

ATTENTION BIDDERS

COUNTY OF LYCOMING

BIDDING DOCUMENTS FOR

LARGE DIAMETER HDPE SPOOL EXTENSIONS

When bidders are either downloading a bid request from Lycoming County Resource Management Services' website (www.lcrms.com/Business Information/Request for Bids) or receive a current copy from areas other than Lycoming County Resource Management Services' landfill site, bidders are required to contact Lycoming County Resource Management Services and place their company name on the bidders list. This will ensure that each bidder receives any and all addenda that may apply to the current bid package. Failure to receive all current information could result in your company submitting an inaccurate bid, which may be disqualified by the County of Lycoming. When submitting a bid, place the bid form sheet as the top page of the bid package.

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REQUEST FOR BIDS

The County of Lycoming is requesting sealed bids for the purchase and delivery to the Lycoming County Resource Management Services Landfill Site of the following:

LARGE DIAMETER HDPE SPOOL EXTENSIONS

In accordance with the specifications on file with the Chief Clerk, Lycoming County Executive Plaza, Suite 205, 330 Pine Street, Williamsport, PA or Lycoming County Resource Management Services, 447 Alexander Drive, Montgomery, PA.

Bids shall be received by the Controller of the County of Lycoming, at her office, Lycoming County Executive Plaza, Suite 201, 330 Pine Street, Williamsport, PA 17701 until 5:00 P.M., prevailing time on the 26th day of July 2019. Bids will be opened at 10:00 A.M. on the 30th day of July 2019, in the Commissioner's Meeting Room, Lycoming County Executive Plaza. Bids shall be submitted in a sealed envelope clearly marked: Bid for "LARGE DIAMETER HDPE SPOOL EXTENSIONS". All bids shall remain firm price for 60 days after the date of the bid opening.

All questions pertaining to this request for bids shall be directed to Mr. Duane R. Laylon, LCRMS Purchasing Agent, either by E-mail: duane.laylon@lcrms.com (preferred) or by phone at (800) 326-9571. The County reserves the right to accept or reject any part of a bid without accepting the whole thereof or to accept such bid that the County deems to be in the best interest of the County.

All bidders should be aware that the County is an agency subject to the Right to Know Law. Any documents submitted should be considered as subject to potential public disclosure once the bid is awarded. In addition, the County will post information regarding the successful bid on the County website.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF LYCOMING

R. Jack McKernan, Chairman Tony R. Mussare, Vice Chairman Richard Mirabito, Secretary

Attest:

Matthew A. McDermott, Chief Clerk

GENERAL BID SPECIFICATIONS LARGE DIAMETER HDPE SPOOL EXTENSIONS

1. INVITATION FOR BIDS:

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the Controller, Lycoming County Executive Plaza, Suite 201, 330 Pine Street, Williamsport, PA, 17701 until 5:00 P.M. EST, on July 26, 2019, for furnishing and delivery of **LARGE DIAMETER HDPE SPOOL EXTENSIONS.** This service will be delivered with the specifications set forth in these bid specifications and other terms, conditions and instructions to the specifications attached hereto and made a part hereof as though full set forth herein. Equipment & materials shall include all necessary items for efficient operation whether or not specifically mentioned in these specifications.

2. INTENT OF CONTRACT:

Furnish and deliver to the Lycoming County Resource Management Services Landfill Site <u>LARGE</u> <u>DIAMETER HDPE SPOOL EXTENSIONS</u> meeting or exceeding the specifications of this proposal. The Bid price that is listed on the Total Cost Bid Form shall include the cost of the equipment & materials and all transportation charges pre-paid to the site designated by the County. These specifications are not meant to be restrictive in any way, but are intended to assure that all proposals submitted for consideration will cover equipment and/or materials of similar design and capacity. All bidders are encouraged to submit bids for equipment and materials that take exception to specific specifications. If you have exceptions to these specifications, see Paragraph 7, Exceptions, and state them in written form as provided in that paragraph.

3. BASIS OF AWARD:

Award of the contract by the Commissioners of the County of Lycoming will be based upon the lowest total cost submitted on the Bid Form for each Bid Price Schedule. Consideration will also be given to delivery date, analysis and comparison of equipment specification details, and past experience of the County of Lycoming with similar or related equipment, materials and supplies. The County reserves the right to reject any or all bids as authorized by law and to award the contract to other than the lowest bidder when deemed to be in the best interests of the County of Lycoming.

