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INVITATION TO BID

BID #10-26 Turf and Grounds Maintenance Chemicals

Tuscaloosa County Park & Recreation Authority (PARA) requests sealed bids to establish a contract for the purchase of fertilizers, pesticides, and related grounds maintenance chemicals for use at PARA-operated grounds and facilities.

Sealed bids will be opened on **Thursday, October 29, 2026, 10:00 a.m. CST** in the Conference Room of Iron & Ember at the Jerry Pate Golf Center, Two Iron Dr, Tuscaloosa, AL 35406 and may not be withdrawn for thirty (30) days after such date & time. Bid packets may be obtained via email at tlopez@tcpara.org.

CONDITION OF INVITATIONS TO BID

1. PREPARATION OF BIDS

Bids will be prepared in accordance with the following:

(a) The enclosed Bidder's Response Form is to be used in submitting your bid.

(b) Bidders shall make all investigations necessary to thoroughly inform themselves regarding plant and facilities for delivery of material and equipment as required by the bid conditions. No plea of ignorance by the bidder of conditions that exist or that may hereafter exist because of failure or omission on the part of the bidder to make the necessary examinations and investigations, or failure to fulfill in every detail the requirements of the contract documents, will be accepted as a basis for varying the requirements of PARA or the compensation to the vendor.

(c) Bidders are advised that all PARA contracts are subject to all legal requirements provided for the Purchasing ordinance and/or State and Federal Statutes.

(d) Bidder will not include federal taxes nor State of Alabama sales, excise, and use taxes in bid prices as PARA is exempt from payment of such taxes.

2. BIDDER/CONTRACTOR QUALIFICATIONS

To be eligible for a contract award, you must be qualified and able to provide the following:

(a) Bidder must be an original manufacturer, or distributor and/or dealer/company authorized by manufacturer to sell their products.

(b) Bidder must be in the business of providing turf fertilizers and chemicals for the past five years.

3. SPECIFICATIONS

grounds products must conform to the item requirements listed on the Bidder's Response Form. The package or pricing unit is included with each item name.

4. SUBMISSION OF BIDS

Bids and changes thereto shall be enclosed in sealed envelopes addressed to Taylor Lopez, PARA, PO Box 2496, Tuscaloosa, AL 35403. The name and address of the bidder, the date and hour of the bid opening and the bid title (Bid 10-26 - Grounds Chemicals) shall be placed on the outside of the envelope. Bids may be mailed or delivered in person. It is the bidders' responsibility to verify bids have been received.

5. LATE BIDS OR MODIFICATIONS

(a) Bids and modifications received after the time set for the bid opening will not be considered.

6. AWARD OF CONTRACT

(a) If two or more bids received are for the same total amount or unit price, quality and service being equal, the contract shall be awarded to a local bidder.

(b) Award shall be made based on the lowest per each item total cost from a responsive, responsible bidder who meets specifications.

(c) A written award of acceptance (Purchase Order) mailed or otherwise furnished to the successful bidder shall result in a binding contract.

8. DELIVERY

Prices quoted must be FOB Tuscaloosa with all transportation charges prepaid. No additional charges or surcharges shall be permitted.

9. CLAIMS

Successful bidder(s) will be responsible for making all claims against carriers for missing or damaged items.

10. LOCAL, STATE, AND FEDERAL COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS

Bidders shall comply with all local, state, and federal directives, orders, and laws as applicable to this bid and subsequent contract(s).

11. COLLUSION

The bidder, by affixing his signature to this proposal, agrees to the following: "Bidder certifies that his bid is made without previous understanding, agreement, or connection with any person, firm, or corporation making a bid for the same items and is in all respects fair, without outside control, collusion, fraud, or otherwise illegal action."

BIDDER'S RESPONSE FORM
BID #10-26 Grounds Chemicals

Quote a unit price for the package or pricing unit shown with each item name. Enter the date through which that price will be honored in MM/DD/YY format. Bidders may quote one or more items.

