



**Request for Bid (RFB)**

**Boone County Purchasing**  
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**Bid Data**

Bid Number: **16-22MAR13**  
Commodity Title: **Exterior Window Cleaning Term & Supply**

**DIRECT BID FORMAT OR SUBMISSION QUESTIONS TO THE PURCHASING DEPARTMENT**

**Bid Submission Address and Deadline**

Day / Date: **Friday, March 22, 2013**  
Time: 1:30 P.M. (Bids received after this time will be returned unopened)  
Location / Mail Address: Boone County Purchasing Department  
Boone County Annex Building  
613 E. Ash Street, Room 109  
Columbia, MO 65201  
Directions: The Purchasing office is located on the Southeast corner at 7<sup>th</sup>  
Street and Ash Street. Enter the building from the South side.  
Wheel chair accessible entrance is available.

**MANDATORY Pre-Bid Conference**

Day / Date: **Friday, March 15, 2013**  
Time: **10:00 A.M. Central Time**  
Location: Boone County Annex Building Conference Room  
613 E. Ash Street  
Columbia, MO 65201

**Bid Opening Address and Deadline**

Day / Date: **Friday, March 22, 2013**  
Time: 1:30 P.M. C.S.T.  
Location / Address: Boone County Annex Conference Room  
613 E. Ash Street  
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**1. Introduction and General Conditions of Bidding**

- 1.1. **INVITATION** - The County of Boone, through its Purchasing Department, invites responses, which offer to provide the goods and/or services identified on the title page, and described in greater detail in Section 2.
- 1.2. **DEFINITIONS**
- 1.2.1. **County** - This term refers to the County of Boone, a duly organized public entity. It may also be used as a pronoun for various subsets of the County organization, including, as the context will indicate:  
*Purchasing* - The Purchasing Department, including its Purchasing Director and staff.  
*Department(s) or Office(s)* - The County Department/s or Office(s) for which this Bid is prepared, and which will be the end user(s) of the goods and/or services sought.  
*Designee* - The County employee(s) assigned as your primary contact(s) for interaction regarding Contract performance.
- 1.2.2. **Bidder / Contractor / Supplier** - These terms refer generally to businesses having some sort of relationship to or with us. The term may apply differently to different classes of entities, as the context will indicate.  
*Bidder* - Any business entity submitting a response to this Bid. Suppliers, which may be invited to respond, or which express interest in this bid, but which do not submit a response, have no obligations with respect to the bid requirements.  
*Contractor* - The Bidder whose response to this bid is found by Purchasing to meet the best interests of the County. The Contractor will be selected for award, and will enter into a Contract for provision of the goods and/or services described in the Bid.  
*Supplier* - All business(s) entities which may provide the subject goods and/or services.
- 1.2.3. **Bid** - This entire document, including attachments. A Bid may be used to solicit various kinds of information. The kind of information this Bid seeks is indicated by the title appearing at the top of the first page. An "Invitation For Bid" is used when the need is well defined. An "Invitation For Proposal" is used when the County will consider solutions, which may vary significantly from each other or from the County's initial expectations.
- 1.2.4. **Response** - The written, sealed document submitted according to the Bid instructions.
- 1.3. **BID CLARIFICATION** - Questions regarding this Bid should be directed in writing, preferably by fax or e-mail, to the Purchasing Department. Answers, citing the question asked but not identifying the questioner, will be distributed simultaneously to all known prospective Bidders. Note: Written requirements in the Bid or its Amendments are binding, but any oral communications between County and Bidder are not.
- 1.3.1. **Bidder Responsibility** - The Bidder is expected to be thoroughly familiar with all specifications and requirements of this Bid. Bidder's failure or omission to examine any relevant form, article, site or document will not relieve them from any obligation regarding this Bid. By submitting a Response, Bidder is presumed to concur with all terms, conditions and specifications of this Bid.
- 1.3.2. A **MANDATORY pre-bid conference** has been scheduled for **Friday, March 15, 2013 at 10:00 a.m.** at the Boone County Annex Building Conference Room, 613 E. Ash Street, Columbia, MO 65201. The purpose of the meeting will be to visit the locations where service is to be provided and address any questions or concerns regarding the bid. All bidders **MUST** attend.
- 1.3.3. **Bid Amendment** - If it becomes evident that this Bid must be amended, the Purchasing Department will issue a formal written Amendment to all known prospective Bidders. If necessary, a new due date will be established.
- 1.4. **AWARD** - Award will be made to the Bidder(s) whose offer(s) provide the greatest value to the County from the standpoint of suitability to purpose, quality, service, previous experience, price, lifecycle cost, ability to deliver, or for any other reason deemed by Purchasing to be in the best interest of the County. Thus, the result will not be determined by price alone. The County will be seeking the least costly outcome that meets the County needs as interpreted by the County.
- 1.5. **CONTRACT EXECUTION** - This Bid and the Contractor's Response will be made part of any resultant Contract and will be incorporated in the Contract as set forth, verbatim.
- 1.5.1. **Precedence** - In the event of contradictions or conflicts between the provisions of the documents

