

Boone County Purchasing

601 E. Walnut, Room 209 Columbia, MO 65201

Request for Bid (RFB)

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Bid Data

Bid Number: **58-15NOV05**

Commodity Title: Records Shredding and Disposal Services Term & Supply

DIRECT BID FORMAT OR SUBMISSION QUESTIONS TO THE PURCHASING DEPARTMENT

Bid Submission Address and Deadline

Day / Date: TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 2005

Time: 10:30 A.M. (Bids received after this time will be returned unopened)

Location / Mail Address: Boone County Purchasing Department

Boone County Johnson Building

601 E. Walnut, Room 208 Columbia, MO 65201

Directions: The Johnson Building is located on the Northeast corner at 6th Street and Walnut

Street. Enter the building from the East Side. Wheel chair accessible entrance is

available on the West side of the building.

Bid Opening

Day / Date: TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 2005

Time: 10:30 A.M. C.S.T.

Location / Address: Boone County Johnson Building Conference Room

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Bid Contents

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Standard Terms and Conditions

- 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.
- 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. A "Request for Bid" is used when the need is well defined. A "Request 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.

Supplier - All business(s) entities which may provide the subject goods and/or services.

- 1.3. BID CLARIFICATION Questions regarding this Bid should be directed in writing, by e-mail or fax, to the Purchasing Department. Answers, citing the question asked but not identifying the questioner, will be distributed simultaneously to all known prospective Bidders in the form of an addendum. We strongly suggest that you check for any addenda a minimum of [forty eight] hours in advance of the bid deadline. Bids, addendums, bid tabulations and bid awards are posted on our web site at: www.showmeboone.com
 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. **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. The 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.
- 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. **CONTRACT PERIOD** Any Term and Supply Contract resulting from this Bid will have an initial term from Date of Award through December 31, 2006 and may be automatically renewed for up to an additional three (3) one-year periods unless canceled by the Purchasing Director in writing prior to a renewal term.
 - 1.7. **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 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 provision of Records Shredding and Disposal Services as specified herein.
- 2.1.1. All orders shall be placed on an "as needed basis". The County does not guarantee a minimum volume under a prospective contract. In addition, the County reserves the right to order shredding and disposal services from other vendors when the County deems it necessary.
 - 2.2. **CONTRACT DURATION** The contract shall be effective from Date of Award through December 31, 2006. This contract is subject to renew annually for three (3) additional one (1) year periods following expiration of the first contract period.
- 2.2.1. The unit prices identified on the Response Form shall remain fixed for the identified original contract period. If the County exercises the option for renewal, the contractor shall agree that the prices for the items listed on the Response Form shall not increase by more than the maximum percent proposed on the Response Form.
- 2.2.2. If renewal percentages are not provided, then prices during any renewal period shall be the same as during the original contract 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 six (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. **PRICING** All prices shall be as indicated on the Response Form. The County shall not pay nor be liable for any other additional costs including but not limited to: taxes, packing, handling, shipping and freight, insurance, interest, penalties, termination payments, attorney fees, liquidated damages, etc. Additionally, the County shall not be subject to any minimum order quantities or total prices.
- 2.6. **MINIMUM ORDER QUANTITY** The contractor shall not impose a minimum order volume for any services listed in the contract or otherwise available to the County.
- 2.7. **MINIMUM TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS -** The contractor shall shred and dispose of records which shall include, but not necessarily be limited to, any or all of those items listed on Attachment 1. For purposes of this document, "records" shall be used to define those items to be shredded.
- 2.7.1. The contractor shall perform all services to the sole satisfaction of the County as specified herein.
- 2.7.2. The contractor shall understand that the County shall, at any time throughout the contract, accompany the contractor during any collection, hauling, weighing, or shredding process being conducted by the contractor. The contractor shall not restrict or in any way limit the County's right or ability to oversee any and all services provided by the contractor.
- 2.7.3. The contractor shall perform shredding services for each applicable County facility on an as needed, if needed basis or on a regular scheduled basis as mutually agreed upon between the contractor and the County.
- 2.7.4. The contractor shall provide the shredding services by no later than five (5) working days after a request for service is made, or by the date mutually agreed upon between the requesting County department and the contractor. Each County department shall request services by telephone, fax, or other method as agreed upon between the contractor and each County department.
- 2.7.5. The contractor shall collect all records from an identified location, weigh all records using a certified scale, shred completely, and provide the County with a Certificate of Destruction and weigh ticket. At a minimum, the Certificate of Destruction must include the name and address of

