

NOTICE TO BIDDERS  
GOLF COURSE GREENS MOWER  
BID ID#: 2014-004  
INDIAN BLUFF GOLF COURSE  
6200 78<sup>th</sup> AVENUE  
MILAN, IL 61264

May 15, 2014

To Whom It May Concern:

The Rock Island County Forest Preserve Commission is requesting bids for the following equipment for use at Indian Bluff Golf Course, Milan, IL 61264:

- **One (1) Golf Course Greens Mower**

Note that bids will be considered on equipment complying substantially with specifications, provided each deviation is stated and each substitution are described in detail. Standard catalog sheets or technical data will not be accepted in lieu of this requirement. The Rock Island County Forest Preserve District will be the sole determiner whether such substitutions are equivalent to the equipment specified.

The price shall include all costs complete, including freight, delivery and dealer preparation charges, delivered to the location(s) noted on the proposal forms. Note: Rock Island County Forest Preserve District is not subject to Excise Tax or Illinois State Sales Tax. Please submit descriptive literature showing complete specifications for the item being bid. Specifications are detailed on the respective proposal form. The bids will be awarded individually, and it is not necessary to bid all of the unit(s).

The sealed bids marked “**Golf Course Greens Mower**” **BID ID#:2014-0004** must be received no later than 2:30 PM, Tuesday, June 10, 2014 in the Forest Preserve Office, 1504 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave., 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Rock Island, IL 61201. The bids will be publicly opened and read aloud immediately thereafter. Only bids using the enclosed proposal forms will be considered.

Direct questions about request for “**Golf Course Greens Mower**” **BID ID#:2014-0004**, contact Doug Wells, Director of Golf, Indian Bluff Clubhouse Phone (309) 799-3868.

GOLF COURSE GREENS MOWER  
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INDIAN BLUFF GOLF COURSE  
**SPECIFICATIONS**

1. One (1) new, golf course greens mower
2. Gasoline engine:  
Horsepower: minimum 18 hp at 3600  
Displacement: 34.8 cu. in.

- Air Cleaner System: air cooled  
Fuel Capacity: 8 gal.
3. Speed: 3.7 mph minimum mow speed, 6.6 mph minimum transport speed, 3.5 mph minimum reverse
  4. Traction Drive: hydraulic motor on each drive wheel
  5. Reel Drive: gear type hydraulic; backlap control standard
  6. Hydraulic System; 5 gal. capacity; 20-micron, full flow filtration; biodegradable fluid
  7. Reel Lift: Hydraulic, double action cylinders
  8. Tires, Brakes, and Steering: tires 18x9.5-8, 2 ply, pneumatic, tubeless minimum
  9. Parking Brake: hand operated
  10. Steering: power steering
  11. Reels and Blades:
    - Number and Size: three 22 in. reels, 5 in. diameter
    - Number of Blades: 11 blades
    - Blade Material: hardened, high-carbon steel
    - Cutting Frequency: 0.053 in./mph with 11 blade reels
    - Overall Cutting Width: 62 in
    - Height-of-cut range: 0.062-0.438 in.
    - Front rollers: grooved aluminum rollers
    - Rear rollers: solid aluminum rollers
  12. Wheel base 51.5 in
  13. Delivered July 1, 2014 or A.S.A.P. **AFTER** July 1, 2014

The successful bidder agrees to abide by the Rock Island Count Forest Preserve District payment procedure in which bills received prior to the 25<sup>th</sup> day of the month are processed and paid by check approximately the 25<sup>th</sup> day of the next month.

The Rock Island County Forest Preserve Commission reserves the Right To Reject any or all bids, to waive any irregularities in a bid, or to accept that bid which, in the judgment of proper officials, is to be in the best interest of the Rock Island County Forest Preserve District.

Sincerely yours,

Steve Ballard, President  
Rock Island County Forest Preserve Commission

**PROPOSAL FORM**  
**GOLF COURSE GREENS MOWER**  
**BID ID#: 2014-004-INDIAN BLUFF GOLF COURSE**

Bid Opening-Forest Preserve Office	6/10/14 2:30 PM
ROCK ISLAND COUNTY FOREST PRESERVE COMMITTEE	
Review of bids and recommendation to full Commission	6/12/14 3:00 PM
ROCK ISLAND FOREST PRESEVE COMMISSION	
Approval of bids	6/17/14 5:30 PM

The undersigned, having read the specifications, hereby agrees to furnish (1) ONE, GOLF COURSE GREENS MOWER - BID ID# 2014-004 to Indian Bluff Golf Course, 6200 78<sup>th</sup> Ave, Milan, IL 61264 in the following SUM:

<u>DESCRIPTION / TYPE</u>	<u>TOTAL NET PRICE</u>
(1) EA-golf course greens mower, including all specifications, freight, delivery and dealer preparation charges, delivered to Indian Bluff Golf Course	\$ _____

BRAND & MODEL:

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WARRANTY:

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One (1) GOLF COURSE GREENS MOWER will be delivered: on July 1, 2014 or \_\_\_\_\_ within days after July 1, 2014.

FIRM NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

BID REPRESENTATIVE: \_\_\_\_\_ TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ CITY/STATE/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ FAX: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_ WEBSITE: \_\_\_\_\_

CELL PHONE #: \_\_\_\_\_ (IF APPLICABLE)

COMMENTS:

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