

CK08MERCER2008-24 DEER CARCASS REMOVAL FOR TWO YEARS**BID RESULTS****DATE: NOVEMBER 5, 2008****CONTRACT DATE: DECEMBER 18, 2008 - DECEMBER 3, 2010**

RESOLUTION NUMBER	2009-46	
NAME OF BIDDER	DEER CARCASS REMOVAL SERVICE LLC	
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BUSINESS REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE	OK	
AFFIRMATIVE ACTION CERTIFICATE	28657 EXPIRES 6/15/14	
STOCKHOLDER DISCLOSURE	OK	
QUALIFICATION STATEMENT	SOLID WASTE TRANSPORT LICENSE AND CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY #SW2640	
EXTEND TO COOP	YES	
INSURANCE	NEED	
COST TO REMOVE CARCASS AND DISPOSE AT A LICENSED FACILITY FOR A PERIOD OF TWO YEARS		57.00
EXCEPTIONS	NONE	
FATAL FLAWS	NO	

SPECIFICATIONS FOR ROADSIDE DEER CARCASS REMOVAL AND DISPOSAL FOR THE COUNTY OF MERCER COOPERATIVE CONTRACT PURCHASING SYSTEM

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The purpose of this request for bid (RFB) is to establish an open-end contract for the prompt removal and sanitary disposal of deer carcasses from all Mercer County Roads and rights of way within Mercer County for the Mercer County Cooperative Contract Purchasing System members. The contract shall be awarded for a period of two years. The right is reserved to decrease or increase the quantities specified in the specifications pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:30-11.2 and 11.10. NO MINIMUM PURCHASE IS IMPLIED OR GUARANTEED.

GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS

The services included under this contract shall include the removal of deer carcasses from the roadway pavement and adjoining turf medians and shoulder areas within the public right-of-way by 5:00 p.m. on the calendar day following the request, seven days a week. All work of this contract shall be completed during day light hours. Contractors shall not remove deer carcasses from any area deemed private property due to personal and public liability. The carcass shall be immediately taken to a disposal facility licensed to receive carcasses. The contractor shall comply with any and all disposal regulations in effect during the term of this contract.

All licensing and permits are the responsibility of the contractor. No additional compensation will be made for failure to obtain required permits. The Contractor shall provide in writing the disposal facility they will be using. Notification must be made within 48 hours of any change in the source of disposal.

The Contractor shall maintain a daily log of all activities that occur within the context of this contract. Records of each month's activities shall be presented whenever requested. The log shall include details of occurrences when the contractor is dispatched to locations where no services can be performed.

COMMUNICATIONS

The Contractor shall be on-call seven (7) days each week. Telephone coverage is to be provided as follows:

The Contractor shall provide toll free line service for the duration of the contract, and any extensions thereof. Calls shall be answered, in person, from 8 AM to 12 Noon and from 1 PM to 5 PM, each day, and seven (7) days per week. The Contractor shall provide either an answering machine or an answering service at all other times, such that requests for service may be made 24 hours/day, 7 days/week. The Contractor shall provide a FAX number in order that using agencies may communicate service requests 24 hours/day, 7 days/week. Each Contractor's service vehicle shall be equipped with a cellular phone for use in the event communication is necessary between the home office and the service vehicle. In addition, it shall be used in the event the contractor cannot locate the deer removal location as specified in the notification of need. The Contractor shall phone the requester of the service in order to request clarification of the location of service need, or to be escorted to the location. The cell phone may also be used by the

home office to notify the service vehicle of an additional service location in a municipality already scheduled to be serviced that same day.

CONTRACT PROVISIONS

The Contractor shall provide a monthly report of service activities to the Cooperative Participants. The report shall include the following:

- A chart, by municipality, listing the number of pickups
- Date and time of each request
- Number of deer carcasses removed
- Facility used for disposal
- Exceptional circumstances
- Receipts form disposal facility attached.
- Details of locations unable to be serviced (due to poor direction, carcass already removed, etc).

EQUIPMENT AND SAFETY

Attention is called to the large volume of traffic on Mercer County roadways. The maintenance and protection of the traffic flow is of prime importance. The Contractor must carry out his/her work in support of the convenient and safe passage of traffic. When this cannot be accomplished the contractor shall seek the assistance of local police. The Contractor service vehicles shall be equipped with the following safety equipment for his/her personal safety, and that of the motoring public:

- A flashing light bar shall be installed on each service vehicle at a position on the vehicle to be fully visible from the rear of the vehicle.
- A flashing directional arrow device shall be installed on each service vehicle to be fully visible from the rear of the vehicle.
- All equipment shall be installed and operational on the service vehicle required for this contract prior to award of the contract.
- Equipment deficiencies shall be cause for your firm being considered unresponsive and therefore not recommended for contract award.

CONTRACTOR PERSONNEL

The Contractor's personnel shall wear reflective safety vests when working at a carcass removal site. The Contractor shall utilize safety cones and/or other traffic barriers, as required, to establish a safe work-zone in which to carry out carcass removal. The Contractor shall be responsible for providing all personnel, equipment and vehicles necessary to perform the services defined within this contract.