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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
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NOTICE OF CONTRACT AWARD
CONTRACT NO. 000000000000027506
October 29, 2007

Name: Hall Manufacturing, Inc.

Attention: Mr. Darren Sanderson

Address: P. O. Drawer 5638
North Little Rock, AR 72119

Your Bid Dated: October 12, 2007

To Furnish: Rotary Mowers, 72" & 84" 3-Point Hitch – IFB 106550

During the Period: October 29, 2007 through October 28, 2008
(2 Possible 1-year Renewals Available)

Hereby is accepted at prices and terms stated, subject to all conditions and requirements of the solicitation, purchase specifications, warranties, performance bond and other stipulations, if any.

The solicitation, your bid or offer and this notice of acceptance constitute the contract.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Caroline S. Hudgins".

Caroline S. Hudgins, CPPB, VCO

Contract Officer

804-786-2725



Commonwealth of Virginia
Department of Transportation
CONTRACT PRINT

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Contract Description: ROTARY MOWER CONTRACT

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Contract ID : 000000000000027506 Contract Begin Date : 10/29/2007
Effective Date : 10/30/2007 Contract End Date : 10/28/2008
Max Amount Per Contract : \$.00 Buyer : Caroline Hudgins
Buyer Phone Nbr : 804/786-2725

Vendor Name : HALL MANUFACTURING INC Vendor ID : 0000003294
Address1 : P O BOX DRAWER 5638 Phone : 501-945-7550
Address2 : Fax : 501-945-0072
Address3 : Vendor Contact : DARREN SANDERSON
Address4 : Vendor Contact Phone : 5019457550
City : NORTH LITTLE ROCK
State : AR Zip Code : 72119

Comments :

THIS CONTRACT IS A RESULT OF RFQ 106550.
MOWERS MUST CONFORM TO SPECIFICATIONS ATTACHED TO BID.
INITIAL CONTRACT PERIOD ONE YEAR (07-08) -WITH 2 POSSIBLE ONE-YEAR RENEWALS 08/09 & 09/10
VENDOR CONTACT - DARREN SANDERSON - 501-945-7550, FAX - 501-945-0072
VDOT CONTRACT ADMINISTRATOR - DON RAINEY - 804-662-9456

Line Nbr	Item Code	Make, Model	Item/ Category Description	UOM	Unit Price	Max Qty	Min Qty
1	0206855400	BUSH-WHACKER MODEL 7210	MOWER, ROTARY, 72 IN., 3 POINT HITCH, HEAVY DUTY MOWER, CENTER MOUNTED	EA	1,495.0000	0.00	0.00
Comments :							
ROTARY MOWER, 72", 3-POINT HITCH MOUNTING							

2	0206855515	BUSH WHACKER 8410	ROTARY, 84 IN., 3-POINT HITCH, MOWER MOWER, CENTER MOUNTED	EA	1,825.0000	0.00	0.00
Comments :							
ROTARY MOWER, 84", 3-POINT HITCH MOUNTING							

3	0201652200	OFFSET	HITCH, OFFSET, UP TO 12 IN. TO THE RIGHT MOWERS, ROTARY, OFFSET MOUNT	EA	404.2500	0.00	0.00

4	0201652120	CHECK CHAINS	CHECK CHAINS, MOWER HEIGHT SETTING, ROTARY MOWERS MOWERS, ROTARY, OFFSET MOUNT	EA	247.0000	0.00	0.00

End of Report

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VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

SPECIFICATIONS

ATTACHMENT A

Rotary Mower - 72" Three-Point Hitch

General: It is the intent of these specifications to purchase a heavy duty rotary mower suitable for mowing highway right of way.

Optional Item: These specifications contain options for purchase at the time units are ordered. Bidder shall quote the additional cost for each option as applicable to the base specification of the mower. A price is required for each option. Bidder must provide the same make and model mower as bid in the base specification except for changes necessary to comply with the option.

