

INVITATION TO BID  
CITY OF EL DORADO SPRINGS, MISSOURI

The City of El Dorado Springs is accepting bids on one (1) 2010 model mid-mount zero turning radius mower. Review the specifications and complete the enclosed bid forms. Return all bids in sealed envelopes marked "2010 Model Mid-Mount Zero Turning Radius Mower". No faxed bids will be accepted. Bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk, City Hall, 135 West Spring Street, El Dorado Springs, Missouri 64744 until 2:00 p.m., March 30, 2010.

Specifications are available and on file at the office of the City Clerk, City Hall, 135 West Spring Street, El Dorado Springs, Missouri.

Bids must be as specified on City bid forms to be considered.

The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive formalities.

NOTE: Overnight delivery services do not always make next day service to El Dorado Springs. If you are sending overnight verify delivery time with overnight service provider.

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City Manager

BID NO. 2010-01SHEET 1 OF 5REQUEST FOR BID OR QUOTATION

Sealed bids, subject to the instructions and General Conditions of bidding listed below and any special conditions set forth herein, will be received at the Office of the City Clerk, City Hall, 135 West Spring Street, El Dorado Springs, Missouri 64744 until 2:00 p.m., March 30, 2010 for furnishing the City of El Dorado Springs the material and/or list of materials, supplies, equipment, or services shown on the attached sheet (s). Proposal shall include all charges for delivery to El Dorado Springs, MO including packing, transportation, etc.

ITEM

## 2010 Model Mid-Mount Zero Turning Radius Mower

The right is reserved to accept and/or reject all or any part of the bid, to waive technicalities, and to accept the offer that the City Manager and/or City Council considers the most advantageous to the City.

For more information contact John Burrus, Building & Grounds Director, at 417-876-4084.

INSTRUCTIONS AND GENERAL CONDITIONS OF BIDDING

1. Bidders must use the bid forms provided for that purpose in submitting bids, must return the quotations and bid sheets comprising this bid, give unit price, extend totals and sign the bid. Use the bid envelope provided or otherwise identify your bid by bid number, articles and date of opening. If you do not care to bid, please return bid sheet (s) and note your reason.
2. Identify the item you will furnish by brand or manufacture's name and catalog numbers. Also furnish specifications, descriptive literature, and warranty information.
3. Whenever products or materials of any particular producer or manufacturer are mentioned in our specifications, such product or material mentioned is intended to be descriptive of type or quality and not restrictive to those mentioned.

4. Do not include Federal Excise Tax or State Sales and Use Taxes in bid prices, as the City is Exempt from them by law. Tax exemption certificate will be furnished if required.
5. The delivery date (s) or when work will start shall be stated in definite terms, as they will be taken into consideration in making the award.
6. Prices must be stated in units of quantity specified, and must be firm. Bids qualified by escalator clauses may not be considered.
7. Partial payment for delivered items or quantities of a bid may be made by the City of El Dorado Springs except in the case of "Lump Sum" bids. In the latter case, only one payment will be made in the amount of the Lump Sum price, with any Cash Discount quoted, after all the materials, supplies, equipment and services have been fully delivered and all work performed to the satisfaction of the Head of the Department to which the items were furnished, and the City Manager.
8. Failure to comply with any of the instructions and general conditions of bidding will disqualify the bidder.
9. The City of El Dorado Springs expressly denies responsibility for or ownership of any item purchased until the same is delivered to the City and is accepted by same.
10. The City purchasing decision will primarily be based on the lowest price for each individual item. A separate bid price should be stated for each unit specified. Bidders may, if desired, also submit a package price on the total of all units if all were purchased from the same dealer.
11. All bids shall contain proof of the country of manufacture or assembly for each item bid. City policy is to give preference in awarding bids to items which are manufactured or assembled in the United States, if the purchase will exceed \$10,000.

**SPECIFICATIONS**

This specification is to set forth the specific requirements for one (1) new 2010 model Mid-Mount Zero Turning Radius Mower.

The Mid-Mount Zero Turning Radius Mowers shall be to the manufacturer's standard. They shall be equipped with the manufacturer's equipment and accessories which are included as standard in the advertised and published literature for the units. No such item of equipment or accessories shall be removed or omitted for the reason that it was not specified in the bid.

If it is necessary to bid alternate equipment or to take exceptions to the specifications as set forth, this must be so stated in your bid. For each item, please place an X in the appropriate space (Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_) to signify whether or not you are in complete compliance with the specification. Failure to follow the format or answer the specification may cause your bid to be disqualified. If you need extra space to describe your product, please feel free to attach extra sheets. When doing this, be sure your description references the appropriate question number.

**Equipment Specifications**  
Complete these pages and return with bid

Equipment Description

New 2010 Model Mid-Mount Zero Turning Radius Mower

<u>Item Description</u>	<u>Comply</u>
1 Motor – 25 hp or larger	Yes___ No___
2 Mower Deck – 54” – 60”	Yes___ No___
3 Fuel Type – Gas	Yes___ No___
4 Fuel Type – Diesel	Yes___ No___
5 Starter & Electrical System – 12 volt	Yes___ No___
6 Transmission – (Hydrostatic) Dual lever speed & direction control	Yes___ No___
7 Brakes – Braking through hydrostatic transmission	Yes___ No___
8 Park Brake	Yes___ No___
9 Operator Presence System	Yes___ No___
10 Hour Meter	Yes___ No___
11 High Back Seat with Arm Rest	Yes___ No___
12 7 Gauge (.177 in.) mower deck or thicker	Yes___ No___
13 Full Pressure Lubrication with Oil Filter	Yes___ No___

Bid Sheet

Year \_\_\_\_\_

Make \_\_\_\_\_

Model \_\_\_\_\_

Price \$\_\_\_\_\_ FOB El Dorado Springs

Delivery \_\_\_\_\_ Estimated delivery date

Warranty: Include warranty documentation and specification sheets with bid

The undersigned hereby offers to furnish and deliver the articles or services as specified at the prices and terms stated and in strict accordance with the specifications, instructions and general conditions of bidding which have been read and understood and all of which are made a part of this order.

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Business-Stamp may be used.

BY \_\_\_\_\_

Authorized Representative must sign by hand.

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Hartzler Equipment  
RR 2 Box 69  
Nevada MO 64772  
417-667-9180  
417-667-8102 fax

Deem's Farm Equipment  
John Deere  
RR 3 Box 69  
Nevada MO 64772  
417-667-5333  
417-667-5362 fax

Lynn Mann  
3510 E Hwy 54  
El Dorado Springs MO 64744  
417-876-3567

Beaty Implement  
60 E Hwy 54  
El Dorado Springs MO 64744  
417-876-5590

Van Wall Equipment  
4072 S 97<sup>th</sup> Rd  
Bolivar MO 65613

BID SUMMARY  
MOWER – MID MOUNT ZERO TURN  
March 14, 2008  
2:00 P.M.

J Beaty Farm Equip.	2008 Dixie Chopper Silver Eagle 27 HP 60" deck	13,598.00
Deems Farm Equip	2008 John Deere 820A 25 HP	15,500.00
	2008 Grasshopper 227MI 27 HP 61" deck	15,900.00
	2008 Grasshopper 27 HP 52" deck	15,500.00
	2008 Scag Wildcat STWC61V 26 HP 61"deck	16,540.00
	2008 Scag TigerCub STC61V 25 HP 61" deck	14,198.00
	2008 Scag TigerCub STC52V-25CV 25 HP 52" deck	13,180.00
Van Wall Equipment	2008 John Deere 737 54" deck	14,804.97