

BID SUBMITTAL FORM
Alabama County Joint Bid Program
Heavy Equipment – Bid Item: 6 FT. Road Widener

Company Name: Pittman Tractor Company
Address: 9652 Milton Jones Rd, Daphne, AL 36526.

Bid Submitted by: Lee Pittman
(Name of company representative)

Title: Business Development Manager E-mail address: Lee@PittmanTractor.com
Phone: 251-621-3555 Fax: 251-621-5626

By submitting this bid, we agree:

Initials

The equipment model number identified below meets the bid specs for this bid item

LP

That the bid price will be honored for all counties for the period from **January 1, 2026 to June 30, 2026.**

LP

The equipment will be delivered at the bid price to all counties participating in the joint bid program.

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The company acknowledges the freight preparation and delivery price is to be included in the total bid price for the standard machine.

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The company representative listed above will be the contact person for purchasing this bid item under the joint bid program.

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The bid is accompanied by a current catalog or model specification document for the model number identified below.

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The bid is accompanied by a copy of the manufacturer's standard warranty as required in the bid specifications.

LP

The bid includes the E-Verify documentation required by Alabama law.

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We comply with, and if awarded the contract, we will comply with, the requirements of Section 41-16-50 and Sections 41-16-160 to -166, Code of Alabama 1975.

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If awarded the bid, a performance bond will be provided upon request.

LP

The bid documents include the **Manufacturer's Suggested Retail Price Sheet (MSRP) for the Standard Machine.**

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Total Bid Price for Standard Machine: \$ 192,718.90
(Total Bid Price for Standard Machine Includes Freight Preparation, Delivery and Standard Warranty Costs) *

Freight Preparation and Delivery: \$ 5,500.00
(Included in Standard Machine Bid Price)

Manufacturer's Suggested Retail Price for Standard Machine: \$ 208,021.00

Equipment Model #: Midland SAR-6

Description: Self Propelled 6FT Widener.

Signature of company representative submitting bid: 

Title: Business Development Mgr.

* **NOTE:** Award will be made based on the total cost of the **Standard Machine**. The total cost of the standard machine is to include freight preparation, delivery and standard warranty cost. Freight preparation and delivery will be excluded from the total bid price of the standard machine in determining the percentage discount for any available options.

BID SUBMITTAL FORM: OPTION COST SHEET

By submitting this bid, we agree:

To offer any available options at the percent difference between the Manufacturer's Suggested Retail Price Sheet and the actual bid price on the Standard Machine*

LV

The bid documents include the **Manufacturer's Suggested Retail Price Sheet (MSRP)** for the Standard Machine

LV

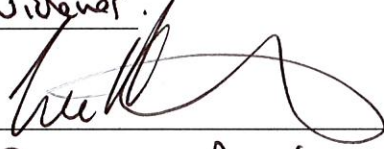
Equipment Model #:

Modular SRR-6

Description:

Self Propelled 6ft widener.

Signature of company representative submitting bid:



Title:

Business Development Manager

***Note:** The percent difference between the **Manufacturer's Suggested Retail Price Sheet (MSRP)** for the standard machine as specified by these **Bid Specifications** and the actual price bid by the vendor will be calculated to determine the percentage discount to be applied to any available options. The bid price of the freight preparation, delivery cost shall be excluded in determining the percentage discount to be applied to available options. Any individual county may choose to add any available option to the standard machine at the percentage discount at the time of purchase.

BID SPECIFICATIONS FOR BID ITEM – 6Ft. Self-Propelled Road Widener

GENERAL

These specifications shall be construed as the minimum acceptable standards for a **6 Ft. Self-propelled Road Widener**. Should the manufacturer's current published data or specifications exceed these standards, the manufacturer's standards shall be considered minimum and shall be furnished. All integral parts not specifically mentioned in the scope of these specifications that are necessary to provide a complete working unit shall be furnished. Additionally, the machine offered for bid shall include all standard manufacturer's equipment. The roller must be a new current production model. The roller must be a new current production model and shall meet all EPA and other applicable standards at the time of manufacture.

The use of specific names and numbers in the specifications is not intended to restrict the bidder or any seller or manufacturer but is intended solely for the purpose of indicating the type, size, and quality of equipment considered best adapted to the uses of counties participating in this joint bid.

BID SUBMITTAL FORM

Each bidder must submit his or her bid on the Bid Submittal Form included in the invitation to bid package. All written warranties to be submitted shall be attached to the Bid Submittal Form.

BID PRICE

The price bid shall include all destination charges, delivery charges, title fees, rebates, and all other applicable costs and refunds.

MANUALS

Each unit shall be provided with one (1) copy of the operator's manual, (1) copy of the repair manual and one (1) copy of the current parts manual. Units will not be accepted for delivery until the manuals as outlined above are received by the purchaser.

REPLACEMENT PARTS AVAILABILITY

Parts must be available for 5 years or 7,500 hours of use for the piece of equipment bid. If replacement parts are not delivered within three (3) working days of an order being placed, the bidder will deliver an equivalent machine for the county to use at no cost to the county until such time as the parts are delivered to the county so it can affect repairs to its machine.

WARRANTY

Bidders shall submit a copy of the manufacturer's standard warranty. Warranty shall include service response time of maximum of 36 hours within notification by county.

Yes X No
Page# 1
or
Attachment

**BID SPECIFICATIONS
FOR
BID ITEM – 6Ft. Self-Propelled Road Widener**

ENGINE

The engine shall be a Diesel Engine Kohler KDI2504TCR or equal -62 HP

Yes X No
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DRIVING AND STEERING

Front Wheel.

Yes X No
Page # 2

TRANSMISSION TWO SPEED HYDROSTATIC TRACTION DRIVE

Travel speed 0-8 mph.

Yes X No
Page # 2+7

Work speeds 0-150 ft./min

Yes X No
Page # 2+7

MIDLAND SP-6 or Equal

Working Width 10 Ft.

Yes X No
Page # 2+7

Operating Weight—12,000 lbs.

Yes X No
Page # 2+7

Receiving Hopper Folding-- capacity 2.5 cubic yards.

Yes X No
Page # 8+7

Push Rollers, self-cleaning pivoting with extendable frame to 14 inches.

Yes X No
Page # 5+4+7

Conveyor (Right-hand discharge) 18-inch-wide, Heat and oil resistant. Drive Chains Bolted to Conveyor belt. Variable speed hydraulic drive to 300 tp.

Yes X No
Page # 2+3+7

STRIKE OFF BLADES

Spread Width 1 to 6 feet

Yes X No
Page # 2+7

Blade Height 18 inches.

Yes X No
Page # 4+1

Hydraulic Grade Control 6inches above or below grade.

Yes X No
Page # 2

Slope Control +or-16%

Yes X No
Page # 4

TIRES

Four, Pneumatic 255/70R/22.5

Yes X No
Page # 2 & 7

BRAKES

Hydraulic/Air brakes, spring actuated-Emergency/ Parking

Yes X No
Page # 2 & 3

DIMENSIONS

Overall Length 15 ft. 8 in.

Yes X No
Page # 2

Overall Width, Travel 8 ft.6 in.

Yes X No
Page # 2

Overall Height 8ft. 0 in. max

Yes X No
Page # 2

Inside Turning Radius 17ft. 0 in.

Yes X No
Page # 2 & 7

Wheelbase 8 ft. 0 in.

Yes X No
Page # 2

TRACK WIDTH

5 inches

Yes X No
Page # 2 & 7

? Believe this
is supposed to
be 5 Feet.

WARRANTY AND DISCLAIMER



101 Cranbrook Ext.,
Tonawanda, NY 14150
(716) 692-1200

Midland warrants to the original purchaser only, that each part of the Road Building Machine, or components or other manufactured items, sold herein under normal use and service, shall be free from defects in workmanship and material for 365 days (1 year) and 1000 working hours, from initial start-up, whichever occurs first, except that this warranty shall not apply to tires, engines, batteries, manufactured hydraulic components, which items shall be subject to the original manufacturers' warranty. No adjustment shall be made for defective items unless notice is given in writing within ten days after the defect is noted and the equipment is immediately taken out of service. Use of equipment thereafter shall constitute acceptance and waiver of the alleged defects.

This warranty shall be fulfilled by Midland repairing or replacing at its authorized location, products or parts that have been returned to it with transportation charges prepaid and that appear to its satisfaction to have been defective in workmanship or material.

The foregoing specific warranty is in lieu of any other expressed or implied warranties including any implied warranty of merchantability or fitness for a particular use, and any other obligation on part of Midland. Midland shall not be responsible under this warranty for any loss of use of the equipment, loss of time, inconvenience, commercial loss or consequential damage.

No agent, employee or representative of Midland has any authority to bind Midland to any affirmation, representation or warranty concerning the machine sold under this contract not stated within, and unless an affirmation, representation or warranty made by an agent, employee or representative is specifically included within this written agreement, it shall not be enforceable against Midland.

IMPORTANT



WARRANTY CARD

NOTE: NO CLAIMS ARE HONORED UNLESS WARRANTY IS ESTABLISHED

MODEL: _____ SERIAL NO.: _____

TYPE OF ENGINE: _____ SERIAL NO. OF ENGINE: _____

MACHINE HAS BEEN: SOLD: _____ RENTED: _____ DATE: _____

DEALER: _____

PURCHASED BY/RENTED TO: _____

ADDRESS OF ABOVE: _____

SIGNED BY: _____ TITLE: _____

FACTORY COPY

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MIDLAND MACHINERY CO., INC.
101 CRANBROOK EXT.
TONAWAWANDA, NY 14150
Ph:(716) 692-1200.
FAX:(716) 692-1206

MODEL SPR-6 (62 HP)-SELF-PROPELLED ROAD WIDENER/SHOULDER MACHINE

DETAILED SPECIFICATIONS

SCOPE

A self-propelled, turbo charged diesel powered, hydrostatically driven, rubber tired road widener/shoulder paving machine shall be supplied. It shall be suitable for receiving, feeding, and spreading aggregate and bituminous paving materials to proper grade slope to the right of the working lane for widths from 1 to 6 feet (1.82 m).

OVERALL DIMENSIONS(APPROXIMATE)

LENGTH: 15 ft. -8 in . (4.8 m)
HEIGHT: 8 ft. - 0 in. (2.44 m)
WIDTH: (Minimum for Travel). 8 ft. - 6 in. (2.6 m) (Working width 10 ft.)
WHEELBASE: 96 in. (244 cm)
WEIGHT: 12,000 lbs. (5,455 kg)
CAPACITY: Variable to 300 tons per hour (272 tonnes/hr.)
WIDTH OF SPREAD: Standard 1 ft. to 6 ft.;
DEPTH OF SPREAD: 9 in. (22.86cm) below to 9 in. (22.86 cm) above pavement.

TRACTION DRIVE

Heavy duty front wheel planetary drive, front wheel steer axle, with hi-traction differential for maximum tractive effort at highest concentration of load. Front tires (2)255/70R22.5. Hydrostatic drive is variable displacement, infinitely adjustable, directly coupled to axle. Inside turn radius 17ft. Full reverse.

Paving Speed Range: 0-150 Feet/Minute (46 m/min.)
Travel Speed Range: 0-8 Miles Per Hour (18 km/hr.)

Rigid rear axle with SAHR parking brake and (2)225/70R22.5 tires.

ENGINE

Turbo charged diesel, water cooled 4 cylinder 62 HP @ 2600 RPM – KDI 2504TCR Tier 4 final, 40 gallon (187 L) fuel tank with gauge. Automatic engine shutdown for high temperature and/or low oil pressure. Two Stage Air cleaner with replaceable elements, replaceable oil filter and fuel filter. Engine gauges include coolant temperature, oil pressure, hour meter, RPM; key switch start and stop. Throttle, adjustable electric toggle switch.

