

**INVITATION
TO
BID**

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Lower Alloway's Creek Township, CFO for "2013(or newer) Police Interceptor Utility AWD or equal" in accordance with specifications and general conditions which may be obtained from the CFO's office at 501 Locust Island Rd, Hancocks Bridge, New Jersey, during the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

Each proposal shall be submitted in a sealed envelope with the name and address of the bidder clearly identified on the outside of the envelope together with the notation, "BID FOR POLICE INTERCEPTOR". All bids shall be submitted to the Township's CFO by 1:30 p.m. on October 9, 2013, at the Township Municipal Building located at 501 Locust Island Road, P.O. Box 157, Hancock's Bridge, NJ 08038 at which time the bids will be opened and read aloud.

Each bid shall be accompanied by a bid bond or certified check, payable to Lower Alloways Creek Township in the amount of ten (10%) percent of the total amount bid, not to exceed \$20,000., as a guarantee that if the contract is awarded to said bidder, he will enter into contract therefore.

The successful bidder shall enter into a written contract with Lower Alloway's Creek Township in Accordance with the Invitation to Bid, Specifications, General Conditions and the Award.

The Township reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any informality as the interest of the Township may require. The Township is not responsible for loss or destruction of any bids mailed or delivered to the Township's CFO prior to the time set for bid opening.

All bidders must meet equal opportunity requirements of P.L. 1975, C 127, as described in the specifications. All bidders must comply with the provisions of P.L. 1977, C 33. Bidders are required to comply with the requirements of N.J.S.A. 10:5-31 et seq., N.J.A.C. 17:27 and N.J.S.A. 52:32-44.

By order of Lower Alloway's Creek Township.

TOWNSHIP OF
LOWER ALLOWAYS CREEK
GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS AND CONDITIONS

1. BID SUBMISSION

Bids shall be returned on the bid form enclosed herein. They shall be returned in sealed envelopes addressed to:

PURCHASING AGENT
LOWER ALLOWAYS CREEK TWP.
P.O. BOX 157
HANCOCKS BRIDGE, NJ 08038

The envelope shall be marked in the lower left quadrant:

" Bid for Police Interceptor".

The Township accepts no liability for bids opened in error due to absence of such notation. The Township is not responsible for loss or destruction of any bids mailed or delivered to the Township purchasing agent prior to the time set for bid opening.

2. BID SECURITY (REQUIRED FOR THIS BID: YES NO)
When required, a bid bond, cashier's check or certified check, payable to Lower Alloways Creek Township, for the amount of the price bid (not to exceed \$20,000) shall accompany each bid. It shall be subject to forfeit and retention by the Township in lieu of other legal remedies, should a successful bidder fail to execute a contract and provide a performance bond (if required) within ten (10) days after the Township has tendered the contract.

3. PERFORMANCE BOND (REQUIRED FOR THIS BID: YES NO) When a performance bond is specified, bidders shall include with their bid a surety company's certificate that it will provide a surety company's certificate that it will provide such a bond if the specified bidder is awarded a contract.

A successful bidder shall, when required, furnish such a performance bond in the amount of contract. Said bond shall be that of an approved company, authorized to transact business in State of New Jersey.

4. PUBLIC DISCLOSURE

No corporation or partnership may be awarded a contract for the performance of work or the furnishing of materials or supplies, unless it lists with its bid, or prior thereto, the names and addresses of all stockholders who own ten (10) percent or more of its stock of any class, or all individual partners who own a ten (10) percent or greater interest therein (NJSA 52:24-24.2, PL 1977, Chapter 33).

Failure to supply this information shall be cause for disqualification of a bidder.

5. RESERVATIONS

Contracts will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder, but the Township reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any discrepancies therein.

6. EXCEPTIONS TO SPECIFICATIONS

Exceptions, if any, to the bid specifications, shall be in numeric order on a separate sheet referencing the page and item number for which the exception is taken.

