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REQUEST FOR BID
#13-0045
TANDEM DUMP TRUCKS

ADDENDUM #1

April 25, 2013

The following information is in regard to **RFB 13-0045**.

Under the "Dump Beds" section:

Lines 6 and 7: Do you want the sides to be tapered to the rear? Why not have the sides be the same height as the header at 50"?

Yes. Public Works, does not want the bed the same in front as back.

Line 11: Please clarify what this is describing. The unit will have 8" knee braces from the floor to the vertical sides. Do you also want external vertical side bracings for the sides and tailgate?

Yes. Vertical bracing and tail gate bracing, along with 8" knee bracing

Line 12: In the past you have requested (2) ¼" x 2" flat strap rails, please specific how many and vertical spacing.

1 strap is minimum, being 16" up from bottom of dump body.

Line 14: 2" rear hinge pins is a common industry standard, please verify size. In the past you have listed the tailgate cross-shaft as 1 ½", please verify.

Line 14 is for tail gate hinge pins on ears at top of dump body. 2" hinge pins at Frame is acceptable. We removed tailgate cross shaft specifications due to all complaints about 1-1/4" vs. 1-1/2" shafts. 1-1/4" is the minimum cross shaft size.

Line 17: You have asked for an inside step but do not list any exterior steps or ladders, please verify this description.

Inside step to be in corner 18" off floor. We did not specify outside ladder due to complaints about location of ladder. Public Works uses a portable ladder to climb on dump body.

Under "Switch and Indicator Panel" section:

Can we supply a complete package that has all of these items built into the control module in lieu of separate module with switches?

Yes, this would be acceptable.

Engine

Can I bid 330 HP @ 1150 lb. ft. torque?

No. Need minimum of 345. Anything more than 345 is ok.

Front Axle

Set back axle should not be used for snow plow. I would like to bid set forward.

Prefer setback axle for turning radius.

Front Springs

22K springs are not available; would the county accept 20K springs with auxiliary springs?

Yes

Tires

Front tires should be XZY-3. SDA-HT tires not available. Could XDA-5 be bid?

These are minimum specs, tires bid can be equal to or better than specs written. XZY-3 is better than an XZY-2, then it works. XDA-5 is acceptable.

Cab & Equipment

Are square convex mirrors acceptable?

Yes

I have air horn under the hood. No holes in top of cab.

Air horn acceptable if it is DOT compliant

Accessories

Is Horizontal DPF with chrome vertical pipe & guard ok?

Yes

Vendors are responsible for checking the web site and acknowledging any addendums on the proposal response form.


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