

EQUIPMENT
LOADER & BACKHOE

Oakfield, Region 5

2016

Updated 11/15/15

STATE PROJECT

BIDDING INSTRUCTIONS

1. Use pen and ink to complete all paper Bids.
2. As a minimum, the following must be received prior to the time of Bid opening:

For a Paper Bid:

- a) a copy of the Notice to Contractors, b) the completed Acknowledgement of Bid Amendments form, c) the completed Schedule of Items, d) two copies of the completed and signed Contract Agreement, Offer & Award form, e) the completed Contractor Information Sheet, and f) any other certifications or Bid requirements listed in the Bid Documents as due by Bid opening.

For an Electronic Bid:

- a) a completed Bid using Expedite® software and submitted via the Bid Express™ web-based service, b) an electronic Bid Guaranty (if required), and c) any other Certifications or Bid requirements listed in the Bid Documents as due by Bid opening.

3. Include prices for items Contractor is bidding in the Schedule of Items.
4. All Bid Packages which are mailed or sent express, shall be provided in double (one envelope inside the other) envelopes, for security and other reasons. The *Inner Envelope* shall have the following information provided on it:

Bid Enclosed - Do Not Open
Title: Equipment Rental for Loader & Backhoe
Location: Oakfield
Date of Bid Opening:
Name of Contractor with mailing address and telephone number:

In Addition to the usual address information, the *Outer Envelope* should have written or typed on it:

Double Envelope: Bid Enclosed
Title: Equipment Rental for Loader & Backhoe
Location: Oakfield
Date of Bid Opening:
Name of Contractor:

If a paper Bid is to be sent express, “FedEx First Overnight” delivery is suggested as the package is delivered directly to the DOT Headquarters Building, Mailroom, in Augusta located at 24 Child Street in Augusta. Other means, such as U.S. Postal’s Service Express Mail has proven not to be reliable. If a paper bid is to be mailed, the mailing address is Maine Department of Transportation, 16 State House Station, Augusta, ME 04333-0016.

If a paper Bid is to be hand carried, deliver directly to the Reception Desk using the “Public Entrance” which is located on the Capitol Street side of the DOT Headquarters Building in Augusta. <http://www.maine.gov/mdot/mainedotdirections.htm>. Hand-carried Bids may be in one envelope, and should be marked with the following information:

Bid Enclosed: Do Not Open
Title: Equipment Rental for Loader & Backhoe
Location: Oakfield
Name of Contractor:

If you need further information regarding Bid preparation, call the DOT Contracts Section at (207) 624-3410.

For complete bidding requirements, refer to Section 102 of the Maine Department of Transportation, Standard Specifications, November 2014 Edition.

NOTICE

The Maine Department of Transportation is attempting to improve the way Bid Amendments/Addendums are handled, and allow for an electronic downloading of bid packages from our website, while continuing to maintain an optional plan holders list.

Prospective bidders, subcontractors or suppliers who wish to download a copy of the bid package and receive a courtesy notification of project specific bid amendments must fill out the on-line plan holder registration form and provide an email address to the MDOT Contracts mailbox at: MDOT.contracts@maine.gov. Each bid package will require a separate request.

Additionally, interested parties will be responsible for reviewing and retrieving the Bid Amendments from our web site, and acknowledging receipt and incorporating those Bid Amendments in their bids using the Acknowledgement of Bid Amendment Form.

The downloading of bid packages from the MDOT website is not the same as providing an electronic bid to the Department. Electronic bids must be submitted via <http://www.BIDX.com>. For information on electronic bidding contact Robert Skehan at robert.skehan@maine.gov , Rebecca Snowden at rebecca.snowden@maine.gov or Diane Barnes at diane.barnes@maine.gov.

NOTICE

Bidders:

Please use the attached “Request for Information” form when submitting questions concerning specific Contracts that have been advertised for Bid, include additional numbered pages as required. RFI’s may be faxed to 207-624-3431, submitted electronically through the Departments web page of advertised projects by selecting the RFI tab on the project details page or via e-mail to RFI-Contracts.MDOT@maine.gov.

