contract; that the bidder/contractor has not paid, given or donated or agreed to pay, give or donate to any officer or employee of the State of Oklahoma (or other entity) any money or other thing of value, either directly or indirectly, in the procuring of the award of a contract pursuant to this bid.

Subscribed and sworn to this _____ day of _____, 20_____.

(Seal)

Firm: _____

Signed: _____

Address: _____

Notary Public

City: _____ State: _____

My commission expires _____

Zip: _____

I CERTIFY COPIES OF **BID 2013-2014.17: GRADER BLADES** WERE MAILED TO THE FOLLOWING VENDORS ON NOVEMBER 20, 2013 –

Bus Andrews Truck Equipment
2828 E Kearney
Springfield, MO 65803

C L Boyd Co Inc
PO Box 26427
Oklahoma City, OK 73126-0427

Dub Ross Co Inc
PO Box 270066
Oklahoma City, OK 73137-0066

Fabick Southwest
Attn: Ronnie Puckett
3534 E 20th
Joplin, MO 64801

Valk Manufacturing Co
PO Box 428
New Kingston, PA 17072

Warrior of Arkansas Inc
PO Box 790
Mabelvale, AR 72103

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