



## **PROCUREMENT DEPARTMENT**

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**Teria G. Sheffield**  
Procurement Director

**SOLICITATION TYPE:** Invitation for Bids

**DATE:** 6/11/2024

**ID Number:** 2934      **Title:** One (1), Ford F650 XL Medium duty 2025 model, Dual Rear Wheel, Super Cab, 26,000GVW Truck Chassis

**Due Date/Time:** July 10, 2024 at 11:00 a.m.

**LATE SUBMITTALS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED**

**Opening Location:**

Government Center Building  
Room 3401  
6 S. Congress St., York, SC 29745

**Point of Contact:** Bryant Cook, Procurement Manager

**Questions Deadline:** July 3, 2024 by 4:00 p.m.

**Tentative Date of Award:** August 19, 2024

## SECTION 1 SCOPE OF WORK AND SPECIFICATIONS

### 1.1 Description

It is the intent of these specifications to describe One Ford F650 XL Medium duty, 4x2 Straight Frame 2025 model, new, unused, Dual Rear Wheel, four door SuperCab, 26,000GVW Truck Chassis. It is intended that the trucks be of conventional cab design w/forward tilt hood. Ford Code X6D

### 1.2 Specifications

#### A. Base Vehicle

1. (X6D) Base Vehicle Price

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#### B. Engine

1. (99X) 6.7L Power Stroke V8 Turbo Diesel - 330 HP @ 2600 RPM Includes Engine Exhaust Brake and manual regen capability. Torque: 750 ft.lbs. @ 1500 rpm. Governed RPM: 3400
2. (425) 50-State Emissions
3. (98R) Active Regen Control, Allows Driver to Inhibit Automatic Regen until Regen can be performed in a Safe location
4. (917) Speed Limit - 70mph

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#### C. Transmission

1. (44D) Ford TorqShift HD 10-Speed Automatic - with PTO Provision

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#### D. Front Wheels & Tires

1. (64D) Wheels, Front 19.5x7.5 Aluminum, 10-Hole Alcoa Bright Polished w/Dura-Bright Seal on Both Sides
2. (TGK) Tires, Front Two 245/70R19.5H Michelin AGILIS HDZ (619 rev/mile)

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#### E. Rear Wheels & Tires

1. (66D) Wheels, Rear 19.5x7.5 Aluminum, 10-Hole Alcoa Bright Polished w/Dura-Bright Seal on Both Sides
2. (RGK) Tires, Rear Four 245/70R19.5H Michelin AGILIS HDZ (619 rev/mile)

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#### F. Brakes

1. (67A) Air Brakes (4 WHEEL DRUM) - Straight Truck w/Traction Control, Meritor Q-Plus with ABS, Bendix Anti-Lock Brake System, 4-channel. Includes 15" x 4" front brakes, 16.5" x 7" rear pads, dual direct reading air pressure gauges, brake lines color coded nylon, Bendix 13.2 CFM capacity air compressor, instrument panel mounted yellow knob parking brake control valve, automatic slack adjusters front and rear, two rear spring parking air brake chambers mounted on front of rear axle, three drain valves and two air tanks (Reference Body Builders Book for location). Rear brake size and components dependent upon axle selection. Uses existing ABS system to minimize wheel slipping during acceleration. Usage determined by the air brake package selected. (Not recommended with Hi-Rail Train Systems). Deletes hand operated park brake lever. Includes: - Air Dryer, Bendix AD/IS w/Heater Mounted left frame rail (for Hydraulic brake diesel applications that include air suspension or standalone engine air compressor).
2. (62D) Air Dryer, Bendix AD/IS w/Heater Mounted left frame rail (for Hydraulic brake diesel applications that include air suspension or standalone engine air compressor).
3. (98C) Final Upfit Center of Gravity -Medium CG (48" to 58" FINAL Center of Gravity)- With MY23 having Electronic Stability Control Standard. When air brakes are selected, the "final upfit center of gravity (CG)" must be selected by dealer when ordering. If the final CG is not known, use the ESC delete (18A) feature. Where the final upfit CG is known, and the unit requires ESC for other features (such as Driver Assist Technology) select the appropriate CG value range when ordering air brake during the specing process. Call TRKLINE (877-875-5463) with any questions.

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#### G. Front Axle and Suspension

1. (43A) 8,500 lb. Cap. Non-Driving - Dana D-850F
2. (61B) Taper-Leaf Springs, Parabolic - 8,500 lb. Cap- 2-leaf, 62" x 3.15". Also includes, standard duty, dual, double acting shock absorbers

3. (15S) Front Stabilizer Bar
4. (60A) Lube, Front Axle, EmGard 50W, Synthetic Oil

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#### H. Rear Axle and Suspension

1. (472) 17,500 lb. Single-Speed - Dana S17-140, Single reduction with Gentech Quiet Gears and 190 wheel ends. NOTE: When specifying an axle ratio, check performance guidelines for startability and gradeability.
2. (68M) Multi-Leaf Springs - 19,000 lb. Cap, 11-leaf. Includes 2,000 lb auxiliary springs for load stabilization.
3. (961) Shock Absorbers, Rear – Double Acting
4. (607) Lube, Rear Axle, EmGard 75W-90, Synthetic Oil
5. (X5D) 5.57 Axle Ratio- PRNDM/RNDM determined by Rear Axle Ratio and Tire Size.

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#### I. Wheelbase

1. (203WB) 203" Wheelbase/108" CA/70" AF/312" OAL

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#### J. Frame

1. (536) Single Channel - Straight 'C' 14.18 SM, 120,000 PSI- 1,701,600 RBM. Heat treated alloy steel; 10.125" x 3.580" x 0.312" (257.2mm x 90.9mm x 8.0mm).
2. (765) Bumper, Front - Full Width, Chrome Plated Steel - (Included in (90E) Exterior Appearance Group)
3. (86C) Chrome Grille Surround - (Included in (90E) Exterior Appearance Group)

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K. Exhaust

1. (91D) Under Cab, Vertical Outlet, Right Side, Switchback-Style - Intrudes 2" into clean CA-Single, horizontal muffler, right side under cab outside of frame rail with vertical exhaust passenger side rear corner with heat shield and turnout exit.

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L. Fuel Tank

1. (65E) Fuel Tank - LH 65 Gallon Rectangular – Aluminum

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M. Electrical / Alternator / Battery

1. (17D) Dual Heavy Duty Alternators – 357 Amp Capacity - 200 & 157 amp Denso SC5/SC2
2. (55M) Jump Start Stud - Remote Mounted
3. (63D) Battery - Three 900 CCA, 2700 Total, Includes Steel Battery Box 12V Motorcraft
4. (59C) Body Builder Wiring - At End of Frame, Combined - (ILO Standard - Back of Cab Combined) Includes sealed connectors for 2 ground circuits, with combined left/stop, combined right/stop, stop lamps, back up lamps. Also includes 2 additional pass through wires to cab.
5. (17M) Back-Up Alarm - Electric, 102 dBA
6. (86M) Upfitter Interface Module
7. (16V) Voltmeter- Available in message center.

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N. Seats

1. (88Y) 40/20/40 Fixed Driver & Fixed Passenger w/Unique 20% Fold-Down Console – Vinyl
2. (87B) 60/40 Rear Bench Seat w/Bolster and Flip-Up Cushion Trim will match selected driver seat material.

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O. Cab Interior

1. (600A) Preferred Equipment Package 600A- Includes: Wheel Seals, Front - Oil lubricated, SKF ScotSeal PlusXL Seals, Wheel Seals, Rear - Oil lubricated, SKF ScotSeal PlusXL Seals, Manual Regen Initiation - Driver Interface in Message Center, Engine Exhaust Brake, Lights - Roof Marker/Clearance - Amber Lenses, 5 Lights, Tow Hooks, Front (2) - Frame-Mounted, Painted Black- Four Body Builder Switches - Mounted in Center Instrument Panel With connector access located in engine compartment. Amperages vary by switch: 10, 15, 25, 25, Floor Covering - Black Vinyl, Intelligent Oil Life Monitor, Steering Column - Tilt / Telescoping, Steering Wheel - Black PVC w/Integral Cruise Control Switches includes Audio Controls
2. (61M) Rear View Camera w/Mirror Display
3. (90A) Appearance Group Includes front-mounted overhead console with dual sunglass bins and integral front map reading lights. Includes: Chrome Trimmed Air Registers w/Positive Shut-Off, 60/40 Rear Bench Seat w/Bolster and Flip-Up Cushion, Trim will match selected driver seat material. Power Equipment Group - (Included in (90A) Appearance Group) Includes power front side windows, manual rear side windows, power door locks, door trim panel and passive anti-theft system. SecuriLock Passive Anti-Theft System The SecuriLock Passive Anti-Theft System is designed to help prevent the engine from being started unless a coded key, programmed to the vehicle, is used. It helps protect against drive-away theft through an electronically coded ignition key, its electronically coded ignition key features billions of possible codes to start the vehicle and is not compatible with non-OEM aftermarket remote start systems. Remote Keyless Entry w/2 Key Fobs
4. (90P) Power Equipment Group - (Included in (90A) Appearance Group)
5. (55P) 110 A/C Outlet - in Lower Center Finish Panel
6. (588) Radio: AM/FM Stereo w/2 Speakers, USB input, Clock Display and Bluetooth
7. (85A) SecuriLock Passive Anti-Theft System

