

BID SHEET

This is Not an Order

**Purchasing Department
and Package Delivery:**
Government Plaza
4th Floor, Room S-408
205 Government St
Mobile, Alabama 36644

**READ TERMS AND CONDITIONS
ON REVERSE SIDE OF THIS PAGE
BEFORE BIDDING**

Please quote the lowest price at which you will furnish the articles listed below

This bid must be received and stamped by the Purchasing office not later than: 10:30 AM, Wednesday, March 04, 2020

We will allow a discount _____% 20 days from date of receipt of goods and correct invoice of completed order.

1. All quotations must be signed with the firm name and by an authorized officer or employee.
2. Verify your bid before submission as it cannot be withdrawn or corrected after being opened. In case of error in extension of prices, the unit price will govern.
3. If you do not bid, return this sheet and state reason. Otherwise, your name may be removed from our mailing list.
4. The right is reserved to **reject** any, or all quotations, or any portions thereof, and to waive technicalities if deemed to be in the interest of the City of **Mobile**.
5. This bid shall not be reassignable except by written approval of the Purchasing Agent of the City of Mobile.
6. State brand and model number of each item. All items bid must be new and latest model unless otherwise specified.
7. If bid results are desired, enclose a self-addressed and stamped envelope with your bid. (All or None bids only)
8. Do not include Federal Excise Tax as exemption certificate will be issued in lieu of same. The City is exempt from the Alabama and City sales taxes.
9. **PRICES ARE TO BE FIRM AND F.O.B. DESTINATION UNLESS OTHERWISE REQUESTED.**
10. **BID WILL BE AWARDED ON ALL OR NONE BASIS UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED.**
11. Bids received after specified time will be returned un-opened.
12. Failure to observe stated instructions and conditions will constitute grounds for rejection of your bid.
13. Furnish literature, specifications, drawings, photographs, etc., as applicable with the items bid.
14. Vendor May be required to obtain City of Mobile Business License as applicable to City of Mobile Municipal Code Section 34-50. For Business License inquiry contact the Revenue Department at (251) 208-7461 or cityofmobile.org/taxes.php.
15. If a bid bond is required in the published specifications, see below:
Each Bid Shall be Accompanied By A Cashier's Check, Certified Check, Bank Draft Or Bid Bond For the Sum Of Five (5) Percent Of The Amount Bid, Made Payable To The City Of Mobile And Certified By A Reputable Banking Institution. All Checks Shall Be Returned Promptly, Except The Check Of The Successful Bidder, Which Shall Be Returned After Fulfilling The Bid.
16. Contracts in excess of \$50,000 require that the successful bidder **make every possible effort** to have at least fifteen (15) percent of the total value of the contract performed by socially and economically disadvantaged individuals.
17. All bids/bid envelopes must have the bid number noted on the front. Bids that arrive unmarked and are opened in error shall be returned to vendor as an unacceptable bid.
18. If successful vendor's principal place of business is out-of-state, vendor may be required to have a Certificate of Authority to do business in the State of Alabama from the Alabama Secretary of State prior to issuance of a Purchase Order. Vendors **are solely responsible for consulting with the Secretary of State to determine whether a Certificate is required.** See www.sos.alabama.gov/BusinessServices/ForeignCorps.aspx. Please note that the time between application for and issuance of a Certificate of Authority may be several weeks.
19. Vendors do not need a City of Mobile Business License or Certificate of Authority from the Alabama Secretary of State to submit a bid, but will need to obtain the Business License and Certificate of Authority, if applicable, prior to issuance of a Purchase Order.

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Specifications for Structural Fire Fighting 14" Pull-On Boots

Globe FootGear Structural Supreme™

NFPA 1971 and NFPA 1992 Certified

Certified to NFPA 1971, *Standard on Protective Ensembles for Structural Firefighting and Proximity Firefighting, Current Edition* for Structural Fire Fighting and NFPA 1992, *Standard on Liquid Splash-Protective Ensembles and Clothing for Hazardous Materials Emergencies, Current Edition*.

_____Comply _____Exception

General Design

14 inch Pull-On athletic footwear (cement construction) boot, black flame-resistant and water-resistant leather, double-stitched leather joining seams, hi-vis yellow and silver reflective trim, leather-trimmed webbing pull straps, padded leather collar, padded leather flex joints in the shaft above vamp and heel, liquid and chemical resistant breathable bootie liner, cut-resistant and thermal protective bootie-shield liner, composite safety toe cap, composite shank, composite penetration-resistant insole barrier, molded shin guard, flame-resistant synthetic rubber molded cup outsole and toe bumper, 3D lasting board, molded composite heel counter, internal heel fit system, and a removable molded footbed as well as an additional insert for use in conjunction with the footbed.

_____Comply _____Exception

Slip Resistance

Boots must exceed the minimum test values for slip resistance (average of left and right foot) as detailed below to provide superior performance in dry, wet, and frosted ice conditions. Boots that do not exceed these minimums in all conditions shall not be acceptable. Bidders must promptly supply a Technical Services Report from a recognized independent testing laboratory upon request showing the boots bid exceed this requirement.

