

MARSHALL TOWNSHIP
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Marshall, MI 49068
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REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR PRICE QUOTATIONS FOR FIRE APPARATUS FOR MARSHALL TOWNSHIP
FIRE DEPARTMENT

DATED: MARCH 9, 2024

RESPONSES DUE: MONDAY, APRIL 1, 2024, 2 p.m. local time at the above address

Statement: Marshall Township is requesting proposals for price quotation for fire apparatus meeting the requirements of the attached specifications. Each manufacturer will be allowed to submit one (1) proposal only. If an alternate proposal is submitted, the alternate proposal will be considered in place of the main proposal.

Specifications must be strictly adhered to. Exceptions will be considered only if they are deemed by the Township as equal to or superior to the specifications, provided they are fully explained on a separate page entitled "EXCEPTION TO SPECIFICATIONS." Exceptions must be listed with reference to the page and paragraph involved. Failure to adhere to these requirements may result in rejection of the entire proposal.

It is required that each submitter produces both the chassis and complete apparatus. This will eliminate divided responsibility and service; the same company must manufacture the chassis and body.

There shall be three (3) trips to the manufacturer's facility with travel, food and lodging paid for by the manufacturer for two (2) Fire Department Personnel as designated by the Fire Chief. This includes one (1) trip pre-construction; one (1) trip for mid-construction inspection; and one (1) trip for final inspection. All trips to be quoted in the proposal price.

The pumper must conform to the requirements of the current (at the time of the proposal) National Fire Protection Association Pamphlet #1901 for Motor Fire Apparatus unless otherwise specified in the specifications.

A Performance Bond must be submitted within twenty (20) days of the date of the Township notification to the successful proposal submitter, prior to any work commencing on the proposed apparatus, in an amount of 100% of the proposed total contract price. The bond shall be at the cost of the submitter; however, the cost paid for the bond must be disclosed at the time of its submission to demonstrate the economic stability and credit worthiness of the submitter. NO EXCEPTIONS.

Proposals must be hand-delivered or mailed to the MARSHALL TOWNSHIP CLERK, 13551 Myron Avery Drive, Marshall, MI 49068, in a sealed envelope marked "FIRE DEPARTMENT APPARATUS PROPOSAL 2024-01."

Marshall Township reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals or to waive irregularities in any proposal deemed by the Township to be in the best interest of the Township.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION OR QUESTIONS, contact Marshall Township Fire Chief Jay Riggs at 269-209-0352 or Jayr1328@aol.com

It is the intent of the Township to consider proposals at the April 9, 2024, 4 p.m. Fire Board meeting at the Marshall Township Hall, 13551 Myron Avery Drive, Marshall, MI 49068. The Fire Board's recommendation will be considered at the Township Board meeting to be held on Monday, April 15, 2024, at 7 p.m.

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