Item ID	Category	Item Name*	Unit Price	Price Honored Through (MM/DD/YY)
C014	Fertilizers & amendments	33-0-0 50% AMSUL LRG 50 lb bag		
C015	Fertilizers & amendments	Amino Calcium 6-0-0 2.5 gal container		
C016	Fertilizers & amendments	Axiom Fe 21-3-11 50 lb bag		
C017	Fertilizers & amendments	AzoPro Turf 1 gal container		
C018	Fertilizers & amendments	Biophase SBE 2.5 gal jug		
C019	Fertilizers & amendments	BioPhase WC 2-0-3 2.5 gal container		
C020	Fertilizers & amendments	Calcium nitrate Tropicote 50 lb bag		
C021	Fertilizers & amendments	Country Club 12-0-24 40 lb bag		
C022	Fertilizers & amendments	Duraphite Per 1 gal; identify variant offered		
C023	Fertilizers & amendments	Ferromec AC Per 1 gallon		
C024	Fertilizers & amendments	Harrell's Bio-Max Mycorrhizae Pro 1 quart container		
C025	Fertilizers & amendments	Harrell's MAX Long Iron 15-0-0, 6% Fe 2.5 gal container		
C026	Fertilizers & amendments	Prosol 20-20-20 soluble 25 lb bag		

Item ID	Category	Item Name*	Unit Price	Price Honored Through (MM/DD/YY)
C027	Fertilizers & amendments	Regal fertilizer 32-0-12, bagged 50 lb bag		
C028	Fertilizers & amendments	Regal fertilizer 32-0-12, bulk 1 lb bulk		
C029	Fertilizers & amendments	Six Iron 12-0-0 with 3% Mn 2.5 gal container		
C030	Fertilizers & amendments	Southern States 11-52-0 MAP 50 lb bag		
C031	Fertilizers & amendments	SP EcoGreen 4-4-4 Micro 50 lb bag		
C032	Fertilizers & amendments	TransFuse N 30-0-0 2.5 gal container		
C033	Fertilizers & amendments	TranSorb MicroMix 5-0-0 2.5 gal container		
C034	Fertilizers & amendments	Turf Power 55 gal drum		
C035	Fertilizers & amendments	TurfRx Platinum 2.5 gal container		
C036	Growth regulators	Anuew plant growth regulator 1.5 lb bag		
C037	Growth regulators	Trinexapac-ethyl 11.3% (Solace / Podium) 1 gal container		
C038	Seed (related product)	Ryegrass ASP blend 50 lb bag		
C039	Seed (related product)	Ryegrass ASP/HS 50 lb bag		
C040	Soil wetting agents	Excalibur liquid 30 gal drum		
C041	Soil wetting agents	Excalibur liquid Case: 2 x 2.5 gal		
C042	Soil wetting agents	Excalibur liquid 2.5 gal container		

Item ID	Category	Item Name*	Unit Price	Price Honored Through (MM/DD/YY)
C043	Soil wetting agents	Forte soil surfactant 0.5 gal container		
C044	Spray adjuvants	FS Aqualight adjuvant 2.5 gal container		
C045	Spray adjuvants	FS Cropstik adjuvant 1 gal container		
C046	Spray adjuvants	FS Max Supreme adjuvant 2.5 gal container		
C047	Spray adjuvants	SP Foam Marker 1 gal container		
C048	Spray adjuvants	Terminator Defoamer 32 fl oz container		
C049	Turf colorants	Ambient Plus Turf Enhancer 1 gal jug		
C050	Turf colorants	Ambient Plus Turf Enhancer 2.5 gal quote unit		
C051	Turf pesticides	Acelepryn 0.5 gal container		
C052	Turf pesticides	Bensumec 4LF 2.5 gal container		
C053	Turf pesticides	Bullzeye 30 gal drum		
C054	Turf pesticides	Cryder 20 oz (dry wt) container		
C055	Turf pesticides	Daconil Zn 2.5 gal container		
C056	Turf pesticides	Densicor 51 fl oz container		
C057	Turf pesticides	Dimension 2EW 2.5 gal container		
C058	Turf pesticides	Divanem 0.5 gal container		