These are the only allowable mechanisms for answering Project specific questions. Maine DOT will not be bound to any answers to Project specific questions received during the Bidding phase through other processes.

When submitting RFIs by Email please follow the same guidelines as stated on the “Request for Information” form and include the word “RFI” along with the Project name and Identification number in the subject line.

Vendor Registration

Prospective Bidders must register as a vendor with the Department of Administrative & Financial Services if the vendor is awarded a contract. Vendors will not be able to receive payment without first being registered. Vendors/Contractors will find information and register through the following link –

<http://www.maine.gov/purchases/venbid/index.shtml>

CONTRACTOR INFORMATION

Contractor Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Vendor Customer Number: _____

Contact Information (Primary Contact): _____

Phone: _____ **Cell Phone:** _____

Fax: _____

Email: _____

Mailing Address (if different from above): _____

The company has the following organizational structure:

Sole Proprietorship

Limited Liability Company

Partnership

Joint Venture

Corporation

Other: _____

(Date)

(Signature)

(Name and Title Printed)

**STATE OF MAINE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS**

Sealed Bids addressed to the Maine Department of Transportation, Augusta, Maine 04333 and endorsed on the wrapper "Bids for **LOADER & BACKHOE** in **OAKFIELD** will be received from contractors at the Reception Desk, Maine DOT Building, Capitol Street, Augusta, Maine, until 11:00 o'clock A.M. (prevailing time) on **May 25, 2016** and at that time and place publicly opened and read. Bids will be accepted from all bidders. The lowest responsive bidder must demonstrate successful completion of projects of similar size and scope to be considered for the award of this contract. **We now accept electronic bids for those bid packages posted on the bidx.com website. Electronic bids do not have to be accompanied by paper bids. Until further notice, dual bids (one paper, one electronic) will be accepted, with the paper copy taking precedence.**

Description: Seasonal Loader & Backhoe without Operators

Location: In Oakfield in Region 5

Outline of Work: Supply loader and backhoe without operator for seasonal use by the Department, not for on call equipment and other incidental work.

For general information regarding Bidding and Contracting procedures, contact George Macdougall at (207) 624-3410. Our webpage at <http://www.maine.gov/mdot/contractors/> contains a copy of the Schedule of Items, Plan Holders List, written portions of bid amendments, bid results and an electronic form for RFI submittal. For Project-specific information fax all questions to **Gail Iler** at (207) 624-3431, use electronic RFI form or email questions to RFI-Contracts.MDOT@maine.gov, project name and identification number should be in the subject line. Questions received after 12:00 noon of Friday prior to bid date will not be answered. Bidders shall not contact any other Departmental staff for clarification of Contract provisions, and the Department will not be responsible for any interpretations so obtained. TTY users call Maine Relay 711.

Bid Documents, specifications and bid forms are available at <http://www.maine.gov/mdot/contractors/>. They may be seen at the Maine DOT Building in Augusta, Maine and at the Department of Transportation's Regional Office in Presque Isle. They can be obtained at no cost at the Department at 24 Child Street, Augusta, ME, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., may be requested by telephone at (207) 624-3536 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m, or from Maine Department of Transportation, Attn.: Mailroom, 16 State House Station, Augusta, Maine 04333-0016.

There will be no bid bonds, performance bonds or payment bond required.

Each Bid must be made upon blank forms provided by the Department.

This Contract is subject to all applicable State Laws

All work shall be governed by "State of Maine, Department of Transportation, Standard Specifications, November 2014 Edition", price \$10 [\$15 by mail], and Standard Details, November 2014 Edition, price \$10 [\$15 by mail]. They also may be purchased by telephone at (207) 624-3536 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Standard Detail updates can be found at <http://www.maine.gov/mdot/contractors/publications/>.

The right is hereby reserved to the Maine DOT to reject any or all bids.