Test Method:	VUSA TT S&C 1-18 Ed.1 Rev. 0 Slip Resistance of Footwear and Floorings Load = 500 N
Dry Clay Quarry Tile:	Forepart > 1.00 Heel > 1.00
Wet Clay Quarry Tile:	Forepart > 0.60 Heel > 0.60
Frosted Ice -7°C Run 1:	Forepart = 0.28 Heel = 0.28
Frosted Ice -7°C Run 4:	Forepart > 0.12 Heel > 0.12

For maximum slip resistance each outsole shall have Siping lines. Siping lines cut into flat areas open up when flexed to provide additional traction on water and ice. The boot shall also include self-cleaning lugs and an omni-direction tread pattern designed for superior performance in all terrains and when working on ladders.

_____Comply _____Exception

Flexibility

Boots must reach the Maximum Flex Angle of 48 degrees without exceeding the critical bending moment with a resulting stiffness index less than 10.0 as detailed below to provide maximum flexibility. Boots that do not meet this requirement shall not be acceptable. Bidders must promptly supply a

Technical Services Report from a recognized independent testing laboratory upon request showing the boots bid meet this requirement.

Test Method: SATRA TM194:2004
Longitudinal stiffness of footwear

_____Comply _____Exception

FireStorm Leather

Boots shall be made from heavy-duty, flame-resistant and water-resistant full-grain cattle hide leather measuring 2.0 – 2.2 mm of thickness for durable tear and puncture resistance. Tumbled full-grain cattle hide leather shall be utilized in collar and flex areas for mobility. The leather shall be chrome tanned to withstand high temperature with minimal shrinkage, re-tanned to impart water resistance and low water absorption, and finished to retain maximum breathability. Leather shall meet or exceed the following physical tests:

Water Penetration	ASTM D2099	15,000 flex minimum
Dynamic Water Absorption	ASTM D2099	15% maximum
Static Water Absorption	ASTM D6015	30% maximum
Slit Tearing Strength	ASTM D2212	30 pound minimum
Moisture Vapor Transmission	ASTM D5052	350 g/meter ² /24 hours minimum
Flame Resistance	NFPA 1971	afterflame no more than 2.0 sec, not melt or drip, no burn through

_____Comply _____Exception

CROSSTECH® Footwear Fabric

A full-height, full sock, bootie liner made from a package of Omaha lining fabric, 300g felt insulation, and CROSSTECH® moisture barrier shall be provided for a liquid resistant and breathable moisture barrier as well as thermal protection as defined by the specified NFPA standards.

_____Comply _____Exception

Athletic Footwear (Cement) Construction Outsole

For optimum flexibility, comfort, and weight reduction, the boot shall include a VIBRAM® Synthetic Rubber Sculpted, Contoured Cup Outsole cemented to the bottom and sides of the upper using a 2-part cross-linking adhesive that forms a bond stronger than the materials it attaches. The outsole must be made from a flame, abrasion, oil, acid, and slip resistant compound engineered for high-traction, cold-weather resistance, and durability. Goodyear welt or direct attach construction methods shall not be acceptable.

_____Comply _____Exception

Bootie-Shield Liner

A protective bootie-shield of KEVLAR® fiber blend stitchbonded non-woven batting weighing 4.0 oz/yd² shall be positioned between the leather shell and the CROSSTECH® moisture barrier bootie to provide abrasion and cut resistance and additional thermal protection. Boots that do not have an additional Flame Resistant (FR) protective bootie-shield between the leather shell and the CROSSTECH® moisture barrier bootie shall not be acceptable.

_____Comply _____Exception

Composite Safety Toe Cap

The safety toe shall consist of a composite material that is lighter than steel, does not transmit heat or cold, and will spring back to shape after impact. Must exceed NFPA standards for safety. Metal toe caps shall not be acceptable.

_____Comply _____Exception

Padded Leather Collar

The padded collar shall have a rolled top edge formed by folding over the leather to help the boots slide against the pants liner and reduce the potential for the pants liner to hang up on the top of the boots as well as to reduce abrasion against the wearer's calf.

_____Comply _____Exception

Composite Penetration Resistant Insole Barrier

Penetration resistance shall be provided by a composite insole to maximize flexibility and insulate from heat or cold transmission. Must exceed NFPA standards for safety. Metal plates shall not be acceptable.

_____Comply _____Exception

3D Composite Lasting Board

Boot uppers shall be lasted to a molded and contoured dual-density lasting board with a built-in flex zone in the forefoot and a torsionally stable heel. Flat fiber board lasting boards shall not be acceptable.

_____Comply _____Exception

Composite Shank

The shank shall consist of a composite material that is lighter than steel, does not transmit heat or cold, and springs back to shape better. Metal shank shall not be acceptable.

_____Comply _____Exception

Molded Heel Counter

Boots shall have a molded heel counter of water-resistant composite material individually molded to fit each size perfectly. Leather or fiber board heel counters shall not be acceptable.