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HYDRAULIC SYSTEM

Individual hydrostatic variable displacement pumps provide power to traction drive and conveyor drive system with fixed displacement pump for hydraulic cylinders, braking and steering.

CONTROLS

Control station shall include operator's seat with seat belt and operating controls shall be grouped together at lockable control panel.

Throttle shall be located on control station together with oil pressure gauge, engine temperature gauge, ammeter and tachometer.

Operator's control station shall include: direction and ground speed control, conveyor system control (variable speed and on-off), transmission shift control (low and high range), power steering control, steering wheel, brake pedal and parking brake (spring actuated, air/hydraulic release) warning light, emergency brake panic control, spreader blade grade (vertical) & slope (horizontal) adjustment valves, blade extension valve (optional-if provided), hydraulic push roller valve (optional-if provided), hopper lift valve and horn button.

HOPPER

Welded steel construction, sloping rear panel for easy material feeding with integrated vertical sloping tail gate protection tubes, vertical RH end panel with weighted conveyor door to retain shouldering materials while conveyor is idle, integrated front bumper w/rubber apron to retain shouldering materials and provide sealing contact area for truck chassis/dump body, integrated conveyor and push roller tubes.

Width-inside: 9 ft. 8 in. minimum (2.95 m)

Apron: Full width of hopper, 3/4" thick rubber type (1.905 cm)

Capacity: 2.5 cubic yards (1.92 cu. m).

FOLDING HOPPER

Hydraulically raised and lowered folding hopper end located at the left hand side of the hopper shall be provided to eject accumulated paving materials by gravity feeding these materials to the conveyor area for removal and placement.

Folding hopper end shall raise into up position for transit, as well, to allow a total legal transit width of 8 ft.-6 in.(2.6 m)

CONVEYOR

Variable drive -high torque hydraulic motor mounted on drive roller shaft and conveyor output speed shall be adjustable from the operator's control panel.

Belt - conveyor belt must be 18" (45.7 cm) wide positive chain drive type to eliminate slippage and wandering under load.

Belt shall consist of two (2) ply rubber belting with two (2) drive chains bolted to each edge of the heat and oil resistant rubber conveyor belt.

Belt splice shall be bolted hinged type,

Single drive roller shall have two (2) drive sprockets for driving the positive drive conveyor belt with chains.

Conveyor Rollers -conveyor idlers rollers shall be positioned to support conveyor belt and be ball bearing type. Conveyor must be supported by a minimum of 19 rollers to reduce belt deflection and stress on the belt when starting under load. Idlers rollers shall be spaced on minimum centers to properly support belt and minimize material leakage beneath sideboard.

Sideboards - shall be replaceable rubber type. Mounting must be in a retainer for easy access with removable steel plate covers for protection from hopper load.

VERTICAL ADJUSTABLE SUPPORT COLUMN WITH STRIKE-OFF BLADE

Support Column tube shall be adjustable to allow raising or lower spreader blade travel to meet varying project conditions including placing materials further below grade than standard settings allow and shall be heavy duty for stability at various widths.

Manual Hydraulic Control- Grade:

Strike-off height (grade) shall be hydraulically adjustable from operator control panel – 18 in. (45.72 cm) either up or down.

Manual Hydraulic Control-Slope:

Strike-off slope shall be hydraulically adjustable from operator control panel and use hydraulic cylinder for both positive and negative slope adjustment. (+ or - 16 %)

Push bar shall be provided to keep strike-off blade in proper position once set to place materials and be telescoping type with quick pins for fast set-up and changes.

Inside Edge Plate - shall be provided to keep paving material in front of the strike-off and away from the main road surface.

Outer Edge Plate - shall be provided at the outer end of the strike-off blade to retain shoulder paving material within the desired width.