comprising this Contract, they will be resolved by giving precedence in the following order:

- 1) the provisions of the Contract (as it may be amended);
- 2) the provisions of the Bid;
- 3) the provisions of the Bidder's Response.

1.6. **COMPLIANCE WITH STANDARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS** - Bidder agrees to be bound by the County's standard "boilerplate" terms and conditions for Contracts, a sample of which is attached to this Bid.

**2. Primary Specifications**

- 2.1. **ITEMS AND/OR SERVICES TO BE PROVIDED** – Boone County, hereafter referred to as “County”, proposes to contract with an individual(s) or organization(s), hereinafter referred to as “Contractor” for a Term and Supply contract for the furnishing of all labor, materials, tools, equipment, transportation, services, and supervision to perform **Exterior Window Cleaning Services** to various properties of Boone County – Missouri on an annual and possibly semi-annual basis.
- 2.2. **CONTRACT PERIOD** - The Term and Supply Contract period shall be from **the date awarded through March 31, 2014**, but may be automatically renewed for up to an additional **four (4) one-year periods** unless canceled by the Purchasing Director in writing prior to a renewal period.
- 2.3. **CONTRACT EXTENSION** - The County Purchasing Director may exercise the option to extend the contract on a month-to-month basis for a maximum of 6 months from the date of termination if it is deemed to be in the best interest of Boone County.
- 2.4. **CONTRACT DOCUMENTS** - The successful bidder(s) shall be obligated to enter into a written contract with the County within 30 days of award on contract forms provided by the County. If bidders desire to contract under their own written agreement, any such proposed agreement shall be submitted in blank with their bid. County reserves the right to modify any proposed form agreement or withdraw its award to a successful bidder if any proposed agreement contains terms and conditions inconsistent with its bid or are unacceptable to County legal counsel.
- 2.5. **SERVICE LOCATIONS** - Services will be provided at the following County sites in Columbia, MO:
  - Boone County Government Center, 801 E. Walnut
  - Courthouse, 705 E. Walnut St.
  - Boone County Annex, 613 East Ash St.
- 2.6. **GENERAL CONDITIONS**
  - 2.6.1. This contract shall be for Exterior Window Cleaning services as requested by the Facilities Maintenance Department to meet the needs of various departments within Boone County on an “as needed” basis.
  - 2.6.2. In the event any provisions of the contract are not fulfilled by Contractor, and/or the quality of workmanship is deemed unsatisfactory by the County, the County may, upon written notice to the Contractor, terminate this contract within ten (10) days after such written notice.
  - 2.6.3. **Sub-Contractors:** No subcontractors shall be used without prior approval of the Facilities Maintenance Manager.
  - 2.6.4. **Contractor Qualifications and Experience:** The Contractor to whom an Exterior Window Cleaning Services contract is awarded must provide evidence that they have past experience in the type of work as outlined in the attached specifications for a minimum of three years. *Exhibit A – Prior Experience* may be used for this purpose.
  - 2.6.5. The Contractor must provide evidence that they have been licensed as a Window Cleaning Contractor in the State of Missouri for a period of not less than three consecutive years immediately preceding the submission of this bid and must currently be engaged in the business of such work.
    - 2.6.5.1. The bidder, at the time of bid submittal, shall possess the correct occupational licenses, all professional licenses or other authorizations necessary to carry out and perform the work required by the project pursuant to all-applicable Federal, State and Local laws, statutes, ordinances, and rules and regulations of any kind. Copies of licenses should be submitted with the bid indicating that the entity bidding the project is licensed to perform the activities or work included in the contract documents.
    - 2.6.5.2. The Bidder is assumed to be familiar with all Federal, State and Local laws, ordinances, rules and regulations that in any manner affect the work. Special attention is called to, but not limited to, the local environmental ordinances. Ignorance on the part of the bidder will in no way relieve the bidder from responsibility of compliance with all said laws, ordinances, rules and regulations.
- 2.7. The Contractor will be responsible for obtaining any and all required permits. The County shall be responsible for the cost of any and all permits.
- 2.8. **Billing & Payment:** Invoices must be submitted to Boone County Facility Maintenance for payment at: 613 E. Ash Street, Room 107, Columbia, MO 65201. Payment will be made 30 days after receipt of an accurate invoice.
- 2.9. **Contractor Responsibility / Service Requirements:**

