

INVITATION FOR BID

Bid #VRNTL-14-B-06, for

“Purchase of Electric Utility Equipment and Materials”

THE VILLAGE OF RANTOUL, ILLINOIS, will receive separate sealed bids for the purchase of Electric utility equipment and materials that will include the following items: light standards, light fixtures, and light standard foundation anchors.

Bids will be received until closing time of **2:00 P.M.** prevailing time on **April 30, 2014** at the Rantoul Municipal Building, 333 South Tanner Street, Rantoul, Illinois. Any Bid received after the closing time will not be considered and will be returned unopened. Bids submitted by mail should be identified on the outside of the envelope as a bid for:

“Purchase of Electric Utility Equipment and Materials”

“Purchase of aluminum light standards, Bid #VRNTL-14-B-06 Part #1”; and/or

“Purchase of LED light fixtures, Bid #VRNTL-14-B-06 Part #2”; and/or

“Purchase of light standard foundation anchors, Bid #VRNTL-14-B-06 Part #3”; and/or

“Purchase of 10’ light standards, Bid #VRNTL-14-B-06 Part #4”; and/or

“Purchase of HPS light fixtures, Bid #VRNTL-14-B-06 Part #5”;

Bids should be addressed and submitted to the attention of:

Scot Brandon, Comptroller
Village of Rantoul
P.O. Box 38
333 S. Tanner St.
Rantoul, Illinois 61866

Any questions regarding the equipment or material, please contact:

G. Gregory Hazel, P.E., Director of Public Works
200 W Grove Ave
Rantoul, IL 61866
(217) 892-6526

The Invitation for Bid (IFB) is available through the Village of Rantoul web site at <http://www.village.rantoul.il.us/Bids.aspx> or at the Rantoul Municipal Building, 333 South Tanner Street, Rantoul, Illinois.

The contract to be entered into shall be conditioned as provided by law. The Village of Rantoul, Illinois, reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any informalities. No Bid shall be withdrawn after the opening of bids without consent of the Village of Rantoul, Illinois, for a period of sixty (60) days.

VILLAGE OF RANTOUL

Dated: April 10, 2014

By:

Scot Brandon
Comptroller

INFORMATION FOR BIDDERS

The Village of Rantoul is seeking to purchase the following electrical equipment and materials and will receive separate sealed bids for the purchase of twenty-five (25) thirty-five foot (33') aluminum light standards; twenty-five (25) LED (16,400 lumen) cobra-head light fixtures; ten (10) ten foot (10') light standards; ten (10) 150w HPS light fixtures; and forty (40) light standard foundation anchors.

General Requirements

The Village of Rantoul is seeking separate bids from vendors who will furnish, design, fabricate, construct and deliver the specified electrical equipment and materials. This equipment and material consists of the following: Twenty-five (25) thirty-five foot (33') aluminum light standards; twenty-five (25) LED (16,400 lumen) cobra-head light fixtures; ten (10) ten foot (10') light standards; ten (10) 150w HPS light fixtures; and forty (40) light standard foundation anchors.

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"Purchase of 10' light standards, Bid #VRNTL-14-B-06 Part #4"; and/or

"Purchase of HPS light fixtures, Bid #VRNTL-14-B-06 Part #5";

and should be addressed to:

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Project Time Line

Bids will be received until closing time of **2:00 P.M.** prevailing time on **April 30, 2014**, at the Rantoul Municipal Building, 333 South Tanner Street, Rantoul, Illinois.

It is anticipated that the Village of Rantoul Board of Trustees will take formal action on the Bids at its regularly scheduled meeting of May 13, 2014.

The successful Bidder(s) will be notified following this date as to the project award and then can begin to furnish, design, fabricate, construct, and deliver the electrical equipment and materials. Bidder(s) agrees to hold his or her bid open for 60 days after the bid opening date.

Equipment Specifications #VRNTL-14-B-06 Part #1

The aluminum light standard specifications for Village of Rantoul Bid #VRNTL-14-B-06 Part #1 for a vendor to furnish, design, fabricate, construct, and deliver twenty-five (25) light standards as follows:

P&K Model Number RTA8M33AAT12E, or equivalent

33' spun aluminum pole with matching 12' tapered arm

Butt diameter: 8"

Top diameter: 4.5"

Base diameter: 11.25"

Wall thickness: 0.188"

Hand hole: 6" minimum

Outlet with GFI outlet receptacle mounted below arm

Equipment Specifications #VRNTL-14-B-06 Part #2

The LED light fixture specifications for Village of Rantoul Bid #VRNTL-14-B-06 Part #2 for a vendor to furnish, design, fabricate, construct, and deliver twenty-five (25) LED light fixtures as follows:

GE Lighting, Catalog Number ERS20GXEX1572GRAY, or equivalent

Evolve LED Scalable Cobra-head high current

16,400 initial lumens

Gray

Equipment Specifications #VRNTL-14-B-06 Part #3

The light standard foundation anchors for Village of Rantoul Bid #VRNTL-14-B-06 Part #3 for a vendor to furnish, design, fabricate, construct, and deliver forty (40) light standard foundation anchors as follows:

Earth Contact Products Utility, Model Number LPS-663-60-12, or equivalent

Light Pole Foundation – Hot Dipped Galvanized

60" Length

6.63" Foundation Diameter

Carriage Bolt

1" Base Plate Thickness

15.75" x 15.75" Base Plate Dimension

12" Helix Diameter

Equipment Specifications #VRNTL-14-B-06 Part #4

The 10' light standard specifications for Village of Rantoul Bid #VRNTL-14-B-06 Part #4 for a vendor to furnish, design, fabricate, construct, and deliver ten (10) light standards as follows:

Hapco Model Number 88486-003FSP1-T3, or equivalent

10' decorative pedestal pole

4" diameter fluted extruded aluminum tube (0.125" wall)

Cast aluminum octagonal base with door (8" x 9-1/2" opening) and stainless steel screws

Festoon outlet with GFI outlet receptacle

Equipment Specifications #VRNTL-14-B-06 Part #5

The HPS light fixture specifications for Village of Rantoul Bid #VRNTL-14-B-06 Part #5 for a vendor to furnish, design, fabricate, construct, and deliver ten (10) light fixtures as follows:

Cooper Lighting, Model Number UTD15SP233HJS4, or equivalent
UTD Dayform Traditionaire
150W High Pressure Sodium (HPS)
Hi Reactance 120 volt
Type III lighting distribution pattern
Black
Plug-in Starter Receptacle
Factory installed ladder rest
Snap latches for tool-less lamp replacement

Delivery Location of Equipment

The Bidder(s) agrees to furnish, design, fabricate, construct, and deliver twenty-five (25) thirty-three foot (33') aluminum light standards; twenty-five (25) LED (16,400 lumen) cut-off light fixtures; ten (10) ten foot (10') light standards; ten (10) 150w HPS light fixtures; or forty (40) light standard foundation anchors to the Village of Rantoul Public Works Warehouse (Building 729), 621 Cook Street, Rantoul, Illinois 61866.

Additional Information

All Bidders must have a minimum of five (5) years of demonstrated success and experience in furnishing, designing, fabricating, constructing and delivering the specified electrical equipment and materials. Any Bidder may also be invited to submit more detailed information, to make oral presentations, or both. The Village may make reasonable investigation deemed necessary and proper to determine the ability of the vendor to provide the removal of surplus material and provide guaranteed payment. The vendor shall furnish to the Village all information for this purpose that may be reasonably requested. The Village reserves the right to accept or reject any or all Bid proposals, or any part thereof, received from any vendor in connection with the request for Bids for any reason.

Bid Evaluation

Bids will be evaluated, scored, and the award recommendation based on adherence to the equipment specifications, apparent ability to deliver the equipment by said date, and equipment price.

Requesting Agency

This request for Bid is made by the Village of Rantoul, Champaign County, Illinois, having its principal office located in the Municipal Building, 333 S. Tanner Street, Rantoul, Illinois 61866. All inquiries including those for clarification of this request for Bid in connection with the specifications requested under this Bid request shall be made to:

Scot Brandon, Comptroller
Village of Rantoul
P.O. Box 38
333 South Tanner Street
Rantoul, IL 61866
Tel: 217-892-6828
Fax: 217-892-5501

BID FORM

Bid submitted by _____ (hereinafter called the "BIDDER"), organized and existing under the laws of the State of _____, doing business as a _____
(Individual, Partnership or Corporation)

To the Village of Rantoul, Illinois (hereinafter called the "VILLAGE").

Information for Bidders:

In compliance with the Request for Bid, the Bidder hereby offers to furnish, design, construct, fabricate, and deliver twenty-five (25) thirty-three foot (33') aluminum light standards; twenty-five (25) LED (16,400 lumen) cobra-head light fixtures; ten (10) ten foot (10') light standards; ten (10) 150w HPS light fixtures; or forty (40) light standard foundation anchors.

By submission of this Bid, the undersigned certifies, and in the case of a joint Bid, each party thereto certifies as to his or her own organization, that in connection with the bid:

- a. The price in the BID has been arrived at independently, without consultation, communication, or agreement for the purpose of restricting competition, as to any matter relating to such prices with any other BIDDER or with any competitor;
- b. Unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in the BID have not knowingly been disclosed by the BIDDER prior to opening, directly or indirectly to any other BIDDER or to any competitor; and,
- c. No attempt has been made or will be made by the BIDDER to induce any other person or firm to submit or not to submit a BID for the purpose of restricting competition.
- d. He or she is the person in the BIDDER'S organization responsible within that organization for the decision as to the prices being bid and shall also certify that he has not participated, and will not participate, in any action contrary to Paragraph "a" through "c" above.
- e. He or she is not the person in the BIDDER'S organization responsible within that organization for the decision as to the prices being proposed but that he has been authorized to act as agent for the persons responsible for such decision in certifying that such persons have not participated, and will not participate, in any action contrary to Paragraphs "a" through "c", above, and as their agent shall so certify; and shall also certify that he has not participated, and will not participate in action contrary to Paragraphs "a" through "c" above.