7. QUANTITY

Unless otherwise specified on the bid form or in the special instructions for individual classes of commodity, the quantities listed are approximate only and the Township does not guarantee to purchase any definite quantities.

8. TIME FOR MAKING AWARDS

The Township shall make contract awards or reject all bids within sixty (60) days after the bid opening.

9. INDEMNIFICATION

Bidders shall agree, if awarded a contract, that they will indemnify and save harmless the Township of Lower Alloways Creek from all suits and actions of every nature and description brought against it, growing out of that contract, or contracts, written or verbal, entered into between the Township and the successful bidder, and further that upon the awarding of the contract in accordance with these specifications, this agreement of indemnifications shall automatically become effective.

10. PRICES

Carelessness in quoting prices or in preparation of bid otherwise will not relieve the bidder. Bid prices shall be F.O.B. destination and net, with all discounts deducted except the cash discount for prompt payment of invoice, if offered.

11. WITHDRAWAL OF BID

A written request for withdrawal of a bid will be granted if received by the purchasing agent before any bid has been opened.

12. TAXES

The Township is exempt from all Federal and state taxes.

13. AFFIRMATIVE ACTION Bidders are required to comply with the requirements of P.L. 1975, C-127 (NJAC 17:27).

The contractor and its subcontractors shall furnish such reports or other documents to the Affirmative Action Office as may be requested from time to time in order to carry out the purposes of these regulations, and public agencies shall furnish such information as may be requested by the Affirmative Action Office for conducting a compliance investigation pursuant to subchapter 10 of the administrative code (NJAC 17:27).

14. QUESTIONS

Questions concerning this bid invitation may be directed to the purchasing agent at (856)935-2556, ext 621, during normal business hours (M-F, 7:00am - 4:00pm).

15. ITEMS BID

No bidder will be allowed to offer more than one price on each item even though he may feel that he has two or more types/products that will meet specifications. Bidders must determine for themselves which type/product to offer. If said bidder should submit more than one price on any one item, all prices for that item shall be rejected.

16. RETURN OF BID SECURITY

Said bond or check will be returned to the three lowest bidders upon receipt of approved performance bond, if required, and upon execution of a formal contract with the successful bidder.

17. ASSIGNMENT

The successful bidder shall not assign, transfer, convey, sublet or otherwise dispose of the contract or any part thereof to anyone without the written consent of the Township of Lower Alloways Creek.

18. RETURN OF CONTRACT

Non-performance by the successful bidder, or his failure to execute the contract or meet the performance bond requirements within ten (10) days after the award, may result, at the option of the Township, in his bid security being forfeited to the Township as liquidated damages and not as a penalty.

19. DIFFERENCES

Should any differences arise between the contracting parties as to the meaning or intent of these instructions or specifications, the purchasing agent or his designated representative's decision is to be final and conclusive.

20. ADDITIONAL CLAIMS

The successful bidder agrees that he will make no claim for additional payment or any other concession because of any misinterpretation or misunderstanding of the contract on his part, or failure to fully acquaint himself with any conditions relating to the contract.

21. ORAL INSTRUCTIONS

Neither the Township nor its authorized representatives will be responsible in any way for oral answers unconfirmed in writing to any inquiries regarding the intent or meaning of these specifications.

22. NEW JERSEY LAWS

These specifications, instructions to bidders and all accompanying documents, the bid and contract awarded to the successful bidder shall be construed in accordance with the laws of the State of New Jersey.

23. STANDARD CONTRACT

The successful bidder(s) will be required to sign and execute the Township's standard contract.

24. FAX BIDS

Please be advised that fax transmissions of any of the required bid documents will not be acceptable. YOUR BID WILL BE DECLARED NON-RESPONSIVE.

25. BUSINESS REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE

Bidders are required to submit with their bid a copy of their New Jersey Business Registration Certificate.