	Comply? <u>Yes/No</u>
<u>Hitch:</u>	
Category II three-point hitch.	<u>YES</u>
<u>Driveline:</u>	
Tractor rear power take-off: 1-3/8" splined, 540 RPM.	<u>YES</u>
Drive shaft: Equipped with universal joints having needle bearings.	<u>YES</u>
Driveline size: Not less than category 4 (35N) or equivalent.	<u>YES</u>
Heavy duty adjustable slip clutch or torque limiter.	<u>YES</u>
Drive shaft safety shield.	<u>YES</u>
<u>Gearbox:</u>	
Heavy duty, enclosed gearbox operating in oil using roller type bearings.	<u>YES</u>
Gearbox rating: Not less than 90 horsepower. 190 HP.	<u>YES</u>
Output shaft: Minimum 2" diameter.	<u>YES</u>
<u>Construction:</u>	
Single spindle design.	
Deck surface: Minimum 3/16" (7 gauge) metal with reinforcement.	<u>YES</u>
Side skirts: Minimum 1/4" metal.	<u>YES</u>
Skid shoes: Replaceable, bolt-on type.	<u>YES</u>
<u>Cutting Width and Height:</u>	
Cutting width: Not less than 72".	<u>YES</u>
Cutting height, minimum: Not more than 2".	<u>YES</u>
Cutting height, maximum: Not less than 9".	<u>YES</u>

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Rotary Mower - 72" Three-Point Hitch

Comply?
Yes/No

Blades:

Free-swinging, suction type.

YES

Constructed of heat-treated steel or equivalent quality material.

YES

Blade thickness: Not less than 1/2".

YES

Blade width: Not less than 4"

YES

Accessories:

Front and rear of the mower housing is to be equipped with chain guards, or skirts with grass discharge openings covered by chain guards.

YES

Extra flexible 1/4" aircraft style cable is to be laced through a lower link of the chain guards.

YES

Laminated type caster wheel is to be swivel mounted to the rear of the mower.

YES

Fully skirted mower sides, with extensions if necessary, to cover any discharge openings created by mower setup.

YES

Weight:

Weight as listed is to be for manufacturer's standard model and include chain guards and caster wheel.

YES

Weight: Minimum 975 lbs.

YES

Weight is to be documented by published literature or itemized shipping/pricing information.

YES

Option 1 – Offset Hitch:

Bid incremental cost to provide Category II three-point hitch. designed and constructed so that when connected to tractor the centerline of cut can be adjusted for offset up to 12" to the right of the tractor centerline or be positioned in the center rear of the tractor. The design for shifting is to be so that it can be conveniently done at the mowing site.

YES

Option 2 – Check Chains

Bid incremental cost to provide check chains to maintain mower height setting.

YES

Workmanship:

All workmanship shall be in accordance with good commercial practices.

Welds shall be ground and sanded to insure satisfactory appearance of the completed unit.

YES

Paint:

Powder coated or painted (one coat of rust inhibitive paint prior to being painted a finished coat) with manufacturer's standard color.

YES

Bid Questionnaire:

The attached "Bid Questionnaire" is to be completed and returned with the bid. Failure to do so may result in rejection of the bid.

YES

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Rotary Mower - 72" Three-Point Hitch

Comply?
Yes/No

Advertisement:

No stickers, decals, or plates displaying dealer or distributor name or logo shall be affixed to equipment. Manufacturer's plate with model and serial number is to be on the equipment.

YES

Warranty:

Supplier is to provide a statement of manufacturer's standard warranty of all items supplied.

YES

A minimum of 12 months from in-service date shall be provided.

YES

Delivery:

Equipment is to be delivered to the District Headquarter locations listed in the Request for Quote (RFQ). Unit is to be fully assembled and ready to operate before being accepted by the Department.

YES

Current Model:

Equipment is to be a standard proven model of manufacturer's latest current production and include all standard equipment as advertised with additional optional equipment outlined herein. All components, unless otherwise required by these specifications, shall be the standard or optional equipment specifically advertised and installed by the manufacturer.

YES

Manufacturers of the units supplied must have been in the business of producing operational units for at least five years.

YES

The model furnished must have been in production and in use by customers for at least two years, or be the latest version of a previous model. A list of user references may be required.

YES

Bid Literature:

Descriptive literature, including verification of the gearbox horsepower, will be required to substantiate the details specified in bid.

YES

Manuals and Parts Lists:

Successful bidder shall furnish two sets of manual of instructions and parts lists in print or on CD with each unit.

YES

BID QUESTIONNAIRERotary Mower - 72"

(Complete & Return with Bid)

Make & Model: BUSH-WHACKER MODEL 7210Gearbox Horsepower: 190Gearbox Output Shaft Diameter: 2 1/8"Driveline Size: NOT LESS THAN CAT 4 (35N)Deck Thickness: 7 gaugeSide Skirt Thickness: 1/4" I-BEAM STEELSkid Shoe Length: 18 1/2"

Weight - Please include documentation, and itemize or indicate if included in base weight.