- the County department, date of service, description and weight of records shredded, service representative name, and truck number.
- 2.7.5.1. The contractor shall shred all records to a maximum size of no greater than particles one square inch. However, if requested by the County and if the contractor is capable (as specified on the Response Form), the contractor shall shred records to a maximum size of 5/16".
- 2.7.5.2. In the event the contractor shreds the records on-site, the contractor shall clean up the immediate shredding area and ensure that all loose material particles are collected and removed each time shredding services are performed.
 - 2.7.6. In most cases, records to be shredded will be in boxes in a locked storage area at the County facility. Therefore the contractor, with accompaniment by a County designee, shall transport the records on carts or other method from each storage area to the contractor's truck on-site. The contractor shall load and unload all records without assistance from County personnel.
- 2.7.6.1. The contractor shall handle and transport all records in covered containers to insure that no record is lost or mislaid en route.
- 2.7.6.2. If requested, the contractor shall remove and/or dispose of all cardboard boxes that were used to contain the records. The contractor is encouraged to reuse or recycle all cardboard boxes.
 - 2.7.7. The contractor shall understand and agree that the County requires flexibility in the arrangements and methods for the collection of records on a building-to-building and case-by-case basis. The contractor shall coordinate and work in good faith with each County department and designee in seeking and obtaining the arrangements and methods of collection.
 - 2.7.8. If requested by the County, the contractor shall supply locked security containers for the collection of records in the size(s) and quantity specified by the applicable County department. The contractor shall provide all containers free of charge.
- 2.7.8.1. Each container shall have a drop-slot and a key-locked dead bolt. The contractor shall place each container in the location requested by the County, provided that placement is in accordance with applicable fire codes.
- 2.7.8.2. The contractor shall clearly mark containers for their intended use.
- 2.7.8.3. The contractor shall not limit the number of containers at any particular County site. The County designee shall notify the contractor if it is determined that different sizes or additional containers are required. The contractor shall coordinate and work in good faith with each County department and designee in determining the number and size of containers required.
- 2.7.8.4. The contractor shall retain ownership of the containers. The contractor shall agree that the County shall not be responsible for any liability incurred by the contractor or the contractor's employees arising out of the possession, use, maintenance, delivery, return, and/or collection from the containers provided by the contractor.
 - 2.7.9. Confidentiality: Due to the sensitivity of the records being shredded, the contractor shall not disclose any information obtained from the records in the event the contractor observes any such records during the course of pick up and shredding. As the need for confidentiality dictates, the contractor shall agree and understand that either of the following may be required, however the determination of what is required shall rest solely on the County.
- 2.7.9.1. The County designee shall witness the destruction of the confidential records.
- 2.7.9.2. The contractor shall submit a letter to the applicable County department guaranteeing that the confidentiality of all such records were maintained from the time of collection until the records were shredded and that none of the records were read or copied by the contractor or contractor's personnel prior to such destruction.
- 2.7.10. The contractor's personnel assigned to perform services under the contract must, at all times, wear a photo ID badge and uniform which reflects the contractor's company name.
- 2.7.11. The contractor and each of the contractor's employees assigned to work with confidential records must have a security clearance approved by the County and sign a statement of confidentiality guaranteeing non disclosure of information in order to provide service under the contract.
- 2.7.11.1. The confidentiality statement shall be designed, implemented, and maintained by the contractor.
 - 2.7.12. If requested, the contractor shall replace any personnel with whom the County is not satisfied.

