REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP)

Vehicles

DATE ISSUED: July 18, 2023

TYPE OF PROJECT: The Asbury Park Housing Authority (APHA) is seeking

proposals from qualified firm(s)/individual(s) for Vehicles.

CONTACT PERSON: Cynthia Beniquez, Executive Admin. Assistant 732.774.2660. Ex.200

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LAST DAY FOR QUESTIONS: July 24, 2023 @ 2:00 p.m. DEADLINE:

July 27, 2023 @ 10:00 a.m. SUBMISSION

SUBMISSION ADDRESS: Asbury Park Housing Authority

1000 ½ Third Avenue Asbury Park, NJ 07712

Attn. Lou Riccio

Separate sealed or uploaded proposals will be accepted until the date and time noted above. Proposals will be held in confidence and not released in any manner until after contract award.

The responsibility for submitting a response to this RFP at the APHA on or before the stated time and date will be solely and strictly the responsibility of the respondent. The offeror shall wholly absorb all costs incurred in the preparation and presentation of the proposal.

Single copies of the RFP package may be obtained, at no cost by:

- 1. Visiting our website at www.aphanj.org. Select Business tab, then select Requests for Proposals. Select appropriate RFP.
- 2. Copies may also be picked up in person at:

Asbury Park Housing Authority 1000 ½ Third Avenue Asbury Park, NJ 07712

INVITATION FOR BIDS

LEGAL NOTICE

Advertisement for Bid

Project: Vehicles

Sealed bids for Vehicles shall be accepted no later than 10:00am (prevailing time) on July 27, 2023 at the Administration Offices of the Housing Authority, 1000 ½ Third Ave., Asbury Park NJ 07712. Bids may be submitted by either mail, digitally (e.g. PDF or other common read-only format), or in person by the Bidder or their agent. No late bids will be accepted.

All hard-copy bids shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope bearing the name of the bidder and clearly marked "Vehicles".

The information for the Bidders, Form of Bid, and Specifications may be reviewed, obtained and submitted via:

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Telephone the Housing Authority at 732-774-2660 x200 with any questions.

The Authority does not obligate itself to accept the lowest bid and reserves the right to waive any informalities in the bidding process or to accept or reject any or all bids if deemed in the best interest of the Authority. No bid shall be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days subsequent to opening bids without the consent of the Owner.

William F. Snyder Interim Executive Director July 18, 2023

Requirements of the Vendor

The Vendor {Contractor} must be a franchised and/or authorized factory representative, able to furnish the specified vehicle. Dealers or agents submitting a Quote may be required to submit a letter of certification from the manufacturer whose product is proposed, certifying that the dealer or agent is authorized by the manufacturer to supply the vehicle specified. The Authority reserves the right to request such certification and to require that such certification be delivered within five (5) working days from the time it is requested. The Vendor {Contractor} must notify the Authority {Ordering Agency} of any changes in the status of the its franchise.

The vehicles supplied must be standard manufacturer's product line, available to the general public.

A Vendor {Contractor} shall provide a new vehicle only. A used vehicle is not acceptable.

This Bid Solicitation is for the outright purchase of the vehicle only. Leasing of the vehicle or trade-in against the purchase of the vehicle is not permitted.

Any specification or requirement that cannot be confirmed by manufacturer's literature or similar documentation will be confirmed by the Using Agency prior to delivery or final acceptance.

All components of each vehicle supplied under the RFP established shall be identical, for example, alternators, filters, distributors, etc.

The Vendor {Contractor} shall be permitted to use aftermarket installers. The Vendor {Contractor} shall remain solely responsible for the equipment, installation and warranty.

The Vendor {Contractor} is responsible for ensuring aftermarket installer(s)' compliance with all terms and conditions of this Bid Solicitation. The Vendor {Contractor} will assume sole responsibility for any payments due the aftermarket installer(s).

OEM Equipment/Parts: All of the standard and optional equipment/parts provided shall be original equipment manufacturers items when available.

VEHICLE SPECIFICATIONS, PART I – COMMON SPECIFICATIONS

General Information:

The Authority will utilize the manufacturer's option line to order a front license plate bracket, if offered by the vehicle manufacturer as a cost option. If the license plate bracket option is listed as a no charge option by the vehicle manufacturer, it will automatically be included as part of the base vehicle upon ordering.

