



COMMISSIONERS COURT
COMMUNICATION

REFERENCE NUMBER

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DATE: 12/08/2020

SUBJECT: **BID NO. 2020-216 - ANNUAL CONTRACT FOR PICKUP TRUCKS, VANS, AND UTILITY VEHICLES - COUNTYWIDE - VARIOUS VENDORS - PER UNIT PRICE**

COMMISSIONERS COURT ACTION REQUESTED:

It is requested that the Commissioners Court award Bid No. 2020-216, Annual Contract for Pickup Trucks, Vans, and Utility Vehicles, Countywide, to the following vendors at the per unit price:

Primary	Rockdale Country Ford	95 of 168 Items
	Caldwell Country Chevrolet	92 of 168 Items
	Reliable Chevrolet	68 of 168 Items
	Grapevine DCJ, LLC	63 of 168 Items
	Randall Reed's Prestige Ford	45 of 168 Items
	Silsbee Toyota	5 of 168 Items
	Silsbee Ford	3 of 168 Items
	Jacksboro FM, LLC, d/b/a/ Four Stars Ford	1 of 168 Items

BACKGROUND:

Notice of the County's intent to bid was advertised in local newspapers, as required by State statute, and posted on the Internet, the Fort Worth Hispanic Chamber of Commerce, the Fort Worth Metropolitan Black Chamber of Commerce, and the Tarrant County Asian American Chamber of Commerce. Two hundred forty-seven (247) vendors were contacted and requested to participate in this bid process. All documents pertaining to this bid were posted on the Tarrant County website and were downloaded by interested bidders. A pre-bid conference held on August 26, 2020 was attended by ten (10) vendors as well as representatives from Transportation Services and Purchasing. Nine (9) bids were received.

Bids were evaluated by Transportation Services and Purchasing representatives. Award recommendations are to the low bids meeting specifications.

The bids received from Caldwell Country Chevrolet, Lake Country Chevrolet, Grapevine DCJ, LLC, Randall Reed's Prestige Ford, Reliable Chevrolet, Rockdale Country Ford and Silsbee Ford did not meet specifications for the specific items and reasons as detailed in the attached spreadsheet.

SUBMITTED BY:	Purchasing	PREPARED BY:	Brandie Bingham, CPPB
		APPROVED BY:	



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There are no awards for items 1, 2, 7, 8, 13-18, 28, 38-40, 44, 63-66, 71-74, 87-90, 103-106, and 162 because only no-bids were received for these items.

The term of the contract is twelve (12) months, effective January 15, 2021, with one (1) option for renewal of twelve (12) months.

Therefore, it is the joint recommendation of Transportation Services and Purchasing that Bid No. 2020-216, Annual Contract for Pickup Trucks, Vans, and Utility Vehicles, be awarded to the vendors listed above at the per unit price.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Expenses for last year were approximately \$867,589.00. Orders are placed on an as-needed basis.