

CHEROKEE COUNTY

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REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

Proposal # 2025-18

FOR

Roof Replacement at the Cherokee County Law Enforcement Center

Issued on: Wednesday, January 22nd, 2025

Due Date: Tuesday, February 18th, 2025, at 12:00 P.M. EST

Administered by: Abi Reid, Administrative Specialist

THERE WILL BE A MANDATORY PREBID MEETING ON JANUARY 28TH, 2025, AT 1:00PM AT THE CHEROKEE COUNTY LAW ENFORCEMENT CENTER LOCATED AT 312 E. FREDERICK ST, GAFFNEY, SOUTH CAROLINA 29340.

INTRODUCTION and INTENT of RFP:

Notice to Vendors

Sealed proposals will be received by Cherokee County from experienced, qualified vendors who specialize in the following:

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- Provide & install a fully adhered 60mil PVC roof system with 1/2 dens deck cover board. -Insulation to be r20 (3.5")
- Install crickets between scuppers and behind each HVAC unit.
- Approximately 225' walk pads at roof hatch & to each HVAC unit.
- Paint gas lines safety yellow and pipe supports to be a non-wood product.
- Flash all walls, pipes, curbs, and pitch pockets as needed. Replace all metal coping caps with new medium bronze 24 gauge.
- Provide 20-year manufacturer NDL warranty.
- All work will need to be scheduled in advance with Tim Hartman
- The contractor will be responsible for any equipment needed for this bid (including lifts as there is not contractor roof access through the inside of the building)
- All equipment and debris relating to this project will be removed from the site
- The contractor will be responsible for any damage done to the building related to the replacing of the roof.

For any questions about the scope of work or to view the site, please contact Tim Hartman at 864-902-2314.

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GENERAL CONDITIONS and FINANCIAL PROVISIONS:

PRICING: The company warrants that the pricing stated herein shall remain firm for a period of one (1) year from the first day of the contract period. Pricing shall include all charges that may be imposed in fulfilling the terms of the contract. A maximum of 5% per year during the second and third year will be accepted.

PAYMENT TERMS: Payment terms are NET 30 days following receipt of correct invoice. Invoices must be submitted to:

Cherokee County Attn: Accounts Payable 110 Railroad Avenue Gaffney, South Carolina 29340

Cherokee County is responsible for all payments to the Company under this contract.

CHANGES: Cherokee County shall have the right, at any time, to alter the specifications to meet increased or decreased needs. If any such changes cause an increase or decrease in the cost or the time required for the performance, or otherwise affects any other provision of this agreement, an equitable adjustment shall be made, and this agreement shall be modified in writing accordingly.

AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS: Any and all payments to the Company shall be deemed binding only to the extent of appropriate funds for the purpose set forth in this proposal.

NON-DISCRIMINATION: The Company shall not discriminate against any individuals and will take proactive measures to assure compliance with all Federal and State requirements concerning fair employment, employment of people with disabilities, and concerning the treatment of all employees without regard to discrimination based upon age, race, color, religion, sex, national origin or disability.

GOVERNING LAWS: This contract is made under and shall be governed and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of South Carolina.

ADVERTISING: In submitting a proposal to Cherokee County, the Company agrees not to use the results of their proposal as a part of any commercial advertising without prior approval of Cherokee County Government.

CONFIDENTIALITY OF PROPOSALS: In submitting a proposal, the Company agrees not to discuss or otherwise reveal the contents of the proposal to any source outside of Cherokee County Government until after the award of the contract. Companies not in compliance with the provision may, at the option of Cherokee County, be disqualified from contract award. Only discussions authorized by the issuing agency are exempt from this provision.

COST FOR PROPOSAL PREPARATION: Any costs incurred by a Company in preparing or submitting proposals are the Companies' sole responsibility. Cherokee County will not reimburse any Company for any costs incurred prior to award of this contract.