I M P O R T A N T N O T E: Each vehicle and its components shall be completely assembled, serviced and ready for use when delivered to the Ordering Agency. Unless specified otherwise; any parts, components, equipment, controls, materials, features, performances, capacities, ratings or designs which are standard and/or necessary to form an efficient and complete working vehicle shall be furnished whether specifically required herein or not. The Vendor {Contractor} shall supply any item not specified herein but deemed necessary for the intended use and the item must meet the Industry standards and practices, Federal and New Jersey Safety Standards and Regulations, and SAE and other applicable standards.

This Bid Solicitation permits published options offered by a manufacturer for a trim line and manufacturer's body code bid that is comparable.

*In circumstances, the Authority may permit the purchase of a higher trim line than what was awarded as part of the bid, by using the manufacturers options line.

The Vendor {Contractor} must provide agencies with any delete option, such as manual transmission option, air conditioning delete option or any other delete/deduct option, through the manufacturers published options' price line (discount line); in which case, the bid discount shall be applied to a sum of purchased options' MSRP and the net result shall be deducted from the base vehicle bid. price. It is, however, expected that a purchase of manual transmission or air conditioning delete option will be rare.

Each vehicle shall be delivered with at least 1/2 tank of fuel.

Each vehicle furnished must be protected to -20° F, with a permanent type of anti-freeze.

All accessories shall be supplied and installed by the manufacturer. Aftermarket parts or dealer installation is permitted only if installation is not available from the manufacturer.

<u>Manuals</u>: The Vendor {Contractor} shall supply vehicle operation and maintenance manuals and any other manual that the vehicle manufacturer supplies as a standard manual. The Vendor {Contractor} shall deliver the manuals directly to the Ordering Agency, upon delivery of the first vehicle.

<u>Training</u>: Complete instructions on the operation and maintenance of each vehicle and a demonstration on the operation of the vehicle shall be given by the Vendor {Contractor}, if requested by the Ordering Agency. Training must include operator training with instruction on proper operation and basic preventive maintenance of the vehicle.

Guarantee/Warranty: Advise of guarantee/warranty that can be supplied and term.

The Vendor {Contractor} shall ensure that the manufacturer, whose product is supplied, has a servicing dealer or service location to provide warranty and recall service and/or repair, located within a distance from Asbury Park, NJ, deemed to be reasonable by the Authority. The Vendor {Contractor} may use an aftermarket installer's location to satisfy service requirements, provided this is disclosed in the Quote. Any use of aftermarket installer(s) shall not relieve the Vendor {Contractor} of its obligations under the bid established as a result of this Bid Solicitation. Users of this bid should contact the Vendor {Contractor} in cases where warranty service/repair is to be performed at a place other than the original place of purchase to arrange for a servicing dealer proximate to their location.

The manufacturer's standard warranty must be supplied with each vehicle at the time of delivery and shall be in typed form. The warranty commences with the acceptance of the vehicle at the delivery site and following the final inspection.

The Vendor {Contractor} must provide complete information on warranty coverage.

DELIVERY:

The Vendor {Contractor} must make arrangements for delivery of vehicle(s) within 15 calendar days of Vendor's {Contractor's} receipt of vehicle(s) from the manufacturer. All vehicles must be delivered within 30 calendar days of Vendor's {Contractor's} receipt of vehicle(s) from the manufacturer. If there are extenuating circumstances the Authority may amend this requirement at their discretion to address circumstances which are beyond the Vendor's {Contractor's} control.

The Vendor {Contractor} must supply the following at the time of delivery:

Manufacturer's Certificate of Origin New Vehicle Inspection Sticker

Vehicle Specifications

Lincoln Aviator 2023 – Standard > 1 Vehicle Needed

Minimum Equipment Requirements
Exterior: Any paint color except black
Interior: Any color except black

Powertrains

- 3.0L Twin-Turbocharged V6 Engine with Auto Start-Stop Technology
- All-Wheel Drive
- 10-Speed Automatic Transmission