26. DELIVERY

Delivery of the specified vehicle shall be made to the following address:

L.A.C. MAINTENANCE GARAGE
8 PECKS CORNER ROAD
SALEM, NJ 08079

Deliveries will be accepted during the normal hours of operation for the public works department (M-F, 7:30am - 3:30pm)

27. PAYMENT

Payment will be made at the first regularly scheduled Township Committee meeting subsequent to delivery and acceptance of the vehicle by the Public Safety Director, David Sowers. Vendors will also need to sign and return a payment voucher with the invoice detailing the vehicle as specified. The voucher is to be mailed to the following address:

Attn: Kevin Clour
Lower Alloways Creek Twp
P.O. Box 157
Hancocks Bridge, NJ 08038

28. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT OF ADDENDA

Bidders are required to submit a fully endorsed acknowledgement of the receipt of addenda, if any, related to this proposal. Omission of this item will disqualify your bid.

29. INSURANCE

Vendors are to submit proof of the following coverages with their bid, naming the Township as an additional insured:

- A) Worker's Compensation - Statutory Limits - Employers' Liability - \$100,000 Limits
- B) General Liability, in a comprehensive form, with a minimum limit of \$250,000
- C) Motor Vehicle Liability, in a comprehensive form, with a minimum limit of \$250,000 including:
 - 1) Owned vehicles
 - 2) Hired vehicles
 - 3) Non-owned vehicles

GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS:

It is the intent of this specification to provide for the purchase of one (1) new all wheel drive utility police interceptor complete with options and in accordance with the specifications contained herein. These specifications are not intended to be restrictive to any one particular brand, but are meant to describe a minimum standard or performance required by the Township of Lower Alloways Creek. Failure to respond to the provisions in the specifications will be deemed sufficient reason to reject the bid. It shall be the responsibility of the bidder to provide manufacturers drawings, blueprints and factory literature which includes all of the information contained in the specifications.

The bidder must also include copies of all warranties in accordance with the specifications.

It shall be the bidder's responsibility to carefully examine each item of the specification. Failure to offer a completed bid or failure to respond to each section of the technical specification will cause the proposal to be rejected without review as "non-responsive". All variances, exceptions and/or deviations shall be fully described in the appropriate section. Misrepresentation in responding to the specifications or not stating where an exception occurs will be cause for rejection.

In comparing proposals, consideration will not be confined to price only. The successful bidder will be one whose product is judged to best serve the interests of the Township when price, product, safety, quality and delivery are considered. The Township of Lower Alloways Creek reserves the right to reject any or all bids or any part thereof, and to wave any minor technicalities. A Contract will be awarded to the bidder submitting the lowest responsible bid meeting the requirements of this specification.

EQUIVALENT PRODUCT:

Bids will be accepted for consideration on any make or model that is equal to the all wheel drive utility police interceptor as specified. Decisions of equivalency will be at the sole interpretation of the Township of Lower Alloways Creek. A blanket statement that equipment proposed will meet all requirements will not be sufficient to establish equivalence. Original manufacturer's brochures of the proposed unit are to be submitted with the proposal. All modifications made to the standard production unit described in the manufacturer's brochures must be certified by the manufacturer to have been in prior successful use for more than two years (including the name of users) and submitted with the bid, or the bids will be deemed "non-responsive" and rejected without further review. Bidder must be prepared to demonstrate a unit similar to the one proposed, if requested.

INTERPRETATIONS:

In order to be fair to all bidders, no oral interpretations will be given to any bidder as to the meaning of the specification documents or any part thereof. Every request for such a consideration shall be made in writing to the Purchasing Agent. Based upon such inquiry, the Township may choose to issue an Addendum to the specifications.

DELIVERY:

Upon award of the contract, the successful low bidder must be prepared to deliver the all wheel drive utility police INTERCEPTOR complete with all options installed, owners manuals, shop manuals and all other miscellaneous items described in the specifications to the Township of Lower Alloways Creek Department of Public Works facility located at: 8 Pecks Corner Road, Salem, N.J., 08079 within ninety (90) days from the date of the Notice to Proceed or by January 31st., 2014, whichever is sooner.

TOWNSHIP OF LOWER ALLOWAYS CREEK
 BID PACKAGE: FURNISHING AND DELIVERY OF ONE (1) NEW 2013 (OR NEWER) ALL WHEEL DRIVE
 UTILITY POLICE INTERCEPTOR
 BID OPENING DATE: WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 9, 2013 AT 1:30 P.M.

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

INTENT:	It is the intent of these specifications to describe one (1) New 2013 (or newer) All Wheel Drive Utility Police Interceptor				
			EXCEPTIONS		
		YES	NO		
MECHANICAL:	Alternator- minimum 220 Amp	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Axle Ratio- minimum 3.65 (AWD)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Battery- H.D. maintenance free minimum 78A/750-CCA	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Brakes- 4-Wheel Heavy Duty Disc w/H.D. front and rear calipers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Column shifter	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Drivetrain- All Wheel Drive	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Electric power assist steering	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Engine- 3.7 Liter V6 Ti-VCT	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Engine hour meter	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Engine oil cooler	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Fuel Tank- minimum 18 gallons	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Suspension- independent front and rear	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Transmission- 6-speed automatic	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	EXTERIOR:	Roof mounted antenna	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Cladding- lower body side cladding (Black)		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Door Handles- Black		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
True dual exhaust		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Door lock cylinders (front driver/ passenger/ lift gate)		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Glass- 2 nd and 3 rd row privacy glass		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Grille- Black		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Headlamps- Halogen projector (bi-functional)		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Lift gate- manual one-piece with fixed glass w/door lock cylinder		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Mirrors- Black caps, power electric remote, manual folding with integrated spotter, heated (integrated blind spot mirrors)		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Spare tire- 18" full size tire		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Tail lights- LED		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Tailgate handle- Painted Black		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Tires- P245/55R18 A/S BSW		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Wheel lip molding- Black		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Wheels- 18" x 8.0 steel with wheel hub cap		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Windshield- Acoustic laminated		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
INTERIOR / COMFORT:		Cargo hooks	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
		Climate Control- Single zone manual	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Door locks:				
	- Power, two stage unlock	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		

TOWNSHIP OF LOWER ALLOWAYS CREEK
 BID PACKAGE: FURNISHING AND DELIVERY OF ONE (1) NEW 2013 (OR NEWER) ALL WHEEL DRIVE
 UTILITY POLICE INTERCEPTOR

BID OPENING DATE: WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 9, 2013 AT 1:30 P.M.

	- Rear door handles and lock inoperable	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- Autolock (locks when shift into gear)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
INTERIOR / COMFORT CONT:	Heavy duty thermoplastic flooring	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	One (1) front grab handle	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Lighting:		
	- 1 st . Row task light (driver and passenger) overhead console	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- 1 st . Row overhead dome/map work light (Red/White)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- Mirror- Day/night rear view	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Overhead console	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Particulate air filter	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Power adjustable pedals (driver dead pedal)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Power points- Two (2) first row, One (1) rear power access point	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Scuff plates- Front and rear	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Seats:		
	- 1 st . row police grade cloth trim, dual front buckets	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- 1 st . row- driver 6-way power track (fore/aft. Up/down, tilt with manual recline, 2-way manual lumber)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- 1 st . row-passenger 2-way manual track (fore/aft. With manual recline)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- Built-in steel intrusion plates in both driver/passenger seat backs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- 2 nd . Row vinyl, 60/40 split bench seat (manual fold flat, no tumble)- fixed seat track	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Speedometer-calibrated	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Steering wheel- manual / tilt, urethane wheel finish w/silver painted bezels with speed controls and redundant audio controls	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Sun visor, color-keyed, non illuminated	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Universal top tray- center of I/P for mounting aftermarket equipment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Windows, power, 1-touch down driver side with disable feature	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
SAFETY / SECURITY:	Advance Trac with roll stability control with hydraulic brake assist	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Air bags- 2 nd . Generation driver & front-passenger, side seat, roll curtain air bags and safety canopy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Anti-lock brakes (ABS) with traction control	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Battery saver feature	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Belt-minder (front driver / passenger)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	LATCH (Lower Anchors and Tethers for Children) system on rear outboard locations	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Seat belts, pretensioner/energy-management system	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