- 2.7.13. The contractor shall furnish all material, labor, vehicles, equipment, and supplies necessary to perform the services required herein.
 - 2.8. RECYCLING REQUIREMENTS
- 2.8.1. The contractor must recycle those shredded records that are recyclable.
- 2.9. **INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS:** The Contractor shall not commence work under this contract until they have obtained all insurance required under this paragraph and the County has approved such insurance. All policies shall be in amounts, form and companies satisfactory to the County.
- 2.9.1. **Compensation Insurance:** The Contractor shall take out and maintain during the life of this contract, Employee's Liability and Worker's Compensation Insurance for all of their employees employed at the site of work. 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 Employee's Liability Insurance for the protections of their employees not otherwise protected.
- 2.9.2. **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 combined single limit for any one occurrence covering both bodily injury and property damage, including accidental death.
- 2.9.3. Owner's Contingent or Protective Liability and Property Damage: The Contractor shall provide the County with proof of Owner's Protective Liability and Property Damage Insurance, 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. It is preferred that this policy include a provision for alleged assault and battery. The minimum amounts of such insurance will be \$1,000,000.00 per occurrence, combined single limits. Should any work be subcontracted, these limits will also apply.
- 2.9.4. **Insurance Certifications:** The Contractor shall furnish the County with Certificate(s) of Insurance which name the County 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. INDEMNITY AGREEMENT: To the fullest extent permitted by law, Contractor shall indemnify, hold harmless and defend the County, its directors, 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.
- 2.11. **BILLING AND PAYMENTS** Invoicing The contractor shall submit an invoice by no later than the 15th day of the following month to each participating County department for which services were provided during the month.
- 2.11.1. Each invoice shall be itemized by date of service, number of pounds of records shredded, the applicable firm, fixed price per pound, and the total invoice amount. The applicable firm, fixed price per pound shall be determined based upon the total weight of the shredded records.
- 2.11.2. Payments For each trip to a County department, the contractor shall be paid for each pound of records shredded records in accordance with the applicable firm, fixed price stated on the Response Form.
- 2.11.2.1. Each County department shall be solely responsible for payment for only those services requested by the County department.
 - 2.12. **BID CLARIFICATION** Any questions or clarifications concerning bid documents should be addressed to Heather Turner, CPPB, Buyer, 601 E. Walnut, Room 209, Columbia, Missouri 65201.

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- 3. Response Presentation and Review
- 3.1. **RESPONSE CONTENT -** In order to enable direct comparison of competing Responses, you must submit your Response in strict conformity to the requirements stated here. Failure to adhere to all requirements may result in your 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" or "No Bid". 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. We are 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 -** A Bid Tabulation of responses received as well as Award status can be viewed at www.showmeboone.com.
 - 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** We reserve 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 -** We reserve 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** Our 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 -** We will evaluate submitted responses in relation to all aspects of this Bid.
- 3.5.2. **Acceptability** We reserve the sole right to determine whether goods and/or services offered are acceptable for our use. We also reserve the right to request samples of any and/or all equivalent products bid in order to ensure comparative quality between those items and the name brand items specified on Attachment A.
- 3.5.3. In the event of a discrepancy between a unit price and an extended line item price, the unit price shall govern.
- 3.5.4. **Endurance of Pricing -** Your pricing must be held until contract execution or 60 days, whichever comes first.
- 3.5.5. In the cost evaluation, a unit price conversion will be done to fairly evaluate bid prices. However, for any resulting contract, the unit of measure bid will be the unit of measure awarded. The bidder is cautioned that the County reserves the right to clarify the unit of measure modification or to disqualify the bid for that line item if the unit of measure modification is not deemed appropriate or in the best interests of the County.

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ATTACHMENT 1

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All envelopes with or without adhesive labels and stamps, and with or without plastic windows, including, but not limited to:	Regular 10#WindowKraft (brown)White
Adding Machine Tape	
Post-it notes	
File Folders (Manilla)	
Copier paper (Ream) Wrappers	
Confidential materials	Boxed and marked as confidential
Newsprint Paper and Publications, including, but not limited to: Books or Bound materials, regardless of quality of paper or type of binding	 Newspapers City Telephone Books State Telephone Books MO. State Statute Books and Revisions
Glossy and Coated Paper, including, but not limited to:	 Photographs Blueprints Magazines Catalogs Junk Mail Sales Literature & brochures Calendars Publications
Non-paper items, including, but not limited to:	 Microfilm Microfiche X-Rays Paper clips Staples Spiral and GBC (Plastic Comb) Bindings Paper clips Rubber bands



Prior Services Performed for:

Company Name: Address:

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EXHIBIT A

<u>PRIOR EXPERIENCE</u> (References of similar services for governmental agencies are preferred)

	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):



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- 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 shall 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 will be accepted.
- 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. In the event of a discrepancy between a unit price and an extended line item price, the unit price shall govern.



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"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: 58-15NOV05

Business Name:	
Address:	
Telephone:	
Contact:	
Date:	
Reason(s) for not bidding:	