

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Notice is hereby given that the Rosedale-Bolivar County Port Commission, will receive sealed bids at the Port Commission Office, 317 David Work Drive, Rosedale, MS, 38769, until 10:00 A.M. on the 5th day of March, 2024 for purchase by it of the following described property to-wit:

**BID FILE # _____ - PURCHASE ONE (1) NEW OR USED DECK
BARGE**

**BIDS SHALL BE MAILED OR HAND DELIVERED TO THE
ROSEDALE-BOLIVAR COUNTY PORT COMMISSION, P. O. BOX
460, ROSEDALE, MISSISSIPPI 38769, TO ARRIVE ON OR BEFORE
THE DATE AND TIME SPECIFIED ABOVE.**

Envelopes containing bids must be plainly marked in lower left corner as follows:

NAME OF BIDDER ON FRONT OF ENVELOPE

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The Rosedale-Bolivar County Port Commission reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

**ROBERT MAXWELL, PORT DIRECTOR
ROSEDALE-BOLIVAR COUNTY PORT COMMISSION,
BOLIVAR COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI**

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SPECIFICATIONS FOR NEW OR USED DECK BARGE

- Condition: Bidders are allowed to propose new or used equipment, generally meeting the following specifications.
- Barge Specifications: The barge must meet the following specifications:
1. The barge must be in good serviceable condition, with no leaks or fractures.
 2. Minimum dimensions: 100-feet in length, 24-feet in width, and 5-feet in height.
 3. Maximum dimensions: 150-feet in length, or 40-feet in width, and 11-feet in height.
 4. Single-rake, double-rake, or non-rake.
 5. The barge deck must be capable of supporting light equipment, such as small skid-steer loader and personnel only.
- Delivery: The bidder shall arrange for delivery of the barge to the Port of Rosedale and include this cost in the bid amount.
- Availability: Availability and estimated delivery date. The estimated delivery date shall be used for bid evaluation purposes.
- Bid Submittals: Submit the following information on the barge with the bid:
1. Year built, current location.
 2. Deck dimensions and configuration.
 3. Paint condition.
 4. Interior framing.
 5. Number and arrangement of void compartments and location of bulkheads.
 6. Deck and hull thicknesses.
 7. Photos of the barge including exterior and interior photos.
- Bid Evaluation: The Rosedale-Bolivar County Port Commission will make a determination as to the lowest and best bid, based on the equipment proposed, availability, and other factors in accordance with Mississippi State Law. The Port reserves the right to perform a thorough inspection of the equipment prior to award of the bid. The bidder shall make the equipment available for further inspection prior to award.