TOWNSHIP OF LOWER ALLOWAYS CREEK
 BID PACKAGE: FURNISHING AND DELIVERY OF ONE (1) NEW 2013 (OR NEWER) ALL WHEEL DRIVE
 UTILITY POLICE INTERCEPTOR

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	w/adjustable height in 1 st . row		
SAFETY / SECURITY CONT:	SOS Post-crash alert system	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Tire pressure monitoring system (TPMS)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
FUNCTIONAL:	Easy fuel cap less fuel filler	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	My Ford:		
	- Police cluster	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- AM/FM / CD / MP3 Capable / clock / 6- speakers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- 4.2" color LCD screen center-stack "smart display"	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- 5-way steering wheel switches, redundant controls	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Power pigtail harness	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Simple fleet key (w/o microchip, easy to replace)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Two-way radio pre-wire	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Windows- rear defroster	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Wipers- front speed sensitive intermittent; rear dual speed wiper	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Recovery hooks, rear only	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	WARRANTY:	5 year / 100,000 miles Ford powertrain warranty	<input type="checkbox"/>
FACTORY OPTIONS:	One (1) option code 51R (Spot lamp-drivers side LED bulb)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	One (1) option code 18W (Rear window power delete)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	One (1) option code 66C (Rear lighting solution)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	One (1) option code 59B (Keyed alike-1284X)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	One (1) option code 66A (Front headlight solution)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	One (1) option code 21B (Rear view camera)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Noise Suppression Bonds	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Dark Car Feature – Courtesy Lamps Disable	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Rear Vertex	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Red/Clear Dome in Cargo Area	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	EA153 80 Amp Power Source	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
DEALER SUPPLIED OPTIONS:	Lift gate mounted LED's (red & blue)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Install One (1) Road Defender w/wraparound (#5340 & #5340W	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Installed in console – Three (3) battery hot wires, three (3) ignition feeds, three (3) grounds and two (2) antenna feeds	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Install customer supplied dome antenna	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Install One (1) Pro-gard prisoner seat & pan	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
EXTERIOR COLOR:	Dual gun locks – One (1) Bushmaster AR-15 and One (1) Remington 870	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	White to match existing vehicles in Township fleet	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
INTERIOR COLOR:	Charcoal Black	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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STOCKHOLDER DISCLOSURE CERTIFICATION
This Statement Shall Be Included with Bid Submission

Name of Business _____

I certify that the list below contains the names and home addresses of all stockholders holding 10% or more of the issued and outstanding stock of the undersigned.

OR

I certify that no one stockholder owns 10% or more of the issued and outstanding stock of the undersigned.

Check the box that represents the type of business organization:

Partnership

Corporation

Sole Proprietorship

Limited Partnership

Limited Liability Corporation

Limited Liability Partnership

Subchapter S Corporation

Sign and notarize the form below, and, if necessary, complete the stockholder list below.

Stockholders:

Name: _____

Name: _____

Home Address: _____

Home Address: _____

Name: _____

Name: _____

Home Address: _____

Home Address: _____

Name: _____

Name: _____

Home Address: _____

Home Address: _____

Subscribed and sworn before me this ____ day of _____, 2__.