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P. Cab Exterior

1. (90E) Exterior Appearance Group- Bumper, Front - Full Width, Chrome Plated Steel - (Included in (90E) Exterior Appearance Group) - Chromed Fender Badge- Chrome Grille Surround - (Included in (90E) Exterior Appearance Group)
2. (59A) Horn, Air - Black, Single Trumpet
3. (54K) Mirrors, Dual - Heated & Motorized Rectangular, XL2020 - 102" Width w/Chrome Cap Integral spot mirror, sail type

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Q. Miscellaneous

1. (PAINT) Paint Type – Environmentally Friendly, "3 - Wet System"

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R. Fleet Options

1. (19F) Fire/Rescue Prep Pkg w/EPA Special Emission
2. (87S) Fleet Safety Kit

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S. Exterior Color

1. (PQ\_02) Race Red

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T. Interior Color

1. (E\_01) Gray

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**SECTION 2 SPECIAL CONDITIONS**

**2.1 Literature**

The successful bidder shall furnish factory service bulletins for a minimum period of 2 years from the beginning of the contract (this is to include warranty bulletins).

**2.2 Mandatory**

One Copy of the Build sheet will be required with the Bid submission. One copy of the Shop Service Manual and one copy of the Emissions and Drivability Manual with Electronic Schematic Diagrams are to be furnished to York County upon delivery of the trucks.

## **2.3 General**

The trucks shall be new, unused, complete, and of the latest manufacture available. The trucks must be properly serviced, and ready for immediate operation, including anti-freeze. The trucks shall be equipped to meet all OSHA requirements. After the trucks are serviced, the dealer prep form will be completed, signed, and delivered with the trucks.

When delivered, the trucks shall be complete in every way with all necessary and usual appurtenances, fixtures and equipment commonly furnished on vehicles sold for commercial purposes, even though not specified herein. The trucks and all parts and all equipment shall be new, sound and of workmanlike finish and appearance. All parts not specifically mentioned in this specification shall conform to the best-accepted standards in design, material and workmanship

Where the words "heavy duty" are used to describe a specified item, they shall mean that if the Manufacturer customarily offers a heavier vehicle than the standard item, the optional unit shall be furnished. Furthermore, in the event no heavier duty option is available, the County reserves the right to decide if the standard vehicle is of acceptable quality and capacity, and to reject any bid proposing to supply standard equipment components which are considered inadequate.

No dealer advertising in any form is to be placed on or in the trucks.

After the trucks are serviced, the dealer prep form will be completed, signed, and delivered with the trucks.

York County reserves the right to reject any and all bids proposing to furnish equipment, in the opinion of the County that is not satisfactory for its use in the proposed application.

## **2.4 Warranty**

The truck shall carry the manufacturer's standard 36-month, 36,000-mile warranty bumper to bumper and a 5 year/ 60,000-mile powertrain warranty, 5 year/100,000 diesel engine warranty which shall begin when the purchaser places the truck into service. The vendor shall perform the administrative details of adjusting the warranty start date.

## **2.5 Delivery**

Price shall include delivery to York County Fire Training Center, 2500 McFarland Rd, York, SC 29745.

## **SECTION 3 INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS**

### **3.1 Submittal Requirements**

Electronic submittals shall be uploaded in PDF format via the Getall online portal which can be accessed via <https://www.yorkcountygov.com/217/Procurement> under the Active Bids link. To ensure that an electronic submittal is received by the due date and time, it is recommended that submittals are uploaded allowing sufficient time prior to deadline. An email confirmation of submittal will be received after clicking on the Confirm Bid button in the GetAll system. If confirmation email is not



received, contact GetAll support at [support@getall.com](mailto:support@getall.com) to confirm submittal was successful. Proposals received after specified time and date will be considered as non responsive and will be rejected accordingly. Faxed information is not acceptable.