4. BID SECURITY: NOT APPLICABLE

5. DELIVERY TIME:

Each bidder must specify a delivery time, in days, after award of the bid for delivery of the equipment and/or materials to the site designated by the County in these Bid Specifications. THE DELIVERY TIME

SPECIFIED BY THE VENDOR IS A MAJOR CONSIDERATION DURING THE EVALUATION AND AWARD OF PURCHASE CONTRACT. All conditions necessary for Full Payment (see Paragraph 8) of the Vendor's Invoice pursuant to these Bid Specifications must be satisfied within 30-DAYS after the bid is awarded, but if said delivery time frame cannot be met as requested, the final delivery date for all new concrete products to the LCRMS Landfill Site is required to be on or before December 31, 2019. The Successful Bidder is responsible to ensure that the Delivery Slips and the Invoice for the LARGE DIAMETER HDPE SPOOL EXTENSIONS delivered to the LCRMS Landfill Site match. Failure to follow this instruction may result in a delay of final payment of the Supplier's invoice.

6. WARRANTY:

If applicable, all Bidders shall list the standard warranties and any extended warranties and guarantees in writing, and list any extra cost to the County pertaining to said warranties and or guarantees, within this bid. A copy of the warranty shall accompany the Bid.

7. EXCEPTIONS:

When the responding bid may differ from requirements as presented, each variation must be described and reference made to each Paragraph of these bid specifications to which the variation will apply on a separate sheet of paper, which shall be included with the bid and attached to bid form. Also required for each equivalent item being offered in this bid package are product identification sheet and/or catalog cut sheet for comparison purposes.

8. FULL PAYMENT OF VENDOR'S INVOICE:

Full payment of a Vendor's invoice for equipment and materials purchased by the County will be made within 30 days after receipt and acceptance of equipment and materials.

9. PREPARATION OF BIDS AND PROPOSALS:

- 1. Bids shall be made on bid forms provided by the County. Fill in ALL BLANKS and submit SIGNED COPIES. Each bidder shall furnish all information required by the bid documents. The bidder shall sign the bid and print or type its name on the Schedule and each continuation sheet on which it makes an entry. Erasures or other changes must be initialed by the person signing the bid proposal. Bids or proposals signed by an agent shall be accompanied by evidence of that agent's authority.
- 2. Bids by individuals must be signed personally, with bidder's name typed below signature, and witnessed. A complete address and trade name must be provided. Bids by partnerships must include the typed names and business address of all partners and the trade name. The bid must be signed by at least one general partner, whose signature must be witnessed. Bids by corporations must include the typed name of the corporation, the State of incorporation, the principal officer of the corporation, and must be signed by the President or Vice-President (or by an officer or agent duly authorized to bind the corporation to a contract, proof of whose corporate authority shall be attached), attested by the Secretary, Assistant Secretary, or Treasurer of the corporation.
- 3. Time, if stated as a number of days, will be calendar days including Saturdays, Sundays and holidays. If the last day is a Saturday, Sunday or legal Holiday, the date would fall on the next business day.
- 4. Bidders are encouraged to bid on one or all Bid Price Schedules.
- 5. Before placing bid package in the envelope, please make sure total cost bid form sheet is the first sheet of the bid package.

10. MODIFICATION OF BIDS:

Bids may not be modified after submittal. Bidders may withdraw bids at any time up to the scheduled time for receipt of bids. Bidders may resubmit bids, provided that the bid is resubmitted prior to the scheduled time for receipt of bids.

11. NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT: (SEE ATTACHED SHEETS)

- 1. The County requires that a Non-Collusion Affidavit be submitted with all bids pursuant to its authority according to the Pennsylvania Antibid-Rigging Act, 62, PA.C.S.A. Section 4501.
- 2. This Non-Collusion Affidavit must be executed by the member, officer, or employee of the bidder who makes the final decision on prices and the amount quoted in the bid.
- 3. Bid rigging and other efforts to restrain competition, and the making of false sworn statements in connection with the submission of bids are unlawful and may be subject to criminal prosecution. The person who signs the Affidavit should examine it carefully before signing and assure himself or herself that each statement is true and accurate, making diligent inquiry, as necessary, of all other persons employed by or associated with the bidder with responsibilities for the preparation, approval or submission of the bid.
- 4. If a bid is submitted by a joint venture, each party to the venture must be identified in the bid documents, and a Non-Collusion Affidavit must be submitted separately on behalf of each party.
- 5. The term "complementary bid" as used in the Affidavit has meaning commonly associated with that term in the bidding process, and includes the knowing submission of bids higher than the bid of another firm, any intentionally high or non-competitive bid, and any form of bid submitted for the purpose of giving a false appearance of competition.
- 6. Failure to file a Non-Collusion Affidavit in compliance with these instructions will result in disqualification of the bid.