(Notary Public)

My Commission expires:

(Affiant)

(Print name & title of affiant)

(Corporate Seal)

NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT

State of New Jersey
County of _____

ss:

I, _____ (name of affiant) residing in _____ (name of municipality)
in the County of _____ and State of _____ of
full age, being duly sworn according to law on my oath depose and say that:

I am _____ (title or position) of the firm of _____ (name of firm)

_____ the bidder making this Proposal for the bid
entitled _____ (title of bid proposal), and that I executed the said proposal with
full authority to do so that said bidder has not, directly or indirectly entered into any agreement,
participated in any collusion, or otherwise taken any action in restraint of free, competitive bidding
in connection with the above named project; and that all statements contained in said proposal
and in this affidavit are true and correct, and made with full knowledge that the _____
(name of contracting unit) relies upon the truth of the statements contained in said Proposal
and in the statements contained in this affidavit in awarding the contract for the said project.

I further warrant that no person or selling agency has been employed or retained to solicit or
secure such contract upon an agreement or understanding for a commission, percentage,
brokerage, or contingent fee, except bona fide employees or bona fide established commercial or
selling agencies maintained by _____.

Subscribed and sworn to

before me this day

_____, 2_____

Signature

(Type or print name of affiant under signature)

Notary public of

My Commission expires _____

(Seal)

BID PROPOSAL FORM

(Contract Title and Bid Number, if applicable)

(Description of goods/services being bid)

The undersigned proposes to furnish and deliver the above goods/services pursuant to the bid specification and made part hereof.

Amount in words

\$ _____
Amount in numbers

Company Name

Federal I.D. # or Social Security #

Address

Signature of Authorized Agent

Type or Print Name

Title:

Telephone Number

Date

Fax Number

E-mail address

EXHIBIT A

MANDATORY EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY LANGUAGE
N.J.S.A. 10:5-31 et seq. (P.L. 1975, C. 127)
N.J.A.C. 17:27

GOODS, PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AND GENERAL SERVICE CONTRACTS

During the performance of this contract, the contractor agrees as follows:

The contractor or subcontractor, where applicable, will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of age, race, creed, color, national origin, ancestry, marital status, affectional or sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, disability, nationality or sex. Except with respect to affectional or sexual orientation and gender identity or expression, the contractor will ensure that equal employment opportunity is afforded to such applicants in recruitment and employment, and that employees are treated during employment, without regard to their age, race, creed, color, national origin, ancestry, marital status, affectional or sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, disability, nationality or sex. Such equal employment opportunity shall include, but not be limited to the following: employment, upgrading, demotion, or transfer; recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship. The contractor agrees to post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices to be provided by the Public Agency Compliance Officer setting forth provisions of this nondiscrimination clause.

The contractor or subcontractor, where applicable will, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the contractor, state that all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to age, race, creed, color, national origin, ancestry, marital status, affectional or sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, disability, nationality or sex.

The contractor or subcontractor will send to each labor union, with which it has a collective bargaining agreement, a notice, to be provided by the agency contracting officer, advising the labor union of the contractor's commitments under this chapter and shall post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment.

The contractor or subcontractor, where applicable, agrees to comply with any regulations promulgated by the Treasurer pursuant to N.J.S.A. 10:5-31 et seq., as amended and supplemented from time to time and the Americans with Disabilities Act.

The contractor or subcontractor agrees to make good faith efforts to meet targeted county employment goals established in accordance with N.J.A.C. 17:27-5.2.

The contractor or subcontractor agrees to inform in writing its appropriate recruitment agencies including, but not limited to, employment agencies, placement bureaus, colleges, universities, and labor unions, that it does not discriminate on the basis of age, race, creed, color, national origin, ancestry, marital status, affectional or sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, disability, nationality or sex, and that it will discontinue the use of any recruitment agency which engages in direct or indirect discriminatory practices.

The contractor or subcontractor agrees to revise any of its testing procedures, if necessary, to assure that all personnel testing conforms with the principles of job-related testing, as established by the statutes and court decisions of the State of New Jersey and as established by applicable Federal law and applicable Federal court decisions.