The Bidder shall be responsible for confirming that submittal is received by the deadline. Any submittal received after the closing date and time deadline will not be considered.

For step by step instructions on how to submit a response, select Help and then Quick Reference in the [Getall](#) portal.

Proposals must include all requested information. Failure to respond to any requested item may cause a Proposal to be deemed non-responsive.

### **3.2 Information**

York County reserves the right to reject any or all responses, waive any technicalities and select the Bidder who is determined to best meet the needs of the County for this Request. To assure clarity, all Bidders may contact the appropriate county officials as listed in the Inquiries section of this solicitation, via email and ask pertinent questions regarding the requirements/specifications of this Request. Any inquiry or request for interpretation received five (5) or more days prior to the date fixed for opening of Bids will be given consideration unless otherwise specified on cover page. All such changes or interpretations will be made in writing in the form of an addendum and, if issued, posted on the County's website <https://www.yorkcountygov.com>. Each Bidder must acknowledge receipt of such addenda in the space provided in the Bid document. In case any Bidder fails to acknowledge receipt of such addenda or addendum, the Bid will nevertheless be construed as though it had been received and acknowledged and the submission of the Bid will constitute acknowledgement of the receipt of same. It is the responsibility of each Bidder to verify that he has received all addenda issued before Bids are opened. Questions received less than five (5) days prior to the date for opening of Bids may not be answered unless otherwise specified on cover page. Only questions answered by formal written Addenda will be binding. Oral and other interpretations or clarifications will be without legal effect.

### **3.3 Inquiries**

General questions about this solicitation should be submitted through the [Getall](#) portal, by selecting the questions icon in the corresponding Q&A column.

## **SECTION 4 BID EVALUATION, AWARD, AND CONTRACT**

### **4.1 General**

Bid will be awarded to the most responsible Bidder who meets the requirements and evaluation criteria set forth in the Invitation for Bids and are either the lowest Bid price or lowest evaluated Bid price.

## **4.2 Determination of Lowest Bidder**

Bids must be evaluated to determine which Bidder offers the lowest cost in accordance with the criteria set forth in the Invitation for Bids.

## **4.3 Modification of Bids**

York County does not allow modification of Bids after submittal.

## **4.4 Award**

The County must award this Bid to the lowest responsible and responsive Bidder who best meets the terms and conditions of the Bid. The award will be made on basis of price, product evaluation, and prior history of service and capability. York County reserves the right to reject any or all Bids and to make an award to the most advantageous vendor. Upon determination of the lowest Bidder, review of Bid for responsiveness, and satisfaction that the vendor is responsible, then upon approval of the York County Council, a Purchase Order will be issued to that vendor.

## **4.5 Terms of Contract**

The contract term shall be effective from time of award through delivery and acceptance. The Contract must be valid from the date of the initial Purchase Order and must remain valid for the duration of term mentioned above.

## **4.6 Termination of Contract**

- a. Should a dispute arise, and if, after a good faith effort at resolution, the dispute is not resolved, either party may terminate the contract by providing thirty (30) days written notice to the other party.
- b. Convenience: In the event that this contract is terminated or canceled upon request and for the convenience of York County without the required (30) days advance written notice, then York County must negotiate reasonable termination costs, if applicable
- c. Cause: Termination by York County for cause, default or negligence on the part of the Vendor must be excluded from the foregoing provisions; termination costs, if any must not apply. The thirty (30) days advance notice requirement is waived and the default provision listed herein must apply.
- d. Default: In case of default of Vendor, York County reserves the right to purchase/lease any or all items or all items/services in default open market, charging Vendor with any excessive costs.

#### **4.7 Non-Appropriation Clause**

Notwithstanding any other provision of this request/agreement, all obligations of the County under this solicitation which require the expenditure of funds are conditioned on the availability of funds appropriated for that purpose.

