

Reeths-Puffer Schools
991 W. Giles Rd.
Muskegon, MI 49445
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June 16, 2023

Commercial Passenger Van(s)
Ford Transit, Ram ProMaster, or Equivalent

The Board of Education, Reeths-Puffer Schools, is requesting bids for (1) 8 passenger van and (1) 10 passenger van. Listed below and attached are the minimum specifications and instructions.

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Bids are to be submitted to fully comply with these specifications and instructions and must include all other equipment, to meet the safety requirements, laws, etc. as set forth by the State of Michigan and Federal Motor Vehicle Standards as applicable.
2. Chassis freight from chassis manufacturer will be the responsibility of the chassis dealer. Body freight from the body company to the customer will be the responsibility of the body dealer.
3. All specifications are stated as minimum specifications. Any deviation from the specifications as listed must be submitted in writing.
4. Vehicle must be available for delivery within 60 days of bid opening.
5. Dealer will provide a copy of the parts and service manual for all components of the vehicle.
6. All purchases are exempt from all taxes, including state and federal.
7. The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids, waive any irregularities in bidding and is not bound to accept low bid.
8. Bids shall be binding for a minimum of 30 days from the date of opening.
9. Bids are due in the Education Services Building, 991 W. Giles Rd., Muskegon, MI 49445, on Friday June 30, 2023 at 10:00 A.M. Bids can also be sent to frencht@reeths-puffer.org.
10. The bid MUST be submitted and signed by an authorized company agent.
11. Envelope containing bids is to be clearly marked "(2) Van Bid".

If you should have any questions, please contact us at (231)744-4736.

Tracey French
Director of Finance

SPECIFICATIONS

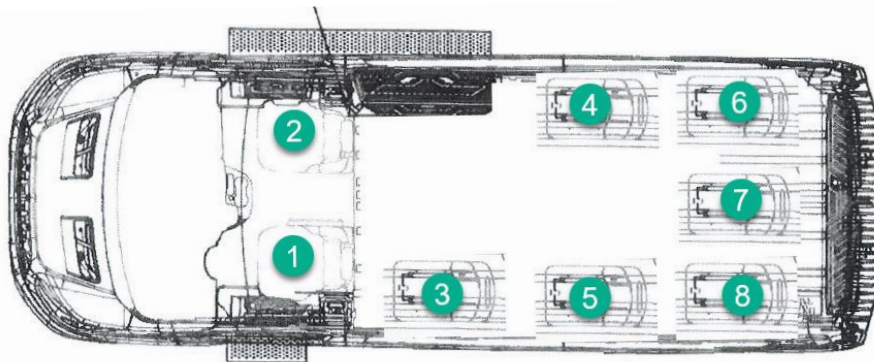
All vehicles shall be the newest model and year at the time of delivery and ready for use. Vehicle/Equipment and furnished accessories shall comply with all United States Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards (FMVSS). The vehicle/equipment and furnished accessories must also comply with any additional requirements for legal use in the State of Michigan.

Vehicle Make and Model: the following vehicle makes and models are desired. Seller may propose an equivalent vehicle make and model.

1. Ford Transit-350 Long Wheelbase Medium Roof Wagon 3.5L V6
2. Ford Transit-350 Long Wheelbase High Roof Wagon 3.5L V6
3. Ram ProMaster-2500 Long Wheelbase High Roof Wagon 3.6L V6

Capacity: (1) 8, including the driver **AND** (1) 10, including the driver

Seating configuration: seller shall provide quotation information based on the below configuration. One (1) driver, one (1) passenger, six (6) in passenger compartment **AND** One (1) driver, one (1) passenger, and (8) passenger compartment.



Also (1) 10 Passenger van as above with (2) additional passenger seats in the compartment.

Prices shall be quoted for two (2) seating options in the passenger compartment:

1. Fixed floor (permanently affixed seats)
2. Tracked floor (allowing for individual seats to be repositioned as desired)

Passenger compartment seats: the six (6) and (8) seats in the passenger compartment shall be quoted with two options:

1. Freedman, or equivalent, one (1) passenger seat with 3PT belt.

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2. Freedman ICS-10, or equivalent, one (1) passenger Integrated Child Seat. Must also include standard 3PT belt for use when integrated child seat is not deployed.

Vehicle Specifications: vehicle specifications shall follow the manufacturer's standard configuration for the vehicle make and model being proposed. Seller shall provide manufacturer options and corresponding cost for each option. The below items are important to the buyer, and may not be included in the manufacturer's standard configuration.

1. White exterior body color.
2. Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) speed control technology.
3. Rust proofing and undercoating for use in MI.
4. Driver and passenger steps. Corrosion resistant or rust proofing material applied to steps (e.g. LINE-X or equivalent).
5. Complete Safety Kit. 5 lb Fire Extinguisher, First Aid Kit, Triangle Reflector Kit, and Flares.
6. Factory window tint.

Quote must include the complete vehicle technical specifications and features.

Warranty: the manufacturer's standard warranty shall be stated in detail. Options for additional warranties or extensions of the manufacturer's standard warranty shall be quoted.

Graphics: purchaser may request graphics work prior to delivery. Seller shall indicate their ability to perform graphics work prior to vehicle delivery. If seller is able to perform graphics work, buyer will provide specific information regarding desired graphics package.

COMPANY NAME: _____

CONTACT PERSON: _____

VEHICLE: _____

SIGNATURE: _____

PRICE: _____