- 2.9.1. **Work Hours:** The contractor shall provide service during normal business hours. Normal business hours are Monday - Friday 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and excluding holidays as defined in 4.9. The Facilities Maintenance Manager shall coordinate and schedule all cleanings. Contractor shall be required to perform services within 30 days after request and at the rates submitted in their bid response.
- 2.9.2. **Equipment/Safety:** The contractor shall be responsible for providing safety equipment required to protect its employees, the public, surrounding areas, equipment and vehicles. The safety of the contractor's employees and the public is of prime concern to the County, and the contractor must take all necessary steps to ensure proper safety during the performance of the contract. Any bidders that have a history of safety problems or a high incidence of accidents will not be considered for award of a contract.
- 2.9.3. **Workmanship:** Where not more specifically described in any of the various sections of these specifications, workmanship shall conform to all of the methods and operations of best standards and accepted practices of the trade or trades involved. All work shall be executed by personnel skilled in their respective lines of work.
- 2.9.4. **Quality of Work:** Windows shall be washed clean and free of streaks, smears and visible soap residue. Accumulated dirt, paint specks or other foreign debris must be scraped from the windows. Frames shall be scrubbed to remove all dried dirt, insects, debris and other materials so as to be considered clean by Facilities Maintenance Manager.
- 2.9.5. **Cleaning:** The contractor shall clean the exterior of windows only. Existing window screens must be cleaned and replaced. The contractor shall be responsible for any damages or breakage.
- 2.9.6. The contractor shall keep the premises clean of all rubbish and debris generated by the work involved and shall leave the premises neat and clean. The contractor, at the contractor's expense, shall dispose of all surplus material, rubbish, and debris. The work area shall be cleaned at the end of each workday. All materials, tools, equipment, etc., shall be removed or safely stored. The County is not responsible for theft or damage to the contractor's property. All possible safety hazards to workers or the public shall be corrected immediately and left in a safe condition at the end of each workday. If there is a question in this area, the Facilities Maintenance Manager shall be consulted.
- 2.9.7. **Final Inspection and Approval:** The Contractor shall request the Facilities Maintenance Manager conduct a site inspection after the project is complete. Final project approval is contingent upon the Facilities Maintenance Manager's final inspection.
- 2.9.8. **Property Damage:** The contractor shall be responsible for repair of any damage to County property and restoration of any facility damage, beyond normal wear and tear, caused by the contractor's activities. Repair and restoration shall be to the satisfaction of the County. Any repair/restoration of these damages shall be performed at no cost to the County.
- 2.9.10. Labor quoted shall include all labor and material cost, insurance, overhead, profit, mileage, and be exclusive of taxes.
- 2.10. **INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS** - The Contractor shall not commence work under this contract until they have obtained all insurance required under this paragraph and such insurance has been approved by the County. All policies shall be in amounts, form and companies satisfactory to the County which must carry an A-6 or better rating as listed in the A.M. Best or equivalent rating guide.
- 2.10.1. **Compensation Insurance** – Contractor shall take out and maintain during the life of this contract, **Employee's Liability and Workers Compensation Insurance** for all of their employees employed at the site of work, and in case any work is sublet, the Contractor shall require the subcontractor similarly to provide Worker's Compensation Insurance for all of the latter's employees unless such employees are covered by the protection afforded by the Contractor. Worker's Compensation coverage shall meet Missouri statutory limits. Employers' Liability limits shall be \$500,000.00 each employee, \$500,000.00 each accident, and \$500,000.00 policy limit. In case any class of employees engaged in hazardous work under this Contract at the site of the work is not protected under the Worker's Compensation Statute, the Contractor shall provide and shall cause each subcontractor to provide Employers' Liability Insurance for the protection of their employees not otherwise protected.
- 2.10.2. **Comprehensive General Liability Insurance** - The Contractor shall take out and maintain during the life of this contract, such comprehensive general liability insurance as shall protect them from claims for damages for personal injury including accidental death, as well as from claims for property damages, which may arise from operations under this contract, whether such operations be by themselves or by anyone directly or indirectly employed by them. The amounts of insurance shall be not less than \$1,000,000.00 per