#### **4.8 Protest**

Any prospective bidder, offeror, contractor or subcontractor aggrieved in connection with the solicitation of a contract shall protest to the Procurement Director within seven days, but not thereafter, of the date of issuance of the invitation for bids, request for proposals or other solicitation documents, whichever is applicable, or any amendment thereto, if the amendment is at issue. Any actual bidder, offeror, contractor or subcontractor aggrieved in connection with the intended award or award of a contract shall protest to the appropriate Procurement Officer within seven days, but not thereafter, of the date notification of award is posted. A protest shall be in writing, submitted to the Procurement Director, and shall set forth the grounds of the protest and the relief requested with enough particularity to give notice of the issues to be decided, and must be received within the time provided.

### **SECTION 5 TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

#### **5.1 Acceptance and Deviations**

Each Bidder must meet all of the specifications and bid terms and conditions. By virtue of the bid submission, the Bidder acknowledges agreement with and acceptance of all provisions of the specifications except as expressly qualified in the BID. Non-substantial deviations may be considered provided that the Bidder submits a full description and explanation of and justification for the proposed deviations in the Exceptions form provided in Section 6.3. Whether any proposed deviation is non-substantial will be determined by York County in its sole discretion.

#### **5.2 General Requirements**

All Bidders including the employees of the Bidder must comply with all applicable Federal, State, and County laws pertaining to contracts entered into by governmental agencies, including non-discrimination employment. Contracts entered into on the basis of submitted proposal responses are revocable if contrary to law. Contracts for work resulting from this request will obligate the Bidder to not discriminate on the basis of race, color, creed, religion, handicap, or national origin in their employment practices.

#### **5.3 Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964**

Bidders shall comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. York County strongly encourages the use of and involvement of Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE) on this project.

#### **5.4 Conflict of Interest**

The successful firm shall not knowingly employ, during the period of a contract, or any extensions to it, any professional personnel who are also in the employ of York County and who are providing services involving this request or services similar in nature to the scope of this request to the County. Furthermore, the firm shall not knowingly employ, during the period of a contract or any extensions to it, any York County employee who has participated in the making of a contract until at least two years after his/her termination of employment with York County.

#### **5.5 Indemnification and Hold Harmless**

The successful firm shall agree to protect, defend, indemnify, and forever hold harmless, the County, its agents, officers, and employees, from and against any and all claims, liabilities, damages, costs, actions, proceedings, of any nature whatsoever, however alleged or termed, or in any lawsuits, arising in any manner out of any action or failure to act, by the firm, its officers, agents, and employees, or relating to or arising out of the performance or failure to perform, by the firm, its officers, agents, and employees, any obligations arising under its agreement with the County, or any other type claim/lawsuit whatsoever, however alleged or termed, which may arise at any time as a result of or related to the provision of service(s) for the County by the successful firm, without regard to the source, nature, or validity of the claim/lawsuit. Losses, liabilities, expenses and claims for damages shall include, but not be limited to, civil and criminal fines and penalties, loss of use and/or services, claims for injury, damage, disability, property damage, or death, injury to real or personal property, and attorneys' fees, costs, and expenses incurred by the County or any of its agents, officers, and employees. The County shall not be precluded from receiving the benefits of any insurance the firm may carry which provides for indemnification for any loss or damage to property in the firm's custody and control, where such loss or destruction is to County property. The firm shall do nothing to prejudice the County's right to recover against third parties for any loss, destruction or damage to County property.

#### **5.6 Drug-Free Workplace**

During the performance of this request, the firm agrees to provide a drug-free workplace for his employees; post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, a statement notifying employees that the unlawful manufacture, sale, distribution, dispensation, possession, or use of a controlled substance or marijuana is prohibited in the workplace and specify the actions that will be taken against employees for violations of such prohibition; and state in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the firm that the firm maintains a drug-free workplace. For the purposes of this section, "drug-free workplace" means a site for the performance of work done in connection with a specific contract awarded to a contractor/firm in accordance with this chapter, the employees of whom are prohibited from engaging in the unlawful manufacture, sale, distribution, dispensation, possession or use of any controlled substance or marijuana during the performance of the request.

#### **5.7 Applicability/Jurisdiction of South Carolina Law and Courts**

Upon award of a contract under this request the person, partnership, association or corporation to whom the award is made must comply with the laws of South Carolina which require such person or entity to be authorized and/or licensed to do business with this State. Notwithstanding the fact that applicable statutes may exempt or exclude the successful firm from requirements that it be authorized

and/or licensed to do business in this State, by submission of this signed proposal, the firm agrees to subject itself to the jurisdiction and process of the courts of the State of South Carolina as to all matters and disputes arising or to arise under the contract and the performance thereof, including any questions as to the liability for taxes, licenses, or fees levied by the State.

### **5.8 Certificate of Insurance**

Once selected, the successful firm will be required to provide proof of insurance to include professional liability; workers compensation, employer's liability and general liability prior to commencing work.

### **5.9 Assignment**

No contract or its provisions may be assigned, sublet, or transferred without the written consent of the County.

### **5.10 Ownership of Material**

All proposals and supporting materials (including all data, material, and documentation) originated and prepared for York County pursuant to this solicitation and including correspondences relating to this solicitation shall, belong exclusively to York County.

### **5.11 Prime Responsibilities**

The successful firm will be required to assume sole responsibility for the complete effort as required by this solicitation. York County will consider the successful firm to be the sole point of contact with regard to contractual matters.

### **5.12 Subcontracting**

If any part of the work covered by this solicitation is to be subcontracted, the successful firm shall identify the subcontracting organization and the contractual arrangements made therewith. All subcontractors must be approved by York County. The successful firm will also furnish the corporate or company name.

### **5.13 Records Retention and Right to Audit**

The County shall have the right to audit books and records of the successful firm as they pertain to this contract. Such books and records shall be maintained for a period of three (3) years from the date of final payment under the contract. The County may conduct, or have conducted, performance audits of the successful firm. The County may conduct, or have conducted, audits of specific requirements of this solicitation as determined necessary by the County. Pertaining to all audits, successful firm shall make available to the County access to its computer files containing the history of contract performance and all other documents related to the audit. Additionally, any software used by the successful firm shall be made available for auditing purposes at no cost to the County.

## **5.14 Public Access to Procurement Information**

Subject to the requirements of the Freedom of Information Act, commercial or financial information obtained in response to this SOLICITATION which is deemed privileged and confidential by the Bidder, will not be disclosed. Such privileged and confidential information should be clearly marked as such and includes information which if disclosed, might cause harm to the competitive position of the Bidder supplying the information. All Bidders, therefore, must visibly mark as "CONFIDENTIAL" each specific part of their proposal which such Bidders consider to contain proprietary or other privileged information. Additionally, all Bidders shall be solely responsible for identifying as exempt from the Freedom of Information Act and for visibly marking as "EXEMPT FROM FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT" each specific part of their proposal which Bidders deem to be so exempt and shall further be solely responsible for any consequences that might arise from the nondisclosure of any information that is subsequently determined not to have such an exemption. York County hereby disclaims any responsibility for not disclosing information identified by any Bidder as exempt from the Freedom of Information Act and further hereby disclaims any responsibility for any information which is disclosed as a result of Bidder's failure to visibly mark it as "CONFIDENTIAL" or to improperly mark it as "confidential". Bidder must identify specific parts of the proposal package as confidential. Failure to do so or to mark the entire proposal package as confidential may result in disclosure of that information.

## **5.15 Non-Collusion Bidding Certification and Disqualification**

By submission of a bid, each Bidder and each person signing on behalf of any Bidder certifies, and in the case of a joint bid each party certifies as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of its knowledge and belief.

The prices in this bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, consultation, communication, or agreement, for the purpose of restricting competition, as to any matter relating to such prices with any other proposer or with any competitor.

Unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not knowingly been disclosed by the Bidder and will not knowingly be disclosed prior to the bid opening, directly or indirectly, to any other Bidder or to any competitor.

No attempt has been or will be made by the Bidder to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition

One Bid: Only one Bid from an individual firm, partnership, company, or corporation under the same or under different names will be considered. If OWNER believes that a Bidder submitted more than one Bid for the work involved, all Bids submitted by that Bidder will be rejected.

## **5.16 Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility, and Voluntary Exclusion**

The Bidder certifies, by submission of this document or acceptance of a contract, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any State, Federal department, or agency. It further agrees by submitting this qualification statement (if applicable) that it will include this clause without modification in all lower tier transactions, solicitations, proposals, contracts, and subcontracts. Where the Bidder or any lower tier participant is unable to certify to this statement, it must attach an explanation to this solicitation/bid.