_____Comply _____Exception

Padded Shin Guard

Boots shall include a padded composite shin guard to provide extra protection when working on a ladder. Moisture absorbing natural fiber padding shall not be acceptable.

_____Comply _____Exception

Synthetic Rubber Toe Bumper

Boots shall have a molded Flame Resistant (FR) synthetic rubber toe bumper to provide abrasion resistance when crawling. The toe bumper shall be cemented and 2-needle stitched to the vamp.

_____Comply _____Exception

3M SCOTCHLITE™ Reflective Material

Boots shall have flame-resistant fluorescent yellow and silver 3M SCOTCHLITE™ reflective material sewn to both sides of the shaft for added visibility.

_____Comply _____Exception

Webbing Pull-Straps

Boots shall have NOMEX® webbing pull-straps with leather trim securely attached to the leather uppers by inserting into to collar seam to minimize stitching through the leather.

_____Comply _____Exception

Internal Fit System

Boots shall have an anatomical foam insert that wraps around the top and sides of the heel with an opening to fit and hold the back of the heel securely while cushioning the ankle.

_____Comply _____Exception

3D Molded Footbeds System

Boots shall have a removable urethane foam footbed. The footbeds are contoured to cradle and cushion the bottom of the foot and to provide arch support. The footbeds shall have a moisture-wicking and anti-microbial fabric top layer. A second pair of 3D molded footbeds that are thicker in the forefoot is provided with every pair for a custom fit. This thicker footbed provides a snugger fit.

_____Comply _____Exception

Sizes

Boots must be available in Men's full sizes 5 – 18 and half sizes 5½ – 15½ in Narrow, Medium, Wide, and X-Wide widths. Boots must also be available in a Wide Calf model in the same size range that will provide an additional 3 inches in circumference at the calf to fit those with larger calves. Boots must be available in Women's full sizes 5 – 12 and half sizes 5½ – 11½ in Narrow, Medium, Wide, and X-Wide widths.

_____Comply _____Exception

Resoling Service

The winning vendor shall have resoling services available at their factory as needed.

_____Comply _____Exception

Country of Origin

Boots shall be manufactured in the United States.

_____Comply _____Exception

Third Party Testing and Listing Program

The footwear shall be tested for compliance to NFPA Standard 1971 and 1992 by a recognized independent testing lab which shall certify and list compliance to that standard. Such certification shall be denoted by the independent testing labs mark on the certification label affixed to the boots.

_____Comply _____Exception

Labels

Appropriate warning label(s) shall be permanently affixed to each boot. Additionally, the label(s) shall include the following information.

Compliance to applicable NFPA Standard(s), current edition(s).
Independent Testing Lab mark

Manufacturer's name
Manufacturer's address
Manufacturer's boot identification number
Date of manufacture
Size

_____Comply _____Exception

ISO Certification/Registration

The manufacturer shall be certified and registered to ISO Standard 9001 to assure a satisfactory level of quality.

_____Comply _____Exception

Warranty

The manufacturer shall warrant these boots to be free from defects in materials and workmanship for one year when properly used and cared for.

_____Comply _____Exception

Sizing by Vendor

The vendor shall be available to perform all sizing requirements.

_____Comply _____Exception

***Vendor to provide one (1) set of boots to MFRD for the duration of the contract. Set shall include medium width whole sizes for Men's sizes 8-13 and Women's sizes 6-10. ***

_____Comply _____Exception

PPE Record Keeping

The manufacturer shall make available at no-charge, a password protected data based backed website that allows all brands of PPE assets are being recorded. The website shall have the functionality to allow the manufacturer to import all of the pertinent data into the department's account so that the initial data entry by fire department personnel is eliminated.

The website shall allow for the department to use a barcode scanner, if desired, to scan the Interleaved 2 of 5 barcode found in the gear by going to the Search the Serial Number page in PPE record keeping program, and scanning the asset's barcoded serial number.

_____Comply _____Exception

Exceptions to Specifications

Any and all exceptions to the above specifications must be clearly stated for each heading. Use additional pages for exceptions, if necessary.



PROCUREMENT DEPARTMENT

Potential bidders are responsible to check this site for any **ADDENDUMS** that are issued. It is the responsibility of the **BIDDER** to check for, download, and include with their **BID RESPONSE** any and all **ADDENDUMS** that are issued for a specific **BID** published by the City of Mobile. Failure to download and include **ADDENDUMS** in your **BID RESPONSE** may cause your bid to be rejected.

This is a sealed bid. Any responses faxed or e-mailed will be rejected.

This is a sealed bid. Any response must be submitted in a sealed envelope with the bid number and bid opening date on the outside of the envelope.

Any response that arrives improperly marked or with no bid number and opening date on the outside of the delivery or express package and opened in error will be rejected and not considered.

It is the responsibility of the bidder to insure that their bid response is delivered to and received in the Purchasing Department before the date and time of the bid opening.

Be sure to read the Terms and Conditions. All bids are F.O.B. Destination unless otherwise stated.

Be sure to sign your bid!

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Mobile, AL 36644

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