Blade Strike-off Height- shall be 18 inches

PUSH ROLLERS

Rollers – shall be self-cleaning and oscillating type to maintain proper truck alignment. Rigid rollers not acceptable.

Frame - push roller frame must be extendable (14" (35 cm) travel) to match with various types of trucks.

PAINT

Shall be "Highway Orange".

STRIPING

All striping shall be reflective for maximum night time roadside visibility.

MANUALS

Two (2) copies of Operators, Parts and Service manuals shall be provided with delivery of asphalt paving machine.

OPTIONS

HYDRAULIC VARIABLE WIDTH STRIKE-OFF, 1-2 ft. additional blade width – [12" STROKE, (30 cm)]

HYDRAULIC PUSH ROLLER ASSEMBLY – to meet varying truck axle offsets

WASH DOWN – Electric pump from diesel tank with 20 ft. (6.1 mtrs) hose with nozzle on reel.

LIGHTS – Head lights, tail lights, 4 way hazard warning and rotating beacon.

"FIRST AID KIT" - includes: electric switches, dash lights and solenoids.

REPAIR PARTS KIT - includes: conveyor belt w/drive chain and splice, set of sideboard rubbers, 6 conveyor rollers, 1 hydraulic grade blade lift cylinder seal kit, 1-hydraulic blade slope cylinder seal kit, 1 hydraulic blade extension cylinder seal kit, hydraulic filter and engine oil, fuel and air filters.





Get more done. Transport on your schedule.

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SPR-6

Self-Propelled Road Widener



FAST, PRODUCTIVE, PURPOSE-BUILT

Whether the job requires hot mix, stone, gravel, or topsoil, the SPR-6 will spread neatly and accurately from 1 ft to 6 ft wide. The conveyor will not slip with cold, hot, oily, or sticky materials. Built for right-side discharge, the SPR-6 is an easy-to-operate, no-nonsense workhorse capable of spreading material up to 300 TPH. Intuitive controls are simple and operator panel located for best sight lines and visibility of road edge, material delivery truck and work area. Transport without restrictions, nights, days or weekends. The SPR-6 incorporates a hydraulic folding hopper allowing a legal transportation width of 8ft 6in, eliminating the need for special permits. Get to the job and get the job done anywhere, anytime!

The Midland SPR-6 makes it easy to get to the jobsite and get the job done right!

SPR-6

Self-Propelled Road Widener

Compact Folding Hopper Design for Transport
No Need for Overwidth Permits

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- ▶ 8 ft. 6 in. (2.6 m) Transport Width
- ▶ Right Hand Discharge
- ▶ Spread Width: 1 to 6ft. (.3m - 2m)
- ▶ Variable Speed Hydraulic/Chain Drive Conveyor 300 TPH
- ▶ 62 HP Tier IVf/Stage IIIB Diesel Hydraulic Power
- ▶ Low Cost of Operation - Easy to Transport
- ▶ Front Wheel Drive and Steering



SPECIFICATIONS

Engine:

Model KDI 2504 TCR – 62 HP Turbocharged
Diesel Engine Tier IV final
Hydraulic Drives
Front Steering /Drive Axle
Two Speed Hydrostatic Transmission
Hydraulic/Air Brakes
Spring Actuated Emergency/Parking Brake
Travel Speed: 0 - 8mph (18km/hr)
Working Speed: 0 - 150ft/min.(46m/min)

Strike off Blade:

1 to 6ft. (1.82m) Spread Width, 18in (0.46m) High
1ft. (30cm) & 2ft (60cm) Modular Blade Sections
-Optional Hydraulic Section 1 to 2 ft. (30 to 60 cm)
Hydraulic Grade Control - 12 in. (30.5 cm)
above and Below Grade
Hydraulic Slope Control +/-16%

Receiving Hopper:

L.H. Folding
2.5 Cubic Yards (1.92cu. m)
10 ft (3.05m) Inside Working Width
Material Bib - 3/4in thick (1.905cm) Full Width
Reinforced Rubber