Augusta, Maine
May 4, 2016



BRIAN BURNE
HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE ENGINEER
BUREAU OF MAINTENANCE & OPERATIONS

**SPECIAL PROVISION 102.7.3
ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF BID AMENDMENTS**

With this form, the Bidder acknowledges its responsibility to check for all Amendments to the Bid Package. For each Project under Advertisement, Amendments are located at <http://www.maine.gov/mdot/contractors/> . It is the responsibility of the Bidder to determine if there are Amendments to the Project, to download them, to incorporate them into their Bid Package, and to reference the Amendment number and the date on the form below. The Maine DOT will not post Bid Amendments any later than noon the day before Bid opening without individually notifying all the planholders.

Amendment Number	Date

The Contractor, for itself, its successors and assigns, hereby acknowledges that it has received all of the above referenced Amendments to the Bid Package.

CONTRACTOR

_____ Date

_____ Signature of authorized representative

_____ (Name and Title Printed)

BIDDERS ARE REQUIRED TO BID ALL ITEMS

4/26/2016

Maine Department of Transportation

Proposal Schedule of Items

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Proposal ID: 020116.57OAK

Project(s): 020116.57OAK

SECTION: 1 EQUIPMENT

Alt Set ID:

Alt Mbr ID:

Contractor: _____

Proposal Line Number	Item ID Description	Approximate Quantity and Units	Unit Price		Bid Amount	
			Dollars	Cents	Dollars	Cents
0010	631.60 EQUIPMENT RENTAL (BY MONTH) WHEELED LOADER 23,000 - 27,000 #5-A REGION 5	11.000 CM	_____	 _____	_____	 _____
0020	631.60 EQUIPMENT RENTAL (BY MONTH) BACKHOE/LOADER 16,000 - 20,000 REGION 5	12.000 CM	_____	 _____	_____	 _____
0030	910.30 SPECIAL WORK TRANSPORTATION - PICK UP LOADER	2.000 EA	_____	 _____	_____	 _____
0040	910.30 SPECIAL WORK TRANSPORTATION - PICK UP BACKHOE REG 5 (PER UN, PER YR FOR PICK UP)	2.000 EA	_____	 _____	_____	 _____
0050	910.30 SPECIAL WORK TRANSPORTATION - DELIVERY BACKHOE (PER UN, PER YR FOR DELIVERY)	2.000 EA	_____	 _____	_____	 _____
0060	910.30 SPECIAL WORK TRANSPORTATION - DELIVERY LOADER	2.000 EA	_____	 _____	_____	 _____
Section: 1			Total:		_____	 _____
			Total Bid:		_____	 _____

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS - PREFERRED EMPLOYEES

Sec. 1303. Public Works; minimum wage

In the employment of laborers in the construction of public works, including state highways, by the State or by persons contracting for the construction, preference must first be given to citizens of the State who are qualified to perform the work to which the employment relates and, if they can not be obtained in sufficient numbers, then to citizens of the United States. Every contract for public works construction must contain a provision for employing citizens of this State or the United States. The hourly wage and benefit rate paid to laborers employed in the construction of public works, including state highways, may not be less than the fair minimum rate as determined in accordance with section 1308. Any contractor who knowingly and willfully violates this section is subject to a fine of not less than \$250 per employee violation. Each day that any contractor employs a laborer at less than the wage and benefit minimum stipulated in this section constitutes a separate violation of this section. [1997, c. 757, §1 (amd).]

CONTRACT AGREEMENT, OFFER & AWARD

AGREEMENT made on the date last signed below, by and between the State of Maine, acting through and by its Department of Transportation (Department), an agency of state government with its principal administrative offices located at Child Street, Augusta, Maine, with a mailing address at 16 State House Station, Augusta, Maine 04333-0016, and _____ **(Contractor)** a corporation or other legal entity organized under the laws of the State of _____, with its principal place of business located at _____.

The Department and the Contractor, in consideration of the mutual promises set forth in this Agreement (the "Contract"), hereby agree as follows:

A. The Work.

The Contractor agrees to complete all Work as specified or indicated in the Contract including Extra Work in conformity with the Contract, **LOADER & BACKHOE** in **OAKFIELD, REGION 5** in the State of Maine. The Work includes construction, maintenance during construction, warranty as provided in the Contract, and other incidental work.