TIME FOR ACCEPTANCE: Each proposal shall state that it is a firm offer which may be accepted within a period of 90 days following the submittal date, Tuesday, February 18th, 2025, at 12:00 P.M. Although the contract is expected to be awarded prior to that time, the 90-day period is requested to allow for unforeseen delays.

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RIGHT TO SUBMITTED MATERIAL: All responses, inquiries, or correspondence relating to or in reference to this Request for Proposals, and all other reports, charts, displays, schedules, exhibits, and other documentation submitted by the Company shall become the property of Cherokee County when received.

COLLUSIVE BIDDING: The vendor's signature on the Cherokee County "Request for Proposal" is a guarantee that the prices quoted have been arrived at without collusion with other eligible Company and without effort to preclude Cherokee County Government from obtaining the lowest possible competitive price.

ERRORS AND OMISSIONS: The Contractor shall not take advantage of any errors or omissions in this RFP. The Company shall promptly notify the Cherokee County Government of any omissions or errors found in this document.

PROPOSAL OPENING: The proposal deadline is Tuesday, February 18th, 2025, at 12:00 P.M. and opened at 5:00 P.M on Tuesday, February 18th, 2025, at 5:00pm at the County Council Meeting. On that date and time, the package containing the proposals from each responding Company will be publicly opened. At that time the name of the Company and the cost(s) offered will be announced. This is an open and public meeting. Interested parties may attend. However, it must be noted that these costs and their components are subject to further evaluation for completeness and correctness. Therefore, the cost(s) announced at that time may not be an exact indicator of the Companies pricing position. Neither can the assumption be made that the Company with the lowest price offered will be awarded the contract. See "EVALUATION CRITERIA" and "AWARD OF RFP" for further explanation on the components involved with the award of this contract.

EVALUATION CRITERIA: Cherokee County Government, at its sole discretion, following an objective evaluation, will award this contract to the most responsible, responsive Company. The proposals will be evaluated on a "best overall value" basis including, but not limited to, completeness and content of the proposal, pricing, quality, the Company's ability to follow the specifications, the Company's ability to provide a team of skilled, trained employees, the Company's experience with similar projects and the Company's responses to "Mandatory Issues". In addition to these considerations, the evaluators may request additional information, oral presentations or discussions with any or all the responding Company's to clarify elements of their proposal or to amplify the materials presented in any part of the proposal. However, Companies are cautioned that the evaluators are not required to request clarification; therefore, all proposals should be complete and reflect the most favorable terms available from the Company.

Cherokee County reserves the right to make independent investigations as to the qualifications of the Company. Such investigations may include contacting existing customers. Companies should keep in mind that this is a Request for Proposals and not a request to contract. Cherokee County reserves the unqualified right to accept or reject all proposals, and to waive any irregularities as may be permitted by law when it is deemed that such action will be in the best interest of Cherokee County.

REFERENCE TO OTHER DATA: Only information which is received in response to this RFP will be evaluated. Reference to information previously submitted shall not be evaluated.

AWARD OF RFP: Cherokee County Government, at its sole discretion, following an objective evaluation, will award this contract to the most responsible, responsive Company. Price will be a major consideration but will not be the determining factor in our selection. The award of this contract will be based and granted on "BEST VALUE." "BEST VALUE" will allow Cherokee County to consider factors beyond pricing such as whether the responsible Company is able to meet and/or exceed the required specifications. "BEST VALUE" will permit and reflect prudent stewardship of public funds and trust. Award of the contract to one Company does not mean that the other proposals lacked merit. Award of the contract signifies that after all factors have been considered, the selected proposal was deemed most advantageous to Cherokee County

NOTIFICATION OF AWARD: After all prerequisites and specifications have been met by the Company, the successful Company will be notified within ten (10) working days of this award. Cherokee County will notify the successful Company in writing, either by a LETTER OF AWARD or a PURCHASE ORDER or both. VERBAL NOTIFICATION OF THE AWARD OF THIS CONTRACT IS NOT CONSIDERED A RELIABLE MODE OF NOTIFICATION AND, THEREFORE, WILL NOT BE RECOGNIZED AS AN OFFICIAL NOTIFICATION.