12. BASIS OF BID:

The bidder must submit pricing on Schedule A. The bid must include any Alternates and Unit Cost Items as may be shown on the Bid Form; failure to comply will be cause for rejection for the bid.

13. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY INDEMNIFICATION:

The Contractor agrees to defend, indemnify and save the County, its agents or employees, harmless from liability of any nature or kind, for use of any copyrighted or un-copyrighted composition, secret process, patented or un-patented invention, articles or appliances furnished or used in the performance of the contract for which the contractor is not the patentee, assignee or licensee.

14. PERMITS:

Should any permits be required by any governmental agency or authority for the work, project or service called for in the specification - said permit fees shall be obtained and paid for by the Contractor.

15. BID OPENING:

The following bid opening procedures will be followed:

The time for receiving bids will be declared closed at the advertised time. Bids will be opened publicly and initially reviewed in the following manner:

- 1. The County Controller or his /her designated representative will read aloud the name and address of the bidder(s) and the bid amount(s).
- 2. If the bidder submits bid documents with informalities, errors, or omissions, such as, but not limited to, non-conforming bid security (bond, certified check or cashier's check), non-conforming non-collusion affidavit or samples, or fails to properly execute and seal the said documents the bidder in the County's sole discretion may be given 72 hours from the time of the bid opening in which to provide such information to the County.
- 3. The County has the right to waive any and all informalities.

16. ACCEPTANCE, REJECTION, OR DISQUALIFICATION OF BIDS:

- 1. The County will award contract(s) to the lowest responsible bidder(s), including full consideration of any alternates which may appear on the Bid Form, meeting all terms, conditions, and specifications, whose bid(s) is/are considered to be the most economical and in the County's best interest. The County reserves the right, in its sole and absolute discretion, to accept or reject any and all bids or parts thereof. This action also includes awarding a purchase agreement for all items listed to one vendor.
- 2. A bid which is incomplete, obscure, conditional, or which contains additions not called for, or irregularities of any kind, including alterations or erasures, which are not initialed, may be rejected as non-conforming.
- 3. The County reserves the right to disqualify bids, before or after opening, upon evidence of collusion with intent to defraud or other illegal practices upon the part of the bidder.

17. OTHER:

Any bid to be considered must be in compliance with all State and Federal, State and local laws, ordinances and regulations.

18. ADDENDA RECEIVED CONCERNING CURRENT BID PACKAGE:

If applicable, bidders are required to list all addenda received from Lycoming County Resource Management Services concerning current bid package on Total Cost Bid Form. This action is mandatory, to ensure that each vendor has received all said material and that their company submits a complete and accurate bid.

19. ADDITIONS OR DEDUCTIONS OF PARTS, MATERIALS OR EQUIPMENT IN BID PACKAGE

The County shall have the right, without invalidating the purchase contract, to make additions to or deductions from the parts, materials, supplies and equipment listing covered by these specifications. The quantities of said items are estimated and used for comparison purposes and the actual quantities might be more or less than the number stated. Additions or deductions will be in accordance with the unit price quoted in the bid documents. All additions or deductions will be implemented through a written change order signed by both parties.

19. ADDITIONS OR DEDUCTIONS OF PARTS, MATERIALS OR EQUIPMENT IN BID PACKAGE CONTINUED

The County shall require the Vendor(s), without invalidating the purchase contract, to sell additional or extra parts, materials or equipment at their standard retail pricing during the life of this purchase contract when these items would be required by the County until December 31, 2019. This would be in the event that the abovementioned situation for addition of said items is required by the County of Lycoming. All other departments of the County of Lycoming and/or Facilities would be eligible to use this purchase contract ON AN AS NEEDED BASIS. Each department would have their own contact person and delivery schedule.

When the County would require additional extra parts, materials or equipment that are not listed as part of the bid package and without invalidating the purchase contract, the Vendor(s) would be required to furnish and deliver the new materials to the County, at the Vendor's standard retail price of said items. This situation would also be in effect until December 31, 2019, as listed in the above-mentioned language. All other departments of the County of Lycoming and/or Facilities would be eligible to use this purchase contract ON AN AS NEEDED BASIS. Each department would have their own contact person and delivery schedule.