BIDDER ACKNOWLEDGES RECEIPT OF THE FOLLOWING ADDENDA:

<u>Addenda No.</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Signature</u>
_____	_____	
_____	_____	
_____	_____	

Note: Failure to acknowledge any Addendum shall be considered sufficient cause for rejection of your bid.

BIDDER offers to furnish and deliver the facilities for the following **sums**. (Sales tax is not applicable. BIDS shall include all other applicable taxes and fees.)

33' Aluminum Light Standards

Bid #VRNTL-14-B-06 Part #1

Bid:

Furnish and deliver twenty-five (25) thirty-three foot (33') aluminum lighting standards as specified, in the lump sum amount of,

_____ Dollars and _____ Cents.
(in writing)

\$ _____
(in figures)

Respectfully submitted:
Vendor Information:
VENDOR/ COMPANY NAME: _____
ADDRESS : _____
<i>(Indicate whether a Corporation, Partnership or Private Enterprise:)</i>
FEIN NUMBER _____
NAME OF REPRESENTATIVE <i>(Please Print):</i> _____
TITLE OF REPRESENTATIVE: _____
SIGNATURE OF REPRESENTATIVE: _____
CONTACT PHONE # _____
EMAIL ADDRESS: _____
FAX # _____
<i>(SEAL - if BID is by a corporation)</i>

Attest _____

Title _____

LED (16,400 lumen) Cobra-head Light Fixtures
Bid #VRNTL-14-B-06 Part #2

Bid:

Furnish and deliver twenty-five (25) LED light fixtures, in the lump sum amount of,

_____ Dollars and _____ Cents.
(in writing)

\$ _____
(in figures)

Respectfully submitted:
Vendor Information:
VENDOR/ COMPANY NAME: _____
ADDRESS : _____ _____
<i>(Indicate whether a Corporation, Partnership or Private Enterprise:)</i>
FEIN NUMBER _____
NAME OF REPRESENTATIVE <i>(Please Print)</i> : _____
TITLE OF REPRESENTATIVE: _____
SIGNATURE OF REPRESENTATIVE: _____
CONTACT PHONE # _____
FAX # _____
<i>(SEAL - if BID is by a corporation)</i>

Attest _____

Title _____

LIGHT STANDARD FOUNDATION ANCHORS

Bid #VRNTL-14-B-06 Part #3

Bid:

Furnish and deliver forty (40) light foundation screw anchors, in the lump sum amount of,

_____ Dollars and _____ Cents.
(in writing)

\$ _____
(in figures)

Respectfully submitted:

Vendor Information:

VENDOR/ COMPANY NAME: _____

ADDRESS : _____

(Indicate whether a Corporation, Partnership or Private Enterprise:)

FEIN NUMBER _____

NAME OF REPRESENTATIVE *(Please Print)*: _____

TITLE OF REPRESENTATIVE: _____

SIGNATURE OF REPRESENTATIVE: _____

CONTACT PHONE # _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

FAX # _____

(SEAL - if BID is by a corporation)

Attest _____

Title _____

10' LIGHT STANDARDS
Bid #VRNTL-14-B-06 Part #4

Bid:

Furnish and deliver ten (10) ten foot (10') light standards, in the lump sum amount of,

_____ Dollars and _____ Cents.
(in writing)

\$ _____
(in figures)

Respectfully submitted:

Vendor Information:

VENDOR/ COMPANY NAME: _____

ADDRESS : _____

(Indicate whether a Corporation, Partnership or Private Enterprise:)

FEIN NUMBER _____

NAME OF REPRESENTATIVE *(Please Print)*: _____

TITLE OF REPRESENTATIVE: _____

SIGNATURE OF REPRESENTATIVE: _____

CONTACT PHONE # _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

FAX # _____

(SEAL - if BID is by a corporation)

Attest _____

Title _____

HPS LIGHT FIXTURES
Bid #VRNTL-14-B-06 Part #5

Bid:

Furnish and deliver ten (10) HPS Light Fixtures, in the lump sum amount of,

_____ Dollars and _____ Cents.
(in writing)

\$ _____
(in figures)

Respectfully submitted:

Vendor Information:

VENDOR/ COMPANY NAME: _____

ADDRESS : _____

(Indicate whether a Corporation, Partnership or Private Enterprise:)

FEIN NUMBER _____

NAME OF REPRESENTATIVE *(Please Print)*: _____

TITLE OF REPRESENTATIVE: _____

SIGNATURE OF REPRESENTATIVE: _____

CONTACT PHONE # _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

FAX # _____

(SEAL - if BID is by a corporation)

Attest _____

Title _____

TO: Rantoul Press
Fax: (217) 893-9451

FROM: Scot Brandon

DATE: April 11, 2014

RE: Legal Ad

Please place the attached ad in your Wednesday, April 16, 2014 publication.

If you have any questions please call me at 892-6828.