**LEGAL NOTICE**

**INSTRUCTIONS TO REFUSE REAR LOADER BIDDERS**

Sealed bids will be received by the Lee County Board of Supervisors (Board) or designee at P. O. Box 1785, 300 West Main Street, Tupelo, Mississippi 38802, until 10 A.M. on Monday December 4th and publicly opened thereafter for the purchase of:

ONE OR MORE REAR LOADING DESIGN 8 CUBIC YARD REFUSE COLLECTION TRUCK (BODY AND CHASSIS).

**Only sealed proposals made on forms furnished by Lee County Board of Supervisors will be considered. Facsimile or other electronic submissions will not be considered. Questions or comments may be directed to the Lee County Chancery Clerk (Bill Benson) at 662-432-2100.**

**It is the intent of the Lee County Board of Supervisors that the specifications obtain a product that will adequately meet the needs of Lee County while promoting the greatest extent of competition possible. Further, it is not the intent of these minimum specifications to eliminate any domestic manufacturer or unnecessarily restrict competition.**

**THE MANUFACTURER SHALL HAVE PRODUCED REAR LOADING REFUSE EQUIPMENT FOR A PERIOD OF AT LEAST 10 CONSECUTIVE YEARS PRIOR TO DATE OF THIS BID’S PUBLICATON. APPROPRIATE MANUFACTURER LITERATURE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH YOUR BID TO SUBSTANTIATE COMPLIANCE WITH SPECIFICATIONS. BIDS WHICH FAIL TO INCLUDE NECESSARY LITERATURE, OR CONTAIN LITERATURE THAT CONTRADICTS BID ASSERTIONS, MAY BE REJECTED.**

The Lee County Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any and all bids. The Board also reserves the right to reject any and all bids based in errors in formula(s).

The Boardreserves the right to waive minor technicalities on bid proposals when it is in the best interest of Lee County. If award is made by the Board, a Purchase Order will be forwarded to the successful bidder. Any action taken by a bidder prior to receipt of the properly executed Contract and/or Purchase Order document by the Lee County Purchasing Officer will be at the bidder’s OWN RISK and the Lee County Board of Supervisors will not be liable for such action.

All submitted bids must be honored for a minimum of 90 days after the bid opening date to allow proper time for the Board to evaluate the proposals, make an award decision, and initiate the Purchase Order process.

Upon delivery and acceptance of the equipment by Lee County, and upon receipt of an invoice, Lee County shall remit payment in full within 45 days.

**\*\*\* REFUSE *REAR LOADER BID IDENTIFICATION INFORMATION MUST BE AS SHOWN BELOW.\*\*\****

**EIGHT ( 8 ) YARD REAR LOADER BID**

LEE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

300 WEST MAIN STREET

PO B0X 1785

TUPELO, MS 38802

 ***ANY BIDS NOT ADDRESSED AS SHOWN ABOVE WILL BE REJECTED***

**Done by Unanimous Vote of the Board of Supervisors of Lee County, Mississippi, this the 6th day of November, 2017.**

**/Phil Morgan/ /Bill Benson/**

**President Clerk**

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