The Contractor shall be responsible for furnishing all supervision, labor, equipment, tools supplies, permanent materials and temporary materials required to perform the Work including construction quality control including inspection, testing and documentation, all required documentation at the conclusion of the project, warranting its work and performing all other work indicated in the Contract.

The Department shall have the right to alter the nature and extent of the Work as provided in the Contract; payment to be made as provided in the same.

B. Time.

The Contractor agrees to complete all Work, except warranty work, on or before **April 30, 2018.**

C. Price.

The quantities given in the Schedule of Items of the Bid Package will be used as the basis for determining the original Contract amount, and that the amount of this offer is

\$ _____.

D. Contract.

This Contract, which may be amended, modified, or supplemented in writing only, consists of the Contract documents as defined in the Standard Specifications, November 2014 Edition, as updated through advertisement, Supplemental Specifications, Special Provisions and Contract Agreement. It is agreed and understood that this Contract will be governed by the documents listed above.

E. Certifications.

By signing below, the Contractor hereby certifies that to the best of the Contractor's knowledge and belief:

1. All of the statements, representations, covenants, and/or certifications required or set forth in the Bid and the Bid Documents, including those in the Contract are still complete and accurate as of the date of this Agreement.
2. The Contractor knows of no legal, contractual, or financial impediment to entering into this Contract.
3. The person signing below is legally authorized by the Contractor to sign this Contract on behalf of the Contractor and to legally bind the Contractor to the terms of the Contract.

F. Offer.

The undersigned, having carefully examined the site of work, the Standard Specifications November 2014 Edition, Standard Details November 2014 Edition as updated through advertisement, Supplemental Specifications, Special Provisions and Contract Agreement contained herein for construction of: **LOADER & BACKHOE**, in **OAKFIELD, REGION 5** State of Maine, on which bids will be received until the time specified in the "Notice to Contractors" do(es) hereby bid and offer to enter into this contract to supply all the materials, tools, equipment and labor to construct the whole of the Work in strict accordance with the terms and conditions of this Contract at the unit prices in the attached "Schedule of Items".

The Offeror agrees to perform the work required at the price specified above and in accordance with the bids provided in the attached "Schedule of Items" in strict accordance with the terms of this solicitation, and to provide the appropriate insurance if this offer is accepted by the Government in writing.

As Offeror also agrees:

First: To do any extra work, not covered by the attached "Schedule of Items", which may be ordered by the Resident, and to accept as full compensation the amount determined upon a "Force Account" basis as provided in the Standard Specifications, November 2014 Edition, and as addressed in the contract documents.

Third: That this offer shall remain open for 30 calendar days after the date of opening of bids.

Fourth: The Bidder hereby certifies, to the best of its knowledge and belief that: the Bidder has not, either directly or indirectly, entered into any agreement, participated in any collusion, or otherwise taken any action in restraint of competitive bidding in connection with its bid, and its subsequent contract with the Department.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Contractor, for itself, its successors and assigns, hereby execute two duplicate originals of this Agreement and thereby binds itself to all covenants, terms, and obligations contained in the Contract Documents.

CONTRACTOR

Date

(Signature of Legally Authorized Representative
of the Contractor)

Witness

(Name and Title Printed)

G. Award.

Your offer is hereby accepted.
referenced herein.

This award consummates the Contract, and the documents

MAINE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Date

By: (Name and Title Printed)

Witness

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Contractor, for itself, its successors and assigns, hereby execute two duplicate originals of this Agreement and thereby binds itself to all covenants, terms, and obligations contained in the Contract Documents.

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of the Contractor)

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(Name of the firm bidding the job) (Contractor) a corporation or other legal entity organized under the laws of the State of _____, with its principal place of business located at _____ (address of the firm bidding the job) _____.

