



**Request for Proposal  
Aggregate Materials, Concrete, Asphalt, Emulsified  
Asphalt, and Re-Bar  
January 18, 2018**

# City of Fargo Request for Proposal

The Fargo Public Works Department within the City of Fargo is requesting individual proposals for aggregate materials, concrete, asphalt, emulsified asphalt, and re-bar. Sealed proposals will be received by the City of Fargo Auditor's Office at 200 3<sup>rd</sup> Street North, Fargo, ND 58102, for the purpose of evaluating costs and of the said equipment. Upon completion of the evaluation by the selection committee an order may be placed. **Proposals will be received until 2:00 P.M. Central Standard Time Friday, February 9, 2018.**

## **CITY OF FARGO RIGHTS**

The City reserves the right to cancel this RFP in writing or postpone the date and time for submitting proposals at any time prior to the proposal due date. The City by this RFP does not promise to accept the lowest cost or any other proposal and specifically reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, to waive any formal proposal requirements, to investigate the qualifications and experience of any Proposer, to reject any provisions in any proposal, to modify RFP contents, to obtain new proposals, to negotiate the requested services and contract terms with any Proposer, or to proceed to do the work otherwise.

The City hereby notifies all proposers that it will affirmatively insure that in regard to any contract entered into, pursuant to this request, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity and are encouraged to submit proposals in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin in consideration for an award. The City reserves the right to accept or reject any and all proposals that are in the best interest of the City. All questions and inquiries will be addressed to:

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# **Aggregate Materials, Concrete, Asphalt, Emulsified Asphalt Specifications, and Re-Bar**

## **1.0 INTENT**

It is the intent of this specification to provide for the purchase of aggregate materials, concrete, asphalt, emulsified asphalt, and re-bar to be used by the Fargo Public Works Department.

The Fargo Public Works Department has evaluated different types of aggregate materials, concrete, asphalt, emulsified asphalt, and re-bar and has determined that this published specification is best suited for the FPW needs in terms of quality and features. This specification shall not be interpreted as restrictive but rather as a measure of quality and performance against which all other materials will be compared. All materials furnished will meet or exceed City of Fargo Standard Specifications for the Construction of Public Utilities (Rev. 2015) or the NDDOT Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction (Rev. 2014).

It is the intent of this specification that all products identified for purchase may not be awarded to a single submitter. All items and products identified within this RFP will be awarded individually based on lowest price. Product quality, availability, and delivery will be secondary factors in successful awards. FPW also reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or any part thereof, and to waive any minor technicalities. If the material is not available at the time of ordering, FPW will purchase said materials from the next lowest submitter that has availability.

## **2.0 EQUIVALENT PRODUCT**

Proposals will be accepted for consideration on any manufacturer that is equal or superior to the materials specified. Decisions of equivalency will be at the sole interpretation of the FPW. A specification sheet of each product is to be submitted with proposal.

## **3.0 INTERPRETATIONS**

In order to be fair to all proposers, no oral interpretations will be given to any proposer, as to the meaning of the specification documents or any part thereof. Every request for such a consideration shall be made in writing. Based on such inquiry, the FPW may choose to issue an Addendum in accordance with local state laws.

## **4.0 GENERAL**

The specification herein states the minimum requirements of the FPW. All proposals must be regular in every respect. Unauthorized conditions, limitations, or provisions shall be cause for rejection. The FPW will consider as irregular or non-responsive any and all proposals that are not prepared and submitted in accordance with the proposal document and specification, or any proposal lacking sufficient technical literature to enable the FPW to make a reasonable determination of compliance to the specification. It shall be the proposer's responsibility to carefully examine each item of the specification. All variances, exceptions and/or deviations shall be fully described in the appropriate section. Deceit in responding to the specification will be cause for rejection.

**Aggregate Materials**

Material Description	Unit of Measure(U/M)	Unit Price Picked Up	Unit Price Delivered
Topsoil*			
Exceptions, Deviations, Minimum Orders:			

\* Topsoil shall be fertile loamy material having a pH between 5.5 and 6.5 that is screened so as to be completely free from rhizomes, roots, vegetation, stones, clods, noxious weeds, seeds, roots and/or other debris.

