

NOTICE OF INTENT TO MAKE A NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASE

02/25/2020

City of Fargo intends to make a purchase for which we believe there is no competition. The purpose of this notice is to determine if other sources are available and whether the procurement method is appropriate. An interested party who provides an alternative to the commodity or service is invited to submit a written response to the contact listed below by the response deadline.

Purchasing Agency: City of Fargo – Fargo Police Department

Purchase Description: NIJ Level IV Armored Caterpillar Multi-Terrain Loader The Caterpillar 297D has a cab with A/C as well as a high flow, two-speed, self level, dual level suspension undercarriage, advanced machine information and control system. The subject ROOK comes equipped with an electro/hydraulic implement control, RH; electro/hydraulic hydrostatic transmission control LH; hand and foot throttle, 12 volt electrical system, 90 ampere alternator, gauges, operator warning system indicators, a vinyl seat with an ergonomically contoured armrest and a control interlock system. In addition, the machine carries a Cat C3.8 DIT Turbo, Tier IV compliant diesel engine that has 106 net HP @ 2500 RPM, SOS Sampling valves, Engine Oil and Hydraulic Oil, Tilt up Radiator/Hydraulic Oil Cooler, Lockable Engine Enclosure, 4 Machine Tie Down Points. The ROOK comes with ballistic resistant glass and is SCBA compatible for Hazardous Material and WMD response.

The Hydraulic breaching Ram A Hydraulic Breaching Device with 6500psi is fitted with four low-light video cameras attached to its face that allows for a 360 Degrees field of view and one infrared camera for frontal view. Tactical Non-Lethal Chemical Agent Delivery System

Grapple Claw The Grapple Claw is an attachment that has over 4,000 pounds of lift capacity for debris removal and site preparation.

Vehicle Extraction An attachment used for vehicle removal and recovery

Armored Personnel Platform One can raise the attachment (with or without personnel) to heights that allows for second story entries/rescue operations or fortified positions. The platform also has video monitoring, self-contained lighting and shooting ports.

Trailer 12 ton Trailer with goose neck, 25' flat deck 5' dove tail, and electric brakes

Standard Electronics 1 – Infrared Camera's, 8-IP Low Light Camera's, NVR, WIFI, and Transmitted Capability Wireless remote control of the loader with video feed to the operator, 1000 ft line of site control.

Warranty 36 Months Warranty on the Machine and 12 Months Warranty on the cameras and electronic installations.

Procurement Method: Non-competitive

The City of Fargo intends to make a non-competitive purchase from the following vendor: Ring Power Cooperation 500 World Commerce Parkway - St Augustine, FL 32256

Justification: The listed vendor is the only known vendor that can provide the specifications listed for the project.

Response Deadline: Issued March 2nd, 2020 Deadline: March 9, 2020

Response Instructions: Interested parties (vendors) must respond to the contact listed below in writing and include a description of the commodity or service being offered as an alternative. Include pricing, including any applicable shipping and handling. A response can be submitted in person, by mail, or email.

If you have any questions, please contact the individual listed below before the response deadline.

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