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The Contractor shall be responsible for furnishing all supervision, labor, equipment, tools supplies, permanent materials and temporary materials required to perform the Work including construction quality control including inspection, testing and documentation, all required documentation at the conclusion of the project, warranting its work and performing all other work indicated in the Contract.

The Department shall have the right to alter the nature and extent of the Work as provided in the Contract; payment to be made as provided in the same.

B. Time.

The Contractor agrees to complete all Work, except warranty work, on or before **December 31, 2016**.

C. Price.

The quantities given in the Schedule of Items of the Bid Package will be used as the basis for determining the original Contract amount, and that the amount of this offer is

(Place bid here in alphabetical form such as One Hundred and Two dollars and 10 cents)

\$ (Repeat bid here in numerical terms, such as \$102.10)

D. Contract.

This Contract, which may be amended, modified, or supplemented in writing only, consists of the Contract documents as defined in the Plans, Standard Specifications, November 2014 Edition, Standard Details November 2014 Edition as updated through advertisement, Supplemental Specifications, Special Provisions, Contract Agreement; and Contract Bonds. It is agreed and understood that this Contract will be governed by the documents listed above.

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SAMPLE

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Contractor, for itself, its successors and assigns, hereby execute two duplicate originals of this Agreement and thereby binds itself to all covenants, terms, and obligations contained in the Contract Documents.

CONTRACTOR

_____	_____
(Date here)	(Sign Here)
Date	(Signature of Legally Authorized Representative of the Contractor)
_____	_____
(Witness Sign Here)	(Print Name Here)
Witness	(Name and Title Printed)

G. Award.

Your offer is hereby accepted.
referenced herein.

This award consummates the Contract, and the documents

MAINE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

_____	_____
Date	By: (Name and Title Printed)

Witness	

SPECIAL PROVISION
SECTION 108
PAYMENT
(Payment)

Payment

The Department will pay the Contractor monthly for the previous month and at the completion of the contract. The Department will estimate the quantities and make payment based upon such estimates and information contained on statements provided by the Contractor. Informational statements shall be submitted by the Contractor to the Department's Contract Administrator for administrative and reconciliation purposes. Invoices shall include the following minimum information:

Contractor Name, Address & Contract Number
Invoice Date & Number
Billing Period - Start Date and End Date
Region & Location of Equipment
Equipment Description & Serial Number
Unit cost for each unit at the Unit Prices contained in the Contractor's Bid or as
adjusted for a portion of a month in accordance with this contract
Itemized breakdown for Extra Work such as damage repair or service calls agreed to
by written Contract Modification
Total amount due

The Department may request that the Contractor submit backup documentation including copies of receipts, invoices, and itemized payments to Subcontractors.

The Department may withhold payments claimed by the Contractor on account of:

- A. Repetitive Breakdowns
- B. Equipment rejected due to condition
- C. Damage to a third party,
- D. Claims filed or reasonable evidence indicating probable filing of claims,
- E. Failure of the Contractor to make payments to Subcontractors or for Materials or labor,
- F. Regulatory non-compliance or enforcement,
- G. All other causes that the Department reasonably determines negatively affect the State's interest.

SPECIAL PROVISIONS EXCAVATORS

Schedule The Contactor shall provide equipment without operators in accordance with the dates shown below.

Region	Item # and Description	Dates	Quantity
5	WHEEL LOADER 23,000 – 27,000 Lbs 631.60 EQUIPMENT RENTAL (BY MONTH) WHEELED LOADERS #5-A	6/1/2016 – 10/31/2016 5/1/2017 – 10/31/2017 11 CM	1 Loader
	910.30 SPECIAL WORK TRANSPORTATION – PICKUP LOADER 910.30 SPECIAL WORK TRANSPORTATION – DELIVERY LOADER		
5	BACKHOE/ LOADER 16,000-20,000 Lbs 631.60 EQUIPMENT RENTAL (BY MONTH) BACKHOE/LOADERS #5-B	11/1/2016 – 4/30/2017 11/1/2017 – 4/30/2018 12 CM	1 Backhoe
	910.30 SPECIAL WORK TRANSPORTATION – PICKUP BACKHOE 910.30 SPECIAL WORK TRANSPORTATION – DELIVERY BACKHOE		

General The Department reserves the right, at the time of delivery, to inspect the equipment and reject because of condition. In the case of repetitive breakdowns during operation, the Contractor will have the option to replace the equipment with another equivalent unit.