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TERMINATION FOR CAUSE: Cherokee County reserves the right to terminate this contract at any time for cause. The violation of any provision or condition contained in this contract, or the refusal, failure, or inability to carry out any provisions of this contract shall constitute sufficient grounds to terminate this contract for cause.

TERMINATION WITHOUT CAUSE: Cherokee County and the Company may terminate this contract without cause. Written notice of termination must be sent via certified U.S. mail no later than thirty (30) days prior to the termination date.

EMPLOYEE GUIDELINES:

DRUG POLICY: The Company certifies that it maintains a drug-free workplace environment to ensure worker safety and workplace integrity. The Company further agrees their employees shall comply with Cherokee County's Drug-Free Workplace Policy.

EMPLOYEE GUIDELINES: The Company shall use only qualified personnel to provide the required services. The Company shall be responsible for insuring that employees abide by all rules and regulations set forth for the buildings and grounds.

<u>SAFETY:</u>

State and Federal Regulations: The Company shall perform all work in accordance with State and Federal safety regulations regarding work zones, work areas, equipment, vehicles, tools and supplies. The Company shall provide all necessary and required work zone protective devices and traffic channeling devices as required under State and Federal safety regulations.

Public Safety: The Company shall protect the safety and convenience of the public. The Company shall perform work as needed and necessary to protect the public from hazards.

SPECIAL CONDITIONS:

HISTORICALLY UNDERUTILIZED BUSINESSES: Cherokee County invites and encourages participation in this Request for Proposals process by businesses owned by minorities, women, disabled, disabled business enterprises and non-profit work centers for the blind and severely disabled.

PROPOSAL INFORMATION:

Proposals will be received by Cherokee County by Tuesday, February 18th, 2025, at 12:00 P.M. Proposals may
be submitted by mail or delivered in person. NO faxed or email proposals will be accepted. Abi Reid must receive
all proposals at the following location PRIOR to the date and time specified. Any proposal received after the date
and time prescribed shall NOT be considered for award and the proposal shall be returned to the Company.

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Attn: Abi Reid
110 Railroad Avenue
Gaffney, South Carolina 29340

- Each sealed envelope containing a proposal must be plainly marked with the "COMPANY'S NAME", "RFP TITLE", "RFP NUMBER", and the "RFP OPENING DATE & TIME".
- All proposals must be submitted on the required forms. All blank spaces for bid prices must be completed in ink
 or typewritten. The Bid Forms must be completed, signed, and dated by an official of the company authorized to
 bind the firm. Unsigned proposals will not be considered. Proposals must consist of one (1) original and one (1)
 copy. These proposals shall be marked as such Original and Copy.
- For any questions about the scope of work or to view the site, please contact Tim Hartman at 864-902-2314.
- A conditional or qualified proposal will not be accepted.
- Prior to receiving the contract, the successful bidders will be required to submit a Certificate of Liability Insurance and a current W9 form.
- All on-site contractors including 1099 vendors who perform work on Cherokee County property and the premises
 of Special Tax Districts utilizing County collected funding, are required to carry Workers Compensation Insurance
 Coverage. Proof of insurance (certificates) must be on file before a purchase order can be issued or work begun.
 Any exceptions to this requirement must be approved by the County Administrator. The requirements are as
 follows: Workers Comp = Statutory Limits

Employers Liability: \$100,000 Minimum General Liability: \$1,000,000 Minimum Auto Liability: \$1,000,000 Minimum

If selling products for a building project, the general liability must include Products and Completed Operations coverage. For high-risk jobs (i.e. asbestos removal) a higher limit may be required. For businesses not required by law to obtain Worker's Compensation Insurance, the cost of WC coverage on the part of Cherokee County may be factored into the bid/quoted price.