20. SUBMITTAL OF BID DOCUMENTS:

The following documents are required to be submitted with each bid:

- 1. Bid Form
- 2. Non-Collusion Affidavit
- 3. Product Literature
- 4. Product Warranty Literature
- 5. Safety Data Sheets

21. CONTRACTORS OR MANUFACTURES ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

A bidder shall not include additional terms and conditions within his or her bid. The County reserves the right to reject additional terms and conditions submitted with a bid, and to accept the bid as if said terms and conditions were not included within the bid, at the sole discretion of the County. The County also reserves the right to disqualify any bid, in whole or in part, based on a bid including additional terms and conditions. In the event a contract is awarded to a bidder who included additional terms and conditions within his or her bid, the terms of the County bid package shall control where in conflict with terms submitted within the bid.

22. RIGHT TO KNOW LAW STATEMENT:

All bidders should be aware that the County is an agency subject to the Right to Know Law. Any documents submitted should be considered as subject to potential public disclosure once the bid is awarded. In addition, the County will post information regarding the successful bid on the County website.

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS CONCERNING LARGE DIAMETER HDPE SPOOL EXTENSIONS:

The following specifications will be used during the manufacturing of the Large Diameter HDPE Spool Extensions. All spool extensions shall be HDPE and shall meet the maximum continuing operating pressure of 50 psi based upon PE3408/3608 as per ASTM D3350 and ASTM D-1248. Pump Station 8 shall use the average inside diameter length of 59 inch DR32.5 as manufactured by Sclairpipe or approved equivalent.

Pipe use in fabrication is required to be of solid wall construction. Corrugated and core wall pipe and fittings will not be acceptable. Fabricators: Weholite Pipe and Sclairpipe Pipe - KWH Pipe, 6507 Mississauga Road, Mississauga, Ontario, Canada 1-866-5947473 or approved equivalent. Manufacture HDPE sheet material by either extrusion or compression molded process. Sheet material to be manufactured meeting the following ASTM test results:

PROPERTY	ASTM	TYPICAL
		VALUE
Density	D792	0.95 gm/cc
Tensile Strength	D638	4,000 PSI
Elongation	D638	600%
Flexural Modulus	D747	125,00 PSI
Hardness-Shore D	D2240	69
Melting Point	D1252	257F
Heat Deflection	D648	163F
Temperature@66 PSI		
Coefficient of Linear	D696	1.1x10 in/in/F
Thermal Expansion		
Relative Volumetric	Sand	110
Abrasion	Slurry	

The County reserves the right to reject any and or all Large Diameter HDPE Spool Extensions that are delivered to the LCRMS Landfill Site, which do not meet the above-mentioned product specifications.

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BID PRICE SCHEDULE A: LARGE DIAMETER HDPE SPOOL EXTENSIONS:

ITEM NO.	ITEM DESCRIPTION	UNIT	BID QUANTITY	UNIT PRICE	EXTENDED PRICE
1.	FABRICATED 63 INCH X 48 INCH HDPE SPOOL PIECE WITH 2 INCH THICK FLANGE ON BOTH ENDS. 63 INCH, DR3 SOLID HDPE PIPE. SEE EXHIBIT A, ON PAGE-14 FOR DETAILED DRAWING.	PCS	4	\$	<u> </u>
2.	FABRICATED 63 INCH X 144 INCH HDPE SPOOL PIECE WITH 2 INCH THICK FLANGE ON BOTH ENDS. 63 INCH, DR3 SOLID HDPE PIPE. SEE EXHIBIT B, ON PAGE-15 FOR DETAILED DRAWING.		2	\$	
TOTAL AMOUNT FOR ITEMS 1 & 2 IN BID PRICE SCHEDULE A: \$					
GOVE	RNMENT DISCOUNT:			\$	
	TY OF LYCOMING WOULD PA E SCHEDULE A:	Y THIS A	MOUNT FOR IT	TEM IN BID	\$
DELIVERY TIME PERIOD FOR ITEMS NO1 IN BID PRICE SCHEDULE A:					
DELIV	VERY TIME PERIOD FOR ITEM	S NO2 IN	BID PRICE SC	HEDULE A:	

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BID FORM SIGNATURE PAGE

LIST ADDENDA RECEIVED FOR BID PACKAGE:
NAME OF BIDDER:
ADDRESS:
SIGNED:
PRINT NAME:
TITLE:
PHONE NUMBER:
CELL PHONE NUMBER:
E-MAIL ADDRESS:
DATE BID WAS SUBMITTED BY VENDOR:
DATE BID WAS ACCEPTED BY COUNTY FOR REVIEW:
NAME AND TITLE:

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT

- 1. This Non-Collusion Affidavit is material to any contract awarded pursuant to this bid. According to the Pennsylvania Antibid-Rigging Act, 62 PA.C.S.A. Section 4501, governmental agencies may require Non-Collusion Affidavits to be submitted together with bids.
- 2. This Non-Collusion Affidavit must be executed by the member, officer or employee of the bidder who makes the final decision on prices and the amount quoted in the bid.
- 3. Bid rigging and other efforts to restrain competition, and the making of false sworn statement in connection with the submission of bids are unlawful and may be subject to criminal prosecution. The person who signs the Affidavit should examine it carefully before signing and assure himself or herself that each statement is true and accurate, making diligent inquiry, as necessary, of all other persons employed by or associated with the bidder with responsibilities for the preparation, approval or submission of the bid.
- 4. In the case of a bid submitted by a joint venture, each party to the venture must be identified in the bid documents, and an Affidavit must be submitted separately on behalf of each party.
- 5. The term "complementary bid" as used in the Affidavit has the meaning commonly associated with that term in the bidding process, and includes the knowing submission of bids higher than the bid of another firm, any intentionally high or noncompetitive bid, and any other form of bid submitted for the purpose of giving a false appearance of competition.
- 6. Failure to file an Affidavit in compliance with these instructions will result in disqualification of the bid.

NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT

Bid/Co	ontract/Proposal For:
State of:	
: S.S.	
County of:	
I state that I am	of
(Title)	(Name of Contractor) rit on behalf of my firm, and its owners, directors, and officers. I am
I state that:	
(1) The price(s) and amount of this proposal communication, or agreement with any other	have been arrived at independently and without consultation, r contractor, proposer, or potential proposer.
approximate amount of this proposal, have be	is proposal, and neither the approximate price(s) nor the een disclosed to any other firm or person who is a proposer or osed before proposal opening and/or date of contract award.
	de to induce any firm or person to refrain from proposing on this this proposal, or to submit any intentionally high or mplementary proposal.
	faith and not pursuant to any agreement or discussion with, or mit a complementary or other noncompetitive proposal.
(5)	, its affiliates, subsidiaries, officers and
(Name of Contractor)	
convicted or found liable for any act prohibit	der investigation by any governmental agency and have not been ted by State or Federal law in any jurisdiction, involving conspiracy public contract, within the last three (3) years, except as follows:

NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT (CONTINUED)

I state that	understands and acknowledges that the			
(Name of Contractor) above representations are material and important and will be relied on by the County of Lycoming in awarding the contract(s) for which this proposal is submitted. I understand and my firm understands that any misstatement in this affidavit is and shall be treated as fraudulent concealment from the County of Lycoming of the true facts relating to the submission of proposals for this contract.				
A statement in this affidavit that a person has been convicted or found liable for any act, prohibited by State or Federal law in any jurisdiction, involving conspiracy or collusion with respect to proposing on any public contract within the last three years, does not prohibit the County of Lycoming from accepting a proposal form or awarding a contract to that person, but may be grounds for administrative suspension or debarment in the discretion of the County under its rules and regulations, or may be grounds for consideration on the question of whether the County should decline to award a contract to that person on the basis of a lack of responsibility.				
Name:				
Signature:				
Title:				
Name of Contractor:				
Sworn to and subscribed before me				
this day of 20	_ - -			
Notary Public				
My Commission Expires:				

EXHIBIT A:

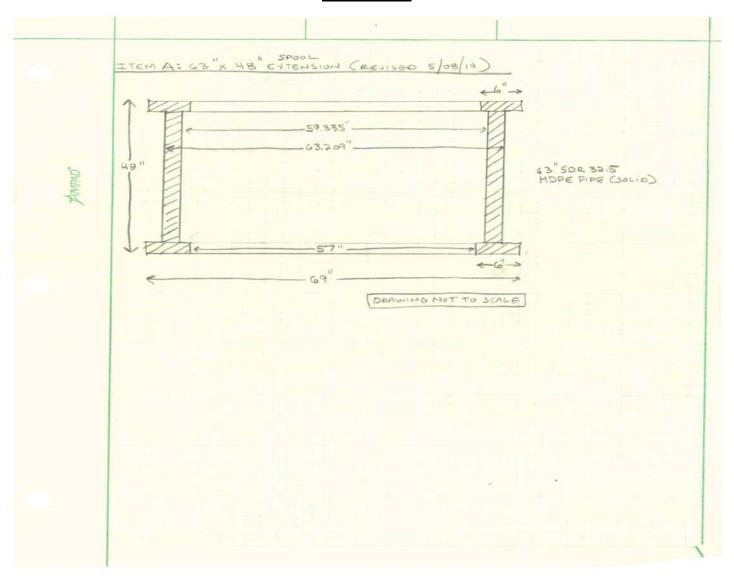


EXHIBIT B: HAS BEEN ATTACHED ON THE FOLLOWING PAGE