Base Weight: 1130 LBSCategory II Hitch: INCLUDEDFront Chain Guards: INCLUDEDRear Chain Guards: INCLUDEDRear Caster Wheel: INCLUDED

Other: _____

Total Unit Weight: 1130 LBSCompany: HALL MANUFACTURING, INC.Name: DARREN SANDERSONTitle: GOVERNMENTAL SALESTelephone Number: 501-945-7550IFB # 106550 Date: 10-12-2007



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SPECIFICATIONS

Rotary Mower - 84", Three-Point Hitch

General: It is the intent of these specifications to purchase a heavy duty rotary mower suitable for mowing highway right of way.

Optional Item: These specifications contain options for purchase at the time units are ordered. Bidder shall quote the additional cost for each option as applicable to the base specification of the mower. A price is required for each option. Bidder must provide the same make and model mower as bid in the base specification except for changes necessary to comply with the option.

	<u>Comply?</u> <u>Yes/No</u>
<u>Hitch:</u>	
Category II three-point hitch.	<u>YES</u>
<u>Driveline:</u>	
Tractor rear power take-off: 1-3/8" splined, 540 RPM.	<u>YES</u>
Drive shaft: Equipped with universal joints having needle bearings.	<u>YES</u>
Driveline: Not less than category 4 (35N) or equivalent.	<u>YES</u>
Heavy duty adjustable slip clutch or torque limiter.	<u>YES</u>
Drive shaft safety shield.	<u>YES</u>
<u>Gearbox:</u>	
Heavy duty, enclosed, gearbox operating in oil using roller type bearings.	<u>YES</u>
Gearbox rating: Not less than 90 horsepower.	<u>YES</u>
Output shaft: Minimum 2" diameter.	<u>YES</u>
<u>Construction:</u>	
Single spindle design.	<u>YES</u>
Deck surface: Minimum 10 gauge metal with reinforcement.	<u>YES</u>
Side skirts: Minimum 1/4" metal.	<u>YES</u>
Skid shoes are to be replaceable, bolt-on type.	<u>YES</u>
<u>Cutting Width and Height:</u>	
Cutting width: Not less than 84".	<u>YES</u>
Cutting height, minimum: Not more than 2".	<u>YES</u>
Cutting height, maximum: Not less than 9".	<u>YES</u>

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Rotary Mower - 84", Three-Point Hitch

Comply?
Yes/No

Blades:

Free-swinging, suction type.

YES

Constructed of heat-treated steel or equivalent quality material.

YES

Blade thickness: Not less than 1/2".

YES

Blade width: Not less than 4"

YES

Accessories:

Front and rear of the mower housing is to be equipped with chain guards, or skirts with grass discharge openings covered by chain guards.

YES

Extra flexible 1/4" aircraft style cable laced through a lower link of the chain guards.

YES

Laminated type caster wheel swivel mounted to the rear of the mower.

YES

Fully skirted mower sides, with extensions if necessary, to cover any discharge openings created by mower setup.

YES

Weight:

Weight as listed is to be for manufacturer's standard model and include chain guards and caster wheel.

YES

Weight: Minimum 1,200 lbs.

YES

Weight is to be documented by published literature or itemized shipping/pricing information.

YES

Option 1 – Offset Hitch:

Bid incremental cost to provide Category II three-point hitch. designed and constructed so that when connected to tractor the centerline of cut can be adjusted for offset up to 12" to the right of the tractor centerline or be positioned in the center rear of the tractor. The design for shifting is to be so that it can be conveniently done at the mowing site.

YES

Option 2 –Check Chains

Bid incremental cost to provide check chains to maintain mower height setting.

YES

Workmanship:

All workmanship shall be in accordance with good commercial practices.

Welds shall be ground and sanded to insure satisfactory appearance of the completed unit.

YES

Paint:

Powder coated or painted (one coat of rust inhibitive paint prior to being painted a finished coat) with manufacturer's standard color.

YES

Bid Questionnaire:

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Advertisement:

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YES

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YES

The model furnished must have been in production and in use by customers for at least two years, or be the latest version of a previous model. A list of user references may be required.

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Weight - Please include documentation, and itemize or indicate if included in base weight.

Base Weight: 1380 LBSCategory II Hitch: INCLUDEDFront Chain Guards: INCLUDEDRear Chain Guards: INCLUDEDRear Caster Wheel: INCLUDED

Other: _____

Total Unit Weight: 1380 LBSCompany: HALL MANUFACTURING, INC.Name: DARREN SANDERSONTitle: GOVERNMENTAL SALESTelephone Number: 501-945-7550IFB # 106550 Date: 10-12-2007