Item ID	Category	Item Name*	Unit Price	Price Honored Through (MM/DD/YY)
C059	Turf pesticides	Exteris Stressgard 2.5 gal container		
C060	Turf pesticides	Fame C fungicide 2.5 gal container		
C061	Turf pesticides	Fame SC fungicide 64 fl oz container		
C062	Turf pesticides	Fame SC fungicide 16 fl oz container		
C063	Turf pesticides	Glufosinate 280 SL (Axill) 2.5 gal container		
C064	Turf pesticides	Heritage TL 1 gal container		
C065	Turf pesticides	Indemnify 17.1 fl oz bottle		
C066	Turf pesticides	Intensa 1 gal container		
C067	Turf pesticides	Interface Stressgard fungicide 2.5 gal jug		
C068	Turf pesticides	Katana herbicide 5 oz (dry wt) container		
C069	Turf pesticides	Kerb SC herbicide T&O 2.5 gal container		
C070	Turf pesticides	Lexicon Intrinsic fungicide 21 fl oz bottle		
C071	Turf pesticides	Manzate Max T & O Case: 2 x 2.5 gal		
C072	Turf pesticides	Maxtima 2.5 gal jug		
C073	Turf pesticides	Maxtima 26 fl oz bottle		
C074	Turf pesticides	Metricor DF / Sencor 75 10 lb container		

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C075	Turf pesticides	Mirage Stressgard 2.5 gal container		
C076	Turf pesticides	Monument 75WG 30 g (1.06 oz dry wt) container		
C077	Turf pesticides	Navicon 2.5 gal jug		
C078	Turf pesticides	Navicon 37 fl oz bottle		
C079	Turf pesticides	PoaCure SC 16 fl oz container		
C080	Turf pesticides	Prodiamine 4FL (Barricade / Resolute) 1 gal container		
C081	Turf pesticides	Prodiamine 4FL (Barricade / Resolute) 30 gal drum		
C082	Turf pesticides	Prodiamine 4FL (Resolute / Barricade) 2.5 gal container		
C083	Turf pesticides	Quali-Pro Nimitz Pro G (MLP) 40 lb pail		
C084	Turf pesticides	Quali-Pro Oxadiazon SC 2.5 gal container		
C085	Turf pesticides	Resilia 2.72 gal container		
C086	Turf pesticides	Revolver 87 fl oz container		
C087	Turf pesticides	Ronstar Flo 2.5 gal container		
C088	Turf pesticides	Roundup ProMax Per 1 gallon		
C089	Turf pesticides	Segway fungicide (PBI) 39.2 fl oz bottle		
C090	Turf pesticides	Sekola 75DF 5 lb container		

Item ID	Category	Item Name*	Unit Price	Price Honored Through (MM/DD/YY)
C091	Turf pesticides	Serata 35 fl oz container		
C092	Turf pesticides	Signature Xtra Stressgard 5.5 lb container		
C093	Turf pesticides	Simazine 4L 2.5 gal container		
C094	Turf pesticides	Specticle Flo 1 gal container		
C095	Turf pesticides	Stricore 1 gal container		
C096	Turf pesticides	Subdue Maxx 1 gal container		
C097	Turf pesticides	Trefinti 33 fl oz bottle		

* *Suitable equivalents may be provided for listed items. If proposing an equivalent, enclose justification and the applicable product label, safety data sheet or guaranteed analysis, identify the item ID, and describe any differences from the listed product or package.*

Bidder Information

Company Name	
Contact Person	
Email Address	
Telephone Number	
Mailing Address	
Authorized Signature	
Date	