COMPANY INFORMATION:

1.	Owner of the Company
2.	Location of the Company
3.	List the number of years in business
4.	Is your business full or part-time?
5.	List the number of people employed on a regular basis.
6.	Do you maintain an office that is staffed during normal daily working hours?
7.	Who is the County's contact person in the event your firm is awarded the contract?
	E-mail Address:
8.	List at least four (4) references of firms (not residences) in which your company has provided services within the past two (2) years.

Company Name	Contact Name	Telephone Number
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signing this form, the Company signifies their accep Request for Proposals. All proposals must have copies of your proposal must be sealed and delivered Avenue, Gaffney, South Carolina, 29340 before the must reference the "COMPANY'S NAME", "RFP TIT NO faxed or email proposals will be accepted. Cher bids by the U.S. Postal office or any other delivery set for a period of sixty (60) days after the bid opening to THE FOLLOWING MUST BE COMPLETE	D, SIGNED, AND RETURNED AS PART OF YOUR ACCEPTED WITHOUT THIS FORM, SIGNED BY			
COMPANY NAME:				
MAILING ADDRESS:				
CITY, STATE, ZIP:				
EMPLOYER'S FEDERAL IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:				
TELEPHONE NUMBER:	FAX NUMBER:			
CONNECTION WITH ANY OTHER CONTRACTO AND IS IN ALL RESPECTS FAIR AND WITHOUT C	WITHOUT PRIOR UNDERSTANDING, AGREEMENT, OR R SUBMITTING A PROPOSAL FOR THE SAME SERVICES COLLUSION OR FRAUD. I AGREE TO ABIDE TO ALL TERMS HAT I AM AUTHORIZED TO SIGN THIS BID AS OR FOR THE			
AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE:	TYPED OR PRINTED NAME:			
TITLE:	DATE:			

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GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS/BID SHEET

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS:	Bids must be submitted on this form. Bids made otherwise will be
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Do your services/product come with a warranty? If yes, Please explain	
Grand Total \$	
Materials \$	
Labor \$	

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Cost Proposal/Execution of Proposal

By submitting this proposal, the potential Company certifies the following:

- This proposal is signed by an authorized representative of the firm.
- The cost and availability of all materials and supplies associated with performing the services described herein have been determined and included in the proposed cost.
- All costs, direct and indirect, have been determined and included in the proposed cost.
- The potential Company has read and understands the conditions set forth in this BID and agrees to them with no exceptions. If exceptions exist, they must be listed on a separate numbered sheet
- Prior to receiving the contract, the successful bidders will be required to submit a Certificate of Liability Insurance and a current W9.

Therefore, in compliance with this Request for Proposals, and subject to all conditions herein, the undersigned offers and agrees, to perform the services in accordance with the specifications and conditions in this BID at the prices quoted, if this proposal is accepted within 90 days from the date of the opening.

COMPANY:		
ADDRESS:		
CITY, STATE, ZIP:		
TELEPHONE NUMBER:	FAX:	
FEDERAL EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:		
E-MAIL:		
BY:		
Signature	Typed or printed name	
Title	Date	

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THIS PAGE MUST BE SIGNED AND INCLUDED IN YOUR PROPOSAL.



CHEROKEE COUNTY VENDOR PREFERENCE AFFIDAVIT

, who being duly sworn, (company name/company representative) certifies that the vender identified in this Bid Response meets all qualifications for the preference as defined in Part 8 of the Cherokee County Purchasing Policy and Procedure Ordinance, as amended.
By this written claim, Bidder requests that the preference be exercised in consideration of the award of this Bid.
BIDDER CERTIFIED THAT HE MEETS ALL QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE (CHECK ONLY ONE OF THE FOLLOWING):
1. CHEROKEE COUNTY VENDOR PREFERENCE
Bidder Signature:
Bidder Name:
Position:
Firm Name:
Address:
Telephone:
Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of,
NOTARY PUBLIC FOR SOUTH CAROLINA
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES:

****This page ONLY applies to vendors that are located in Cherokee County