project limit for any one occurrence covering both bodily injury and property damage, including accidental death. If the Contract involves any underground/digging operations, the general liability certificate shall include X, C, and U (Explosion, Collapse, and Underground) coverage. If providing Comprehensive General Liability Insurance, then the Proof of Coverage of Insurance shall also be included. **Proof of Coverage of Insurance** - The Contractor shall furnish the County with Certificate(s) of Insurance which name **the County of Boone – Missouri as additional insured** in an amount as required in this contract and requiring a thirty (30) day mandatory cancellation notice. In addition, such insurance shall be on an occurrence basis and shall remain in effect until such time as the County has made final acceptance of the project.

- 2.10.3. **Commercial Automobile Liability** – The Contractor shall maintain during the life of this contract, automobile liability insurance in the amount of not less than \$1,000,000.00 combined single limit for any one occurrence, covering both bodily injury, including accidental death, and property damage, to protect themselves from any and all claims arising from the use of the Contractor’s own automobiles, teams and trucks; hired automobiles, teams and trucks; and both on and off the site of work.
- 2.10.4. The Contractor has the option to provide **Owner’s Contingent or Protective Liability and Property Damage** instead of the **Comprehensive General Liability Insurance**- The Contractor shall provide the County with proof of Owner’s Protective Liability and Property Damage Insurance with the County as named insured, which shall protect the County against any and all claims which might arise as a result of the operations of the Contractor in fulfilling the terms of this contract during the life of the Contract. The minimum amounts of such insurance will be \$1,000,000.00 per occurrence, combined single limits. Limits can be satisfied by using a combination of primary and excess coverage. Should any work be subcontracted, these limits will also apply.
- 2.10.5. **Proof of Coverage of Insurance** - The Contractor shall furnish the County with Certificate(s) of Insurance which name **the County of Boone – Missouri as additional insured** in an amount as required in this contract and requiring a thirty (30) day mandatory cancellation notice. In addition, such insurance shall be on an occurrence basis and shall remain in effect until such time as the County has made final acceptance of the project.
- 2.11. **Indemnity Agreement** - To the fullest extent permitted by law, Contractor shall indemnify, hold harmless and defend the County of Boone, its directors, officers, agents, and employees from and against all claims arising by reason of any act or failure to act, negligent or otherwise, of Contractor, (meaning anyone, including but not limited to consultants having a contract with Contractor or subcontractor for part of the services), of anyone directly or indirectly employed by contractor, or of anyone for whose acts the Contractor may be liable, in connection with providing these services. This provision does not, however, require Contractor to indemnify, hold harmless or defend the County of Boone from its own negligence.
- 2.12. **Bid Clarification** - Any questions or clarifications concerning bid documents should be addressed in writing, PRIOR TO BID OPENING, to Amy Robbins, Senior Buyer, 613 E. Ash Street, Room 109, Columbia, Missouri 65201. Phone: (573) 886-4392 Fax: (573) 886-4390 or Email: [arobbins@boonecountymo.org](mailto:arobbins@boonecountymo.org).
- 2.13. **Designee** – Bob Davidson, Manager of Boone County Facilities Maintenance, 613 E. Ash Street, Room 106, Columbia, MO 65201.
- 2.14. The County of Boone reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids in the best interest of the County.

