

## PUBLIC NOTICE

### REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

The Warren County Board of Supervisors is seeking **SEALED BIDS** from licensed dealers to provide **(2) 2023 ¾ TON PICK-UP TRUCKS** for use by the Warren County Road Department. Deadline for receipt of proposals is 10:00 a.m. CST on Thursday, April 13, 2023. The Bid File Number is **2023-0206**.

The specification package and instructions for submission of priced technical proposals may be obtained by visiting the website Central Bidding (Central Bidding House) at <https://www.centralauctionhouse.com/> or by contacting Victoria Bell, Purchasing Agent by email, [vbelle@co.warren.ms.us](mailto:vbelle@co.warren.ms.us). Proposals may be submitted via electronic or paper delivery means. Paper Sealed Bid delivery shall be to the Warren County Purchasing Department, 913 Jackson St, Vicksburg MS 39183. Late or incomplete proposals will not be considered. Modifications will not be considered after the closing date and time. For any questions relating to the electronic bidding process, please call Central Bidding at 225-810-4814 or the Warren County Purchasing Dept., 913 Jackson Street, Vicksburg, MS 39183, 601-638-7428. The following criteria shall be used to evaluate priced technical proposals:

1. Compliance with Request for Proposals/Bids submission requirements;
2. Response to Technical Specifications of Trucks required;
3. Demonstrated experience, ability and resources of the vendor to provide Trucks required;
4. Warren County's experience with the bidder or manufacturer, brand or model offered;
5. Warranty, maintenance and support services if applicable;

Companies submitting proposals must be licensed dealers by the Mississippi Department of Revenue. The dealer shall provide the legal documentation for issuance of titles by the Mississippi Department of Revenue Title Division.

Warren County reserves the right to conduct oral or written discussions of the proposals. Bidders may designate those portions of the proposals which contain proprietary data they wish to remain confidential. The item or service procured shall be furnished in accordance with the bidder's proposal and shall meet the requirements of the request for proposals/bids.

A Bid Bond, Cashier's or Certified check payable to Warren County in the amount of \$1,000.00 shall be required in the event that a company's proposal is approved. Bidders submitting proposals that do not result in an award or contract shall have their proposal surety returned to them.

The Warren County Board of Supervisors reserves the right to determine responsible proposing companies, responsive and most advantageous proposal(s), invite bids from multiple bidders, reject any and all proposals or bids and waive minor informalities in the proposal and bid process. Warren County reserves the right to award a contract to the bidder(s) believed most advantageous to Warren County, price and other factors considered.

This notice is published pursuant to an order of the said Board of Supervisors dated the 6th day of February 2023.

Warren County Board of Supervisors  
By: Victoria Bell, Purchasing Agent

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