Conveyor:

High Torque Hydraulic Motor Drive
Mounted on Conveyor Drive Roller
Shaft w/Sprockets
18in (46cm) wide, Heat and Oil Resistant
Conveyor Belt Bolted to Drive Chains,
Variable Speed Hydraulic Drive to 300tph

Dimensions:

Length: 15ft 8in (4.8m)
Width: Travel - 8ft 6in (2.6m)
Working - 10ft (3.05m)
Height: 8ft (2.44m)
Turning Radius 17ft (5.18m)
Wheelbase: 8ft (2.44m)
Weight: 12,000lbs (5488kg)
Track Width: 5ft (1.52m)
(4) 255/70R 22.5 Pneumatic Tires

Push Rollers:

Oscillating, Self Cleaning and
Extendible 14in (36 cm)



OPTIONAL FEATURES:

- Hydraulic Strike-off Blade Extension 1 to 2ft (30 - 61cm)
- Hydraulically Extending Truck Push Rollers
- Light package - Head and Tail Lights, Warning Beacon
- Washdown System - Electric Pump, 20ft (6m) Hose/Reel & Hand Nozzle
- Trench Fill Strike off Box - Levels Material Down to 34in.
(86 cm) Below Grade



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SPR-6 Model Price List
Effective-01/01/2026
 Supersedes 03/03/2025

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E-Verify



Company ID Number: 579304

To be accepted as a participant in E-Verify, you should only sign the Employer's Section of the signature page. If you have any questions, contact E-Verify at 888-464-4218.

Employer Pittman Tractor Co, Inc

Lynn Pittman

Name (Please Type or Print)

Title

Electronically Signed

Signature

07/09/2012

Date

Department of Homeland Security – Verification Division

USCIS Verification Division

Name (Please Type or Print)

Title

Electronically Signed

Signature

07/09/2012

Date

Information Required for the E-Verify Program

Information relating to your Company:

Company Name: Pittman Tractor Co, Inc

Company Facility Address: 9652 Milton Jones Road

Daphne, AL 36526

Company Alternate

Address: P.O. Box 26

Montrose, AL 36559

County or Parish: BALDWIN

Employer Identification

Number: 630991112

INVITATION TO BID HEAVY EQUIPMENT

NOTICE OF BID OPENING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Association of County Commissions of Alabama, which administers the Alabama County Joint Bid Program on behalf of Alabama's county governing bodies, shall receive and open bids for the purchase of zero (0) or more items of heavy road equipment at its office located at 2 North Jackson Street, Montgomery, Alabama, at **10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, November 18, 2025**. Bid specifications are available at <http://www.alabamacounties.org/heavy-equipment/> for each of the following items:

Track Mount Excavators
Compact Excavators
Mini Track Excavators
Wheeled Excavators
Highway Speed Truck Excavators
Motor Graders
Wheel Loaders
Heavy Duty Dump Chassis
Lowboy Tractors
Lowboy Trailers
Half Round End Dump
Skid Steer Loader and Attachments
Ride-on Industrial Boom Mowers
Rubber Tire Roller
Vibratory Roller

One-man Pothole Patchers
Trailer Mount Mastic Patcher/Crack Sealer
Trailer Mounted Patcher – Diesel
Trailer Mounted Patcher – Air Compressor/Tools
Chip Spreader
Asphalt Distributor
Asphalt Milling Attachments
Asphalt Storage Tanks
Backhoes
Bulldozers
Dump Bodies
Road Wideners
Ride On Industrial Boom Mowers

Time is of the essence in submitting bids and only bids received in the Association office by 10:00 a.m. Central Time on Tuesday, November 18, 2025 will be opened and considered. Bidders and any other interested individuals are invited to attend the bid opening.

