

**Dickinson County Board of Commissioners
Ford Airport (IMT)**

Invitation to Bid

Project Description: Acquire Snow Removal Equipment (Wheel Loader w/ Rotary Plow)
Fed Project #: 3-26-0049-0xx-xx25
Bid Due Date: April 18, 2025
Bid Time: 3:00 PM (EST)
Plans Available: March 20, 2025 AT 5:00 PM (local time)

Sealed bids will be received by the PREIN&NEWHOF on behalf of DICKINSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, at 3355 EVERGREEN DR NE, GRAND RAPIDS, MI 49525, until the bid time listed above, on the bid date, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. **Any bid received after the specified time will not be considered.**

The proposed work includes the following: Wheel Loader with High Speed Rotary Plow and specified appurtenances.

Bidder Qualifications

Bidders shall submit evidence of qualification meeting the requirements of General Contract Provisions 20-02.

There is no Disadvantage Business Enterprise (DBE) participation goal for this project.

A pre-bid meeting for this project will not be held.

Bidders may secure copies of the contract documents by contacting jvanduinen@preinnewhof.com. Bidder assumes sole risk for any project specifications and drawings, electronic or hard copy, obtained other than directly from PREIN&NEWHOF.

A bid bond, certified check, or cashier's check payable to airport sponsor in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the total price shall accompany each bid. This surety shall bind the bidder for a period of ninety (90) days after the notification of award.

If the selected contractor fails to provide the required materials and/or execute the contract within fifteen (15) calendar days after being furnished with the necessary contract and bond forms, the proposal guaranty will be forfeited to the sponsor in accordance with Section 30-08 of the General Provisions.

Each bidder is individually responsible for the careful examination of the site of the proposed work, the proposal, plans, general provisions, technical specifications, contract forms and all requirements of the project. The failure or omission by any bidder to do so shall in no way relieve any bidder from any obligation with respect to its bid.

The DICKINSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS reserves the following rights: to accept or reject any or all bids; and to award the contract to the most responsive and responsible bidder whose bid is determined by the DICKINSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS to be in its best interest.

Every request concerning this project must be addressed to Jon Van Duinen, P.E. at jvanduinen@preinnewhof.com or 616-364-8491. To be given consideration, questions or comments must be received by addressee at least seven (7) days prior to the date fixed for opening of bids. Any supplemental instructions will be in the form of written addenda, which, when issued, will be sent and or posted not later than twenty-four (24) hours prior to the date fixed for the opening of bids. All addenda so issued shall become part of the contract and acknowledged by bidder.