

**THE COMMISSIONERS OF FIRE DISTRICT NO. 2
IN THE TOWNSHIP OF BUENA VISTA, COUNTY OF ATLANTIC**

Resolution *11-22*

**Authorizing Advertisement for Bids for Financing a Lease
With an Option to Purchase Fire Apparatus**

WHEREAS, The Commissioners of Fire District No. 2 in the Township of Buena Vista, County of Atlantic, have approved the specifications for and have determined that they will advertise for sealed bids for Financing a Lease With an Option to Purchase Firetruck, hereinafter referred to as LEASE.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it RESOLVED by The Commissioners of Fire District No. 2 in the Township of Buena Vista, County of Atlantic, as follows:

- (1) Specifications are hereby approved and incorporated herein by reference.
- (2) Bids to be submitted shall fully comply with the specifications.
- (3) The Commissioners shall advertise for the receipt of sealed bids for the above-named purpose or project.
- (4) Each bid shall be submitted as a written proposal in the manner designated in the instructions to bidders and the specifications and shall be signed by the bidder. The bid shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope bearing the name and address of the bidder on the outside, specifically denoting on said envelope the name of the job for which said bid is submitted and addressed to Board of Fire Commissioners, 4931 Landis Ave, Vineland, NJ 08360. All bids through the mail shall be forwarded to PO Box 703, Buena, NJ 08310.
- (5) The specifications, instructions to bidders and related documents are on file with and may be obtained upon written or verbal request from the Commissioners' attorney, Richard M. Braslow, 516 Fielders Lane, Toms River, New Jersey 08755 (732) 604-7517, during normal business hours.
- (6) Sealed bids shall be called for and shall be received, opened and read in public at the East Vineland Volunteer Fire Company Firehouse located at 4931 Landis Ave, Vineland, NJ 08360 at 7:00 p.m., prevailing time, on December 20, 2022.
- (7) Each sealed bid shall be hand delivered or mailed to Board of Fire Commissioners, or to such other designated representative of the Commissioners who will be present at the opening of said bids at the time and place stated for the receipt of sealed bids. **NO BID SHALL BE DELIVERED OR ACCEPTED AFTER THE DATE OR HOUR AS DESIGNATED IN THIS PUBLIC NOTICE.**
- (8) The bid quote shall be net to the Commissioners and shall be excluded from any state and federal taxes.

(9) The contract will be awarded to the lowest, qualified, responsible bidder. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids. The Commissioners also reserve the right to waive any insubstantial irregularities in any bid.

(10) A non-collusion affidavit in the usual form will be supplied with the specifications. It shall be executed by the person or corporate officers submitting the bid. Said affidavit must be properly notarized. A non-collusion affidavit must accompany each bid. THIS REQUIREMENT WILL NOT BE WAIVED.

(11) An owner's list in accordance with P.L. 1977, Ch. 33, approved March 8, 1977, will also be supplied with the specifications in the usual form. It shall be completed by the person or corporate officers submitting the bid. Said owner's list must accompany each bid. THIS REQUIREMENT WILL NOT BE WAIVED.

(12) All bids shall be accompanied by the appropriate form relative to mandatory equal employment opportunity.

(13) Bidders are required to comply with the applicable statutory requirements and regulations adopted pursuant thereto, including but not limited to P.L. 1975, Ch.127; P.L. 1977, Ch. 33; P.L. 1963, Ch. 150; and P.L. 1933, Ch. 277, including all amendments thereto.

(14) No bidder may withdraw his proposal for a period of 60 days after the opening of bids; all proposals being binding upon all bidders for said 60-day period.