

# SEALED BID

# CITY OF MOBILE

# BID SHEET

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**Purchasing Department  
and Package Delivery:**

**This is Not an Order**

Mailing Address:  
P. O. Box 1948  
Mobile, Alabama 36633  
(251) 208-7434

**Government Plaza  
4th Floor, Room S-408  
205 Government St.  
Mobile, Alabama 36644**

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

Typed by: \_\_\_\_\_ en Buyer: 002

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

DATE 12/7/2023	BID NO. 5855	DEPARTMENT Municipal Garage	Commodities to be delivered F.O.B. Mobile to: 745 Broad Street
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**This bid must be received and stamped by the Purchasing office not later than:**

**12:01 PM, Friday, December 22, 2023**

QUANTITY	ARTICLES	UNIT	UNIT PRICE		EXTENSION	
			Dollars	Cents	Dollars	Cents
Appx 2-3	<p><b>SPORTS UTILITY VEHICLE</b></p> <p>2024 year or newer model 2WD Sports Utility Vehicle, use with equipment options as below and following <b>MINIMUM</b> specifications:</p> <p>Ford Escape 2WD or Equivalent.</p> <p>Year, Make &amp; Model _____</p> <p>As per the following and attached specifications.</p> <p>Furnish literature and specifications.</p> <p>Vehicle may be on lot or able to be delivered by February 1, 2024.</p> <p>Time to deliver vehicle after receipt of order/award _____</p> <p>Upon award the City will purchase two (2) Ford Escapes or equal.</p> <p>Color to be white.</p> <p>Vehicles to have 4 corner LED strobes.</p> <p>Include Certificate of Title in your bid price.</p> <p>The City reserves the right to inspect any vehicle bid prior to award.</p> <p>All pricing to be delivered pricing FOB Mobile. Vendor shall deliver to City of Mobile Motor Pool. City will not pick up any vehicle, all <b>must</b> be delivered.</p>					
			<b>TOTAL</b>			

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State delivery time within \_\_\_\_\_ days of receipt of P.O.

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Firm Name \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

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

Type or Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

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 changed 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 an exemption certificate will be issued in lieu of same. The City is exempt from the State of 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) 208-7462 or [cityofmobile.org/business-license-overview/](http://cityofmobile.org/business-license-overview/)
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](http://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 may need to obtain the Business License and Certificate of Authority if applicable, prior to issuance of a Purchase Order.
20. Bids and addendums are posted at [www.cityofmobile.org/services/business/bids/](http://www.cityofmobile.org/services/business/bids/). It is the responsibility of the vendor to check the City's bid page for updates and addendums.
21. Vendors must be able to provide the following upon request. Federal W-9 form, proof of registration in the E-Verify program, and Certificate of Authority to do business in Alabama/Registration with the Alabama Secretary of State within 24 hours of request.
22. City of Mobile applies local vendor preference to all purchases: Code of Alabama, 1975, Sections 41-16-50(a) and 41-16-50(d), except federally funded grants.
23. Equal Employment Opportunity. Except as otherwise provided under 41 CFR part 60, all contracts that meet the definition of "federally assisted construction contract" in 41 CFR Part 60-1.3 must include the equal opportunity clause provided under 41 CFR 60-1.4(b), in accordance with Executive Order 11246, "Equal Employment Opportunity" (30 FR 12319, 12935, 3 CFR Part, 1964-1965 Comp., p. 339), as amended by Executive Order 11375, "Amending Executive Order 11246 Relating to Equal Employment Opportunity," and implementing regulations at 41 CFR part 60, "Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs, Equal Employment Opportunity, Department of Labor."
24. Davis-Bacon Act, as amended (40 U.S.C. 3141-3148) will apply when required by Federal program regulations.