**3. Response Presentation and Review**

- 3.1. **RESPONSE CONTENT** - In order to enable direct comparison of competing Responses, Bidder must submit Response in strict conformity to the requirements stated herein. Failure to adhere to all requirements may result in Bidder's Response being disqualified as non-responsive. All Responses must be submitted using the provided Response Sheet. Every question must be answered and if not applicable, the section must contain "N/A." Manufacturer's published specifications for the items requested shall be included with the response.
- 3.2. **SUBMITTAL OF RESPONSES** - Responses ***MUST*** be received by the date and time noted on the title page under "Bid Submission Information and Deadline." NO EXCEPTIONS. The County is not responsible for late or incorrect deliveries from the US Postal Service or any other mail carrier.
- 3.2.1. **Submittal Package** - Submit, to the location specified on the title page, **three (3) complete copies** of your Response in a single sealed envelope, clearly marked on the outside with your company name and return address, **the proposal number and the due date and time.**
- 3.2.2. **Advice of Award** - The County's Bids, Bid Tabulations, and Bid Awards may be viewed on our web page at [www.showmeboone.com](http://www.showmeboone.com). View information under *Purchasing*.
- 3.3. **BID OPENING** - On the date and time and at the location specified on the title page under "Bid Opening," all Responses will be opened in public. Brief summary information from each will be read aloud.
- 3.3.1. **Removal from Vendor Database** - If any prospective Bidder currently in our Vendor Database to whom the Bid was sent elects not to submit a Response and fails to reply in writing stating reasons for not bidding, that Bidder's name may be removed from our database. Other reasons for removal include unwillingness or inability to show financial responsibility, reported poor performance, unsatisfactory service, or repeated inability to meet delivery requirements.
- 3.4. **RESPONSE CLARIFICATION** – The County reserves the right to request additional written or oral information from Bidders in order to obtain clarification of their Responses.
- 3.4.1. **Rejection or Correction of Responses** – The County reserves the right to reject any or all Responses. Minor irregularities or informalities in any Response which are immaterial or inconsequential in nature, and are neither affected by law nor at substantial variance with Bid conditions, may be waived at our discretion whenever it is determined to be in the County's best interest.
- 3.5. **EVALUATION PROCESS** – The County's sole purpose in the evaluation process is to determine from among the Responses received which one is best suited to meet the County's needs at the lowest possible cost. Any final analysis or weighted point score does not imply that one Bidder is superior to another, but simply that in our judgment the Contractor selected appears to offer the best overall solution for our current and anticipated needs at the lowest possible cost.
- 3.5.1. **Method of Evaluation** – The County will evaluate submitted Responses in relation to all aspects of this Bid.
- 3.5.2. **Acceptability** – The County reserves the sole right to determine whether goods and/or services offered are acceptable for County use.
- 3.5.3. **Endurance of Pricing** – Bidder's pricing must be held until contract execution or 60 days, whichever comes first.

4. **Response Form** – Submit three (3) complete copies of your Response in a single sealed envelope, clearly marked on the outside left corner with your company name and return address, the proposal number and the due date and time.

4.1. Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

4.2. Address: \_\_\_\_\_

4.3. City/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

4.4. Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

4.5. Fax Number: \_\_\_\_\_

4.6. E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

4.7. Federal Tax ID: \_\_\_\_\_

4.7.1. ( ) Corporation

( ) Partnership - Name \_\_\_\_\_

( ) Individual/Proprietorship - Individual Name \_\_\_\_\_

( ) Other (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_

4.8. **Exterior Window Cleaning Services:** We propose to furnish the equipment/material/services as indicated in this Bid Response including all labor, parts and material required to perform such work, provided to the County of Boone – Missouri, with transportation charges prepaid, and for the price quoted below. All equipment/material/service shall be furnished in accordance with the County of Boone – Missouri specifications attached hereto.

4.8.1. **Service Location**

**Cost Per Visit**

- |    |   |          |
|----|---|----------|
| 1. | Boone County Government Center, 801 E. Walnut St. | \$ _____ |
| 2. | Courthouse, 705 E. Walnut                         | \$ _____ |
| 3. | Boone County Annex Building, 613 E. Ash Street    | \$ _____ |

4.9. **Holidays:** The contractor shall list the holidays observed by their company: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Response Form (continued)**

4.10. The undersigned offers to furnish and deliver the articles or services as specified at the prices and terms stated and in strict accordance with the specifications, instructions and general conditions of bidding which have been read and understood, and all of which are made part of this order.