The Contractor shall perform all repairs, service and scheduled maintenance, except damage caused by the Department. All costs for labor, equipment and materials required to perform the work will not be paid for directly, and will be considered incidental to the Equipment Rental pay item(s). The Department will provide fuel, oil and grease. If a piece of equipment is unable to run, is unsafe to operate or should not be run as determined by the Department, the Contractor will make sufficient repairs within three working days of the initial call by the Department. For those repairs taking longer than 3 working days, a replacement piece of equivalent equipment with temporary registration shall be provided, if possible. For each piece of equipment requiring repairs due to normal operation and unable to operate safely more than 3 working days during the month, the Contractor may furnish a replacement with temporary registration or if a replacement is not furnished, the Department may choose to extend the return date by an equivalent duration or choose to receive a credit. The credit will be deducted from the monthly rental for the number of days, in excess of one, that the equipment

was unable or unsafe to operate computed at the Unit Price per month per each given in the Schedule of Items calculated in accordance with section “Measurement and Payment” below.

Changes The Department may return Equipment early, extend the duration, increase or decrease Pay Item quantities from the estimated quantities shown in the Bid Documents, and such increase or decrease shall not be considered Extra Work. The Contractor shall be paid for actual quantities in place and Accepted at the Unit Prices contained in the Contractor’s Bid. The Contractor accepts such payment as full and complete compensation.

Measurement and Payment Equipment Rental and required attachments and optional attachments will be measured per machine by the month which shall be payment in full for furnishing equipment and all materials, labor and equipment to satisfactorily perform repairs, service and scheduled maintenance. A month is defined as a time lasting from a date in one calendar month until the same date in the next calendar month. The initial day of the month will be the day of the month on which each piece of Equipment was delivered and will be considered the billing start date. In the event that the Department has a piece of equipment for a period that cannot be measured in whole months, the portion of the month will be measured in accordance with the table below.

Portion	Measurement	Payment
1 – 7 days	0.25	(0.25)(monthly unit bid price)
8 – 14 days	0.50	(0.50)(monthly unit bid price)
15 – 21 days	0.75	(0.75)(monthly unit bid price)
22 – 31 days	1.0	(1.0)(monthly unit bid price)

If the Contractor delivers a piece of equipment later than the scheduled date, the Department at its choice may extend the return date to get the full period or reduce payment by the time not in possession. If the Contractor fails to pick up a piece of equipment as scheduled, the additional time will not be measured for payment.

The Contractor shall contact the Region a minimum of two (2) days prior to delivery for delivery coordination. The Contractor shall deliver the equipment only during the following times: Monday through Friday, 7:00 AM through 3:00 PM except deliveries may not be made on holidays.

The accepted quantities of Equipment Rental will be paid for at the contract Unit Price for each type of equipment per month per each for each month furnished plus the portion payment as shown on the table above. Payment shall be full compensation for all labor, equipment, material and incidentals necessary to perform the work in accordance with these specifications.

The accepted quantities of Item 910.30 Special Work, Transportation will be paid for at the contract Lump Sum Unit Price per piece of equipment per year for delivery and per piece of equipment per year for pickup and which price shall be full compensation for all labor, equipment, material and incidentals necessary to move the equipment and all associated options and perform the work in accordance with these specifications. Transportation locations for delivery and pickup are listed below.

Region	Location and Contact	Size
5	MaineDOT Maintenance Lot, Oakfield, 239 Oakfield/Smyrna Road	All Equipment

The Department will pay for Extra Work such as service calls, additional attachments and damage repair by written Contract Modification in accordance with Section 109.7 Equitable Adjustments to Compensation and 109.8 Contract Modification.

