

BID PROPOSAL

95-GALLON REFUSE CONTAINERS

1. The undersigned, having familiarized himself with the “Instructions to Bidders”, the “Minimum Required Specifications”, and the form of this “Bid Proposal”, hereby proposes to furnish the goods specified at the following price:

<u>Equipment Description</u>	<u>Per Unit Price</u>
95-Gallon Refuse Containers	\$ _____
Quantity: One Thousand (1,000)	
Price to include delivery to Rolla	<u>Total Price</u>
	\$ _____

2. Bidder agrees to furnish the product(s) as specified in these documents at the price listed above within approximately _____ days from the award of bids by the City of Rolla.
3. In submitting this bid, the bidder understands that the right is reserved by the City of Rolla to reject or accept any and/or all bids or any portion thereof.
4. Attached hereto and made a part hereof is “Minimum Required Specifications” form(s).
5. Please make a copy of these bid forms if you wish to submit more than one bid.

Name and Address of Bidder: _____

Bidders Company Name : _____

Signature of Authorized Agent: _____

Name and Title (*please print*): _____

Telephone # and email address: _____

Additional Comments: _____

REQUEST FOR BIDS

The City of Rolla hereby requests sealed bids for the following:

One Thousand (1,000) 95-Gallon Refuse Containers

Sealed bids will be accepted until 11:00 a.m., February 1, 2023 in the office of the City Clerk, 901 N. Elm Street, P.O. Box 979, Rolla, Missouri 65402, at which time all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. Bids must be clearly marked on the outside of the envelope with “**Bid: 95-Gallon Refuse Containers.**” Bids will be reviewed for completeness and presented to the City Council at a regularly scheduled meeting within 30 days following the bid opening.

The bid documents may be obtained at the office of Environmental Services, Rolla Recycling Center, 2141 Old St. James Road, Rolla, Missouri. If you have questions, contact the Environmental Services Department at 573-364-6693.

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

1. Bids must be submitted on the “Bid Proposal” form only and must include the completed “Minimum Required Specifications” page. Bids must be submitted in a sealed envelope, properly identified on the outside of the envelope as **“Bid: 95-Gallon Refuse Containers”**.
2. The bid must be filed with the City Clerk prior to the announced bid opening date and time.
3. The City of Rolla reserves the right to accept or reject any and/or all bids.
4. It will be the City’s intent to accept low competent bid if it meets specifications and conditions. However, the City reserves the right to accept the bid most advantageous to the City.
5. Bidders are advised that the City of Rolla shall consider prior substandard goods or prior substandard service or excessive distance to the City as a criterion for bid rejection.
6. Bids equal in cost and specifications may go to the local bidder (given they meet all other conditions.)
7. All bids should meet or exceed specifications. Any deviations must be noted in the space provided.
8. Alternate bids may be considered, provided that all specification differences are clearly indicated and contain justification statements. The City of Rolla shall be the sole judge as to the suitability of the service or equipment offered in the alternate bid.
9. Any exceptions to these terms or conditions or deviations from written specifications shall be shown in writing and attached to the Bid Proposal.
10. Bidders are cautioned to verify their proposal before submission as requests for amendments or withdrawals, if received by the City after the time specified for opening, will not be considered.
11. Bidders must be factory authorized dealers for the equipment, service and parts of the items they are bidding.
12. Local bidders shall be defined as bidders in Rolla and the area surrounding Rolla or a five-mile radius from the city limits.

MINIMUM REQUIRED SPECIFICATIONS

ONE THOUSAND (1,000) 95-GALLON REFUSE CONTAINERS

GENERAL MINIMUM SPECIFICATIONS:

VENDOR PROPOSED:

(In the space provided, please indicate if the product meets or exceeds minimum specifications, along with noting any deviations from minimum specifications.)

- Wheeled refuse container shall be water-tight and leak-proof and designed to contain garbage, recyclables, yard waste, etc.
- The container shall be provided with adequate wheels and handles so that it can be pushed or pulled with minimal effort.
- The container shall be designed to allow for dumping by semi-automated and automated truck systems.
- The body and lid of the container shall be formed using quality HDPE. If post-consumer recycled content is to be used, please specify percentage.
- The container body shall be one piece, flexible, and injection molded with reinforced wall thickness in critical wear areas.
- The minimum volume of the container body shall be 95 gallons and shall be molded into the container lid.
- The capacity/load limit of the container shall be a minimum of 300 pounds and the load limit shall be molded into the container lid.
- Specify thickness of the container body wall.
- Specify critical wear point thickness.
- The container shall be fitted with a freely rotating steel lower “catch” bar for use with semi-automated

dumping system. Bars must be installed when delivered.

- There must be an integrally molded-in and reinforced upper pocket used in conjunction with the steel “catch” bar for attaching the container to the trucks semi-automatic dumping system.

- Specify container dimensions:

Height	_____	inches
Width	_____	inches
Depth	_____	inches
Total Weight	_____	pounds

- The container shall be protected against ultraviolet rays with an ultraviolet stabilizer additive.

- Color: container body and lid shall be a green color selected by the City.

- The container wheels shall be made of a one-piece molded plastic construction and be at least 10 inches in diameter. Wheels shall be of a snap-on design and quick release for easy disassembly.

- Axles to be 3/4” solid steel.

- The lid must be “domed” to facilitate water run-off. The lid must not “cave-in” when pressed with reasonable hand pressure.

- Lid should be held closed by it’s own weight. No lid latches should be required.

- The lid must have an integrally molded handle allowing it to be opened with one hand.

- The push/pull handles must be an integrally molded part of the container body.

- Each container shall be hot stamped on either side using a minimum of 2” white block lettering to read as follows: City of Rolla

- Each container shall be hot stamped with a sequential

serial numbering system of the City's choosing. Serial numbers shall be white and a minimum of one-inch in height.

- Each container shall have instructions hot stamped into the lid in English using white lettering with a draft to be approved by the City.
- When empty, the containers must not overturn when the lid is thrown open.
- The containers must be designed to prevent being overturned by winds up to 35 MPH in any direction.
- Containers are to be delivered to the City completely assembled.
- Bids shall include complete warranty and replacement parts information.
