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ADDENDUM 1
RFP #19-0041
9 EA. MOWING TRACTORS AND 10' FLEX WING CUTTERS

December 23, 2019

The following is to ensure that vendors have complete information prior to submitting a proposal. Here are some clarifications regarding the proposal for 9 Ea. Mowing Tractors and 10' Flex Wing Cutters.

Questions and/or statements of clarification are in **bold** font, and answers to specific questions are *italicized*.

- 1. On 1. C. you have specified a minimum of 100 HP at PTO. Is 98 PTO HP acceptable?**

Answer: No.

- 2. On 2. A. Transmission I have a transmission offering as described here: Power shuttle with Electro hydraulic shuttle lever which includes 2 ranges and 6 synchronized gears. The tractor does have to stop to shift the 2 ranges. The 6 synchronized gears can be shifted on the fly/go by the operator pushing a de-clutch button on the gear shift handle and making the appropriate gear shift. No use of the foot clutch is required to shift the 6 gears. It is asked for "shifting with the shuttle lever". Shifting is not capable with the forward/reverse shuttle lever, but shifting of the 6 gears can be done without using the foot clutch. Does this meet the specifications you are asking for?**

Answer: Yes

- 3. An alternate machine that I would bid has a 40-gallon fuel tank and a 16x8 transmission not the 12x12. The 16x8 is actually a better transmission but does not have the 12 reverse gears. This transmission features a High/Low shift on the fly system. Is this acceptable?**

Answer: A 16 x 28 Transmission is acceptable.

- 4. On 4. C. you have specified "Hydraulic flow control to be adjustable". I have flow control available on (1) valve only. Do not have it available on all (3) valves.**

Answer: Yes, one valve is acceptable.

- 5. On 7. G. you have specified "Indicator lights and gauges for fuel level, charging system, oil pressure, and coolant". I have available Indicator lights for all (4) functions, but only have a physical analog gauge for the Fuel and Coolant Temperature. No gauge available for charging system and oil pressure. As long as an Indicator Light is available, is that acceptable?**

Answer: Yes.

6. **On 7. J. you have specified “4 ea. LED strobe lights mounted in roof. 2 lights in front and 2 lights rear visible for traffic safety”. Please specify.**

Answer: Strobe light on all four corners of the cab right under top lip for protection 2 forward and 2 rear.

7. **On 7. M. you have specified “Minimum 40-gallon fuel tank”. I have a 38.3-gallon fuel tank. Is this acceptable?**

Answer: Yes.

8. **On 9. A. & B. you have specified “(2) complete sets of repair and parts manuals”. Is the County after a total of (2) sets of each or (2) sets of each for each tractor?**

Answer: Two (2) sets total.

Mowers

1. **On 23. A. you have specified “Constant velocity category 5 splines and telescoping self-adjusting clutch”. Is the county after both the main driveline and the wing drivelines to be category 5 or can the wing driveline be category 4? I can offer it both ways.**

Answer: All splines must be category 5.

2. **On 23. B. & C. you have specified “Operating 80 degrees while engaged. Wing design shall allow for operation of 85 degrees above level and 22 degrees below level”. My Land Pride mower can operate up to 45 degrees above level while engaged.**

Answer: 45 degrees is acceptable.

3. **On 25. A. you have specified “26 x 9 x 14.5 severe ag duty 24 ply tire”. The closest thing Land Pride has available is 25.5 x 8 x 14 new foam filled air craft tire, 20 ply.**

Answer: Tires must be foam filled and 25.5 x 8 x 14 tire is acceptable.

4. **On 26. A. you have specified “Air or spring cushioned”. Will you accept rubber cushioned?**

Answer: Yes, all are acceptable.


Sedgwick County would like to add the following specifications:

1. **Add an additional three (3) Tractors and Cutters to the quantity for a total of nine (9).**
2. **10,000 LBS. weight without ballast.**
3. **96” Wheel Base**
4. **Wheel width set at the maximum width.**
5. **Front weight shall have a bracket and 400 LBS. of suit case weight.**

Due to the fact that this addendum is late in being released we have extended the Sealed Proposal due date to 1:45 p.m. CST, Tuesday, January 7, 2020.

Firms interested in submitting a proposal *must* respond with complete information and **deliver on or before 1:45 p.m. CST, Tuesday January 7, 2020**. Late proposals will not be accepted and will not receive consideration for final award.

“PLEASE ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF THIS ADDENDUM ON THE PROPOSAL RESPONSE PAGE.”

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Britt Rosencutter". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

Britt Rosencutter, Buyer
Purchasing Agent

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