Payment will be made under:

<u>Pay Item</u>	<u>Pay Unit</u>
631.60 Equipment Rental (by Month)	Calendar Month
910.30 Special Work, Transportation	EA

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION
SHEET

Please complete the checklist for technical specifications set forth below. Each Bidder must indicate whether it can meet the technical specifications by inserting an “X” next to each specification. The “X” will demonstrate that the Bidder’s offering meets the technical specification. If a Bidder cannot meet a technical specification, then the Bidder must give an explanation for each exception and for equipment that is not available or that will be dealer installed. All explanations must be provided in detail on separate pages along with the justification as to why the alternative equipment or deliverables will be as good as the equipment or deliverables described in the detailed specifications for desired items. A copy of the vendor specification proposal must be provided. Following these instructions is essential for proper bid evaluation. If a Bidder fails to provide requested information or if information on a quote is found to be false or misleading, the quote will be rejected as unresponsive.

The following abbreviations must be used by interested Bidders:

X Meeting Specification
N/A Not Available
DI Dealer Installed
AE Approved equal process

SPECIAL PROVISIONS

Wheeled Loader 23,000-27,000

- This work consists of providing all equipment, preventative maintenance on a scheduled basis when needed.
- Service calls must not be included in the bid and will be handled separately.

The equipment specifications and terms are as follows:

Wheeled Loader

- Horsepower not less than 125hp and not more than 145hp
- Operating weight not less than 23,000 pounds and not more than 27,000 pounds.
- The Loaders will be no older than (3) three years and have more than 1600 hours at the time of initial delivery
- Front bucket minimum capacity 2.5 cubic yards.
- Four wheel drive required.
- Loaders must be articulating.
- Dump clearance at 45° bucket angle minimum 8’6”
- Bucket must come with a bolt on cutting edge.

- ___ Buckets must have OSHA approved Lift hook or Lift loop furnished on front bucket
- ___ Loaders must have air conditioning, strobe light and number plate bracket.
- ___ The Contractor shall provide to the Department, a completed Lessor's certificate a minimum of 3 weeks prior to delivery.
- ___ Loaders must have temporary registrations valid until the Department can get the Loader registered.
- ___ Each machine must have a valid State of Maine inspection sticker for the duration of the rental

The Department will provide the following:

- Registration and insurance.
- Daily fuel, oil and grease.

Vehicles Description must be included with the bid package:

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SPECIAL PROVISIONS

Backhoe / Loader 16,000-20,000 (weight range is for base model)

- This work consists of providing all equipment, preventative maintenance on a scheduled basis when needed.
- Service calls must not be included in the bid and will be handled separately.

The equipment specifications and terms are as follows:

Backhoe/Loader

- ___ Horsepower not less than 90hp and not more than 105hp
- ___ Operating weight not less than 16,000 pounds and not more than 20,000 pounds.
- ___ Backhoe must have a minimum digging depth of 14’
- ___ Backhoe/loaders will be no older than (3) three years nor have more than 1600 hours at time of initial delivery.
- ___ Four wheel drive required.
- ___ Dump clearance at 45° bucket angle minimum 8’6”
- ___ Backhoes must come equipped with pilot controls with pattern select.

- ___ Buckets must come with a quick change digging bucket, minimum of 24” and a maximum of 28” with teeth.
- ___ Wrist action adapter/ Wain Roy Type
- ___ Ditching/clean up bucket with bucket 48” size included.
- ___ Front bucket minimum capacity 1.3 cubic yard.
- ___ Backhoe/loaders must have air conditioning, strobe lights and number plate bracket.
- ___ Buckets must have OSHA approved Lift hook, three (3) 3000 lb. rated lifting hooks furnished on the top of the front bucket one on each end and one in the middle.
- ___ Each machine must have interior mounted rear view mirror and two exterior side mirrors.
- ___ Each machine must have windshield washer.
- ___ The Contractor shall provide to the Department, a completed Lessor’s certificate a minimum of 3 weeks prior to delivery.
- ___ Backhoe/Loaders must have temporary registrations valid until the Department can get the Backhoe/Loader registered.
- ___ Each machine must come with a valid State of Maine inspection sticker good through the term of the rental.