Packages

- Standard
- Premium Package
- Elements Package

Class IV Trailer Tow package Voice ACT Navigation system

Lincoln Corsair 2023 – Standard > 2 Vehicles Needed

Minimum Equipment Requirements
Exterior: Any paint color except black

Interior: Any color

Powertrains

- 2.0L Turbocharged I-4 Engine with Auto Start-Stop Technology
- All-Wheel Drive
- Eight-Speed Automatic Transmission

Instructions To Bidders

Bidders must include with their bid the following:

- 1. Statement of corporate ownership, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:25-24.2
- 2. Non collusion Affidavit Must be Notarized

BID DOCUMENTS SUBMISSION CHECKLIST

A. FAILURE TO SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS IS A MANDATORY CAUSE FOR THE BID TO BE REJECTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH N.J.S.A. 40A: 11-23.2

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B. SIGNATURE: The undersigned hereby acknowledges and requirements.	I has submitted the above listed
Name of Bidder:	
By Authorized representative:	
Signature:	
Print Name & Title:	
Date:	

40A:11-21. Guarantee to be furnished with bid

ITEM

A person bidding on a contract for the erection, alteration or repair of a public building, structure, facility or other improvement to real property, the total price of which exceeds \$100,000, shall furnish a guarantee as provided for herein. A contracting unit may provide that a person bidding on any other contract, advertised in accordance with law, shall furnish a guarantee as provided for herein. The guarantee shall be payable to the contracting unit so that if the contract is awarded to the bidder, the bidder will enter into a contract therefor and will furnish any performance bond or other security required as a guarantee or indemnification. The guarantee shall be in the amount of 10% of the bid, but not in excess of \$20,000.00, except as otherwise provided herein, and may be given, at the option of the bidder, by certified check, cashier's check or bid bond. In the event that any law or regulation of the United States imposes any condition upon the awarding of a monetary grant to any contracting unit, which condition requires the depositing of a guarantee in an amount other than 10% of the bid or in excess of \$20,000.00 the provisions of this section shall not apply and the requirements of the law or regulation of the United States shall govern.

52:25-24.2. Bidders to supply public agencies; statement of ownership of 10% interest in corporation or partnership

No corporation or partnership shall be awarded any contract nor shall any agreement be entered into for the performance of any work or the furnishing of any materials or supplies, the cost of which is to be paid with or out of any public funds, by the State, or any county, municipality or school district, or any subsidiary or agency of the State, or of any county, municipality or school district, or by any authority, board, or commission which exercises governmental functions, unless prior to the receipt of the bid or accompanying the bid, of said corporation or said partnership, there is submitted a statement setting forth the names and addresses of all stockholders in the corporation or partnership who own 10% or more of its stock, of any class or of all individual partners in the partnership who own a 10% or greater interest therein, as the case may be. If one or more such stockholder or partner is itself a corporation or partnership, the stockholders holding 10% or more of that corporation's stock, or the individual partners owning 10% or greater interest in that partnership, as the case may be, shall also be listed. The disclosure shall be continued until names and addresses of every noncorporate stockholder, and individual partner, exceeding the 10% ownership criteria established in this act, has been listed.

LINKS BELOW FOR THE FOLLOWING ATTACHMENTS:

Attachment B – Bonding Requirements
Attachment C – Executive Order 11246 & MBE/WBE Procurement
Attachment D – Accessibility to Construction Site and Contractor's Files
Attachment E – Interest of Other Parties
Attachment F – New Jersey Wage Law, Federal Labor Standards Provisions & Payroll Forms
Attachment G – Contractor Clearance Requirements
Attachment H – 2 CFR Part 200 Appendix II – Administrative Requirements
Attachment I – Certification Regarding Lobbying
Attachment J – Construction Standards
Attachment K – Section 3 Contracts

NJ Public Works Registration Certificate

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NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT

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OFFER AND ACCEPTANCE PAGE

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services in accordance with	ACCEPTANCE OF OFFER (For Authority Use Only) cepted and now constitutes a Contract with the Asbury Park Housing Authority. The Contractor is now bound to sell the goods, products, or the terms of the Bid Solicitation and the Authority's Terms and Conditions. The Contractor shall not commence any work or provide any der this Contract until the Vendor Contractor complies with all requirements set forth in the Bid Solicitation and receives written notice to
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OWNERSHIP DISCLOSURE FORM

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