NOTICE OF BID OPENING PROCEDURES

All bids for Heavy Equipment will be opened and the name(s) of the bidders read aloud on the morning of the bid opening on Tuesday, November 18, 2025 at 10:00 a.m. at 2 North Jackson Street, Montgomery, AL. The specifics of each bid submitted will be compiled by the Association staff thereafter and will be available, upon written or emailed request, one week after the bid opening. Requests should be emailed to jointbid@alabamacounties.org.

THE INVITATION PACKAGE

The invitation package for each item to be bid includes: this invitation to bid, the written bid specifications for the particular item of heavy road equipment, and a Bid Submittal Form to be used in submitting a bid for that particular item. Bidders should verify that they have received all pages of the invitation package. If there are any omissions, the bidder should contact Kenya Howard in the Association office by mail, fax, or e-mail (jointbid@alabamacounties.org) to request missing pages. It is the responsibility of the bidder to make this request in sufficient time to prepare and submit the bid in time for the bid opening. Bidders should carefully read and comply with all parts of the invitation package, including all attachments and/or any addendum.

PREPARING AND SUBMITTING BIDS

All bids must be typed or handwritten in ink on the attached Bid Submittal Form. **The completed Bid Submittal Form shall be placed in front of and separated from all other documents included in the bid packet, such that it will be the first document viewed upon opening the bid packet.**

Bids submitted in pencil and bids not submitted on the Bid Submittal Form **will not** be considered. All bids shall include a current catalog or model specification document for the equipment model number being offered for consideration. Bids submitted without such documentation **will not** be considered. Only information contained on the attached Bid Submittal Form and in the model specification document will be considered in evaluating bids.

Each separate requirement in the bid specification includes a block for indicating whether or not the item bid meets the specification. The bidder shall indicate compliance with each requirement by checking "Yes" or "No" in the block to the right of each bid specification. In addition, the bidder shall indicate the page number in the supplied manufacturer's equipment literature on which compliance with the specification can be verified. Failure to complete this portion of the bid form may result in the subject bid not being considered.

Each bid for one of the heavy equipment items included in the bid package must be submitted on the Bid Submittal Form for that item and forwarded in a separate envelope with the bid item and item number clearly identified on the outside of the envelope. Envelopes containing a "no bid" shall also include the words "NO BID" on the outside of the envelope. Facsimiles and e-mails will not be accepted. Bids submitted by "Express/Overnight" services must be in a separate inner envelope or package sealed and identified as stated above. All bids must be received in the Association office prior to the bid opening. Bids received after the deadline will be returned unopened.

The County Joint Bid Program reserves the right to require a performance bond from successful bidders as permitted under Alabama law. However, **no bid bond is required for this bid offering.**

All bids should be mailed or hand-delivered to:

**ATTN: Alabama County Joint Bid Program
Association of County Commissions of Alabama or ACCA
2 North Jackson Street, FL 7, Montgomery, Alabama 36104 (Physical Address)
P.O. Box 5040, Montgomery, Alabama 36103 (Mailing Address)**

BID SPECIFICATIONS

Please note that each piece of heavy equipment available for bid may include several different sizes and categories of machines. You should read each set of specifications very carefully as the differences vary depending upon the piece and size of equipment.

The award will be based on the total cost of the **Standard Machine** bid by the lowest responsible bidder. Each Bid shall include a **Manufacturer's Suggested Retail Price Sheet (MSRP)** for each machine bid. The percent difference between the Manufacturer's Suggested Retail Price (MSRP) for the standard machine as specified by these bid specifications and the actual price bid by the vendor will be calculated and that percentage discount shall be applied to any options an individual county may choose to add to the machine.

Both parties agree that the Vendor SHALL extend to ALL counties purchasing this equipment any factory discounts, incentives or rebates that become available during the Contract Period; provided that there are no alterations from the bid specifications for this item required in order to receive the discount, incentive, or rebate. FURTHER, BOTH PARTIES AGREE THAT THE VENDOR SHALL EXTEND TO ALL COUNTIES PURCHASING THIS EQUIPMENT THE SAME PURCHASE PRICE AND DISCOUNTS AS THEY ARE AWARDED ON ANY OTHER NATIONAL PURCHASING COOPERATIVE APPROVED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF EXAMINERS OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS FOR USE BY ALABAMA COUNTIES.