The Department will provide the following:

- Registration and insurance.
- Daily fuel, oil and grease.

Vehicles Description must be included with the bid package:

SPECIAL PROVISIONS
ADDITIONS AND REVISIONS TO STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS

SPECIAL PROVISION SECTION 101
CONTRACT INTERPRETATION

101.2 Definitions Add the following:

“MaineDOT The Department of Transportation of the State of Maine, as established by 23 MRSA §4205 et seq. for the administration of Highway, Bridge, and other public Works; acting through the Commissioner and his/her duly authorized representatives.”

SPECIAL PROVISION SECTION 102
BIDDING

102.6 Bid Guaranty Delete the entire section 102.6.

102.7.1 Location and Time Delete the entire section and replace with the following:

“The Bidder must Deliver its Bid and Bid Guaranty in a sealed envelope to the exact location and before the precise time (as determined by the Department) specified in the Notice to Contractors or any applicable Bid Amendment. The sealed envelope must be labeled with the Bidder's name, the Work location, Title, and the words “Bid Enclosed”. As a minimum, the Bidder will submit a Bid Package consisting of the Notice to Contractors, the completed Acknowledgement of Bid Amendments form, the completed Schedule of Items, 2 copies of the completed Contract form, and any other Certifications or Bid Requirements listed in the Bid Book. For a related provision, see Section 102.11 - "Bid Responsiveness".

Electronic Bids must be submitted to the appropriate electronic bid system before the precise time (as determined by the Department) specified in the Notice to Contractors or any applicable Bid Amendment.”

102.11.2 Curable Bid Defects Add the following after 102.11.2 E:

“F. If a submitted bid contains any additional conditions or alternate bidding language, the Bidder may cure the defect by removing all conditions and alternate language or the Department will reject the bid as non-responsive.”

102.11.2 Curable Bid Defects Add the following after 102.11.2 F:

“ G. The Bidder fails to submit the completed technical specification sheet checklists and vehicle descriptions or the submitted completed technical specification sheet checklists and vehicle descriptions are incomplete, insufficient or unclear.”

SPECIAL PROVISION SECTION 103
AWARD AND CONTRACTING

103.5 Award Conditions Replace the first paragraph with the following:

“The Apparent Successful Bidder must provide and/or perform all of the items listed in this Section 103.5 within 14 Days of Receipt of the Notice of Intent to Award. Unless indicated otherwise, all items must be Delivered to the Department’s Bureau of Maintenance & Operations.”

103.5.1 Performance and Payment Bonds Delete the entire section 103.5.1.

103.5.4 Execution of Contract By Bidder Delete the entire section and replace with the following:

“The properly completed and signed Contract form provided with the Bid constitutes the Bidder’s offer. Once the Department has received the insurance, and any other pre-award items required, the Department will sign and execute the Contract. The point of Contract execution is when the Contractor receives written notice that the contract has been signed by the Department and executed.”

SPECIAL PROVISION SECTION 104
GENERAL RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

104.3.8A. Federal Wage Rates and Labor Laws Delete the entire section 104.3.8A. Federal Wage Rates do not apply to this work.

104.3.8B State Wage Rates and Labor Laws Delete the entire section 104.3.8B.

SPECIAL PROVISION SECTION 105
GENERAL SCOPE OF WORK

105.2.2 Health and Safety Plan Delete the entire section and replace with the following:

“The Contractor has the authority and responsibility to ensure compliance with all applicable federal, State, and local laws governing safety, health, and sanitation including all applicable laws and regulations of OSHA. The Contactor shall comply with these laws and regulations and ensure compliance by its subcontractors.”

SPECIAL PROVISION SECTION 108
PAYMENT

108.3 Retainage Delete the entire section 108.3.

SPECIAL PROVISION SECTION 109
CHANGES

109.1.2 Substantial Changes to Major Items Delete the entire section.

109.2 Elimination of Items Delete the entire section.