

## NOTICE TO BIDDERS

### **Purchase of one (1) Sewer Vacuum Trailer for Water and Wastewater Division of Public Works Worcester County, Maryland**

The Worcester County Commissioners are currently accepting bids for the purchase of one (1) Sewer Vacuum Trailer for the Water and Wastewater Division of Public Works. Bid specification packages and bid forms are available from the Office of the County Commissioners, Room 1103 - Worcester County Government Center, One West Market Street, Snow Hill, Maryland 21863, obtained online at [www.co.worcester.md.us](http://www.co.worcester.md.us), or by calling the Commissioners' Office at 410-632-1194 to request a package by mail. **Sealed bids will be accepted until 1:00 PM, Monday, August 8, 2016** in the Office of the County Commissioners at the above address, at which time they will be opened and publicly read aloud. Envelopes shall be marked "**Bid for Sewer Vacuum Trailer**" in the lower left-hand corner. After opening, bids will be forwarded to the Department of Public Works for tabulation, review and recommendation to the County Commissioners for their consideration at a future meeting. In awarding the bid, the Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids, waive formalities, informalities and technicalities therein, and to take whatever bid they determine to be in the best interest of the County considering lowest or best bid, quality of goods and work, time of delivery or completion, responsibility of bidders being considered, previous experience of bidders with County contracts, or any other factors they deem appropriate. All inquiries shall be directed to Jeff Tingle or John Ross of the Water and Wastewater Division at 410-641-5251.

WORCESTER COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS  
WATER and WASTEWATER DIVISION

SPECIFICATIONS FOR VACUUM TRAILER

The following are the performance specifications for the Vacuum Trailer to be provided. Minor deviations from these specification are permitted so long as the overall utility of the unit is not compromised.

Engine:

- Nominal 37 HP Kohler Gas Engine or equal
- Minimum 30 Gallon Fuel Tank

Water Tank:

- 400 Gallon Tank minimum
- High Pressure Pump - Flow Rate 4 GPM Minimum
- High Pressure Pump Pressure - 3000 PSI Minimum
- High Pressure Hose – Length 50 FT Minimum
- Low Water Shut-Off switch to be provided

Spoil Tank:

- 800 Gallon minimum
- Hydraulic Rear Door
- Twin Cylinder Lift for door operation

Vacuum requirements:

- 0.5 Micron Filter to be provided for the vacuum pump
- Minimum 1000 CFM vacuum pump capable of drawing 15 inches of mercury vacuum
- Minimum 30 FT vacuum Hose
- Vacuum Hose to be 4 inch Diameter

Control Panel:

- Provide trailer mounted control panel for system operation
- Analog Gauges with Warning Lights

Trailer:

- Nominal 16 FT Length
- Nominal 8-foot Width
- Dry weight nominal 6200 LBS

Vacuum Trailer to be Vermeer Vactron Model LP873SGT or equivalent.

**BID FORM**

One (1) VACUUM TRAILER for:  
Department of Public Works, Water and Wastewater Division

I/we have received the specifications and provisions for one (1) VACUUM TRAILER and understand said requirements. I/we hereby propose to furnish one (1) VACUUM TRAILER as specified:

Year: \_\_\_\_\_ Make: \_\_\_\_\_ Model: \_\_\_\_\_

Total bid price for one (1) VACUUM TRAILER:  
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(Price written out)

Above described unit will be delivered within \_\_\_\_\_ calendar days from receipt of written order to Worcester County Department of Public Works, Water and Wastewater Division, at 1000 Shore Lane, Ocean Pines, Maryland 21811.

Specifications must be attached or bid may be rejected. Any exceptions or deviations from the requested specifications must be clearly noted on bid form.

**BID MUST BE SIGNED TO BE VALID**

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

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Typed name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Company: \_\_\_\_\_

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