## BID CONTINUATION SHEET

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	<p>Page 2 of 3</p> <p>Under <b>NO</b> circumstances will the City nor the vendor allow the vehicle to be picked up by a City of Mobile employee. Vehicle will only be delivered by the vendor to the City of Mobile Motor Pool.</p> <p>If vehicle is picked up by a City employee, there will be a \$1,000.00 deduction from the payment to the vendor of price bid.</p> <p>Business License Required (See Instruction #14).</p> <p>Upon award the City of Mobile will purchase one (1) Sport Utility Vehicle.</p> <p>All vendors will be required to provide verification of enrollment in the E-Verify program. Additional information may be found at <a href="http://immigration.alabama.gov/">http://immigration.alabama.gov/</a></p> <p>If the 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 Secretary of State prior to issuance of a Purchase Order.</p> <p>Vendors are solely responsible for consulting with the Secretary of State to determine whether a Certificate is required. See: <a href="http://www.sos.alabama.gov/BusinessServices/ForeignCorps.aspx">www.sos.alabama.gov/BusinessServices/ForeignCorps.aspx</a>. Please note that the time between application for the issuance of a Certificate of Authority may be several weeks.</p> <p>Upon notification, vendor will have 10 business days to provide the Certificate of Authority and the E-Verify numbers to the Purchasing Department before award can be completed. (Vendors will possibly need to pay the expedite fee to meet this requirement because application is not sufficient. We must have a copy of the certificate with your Company ID number).</p> <p>Vendors do not need a City of Mobile Business License or Certificate of Authority from the Alabama Secretary of State, nor the E-Verify for certification to submit a bid, but will need to obtain the Business License and Certificate of Authority verification and/or provide the E-Verify Certification, if applicable, prior to issuance of a Purchase Order.</p>					
			<b>TOTAL</b>			

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Firm Name \_\_\_\_\_

By \_\_\_\_\_

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<p>Page 3 of 3</p> <p>State of Alabama Local Vendor Preference Law 41-16-50 (a) and (d) will apply to this purchase.</p> <p><b><u>CONE OF SILENCE.</u></b> From the time of advertising, and until the final award by completion of a signed contract or purchase document issued by the City, there is a prohibition on communication by respondents (or anyone on their behalf) with the City staff and elected officials regarding this request for bids, proposals, or qualifications. This does not apply to communications directly with the Procurement Department staff during authorized question periods, or with designated City staff during pre-bid conferences, interviews, requests for clarification, and written contract negotiations. Breaking the established prohibition on communication, if proven, may result in a disqualification of your submittal.</p> <p>If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Purchasing Department at <a href="mailto:purchasing@cityofmobile.org">purchasing@cityofmobile.org</a>.</p> <p>Delivery may be a consideration in the award of this bid.</p> <p><b>CITY WILL AWARD VEHICLES BASED ON PRICING ITEM BASIS.</b></p> <p><b>ITEM BASIS AWARD BASED ON PRICE AND DELIVERY AVAILABILTY.</b></p>						
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**SPECIFICATIONS**

Ford Escape Sport Utility Vehicle or equivalent as per the following MINIMUM specifications:

	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
1. Engine- 2.5 Liter	_____	_____
2. Fuel Type- Gasoline	_____	_____
3. Wheelbase – 105.9” minimum	_____	_____
4. Drive Type- Front Wheel Drive	_____	_____
5. Transmission- Automatic	_____	_____
6. Color- White	_____	_____
7. Dual Air Bags	_____	_____
8. Heat and Air Conditioning- Factory Installed	_____	_____
9. Radio- AM/FM with CD Player/MP# with 6 speakers- Factory Installed	_____	_____
10. Mirrors- Sideview- Integrated blind spot mirror	_____	_____
11. Cruise Control- Factory Installed	_____	_____
12. Tilt Steering- Factory Installed	_____	_____
13. Brakes- Anti Lock Brakes	_____	_____
14. Wheels- No Hub Cabs	_____	_____
15. Keys- Four (4) sets of keys fully functional with electronics finished with each vehicle.	_____	_____
16. Power windows	_____	_____
17. Power Door Locks	_____	_____
18. Floor Mats- All weather floor mats (set of 4).	_____	_____
19. Camera- Rear back up camera	_____	_____
Delivered by February 1, 2024 or earlier	_____	_____



## **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 ensure 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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205 Government St. Room S408  
Mobile, AL 36644**

**(Request First Delivery)**