INVITATION TO BIDDERS

- 1. Harvey County, Kansas will accept bid proposals for the purchase of a Live-Floor Trailer for the Harvey County Solid Waste department. See attached requirements. A copy of any applicable warranty or guarantee must accompany the bid along with an estimated delivery date.
- 2. Bid proposals must be sealed and clearly labeled <u>"SOLID WASTE LIVE-FLOOR TRAILER"</u>, with name and address of vendor on the envelope. Bids will be mailed to: Harvey County Administration Office, PO Box 687, 800 N Main St., Newton, KS, 67114. They will be received by the Harvey County Administration Office until 4:00 PM on Monday, July 15, 2024, and opened in public by the Board of Harvey County Commissioners on Tuesday, July 16, 2024, at or around 9:30 AM in the County Commission Room located at the Harvey County Courthouse, 800 N. Main St., in Newton, Kansas.
- 3. If additional information or questions arise, call **Justin Bland**, **Solid Waste Director**, at (316)283-5439. Mailing address is PO Box 687, 800 N. Main St., Newton, KS, 67114.

BID CONDITIONS

- 1. Harvey County, Kansas reserves the right to select the bid proposal which best meets its required needs and quality requirements.
- 2. Harvey County reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to accept or reject any item or items in the bids, and to waive any irregularities in the bids.
- 3. Faxed and e-mailed bids will not be accepted.
- 4. Bids may be corrected or withdrawn prior to the stated deadline. Requests for all such transactions must be submitted to Justin Bland, Solid Waste Director, prior to the deadline. Correction or withdrawal of inadvertently erroneous bids after the deadline but before the award, or cancellation of awards or contracts based upon such mistakes, shall be permitted only upon authorization of the County Administrator.
- 5. The bid and/or contract will be awarded to a qualified vendor submitting the lowest responsible bid or best proposal as determined by the Board of County Commissioners after review of all vendor proposals and recommendations by the user department(s). Harvey County interprets the term lowest responsible bid/proposal as requiring Harvey County to (A) choose between the kinds of materials, goods, wares, or services subject to the bid, and (B) determine which bid is most suitable for its intended use or purpose. Harvey County can consider among other factors, however not limited to, such things as labor cost, service and parts availability, and maintenance cost of items upon which bids are received. All requested information must be

- provided. If you cannot respond to the request, state the reason you cannot respond. You may provide supplemental information, if necessary, to assist Harvey County in analyzing your bid.
- 6. All items furnished must be the best of their respective kinds and be free from defects in material and workmanship. Items furnished must be manufactured in compliance with all existing legal or governmental directives.
- 7. A set of manuals consisting of shop manual, parts manual diagrams, and operators manual shall be included in bid, and be provided at the time of machine delivery. The manuals shall fully and clearly cover all components of the unit.

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Live-Floor Trailer is to be furnished with all standard features, built to industry standards, with the following minimum specifications and options. Check Yes or No for each of the following:

MINIMUM SPECIFICATIONS

1.	YN	Body Type: Steel
2.	YN	Length: 50 feet
3.	YN	Overall Width: 102 inches
4.	YN	Overall Height: 13'6"
5.	YN	Sides: 12 gauge steel sheet, 12 gauge side posts
6.	YN	Top Rail: 3"x5"x5/16"x50"
7.	YN	4" taper body front to back, Front inside 92", Rear inside 96"
8.	YN	Spreader Bar: Center and Rear
9.	YN	Tarp System: Side roll, rear removable crank from ground, 6 ratchets on curbside, 22oz Black Vinyl tarp
10.	YN	Tarp Material: Solid Tarp
11.	YN	Floor System: Keith Running Floor II DX 3"x10" drive, WHOI floor slats
12.	YN	Cross members: 4 inch I-beams on 12 inch centers
13.	YN	Back Door: Barn door, hinged on curbside
14.	YN	Bulk Head: Radius style 12 gauge with sight window in middle
15.	YN	Ladder: Rung style on bulk head driver side
16.	YN	Catwalk: Aluminum full width with railing
17.	YN	Axles: 5 inch round x 5/8 inch wall, 25,000 pound capacity, 77 ½ inch track, two (2) axles, dual wheels (8 wheels total)

18.	Y	_ N	Brakes: 16 ½ inch x 7 inch air with auto slack adjusters
19.	Y	_ N	Hubs: 10 stud hubs, outboard drums, oil filled
20.	Y	_ N	Rims: 24.5 inch x 8.25 inch 10 hole steel disk, white
21.	Y	_ N	Tires: 11r 24.5
22.	Y	_ N	Suspension: Hutch
23.	Y	_ N	King Pin: 1/4" Steel King pin plate 100k Strenx
24.	Y	_ N	Landing Gear: Holland Mark V, 2-speed heavy duty, crank driver side
25.	Y	N	Lights: ICC Approved, sealed LED, LED lights in rear door
26.	Y	_ N	Mud Flaps: Rubber on Rear
27.	Y	_ N	Bumper: ICC Push Bumper, Tow Hooks
28.	Y	_ N	Hydraulic Fittings: 1 inch wing-style couplers
29.	Y	_ N	Hydraulic Hoses: Two (2) 10 foot x 1 inch (3,000 psi)
30.	Y	_ N	Paint: Grey
31.	Y	_ N	Rear Lights: Protected with eyebrows and expanded metal
32.	Y	_ N	3/16 inch x 14 inch plates front and rear to support tarp
33.	Y	_ N	Include federal inspection
34.	Y	N	Ladder on rear door

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To the Board of Harvey County Commissioners,

The undersigned hereby certifies that the attached specifications and this bid form have been carefully examined and fully understands the intent. The undersigned proposes and agrees to furnish the vehicles in compliance with this bid form and certifies that said vehicles meet or exceed the attached specifications. Any variances from the specifications are noted on the attached specifications sheets.

*** Pages 3, 4, and 5 must be returned to Harvey County***

Harvey County reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any irregularities therein.