Authorized Representative (Sign By Hand):

\_\_\_\_\_

Type or Print Signed Name:

\_\_\_\_\_

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

4.11. Maximum % Increase 2<sup>nd</sup> Contract Period: \_\_\_\_\_%

Maximum % Increase 3<sup>rd</sup> Contract Period: \_\_\_\_\_%

Maximum % Increase 4th Contract Period: \_\_\_\_\_%

Maximum % Increase 5th Contract Period: \_\_\_\_\_%

4.12. Will you honor the submitted prices for purchase by other entities in Boone County who participate in cooperative purchasing with Boone County, Missouri? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

**EXHIBIT A**

**PRIOR EXPERIENCE**

(References of similar services for governmental agencies are preferred)

**1. Prior Services Performed for:**

Company Name:

Address:

Contact Name:

Telephone Number:

Date of Contract:

Length of Contract:

**Description of Prior Services (include dates):**

**2. Prior Services Performed for:**

Company Name:

Address:

Contact Name:

Telephone Number:

Date of Contract:

Length of Contract:

**Description of Prior Services (include dates):**

**3. Prior Services Performed for:**

Company Name:

Address:

Contact Name:

Telephone Number:

Date of Contract:

Length of Contract:

**Description of Prior Services (include dates):**

## STANDARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS - BOONE COUNTY, MISSOURI

1. Responses shall include all charges for packing, delivery, installation, etc., (unless otherwise specified) to the Boone County Department identified in the Request for Bid and/or Proposal.
2. The Boone County Commission has the right to accept or reject any part or parts of all bids, to waive technicalities, and to accept the offer the County Commission considers the most advantageous to the County. Boone County reserves the right to award this bid on an item-by-item basis, or an "all or none" basis, whichever is in the best interest of the County.
3. Bidders must use the bid forms provided for the purpose of submitting bids, must return the bid and bid sheets comprised in this bid, give the unit price, extended totals, and sign the bid.
4. When products or materials of any particular producer or manufacturer are mentioned in our specifications, such products or materials are intended to be descriptive of type or quality and not restricted to those mentioned.
5. Do not include Federal Excise Tax or Sales and Use Taxes in bid process, as law exempts the County from them.
6. The delivery date shall be stated in definite terms, as it will be taken into consideration in awarding the bid.
7. The County Commission reserves the right to cancel all or any part of orders if delivery is not made or work is not started as guaranteed. In case of delay, the Contractor must notify the Purchasing Department.
8. In case of default by the Contractor, the County of Boone will procure the articles or services from other sources and hold the Bidder responsible for any excess cost occasioned thereby.
9. Failure to deliver as guaranteed may disqualify Bidder from future bidding.
10. Prices must be as stated in units of quantity specified, and must be firm. Bids qualified by escalator clauses may not be considered unless specified in the bid specifications.
11. No bid transmitted by fax machine or **e-mail** will be accepted. **U.S. mail only.**
12. The County of Boone, Missouri expressly denies responsibility for, or ownership of any item purchased until same is delivered to the County and is accepted by the County.
13. The County reserves the right to award to one or multiple respondents. The County also reserves the right to not award any item or group of items if the services can be obtained from a state or other governmental entities contract under more favorable terms.
14. The County, from time to time, uses federal grant funds for the procurement of goods and services. Accordingly, the provider of goods and/or services shall comply with federal laws, rules and regulations applicable to the funds used by the County for said procurement, and contract clauses required by the federal government in such circumstances are incorporated herein by reference. These clauses can generally be found in the Federal Transit Administration's Best Practices Procurement Manual – Appendix A. Any questions regarding the applicability of federal clauses to a particular bid should be directed to the Purchasing Department prior to bid opening.
15. In the event of a discrepancy between a unit price and an extended line item price, the unit price shall govern.

16. Should an audit of Contractor's invoices during the term of the Agreement, and any renewals thereof, indicate that the County has remitted payment on invoices that constitute an over-charging to the County above the pricing terms agreed to herein, the Contractor shall issue a refund check to the County for any over-charges within 30-days of being notified of the same.

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## INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLIANCE WITH HOUSE BILL 1549

House Bill 1549 addresses the Department of Homeland Security's and the Social Security Administration's E-Verify Program (Employment Eligibility Verification Program) that requires the County to verify "lawful presence" of individuals when we contract for work/service; verify that contractor has programs to verify lawful presence of their employees when contracts exceed \$5,000; and a requirement for OSHA safety training for public works projects.