## **5.17 Certification Regarding Immigration Reform and Control**

The Bidder certifies, by submission of this document or acceptance of a contract, that all Contractors are expected to comply with the Immigration and Reform Control Act of 1986 (IRCA), as may be amended from time to time. This Act, with certain limitations, requires the verification of the employment status of all individuals who were hired on or after November 6, 1986, by the Contractor as well as any subcontractor or sub-subcontractor. The usual method of verification is through the Employment Verification (I-9) Form. With the submission of this bid, the Contractor hereby certifies without exception that Contractor has complied with all federal and state laws relating to immigration and reform. Any misrepresentation in this regard or any employment of persons not authorized to work in the United States constitutes a material breach and, at the State's option, may subject the contract to termination and any applicable damages. The Contractor certifies that, should it be awarded a contract by the County, the Contractor will comply with all applicable federal and state laws, standards, orders and regulations affecting a person's participation and eligibility in any program or activity undertaken by the Contractor pursuant to this contract. The Contractor further certifies that it will remain in compliance throughout the term of the contract. At the County's request, the Contractor is expected to produce to the County any documentation or other such evidence to verify the Contractor's compliance with any provision, duty, certification, or the like under the contract. The Contractor agrees to include this Certification in contracts between itself and any subcontractors in connection with the services performed under this contract.

## **5.18 Chain of Communication**

To ensure the integrity of the competitive process, a strict chain of communication shall apply to each Invitation for Bids, Request for Proposals, Request for Qualifications, or any other competitive solicitation during the period between publication of the solicitation and final award. Bidders or its agents may not communicate by any means, directly or indirectly, with York County public officials, employees, its agents, or representatives or any person not otherwise listed on this document, regarding any aspect of this procurement activity. All communications must be solely with the Procurement Officer. In the sole determination of the Procurement Officer and/or York County, violation of these restrictions may result in disqualification of your offer, suspension or debarment, and may constitute a violation of law.

## **5.19 Prohibition of Donations and Gratuities**

Bidders are restricted from making donations to any York County governmental entity with whom they have or seek to have a contract. The Bidder represents that his/her offer discloses any gifts made, directly or through an intermediary, by the Bidder or the Bidder's named subcontractors or subconsultants to or for the benefit of York County, its agents, or representatives during the period beginning eighteen months prior to the Opening Date. No Bidder, or any person, firm, or corporation employed by the Bidder in the performance of this request, may offer or give any gift, money or anything of value or any promise for future reward or compensation to any York County employee.

## BID FORM

### Bid Submission

York County is not exempt from paying SC sales tax. Bidders outside of SC should provide sales tax pricing in their Bid. If a firm located outside of SC is the successful Bidder then York County will pay the sales tax directly to the State of South Carolina.

QUANTITY	ITEM	EACH PRICE	PRICE
1 each	One (1), Ford F650 XL Medium duty 2025 model, Dual Rear Wheel, Super Cab, 26,000GVW Truck Chassis		
		SC SALES TAX	
		DELIVERY FEE	
		<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	

### Acknowledgement of Addenda

Bidder hereby acknowledges receipt of all Addenda through and including:

Addendum No. \_\_\_\_\_, dated \_\_\_\_\_.  
Addendum No. \_\_\_\_\_, dated \_\_\_\_\_.  
Addendum No. \_\_\_\_\_, dated \_\_\_\_\_.

### QUESTIONNAIRE (To be completed and returned with bid)

1. Make: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Model: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Body style: \_\_\_\_\_
4. GVW: \_\_\_\_\_
5. Wheelbase: \_\_\_\_\_ Inches
6. Horsepower: \_\_\_\_\_



7. # Cylinders: \_\_\_\_\_
8. Engine: CID: \_\_\_\_\_ Liters: \_\_\_\_\_
9. Transmission: Make: \_\_\_\_\_ Gear: \_\_\_\_\_ Type: \_\_\_\_\_
10. Battery rating: (ampere) \_\_\_\_\_ Cold cranking amps: \_\_\_\_\_
11. Tire: Size: \_\_\_\_\_ X \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ Ply
12. Wheels: \_\_\_\_\_ Alloy \_\_\_\_\_ Steel \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_
13. Length of body: \_\_\_\_\_
14. Brakes: \_\_\_\_\_
15. List Standard Interior Color(s) Available:

- A. \_\_\_\_\_
- B. \_\_\_\_\_
- C. \_\_\_\_\_
- D. \_\_\_\_\_
- E. \_\_\_\_\_
- F. \_\_\_\_\_

16. Exceptions to specifications:

19. Service Center:

Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Delivery time: \_\_\_\_\_ days.