In conforming with the targeted employment goals, the contractor or subcontractor agrees to review all procedures relating to transfer, upgrading, downgrading and layoff to ensure that all such actions are taken without regard to age, race, creed, color, national origin, ancestry, marital status, affectional or sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, disability, nationality or sex, consistent with the statutes and court decisions of the State of New Jersey, and applicable Federal law and applicable Federal court decisions.

The contractor shall submit to the public agency, after notification of award but prior to execution of a goods and services contract, one of the following three documents:

Letter of Federal Affirmative Action Plan Approval

Certificate of Employee Information Report

Employee Information Report Form AA302 (electronically provided by the Division and distributed to the public agency through the Division's website at www.state.nj.us/treasury/contract_compliance)

The contractor and its subcontractors shall furnish such reports or other documents to the Division of Public Contracts Equal Employment Opportunity Compliance as may be requested by the office from time to time in order to carry out the purposes of these regulations, and public agencies shall furnish such information as may be requested by the Division of Public Contracts Equal Employment Opportunity Compliance for conducting a compliance investigation pursuant to Subchapter 10 of the Administrative Code at N.J.A.C. 17:27.

Submitted by:

Name of Firm: _____

By: _____

Title: _____

Date: _____

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION COMPLIANCE NOTICE
N.J.S.A. 10:5-31 and N.J.A.C. 17:27

GOODS AND SERVICES CONTRACTS
(INCLUDING PROFESSIONAL SERVICES)

This form is a summary of the successful bidder's requirement to comply with the requirements of N.J.S.A. 10:5-31 and N.J.A.C. 17:27.

The successful bidder shall submit to the public agency, after notification of award but prior to execution of this contract, one of the following three documents as forms of evidence:

(a) A photocopy of a valid letter that the contractor is operating under an existing Federally approved or sanctioned affirmative action program (good for one year from the date of the letter);

OR

(b) A photocopy of a Certificate of Employee Information Report approval, issued in accordance with N.J.A.C. 17:27-4;

OR

(c) A photocopy of an Employee Information Report (Form AA302) provided by the Division and distributed to the public agency to be completed by the contractor in accordance with N.J.A.C. 17:27-4.

The successful vendor may obtain the Affirmative Action Employee Information Report (AA302) from the contracting unit during normal business hours.

The successful vendor(s) must submit the copies of the AA302 Report to the Division of Contract Compliance and Equal Employment Opportunity in Public Contracts (Division). The Public Agency copy is submitted to the public agency, and the vendor copy is retained by the vendor.

The undersigned vendor certifies that he/she is aware of the commitment to comply with the requirements of N.J.S.A. 10:5-31 and N.J.A.C. 17:27 and agrees to furnish the required forms of evidence.

The undersigned vendor further understands that his/her bid shall be rejected as non-responsive if said contractor fails to comply with the requirements of N.J.S.A. 10:5-31 and N.J.A.C. 17:27.

COMPANY: _____

SIGNATURE: _____

PRINT NAME: _____

TITLE: _____

DATE: _____

Lower Alloways Creek Township

BID DOCUMENT CHECKLIST*

Required by owner	Submission Requirement	Initial each required entry and if required submit the item
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Stockholder Disclosure Certification	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Non-Collusion Affidavit	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Bid Proposal Form	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Warranty Statements	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Status of Present Contracts	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	New Jersey Business Registration Certificate	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Bid Guarantee (with Power of Attorney for full amount of <i>Bid Bond</i>)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Public Works Contractor Certificate	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Consent of Surety (with Power of Attorney for full amount of Bid Price)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Mandatory Affirmative Action Language	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Proof of Insurance	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Acknowledgement of Receipt of Addenda	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Manufacturers drawings, blueprints, literature	

*This form need not be submitted. It is provided for bidder's use in assuring compliance with all required documentation.