

INVITATION TO BID

Purchasing Department
PO Box 1630
132 David Street
Forsyth, MO 65653

Bid Number 201003-96

Bids will be opened in the Purchasing Department in Forsyth, MO 65653 at 10:30 a.m. on the 22nd day of April 2010. Bids must be submitted on the form furnished by the County and in accordance with said specifications.

It is the intent and purpose of the County of Taney that this Invitation to Bid promotes competitive bidding.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SUBMITTING BID IN RESPONSE TO INVITATION**DE-ICING MATERIALS****Preparation of Bids:**

1. All prices and notations must be in ink or typewritten. No erasure permitted. Mistakes may be crossed out and corrections typed adjacent and must be initialed and dated in ink by person signing bid. All bids must be signed with the firm name and by a responsible officer or employee. Obligations assumed by such signature must be fulfilled.
2. Bidders are expected to examine this form, attached drawings, specifications, if any, and all instructions. Failure to do so will be at the Bidder's risk.
3. It will be the duty of each officer to see that his/her proposal is delivered by the time designated in this invitation.
4. Proposals may be withdrawn on written requests received from the bidder prior to the time fixed for opening. Requests may be submitted by telefax, e-mail or telegram. Negligence on the part of the bidder in preparing his/her proposal confers no right to withdraw his/her proposal after it has been opened.
5. At the time fixed for opening of proposals, the content will be made public for the information of the bidder and others interested.

Bid Check List:

Bidders are cautioned to please check their bid very carefully, using the following Check List:

1. Any additional information, specifications, drawings, etc. should be attached.
2. Bid should be signed and dated.

Mailing Instructions:

Each bid must be enclosed in a sealed envelope, marked and addressed as follows:

Bid #201003-96

Attention: Linda Gifford

PO Box 1630

Forsyth, MO 65653

Non-Exclusivity:

The Contract is non-exclusive and shall not in any way preclude the County from entering into similar agreements and/or arrangements with other vendors or from acquiring, equal or like goods and/or services from other entities or sources.

Response Clarification:

We reserve the right to request additional written or oral information from bidders in order to obtain clarification of their responses.

**Thank you for your consideration of this Invitation to Bid,
THE TANEY COUNTY COMMISSION**

BID SPECIFICATIONS

The Taney County Road and Bridge Department is seeking bids for furnishing De-Icing Materials. Work to be done under this contract shall consist of furnishing various materials used by the county for ice control. All materials shall be in accordance with the latest appropriate requirements of the Standard Specifications of the Missouri Department of Transportation. These bids shall remain in force for a minimum of twelve months. The initial twelve months to start on the date of the award.

Taney County reserves the right to have the materials tested for quality at their expense and to take whatever remedial action that may be required. Tests would be run to verify compliance with the applicable specifications.

All material is bid F.O.B. at the Taney County Road and Bridge Maintenance facilities at various locations in the county. Bids will be awarded for each group listed. Taney County reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any and all technicalities.

LIQUID CALCIUM CHLORIDE

Taney County is seeking bids on Liquid Calcium Chloride to use in a pre-wetting application for snow and ice control. The material to be furnished shall meet all MoDOT specification for similar applications. Taney County reserves the right to have the material tested any time prior to its use by an independent laboratory for compatibility to those specifications. The material shall be delivered by semi-trailer and pumped into the county's storage tank located at the Taney County Road District #1 facility on Buchanan Road at the north edge of Branson and at the District #2 facility at 195 Gilbert Ln, Hilda, MO.

The material shall be bid at a flake ton unit price delivered to the above locations. The supplier shall furnish an analysis of the material at the time of delivery, giving the percent calcium in solution and amount of impurities,

Price Bid shall be Cost per Flake Ton delivered and pumped in county storage tank.

SODIUM CHLORIDE (Rock Salt)

Taney County is seeking bids on Sodium Chloride (Rock Salt) to use for snow and ice control. The material to be furnished shall meet all MoDOT specification for similar applications. Taney County reserves the right to have the material tested any time prior to its use by an independent laboratory for compatibility to those specifications. The material shall be delivered by semi-trailer to the various county storage sheds located at various locations in Taney County.

The material shall be bid at a per ton unit price delivered to the above locations. The supplier shall furnish an analysis of the material at the time of delivery, giving the amount of impurities.

Price Bid shall be Cost per Ton delivered to the various storage sheds in the county.

BIDDER'S PROPOSAL

Item	Estimated Quantity	Unit Price Per Ton	Total Amount
Sodium Chloride (Rock Salt)	2000 Tons	_____	_____
Calcium Chloride	250 Flake Ton	_____	_____

Company: _____

Address _____

Phone: _____ Fax _____

Date: _____

SIGNED: _____

TITLE: _____