**Signature Page - OFFERORS MUST COMPLETE AND SIGN THE FORM BELOW**

The submittal must be signed by an authorized representative of the Offeror accepting all terms and conditions contained in this document and any addenda. Modifying the terms and conditions of this solicitation may result in your response being rejected.

\_\_\_\_\_  
COMPANY NAME

\_\_\_\_\_  
FEDERAL TAX ID NUMBER

\_\_\_\_\_  
COMPANY ADDRESS

\_\_\_\_\_  
CITY, STATE, ZIP+4

\_\_\_\_\_  
PAYMENT/REMITTANCE ADDRESS

\_\_\_\_\_  
CITY, STATE, ZIP+4

\_\_\_\_\_  
EMAIL ADDRESS

\_\_\_\_\_  
COMPANY TELEPHONE

\_\_\_\_\_  
PRINT NAME

\_\_\_\_\_  
TITLE

\_\_\_\_\_  
AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

Minority Status

- \_\_\_\_\_ Not Minority Owned
- \_\_\_\_\_ African American Male
- \_\_\_\_\_ Caucasian Female
- \_\_\_\_\_ African American Female
- \_\_\_\_\_ Aleut
- \_\_\_\_\_ Eskimo
- \_\_\_\_\_ East Indian
- \_\_\_\_\_ Native American
- \_\_\_\_\_ Asian
- \_\_\_\_\_ Other (Please Explain)

# Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

**Give Form to the  
requester. Do not  
send to the IRS.**

▶ Go to [www.irs.gov/FormW9](http://www.irs.gov/FormW9) for instructions and the latest information.

Print or type. See Specific Instructions on page 3.	1 Name (as shown on your income tax return). Name is required on this line; do not leave this line blank.	
	2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above	
	3 Check appropriate box for federal tax classification of the person whose name is entered on line 1. Check only <b>one</b> of the following seven boxes.	4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3):
	<input type="checkbox"/> Individual/sole proprietor or single-member LLC <input type="checkbox"/> C Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> S Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Trust/estate	Exempt payee code (if any) _____
	<input type="checkbox"/> Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=Partnership) ▶ _____ <b>Note:</b> Check the appropriate box in the line above for the tax classification of the single-member owner. Do not check LLC if the LLC is classified as a single-member LLC that is disregarded from the owner unless the owner of the LLC is another LLC that is <b>not</b> disregarded from the owner for U.S. federal tax purposes. Otherwise, a single-member LLC that is disregarded from the owner should check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner.	Exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any) _____
	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (see instructions) ▶ _____	<i>(Applies to accounts maintained outside the U.S.)</i>
	5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.) See instructions.	Requester's name and address (optional)
6 City, state, and ZIP code		
7 List account number(s) here (optional)		

## Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the instructions for Part I, later. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN*, later.

**Note:** If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1. Also see *What Name and Number To Give the Requester* for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Social security number									
or									
Employer identification number									

## Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and
2. I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and
3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and
4. The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

**Certification instructions.** You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions for Part II, later.

<b>Sign Here</b>	Signature of U.S. person ▶	Date ▶
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## General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

**Future developments.** For the latest information about developments related to Form W-9 and its instructions, such as legislation enacted after they were published, go to [www.irs.gov/FormW9](http://www.irs.gov/FormW9).

### Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) which may be your social security number (SSN), individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN), adoption taxpayer identification number (ATIN), or employer identification number (EIN), to report on an information return the amount paid to you, or other amount reportable on an information return. Examples of information returns include, but are not limited to, the following.

- Form 1099-INT (interest earned or paid)

- Form 1099-DIV (dividends, including those from stocks or mutual funds)
- Form 1099-MISC (various types of income, prizes, awards, or gross proceeds)
- Form 1099-B (stock or mutual fund sales and certain other transactions by brokers)
- Form 1099-S (proceeds from real estate transactions)
- Form 1099-K (merchant card and third party network transactions)
- Form 1098 (home mortgage interest), 1098-E (student loan interest), 1098-T (tuition)
- Form 1099-C (canceled debt)
- Form 1099-A (acquisition or abandonment of secured property)

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN.

*If you do not return Form W-9 to the requester with a TIN, you might be subject to backup withholding. See What is backup withholding, later.*