

PANOLA COUNTY, TEXAS

**INVITATION TO BID**

RETURN BID TO:

COUNTY JUDGE  
PANOLA COUNTY COURTHOUSE, ROOM 216A  
CARTHAGE, TEXAS 75633

The enclosed INVITATION TO BID (ITB) and accompanying SPECIFICATIONS AND BID SHEET are for your convenience in bidding the enclosed referenced service/products for Panola County.

Sealed bids shall be received no later than:

**9:00 AM., Tuesday February 14, 2023**

MARK ENVELOPE

**“BID, FOR 3 (THREE) DAY CAB TANDEM AXLE TRUCKS”**

Bidder shall sign and date the bid. Bids which are not signed and dated can be rejected. Bids must be submitted on the enclosed bid sheets and must be in ink or typewritten.

Panola County appreciates your time and effort in preparing this bid. Please note that all bids must be received at the designated location by the deadline shown. Bids received after the deadline will not be considered for the award of the contract, and shall be considered void and unacceptable. Opening is scheduled to be held in Commissioners Courtroom, Panola County Courthouse, Carthage, Texas. You are invited to attend.

Any questions concerning this invitation to Bid and specifications should be directed to Melanie Earle, Road and Bridge Warehouse Coordinator, at (903) 693-3763.

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SIGNATURE OF BIDDER

**INSTRUCTIONS/TERMS OF CONTRACT**

By order of the Commissioners Court of Panola County, Texas, sealed bids will be received for:

**“BID, FOR 3 (THREE) DAY CAB TANDEM AXLE TRUCKS”**

IT IS UNDERSTOOD that the Commissioners Court of Panola County, Texas reserves the right to reject any or all bids for any or all products and/or services covered in this bid request and to waive informalities or defects in bids or to accept such bids as it shall deem to be in the best interests of Panola County.

BIDS MUST BE submitted on the bid forms included for that purpose in this packet. Bids shall be placed in separate sealed envelopes, with **each page manually signed by a person having the authority to bind the firm in a contract** and marked clearly on the outside as shown below.

SUBMISSION OF BIDS: Sealed bids shall be submitted to:

**COUNTY JUDGE  
PANOLA COUNTY COURTHOUSE, ROOM 216A  
CARTHAGE, TEXAS 75633**

**Not later than 9:00 AM, Tuesday February 14, 2023**

MARK ENVELOPES:

**“BID, FOR 3 (THREE) DAY CAB TANDEM AXLE TRUCKS”**

**ALL BIDS MUST BE RECEIVED IN THE COUNTY JUDGE’S OFFICE  
BEFORE OPENING DATE AND TIME**

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SIGNATURE OF BIDDER

**“BID, (THREE) DAY CAB TANDEM AXLE TRUCKS”**

PANOLA COUNTY IS CURRENTLY ACCEPTING BIDS FOR 3 (THREE) DAY CAB TANDEM AXLE TRUCKS FOR USE BY PANOLA COUNTY ROAD AND BRIDGE DEPT. PCT. 1, 2, & 3. THE TRUCKS SHOULD MEET THE FOLLOWING SPECIFICATIONS:

1. Trucks shall be at least a **new/used** model tandem axle truck
2. Engine: 450 to 500 hp. Diesel
3. Transmission: automatic or manual transmission.
4. Axle: 6x4
5. Misc.: Power steering/brakes, a/c; AM-FM radio; Wet Kit
6. GVWR: No less than 52,000 lbs.
7. Color: N/A
8. Warranty: Standard warranty
9. Delivery: Bidder shall deliver truck to Road and Bridge Warehouse.

QUESTIONS CONCERNING THIS BID SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO MELANIE EARLE, ROAD and BRIDGE WAREHOUSE COORDINATOR AT 903-693-3763.

SIGNATURE OF BIDDER \_\_\_\_\_

BID FORM AND CONTRACT

**“BID, FOR 3 (THREE) DAY CAB TANDEM AXLE TRUCKS”**

TO THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF PANOLA COUNTY, TEXAS FOR FURNISHING  
AND DELIVERING TO PANOLA COUNTY, TEXAS FOR USE BY PANOLA COUNTY  
ROAD AND BRIDGE DEPT. PCT. 1, 2, & 3.  
IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE FOREGOING SPECIFICATIONS:

The undersigned, as bidder, declares that the only person or persons interested in this bid as principals are those named herein; that this bid is made without collusion with any other person, firm or corporation; and that I (we) have carefully examined the advertisement, instructions to bidders, specifications, and condition of payment. It is understood that the Court reserves the right to accept or reject and/or all bids.

**TOTAL PRICE** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Exceptions to specifications:

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**SIGNATURE OF BIDDER** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS

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CITY            STATE            ZIP

\_\_\_\_\_  
TELEPHONE NUMBER

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

ACCEPTED:

\_\_\_\_\_  
COUNTY JUDGE

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE