

Reeths-Puffer Schools

991 W. Giles Rd.
Muskegon MI 49445
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March 15, 2022

INVITATION TO BID FOR ONE (1) "FOOD SERVICE TRUCK"

The Board of Education, Reeths-Puffer Schools, is requesting bids on one food service delivery truck. 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 Safety 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. Dealer agrees to arrange for warranty repairs and pay for any costs involved in transportation to a repair facility. A five year 100,000 mile powertrain warranty is required.
5. Vehicle must be available for delivery within ten days of bid opening.
6. Manufacturer shall include with delivery of vehicle, a line sheet that will accurately reflect all components/parts of the truck.
7. Dealer will include with delivery a copy of the parts and service manual for all components of the vehicle, (Truck, Body, Lift Gate, and Generator).
8. Truck and Body purchases are exempt from all taxes, including state and federal.
9. 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.
10. Bids shall be binding for a minimum of 30 days from the date of opening.
11. Bids are due in the Educational Services Building, 991 W. Giles Rd, Muskegon MI 49445, on Friday, March 25, 2022, at 11:00 AM. Bids can also be sent to frencht@reeth-puffer.org.
12. The bid **MUST** be submitted on the **attached form (Reeths-Puffer Schools designed form)**, and signed by an authorized company agent.
13. Envelope containing bid is to be clearly marked "Food Service Truck Bid."

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

Tracey French
Director of Finance

Reeths-Puffer Schools
MINIMUM SPECIFICATIONS FOR
DELIVERY/CARGO TRUCK

COMPANY:_____

CONTACT NUMBER:_____

CONTACT PERSON:_____

SIGNATURE:_____

VEHICLE:_____

PRICE:_____

SPECIFIED VEHICLE

VARIATIONS

Ford White F250

ENGINE, TRANSMISSION, AXLES/SUSPENSION

1. Gas engine
2. Hood tilt assist system for access to engine compartment.
3. Automatic Transmission.
4. Tires shall be standard tread with reinforced sidewalls to resist curb damage.

BRAKES

1. Hydraulic split system three-channel ABS.
2. Parking brake to be lever controlled, mounted within easy reach of driver in normal sitting position.

ELECTRICAL

1. All electrical equipment, lighting and wiring must meet SAE requirements and State and Federal Standards.
2. Alternator shall be minimum 185-amp w/internal regulator, with appropriate wiring harness to supply adequate power at idle.
3. One 12-volt battery, maintenance free with minimum 1300 CCA at zero degrees.
4. L.E.D. Clearance and identification lights, on cab and body shall be recessed.
5. Dome light shall be door and switch activated in the cab.
6. Halogen, heavy-duty long life headlamps. Must meet State and Federal Standards.
7. Electric horn.
8. Turn-signal switch shall be self-canceling with integral hazard lights switch.
9. Full instrumentation package to be directly visible by the driver in a normal seated position.

SAFETY EQUIPMENT

1. Back-up alarm to provide an audible warning when the truck is in reverse ear. To be mounted in back, centered between frame rails or on back of body.
2. Three (3) emergency roadside reflectors meeting FMVSS 125 mounted in driver's compartment.
3. One (1) 2A10BC fire extinguisher securely mounted in driver's compartment.
4. Three (3) 30-minute fuses w/container securely mounted in driver's compartment.
5. One (1) 10-unit first aid kit mounted in driver's compartment.
6. Rear view camera with 7" monitor.
7. Cargo straps.
8. E Track surface mounted.

EXHAUST SYSTEM

Shall be corrosion resistant muffler and exhaust pipe.

FRAME RAILS

Shall be one-piece construction.

FUEL TANK

1. Must meet all State and Federal Standards.
2. Shall have auxiliary fuel port on fuel tank (for auxiliary gasoline powered generator).

DRIVE SHAFT

Shall include guard loops.

SEATING

1. Driver's seat with three-point retractable locking seat belt and shoulder harness.
2. Passenger seat shall include a 3-point retractable locking seat belt and shoulder harness for the outside position and a 2-point retractable locking seat belt for the center position, if applicable.

CAB

1. Heater, defroster, air-conditioning.
2. AM/FM CD player with antenna, and minimum two speakers (one each side).
3. Stationary steering column.

BODY

1. White in color, plain, no moldings.
2. Bumper to be full width, aerodynamic heavy duty.
3. Tow hooks, attached to main frame. Two (2) mounted on front of chassis.
4. Reflectors shall meet State and Federal standards.
5. Two (2) mud flaps attached appropriately, behind both front and rear axles.
6. Complete underbody and chassis rust proofing.
7. Windshield wipers shall be electrical intermittent, wet arm, heavy-duty type. Washer fluid container must meet State and Federal standards.
8. Cab entry and exit to include step and grab handles installed both sides of vehicle. Handles shall have adequate handhold to provide a safe grip. Steps shall have a non-slip/non-skid design to provide for a safe step.

TRUCK BODY

1. Translucent roof with cargo area dome lights.
2. Body must be at dock height for ease in loading and unloading.
3. All lights, reflectors, markings, handles, steps, and fasteners not otherwise specified must meet minimum safety standards and current law.

OPTIONS/OTHER

1. LT256/0R17E OWL All Terrain
2. 4.30 Locking Axle
3. Skid Plates
4. Backglass Defrost
5. Snow Plow Prep Package
6. Trailer Brake Controller
7. Spare Tire & Wheel
8. Trailer Brake Controller
9. Roof Clearance Lights
10. LED Box Lighting
11. Upfitter Switches
12. XL Value Package