The County is required to obtain certification that the bidder awarded the attached contract participates in a federal work authorization program. To obtain additional information on the Department of Homeland Security's E-Verify program, go to:

<http://www.uscis.gov/portal/site/uscis/menuitem.eb1d4c2a3e5b9ac89243c6a7543f6d1a/?vgnextoid=75bce2e261405110VgnVCM1000004718190aRCRD&vgnnextchannel=75bce2e261405110VgnVCM1000004718190aRCRD>

Please complete and return form *Work Authorization Certification Pursuant to 285.530 RSMo* if your contract amount is in excess of \$5,000. **Attach to this form the first and last page of the E-Verify Memorandum of Understanding that you completed when enrolling.**

If you are an Individual/Proprietorship, then you must return the attached *Certification of Individual Bidder*. On that form, you may do one of the three options listed. Be sure to attach any required information for those options as detailed on the *Certification of Individual Bidder*. If you choose option number two, then you will also need to complete and return the attached form *Affidavit*.



**CERTIFICATION OF INDIVIDUAL BIDDER**

Pursuant to Section 208.009 RSMo, any person applying for or receiving any grant, contract, loan, retirement, welfare, health benefit, post secondary education, scholarship, disability benefit, housing benefit or food assistance who is over 18 must verify their lawful presence in the United States. Please indicate compliance below. Note: A parent or guardian applying for a public benefit on behalf of a child who is citizen or permanent resident need not comply.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. I have provided a copy of documents showing citizenship or lawful presence in the United States. (Such proof may be a Missouri driver’s license, U.S. passport, birth certificate, or immigration documents). Note: If the applicant is an alien, verification of lawful presence must occur prior to receiving a public benefit.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. I do not have the above documents, but provide an affidavit (copy attached) which may allow for temporary 90 day qualification.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. I have provided a completed application for a birth certificate pending in the State of \_\_\_\_\_. Qualification shall terminate upon receipt of the birth certificate or determination that a birth certificate does not exist because I am not a United States citizen.

\_\_\_\_\_ Applicant Date Printed Name

**AFFIDAVIT**  
**(Only Required for Certification of Individual Bidder (Option #2))**

State of Missouri                    )  
  )SS.  
County of \_\_\_\_\_            )

I, the undersigned, being at least eighteen years of age, swear upon my oath that I am either a United States citizen or am classified by the United States government as being lawfully admitted for permanent residence.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Social Security Number  
or Other Federal I.D. Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name

On the date above written \_\_\_\_\_ appeared before me and swore that the facts contained in the foregoing affidavit are true according to his/her best knowledge, information and belief.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:



**(Please complete and return with Contract)**

Certification Regarding  
Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion  
Lower Tier Covered Transactions

This certification is required by the regulations implementing Executive Order 12549, Debarment and Suspension, 29 CFR Part 98 Section 98.510, Participants' responsibilities. The regulations were published as Part VII of the May 26, 1988, Federal Register (pages 19160-19211).

(BEFORE COMPLETING CERTIFICATION, READ INSTRUCTIONS FOR CERTIFICATION)

- (1) The prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any Federal department or agency.
- (2) Where the prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

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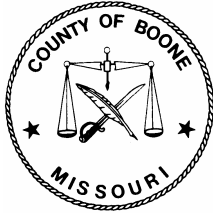
Name and Title of Authorized Representative

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Signature

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Date



*“No Bid” Response Form*

**Boone County Purchasing**  
613 E. Ash Street, Room 109  
Columbia, MO 65201

Amy Robbins, Senior Buyer  
(573) 886-4392– Fax: (573) 886-4390

**“NO BID RESPONSE FORM”**

**NOTE: COMPLETE AND RETURN THIS FORM ONLY IF YOU DO NOT WANT TO SUBMIT A BID**

If you do not wish to respond to this bid request, but would like to remain on the Boone County vendor list for this service/commodity, please remove form and return to the Purchasing Department by mail or fax.

If you would like to FAX this “No Bid” Response Form to our office, the FAX number is (573) 886-4390.

**Bid: 16-22MAR13 – Exterior Window Cleaning Term & Supply**

Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_