INVITATION TO BID



CITY OF RINGGOLD PURCHASING P.O. BOX 579 150 TENNESSEE STREET RINGGOLD, GA 30736

ITB# 19-005

FOR: Landscape Rake

OPENING DATE: Wednesday, February 27, 2019

TIME: 2:00 P.M. EST

PLACE: Ringgold City Hall

150 Tennessee Street Ringgold, GA 30736

BID SPECIFICATIONS

Bidders shall be prepared to give a complete demonstration of the merits of the machines offered as directed by the purchaser. The machines so demonstrated shall be complete as offered by the bidder for this bid.

Awards will be made to the best responsible bidder as determined by the City of Ringgold. The quality of the articles to be supplied, their conformity with the specifications, their suitability to requirements and delivery terms shall be taken into consideration.

If there are any of these standards in which proposed machine does not meet, please provide the description of lacking standard with the machines design standard.

The proposal for this machine should include:

New and unused Landscape Rake

REQUIRED FEATURES

- Attachment must pick up rocks down to 3/4 in. (19 mm) in size.
- Attachment must break up clumps and clods.
- Side skis must be adjustable to provide depth control.
- Attachment will prepare ground for seed or sod and will aerate soil.
- Minimum working width will be 72".

MOUNTING

- The landscape rake will be easily attached by means of hydraulic couplers and Takeuchi
 TL250 track loader mounting frame.
- Landscape rake will not hinder the standard lift arm actions of the loader.
- The hydraulic supply lines for the landscape rake will be routed though a hose guide location on the loader lift arm.

ATTACHMENT CONTROL

 Activation/deactivation of the landscape rake, and opening/closing the top cover of the landscape rake must be fingertip controlled from the operator seat without requiring operator to remove his/her hands from the loader steering levers.

PROPOSAL

We have examined the specifications and agree to furnish the City of Ringgold with the equipment/services accordingly. Any deviations from the specifications will be marked exception on the bid sheet.

We propose to furnish City of Ringgold with said equipment/service for:

Equipment manufacture and model proposed:

TOTAL BID COST FORMAT

Purchase Price:

Delivery Date: _______

COMPLY TO ALL SPECS: ______YES ______NO

ANY EXCEPTIONS ARE TO BE NOTED: _______

Bids shall be submitted in a sealed opaque envelope and shall be marked on the outside with the name of the submitting company, the words "SEALED BID – Landscape Rake". Any deviation from the requirements set forth for the labeling of the bid envelopes shall result in said bid being returned to the bidder unopened and any such bid shall not be considered.

Sealed bids shall be addressed to the attention of Mark Vaughn and mailed to the City of Ringgold, P.O. Box 579, Ringgold, GA 30736 or hand delivered to Ringgold City Hall at 150 Tennessee Street, Ringgold, Georgia. All bids shall be received on or before the above designated date and time. Any bid received after this date and time shall not be accepted. Bids shall be typed or submitted in ink. Bids will be opened and read publicly. Bids are legal and binding upon the bidder when submitted.

It is understood that this contract, if accepted by the City of Ringgold, is entered into solely for the convenience of the City and in no way precludes the City from obtaining like goods from other suppliers upon prior approval of the City Manager. Such approval shall be made at the sole discretion of the City of Ringgold and shall be conclusive.

The City of Ringgold reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids for any reason, to waive technicalities, and to make an award deemed in its best interest. The City of Ringgold shall have the right to delete a unit item from the bid if necessary or proper in the sole determination of the City of Ringgold.

We certify that our bid meets the minimum requirements as specified in bid documents, this				
day of				
AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE	TITLE			
PRINTED NAME OF SIGNATURE	COMPANY			
ADDRESS	CITY/STATE/ZIP CODE			
TELEPHONE NUMBER	FAX NUMBER			
EMAII ADDDESS.				

Contractor Affidavit under O.C.G.A. §13-10-91(b)(1)

By executing this affidavit, the undersigned contractor verifies its compliance with O.C.G.A. §13-10-91, stating affirmatively that the individual, firm or corporation which is engaged in the physical performance of services on behalf of the City of Dalton, Georgia has registered with, is authorized to use and uses the federal work authorization program commonly known as E-Verify, or any subsequent replacement program, in accordance with the applicable provisions and deadlines established in O.C.G.A. §13-10-91. Furthermore, the undersigned contractor will continue to use the federal work authorization program throughout the contract period and the undersigned contractor will contract for the physical performance of services in satisfaction of such contract only with subcontractors who present an affidavit to the contractor with the information required by O.C.C.A. §13-10-91(b). Contractor hereby attests that its federal work authorization user identification number and date of authorization are as follows:

Federal Work Authorization Use	er Identification Number		
Date of Authorization			
Name of Contractor			
Name of Project			
Name of Public Employer			
I hereby declare under penalty o Executed on,	f perjury that the foregoing is, 201 in	true and correct (city),	(state).
Signature of Authorized Officer	or Agent		
Printed Name and Title of Author	orized Officer or Agent		
SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN I ON THIS THE DAY OF_			
NOTARY PUBLIC			