Material Description	Unit of Measure(U/M)	Unit Price Picked Up	Unit Price Delivered
Class 5 Gravel*			
Exceptions, Deviations, Minimum Orders:			

\* Specifications to follow NDDOT Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction and City of Fargo Standard Specifications for Construction.

Material Description	Unit of Measure(U/M)	Unit Price Picked Up	Unit Price Delivered
Crushed/Recycled Concrete			
Exceptions, Deviations, Minimum Orders:			

Material Description	Unit of Measure(U/M)	Unit Price Picked Up	Unit Price Delivered
FA2 Crushed Granite			
Exceptions, Deviations, Minimum Orders:			

Material Description	Unit of Measure(U/M)	Unit Price Picked Up	Unit Price Delivered
FA2.5 Crushed Granite			
Exceptions, Deviations, Minimum Orders:			

**Asphalt and Emulsified Asphalt**

Material Description	Unit of Measure(U/M)	Unit Price Picked Up	Unit Price Delivered
NDDOT FAA 43 Hot Mix Asphalt*			
Exceptions, Deviations, Minimum Orders:			

\* Specifications to follow NDDOT Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction and City of Fargo Standard Specifications for Construction.

Material Description	Unit of Measure(U/M)	Unit Price Picked Up	Unit Price Delivered
NDDOT Class 27 Hot Mix Asphalt*			
Exceptions, Deviations, Minimum Orders:			

\* Specifications to follow NDDOT Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction and City of Fargo Standard Specifications for Construction.

Material Description	Unit of Measure(U/M)	Unit Price Picked Up	Unit Price Delivered
3/8" Minus Hot Mix Asphalt*			
Exceptions, Deviations, Minimum Orders:			

\* Specifications to follow NDDOT Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction and City of Fargo Standard Specifications for Construction.

Material Description	Unit of Measure(U/M)	Unit Price Picked Up	Unit Price Delivered
<b>3/8” Minus Cold Mix Asphalt*</b>			
Exceptions, Deviations, Minimum Orders:			

\* Specifications to follow NDDOT Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction and City of Fargo Standard Specifications for Construction.

Material Description	Unit of Measure(U/M)	Unit Price Picked Up	Unit Price Delivered
<b>CRS-2 Emulsified Asphalt*</b>			
Exceptions, Deviations, Minimum Orders:			

\* Specifications to follow NDDOT Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction and City of Fargo Standard Specifications for Construction.

Material Description	Unit of Measure(U/M)	Unit Price Picked Up	Unit Price Delivered
<b>CSS-1h Emulsified Asphalt*</b>			
Exceptions, Deviations, Minimum Orders:			

\* Specifications to follow NDDOT Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction and City of Fargo Standard Specifications for Construction.

**Concrete and Concrete Materials**

Material Description	Unit of Measure(U/M)	Unit Price Picked Up	Unit Price Delivered
<b>4000 PSI Concrete*</b>			
Exceptions, Deviations, Minimum Orders:			

\* Specifications to follow NDDOT Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction and City of Fargo Standard Specifications for Construction.

Material Description	Unit of Measure(U/M)	Unit Price Picked Up	Unit Price Delivered
<b>5000 PSI Concrete*</b>			
Exceptions, Deviations, Minimum Orders:			

\* Specifications to follow NDDOT Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction and City of Fargo Standard Specifications for Construction.

Material Description	Unit of Measure(U/M)	Unit Price Picked Up	Unit Price Delivered
<b>Fast-Track Concrete*</b>			
Exceptions, Deviations, Minimum Orders:			

\* Specifications to follow NDDOT Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction and City of Fargo Standard Specifications for Construction.

Material Description	Unit of Measure(U/M)	Unit Price Picked Up	Unit Price Delivered
<b>Controlled Density Fill Concrete (CDF)*</b>			
Exceptions, Deviations, Minimum Orders:			

\* Specifications to follow NDDOT Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction and City of Fargo Standard Specifications for Construction.

Material Description	Unit of Measure(U/M)	Unit Price Picked Up	Unit Price Delivered
<b>Epoxy Coated ½” Re-Bar*</b>			
Exceptions, Deviations, Minimum Orders:			

\* Specifications to follow NDDOT Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction and City of Fargo Standard Specifications for Construction.

**Date** \_\_\_\_\_

Company \_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Title)