Once the bids have been awarded, any county participant purchasing under this program may, at its discretion, add any of the vendor's available options at the same discount off the Manufacturer's Suggested Retail Price Sheet as was applied to the Standard Machine Price Bid.

Any use of specific names and/or model numbers in the attached specifications is not intended to restrict the bidder or any seller or manufacturer, but is included solely for the purpose of indicating the type, size, and quality of materials, product services, or equipment considered best adapted to the use of the counties participating in the joint bid program.

ACQUISITION AND FINANCING OPTIONS

The awarded Vendor will provide the equipment, including any options required by the purchaser, at the awarded price as contracted through the Joint Bid Program. The purchaser may secure its own financing to acquire the equipment or execute any financial options available under Alabama law with the awarded Vendor in order to acquire the equipment.

BIDDER QUALIFICATIONS

All bidders and all program participants must be in compliance with any applicable federal, state, county and municipal laws, regulations, resolutions and ordinances, including but not limited to, licensing, permitting, and taxation requirements. All bidders should be prepared to submit evidence or documentation as proof that they are properly licensed and permitted under any applicable laws upon request. Such evidence or documentation may be submitted with the bid. **Additionally, all bidders shall provide proof that they are in compliance with the E-Verify requirements of Alabama's Immigration Law (Ala. Code § 31-13-1 et seq.). All bidders shall also affirm that they are in compliance with, and will comply with, Alabama's anti-boycott law (Ala. Code § 41-16-5) and anti-economic boycott law (Ala. Code § 41-16-160 et seq.).**

BID AWARD

The Houston County Commission will serve as the awarding authority for all bids and will award all contracts at a regular meeting of the Houston County Commission. Any and all bids submitted in compliance with this invitation to bid shall be considered, and award will be made to the lowest responsible bidder meeting bid specifications as determined by the awarding authority in compliance with Alabama law. All bids will be reviewed and evaluated by a committee created for that purpose, which committee will make comments and recommendations to the awarding authority regarding the award. All factors contained in each invitation package will be evaluated in determining the successful bidder, and any omissions of the stated requirements may be cause for rejection of the bid submitted. The awarding authority reserves the right to reject any and all bids, to waive any informality in bids, and to accept in whole or in part such bid or bids solely at its discretion.

The contract period will be six (6) months with an option to renew each six (6) months not to exceed a period of three (3) years under identical price, terms, and conditions upon the mutual consent of the vendor and the awarding authority. Any renewal contract shall be approved in writing by the vendor and the awarding authority no later than **60 days** prior to the expiration of the existing contract.

CONTACT REGARDING BIDS AND INVITATION

Contact initiated by a potential bidder with any county official, county employee, or member of the Association staff shall only be as specifically set out in this Invitation to Bid. Any questions related to the bid or the County Joint Bid Program shall be directed to Association staff in writing under the procedures set out in this Invitation to Bid. Additionally, a bidder may contact the Association in writing to request an appointment to review bid specifications following the bid opening. However, there shall be no communication with any county official or county employee regarding this bid between the date of this invitation and the date of bid award. Any contact other than as set out here shall be deemed as an attempt to unduly influence the bid award, and shall be grounds for rejection of the bid submitted by the bidder initiating such other contact.

Any questions or problems related to downloading or obtaining copies of this Invitation to Bid should be directed to Kenya Howard at jointbid@alabamacounties.org or 334-263-7594.

Any other questions or requests for additional information regarding this invitation or the bid specifications shall be submitted **in writing** no later than five (5) days prior to bid opening to:

**ATTN: Patrick McDougald
Association of County Commissions of Alabama
P.O. Box 5040
Montgomery, Alabama 36104**

OR

**Patrick McDougald
Email: pattymackdaddy@gmail.com**