

October 1, 2013

BID ID#:2013-0004

To Whom It May Concern:

The Rock Island County Forest Preserve Commission is requesting bids for the following equipment for use at Loud Thunder Forest Preserve, Illinois City, IL:

- TWO (2), LAKE BOAT DOCKS

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 "LAKE BOAT DOCKS" BID ID#:2013-0004 must be received no later than 2:00 PM, Tuesday, November 12, 2013 in the Forest Preserve Office, 1504 3rd Ave., 2nd 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 "LAKE BOAT DOCKS" BID ID#:2013-0004, contact Ben Mills, Loud Thunder Forest Preserve Ranger, Park Phone (309) 795-1040 or Cell Phone (309) 373-8156.

The successful bidder agrees to abide by the Rock Island County Forest Preserve District payment procedure in which bills received prior to the 25th day of the month are processed and paid by check approximately the 25th 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
LAKE BOAT DOCKS
BID ID#:2013-0004**

The undersigned having read the specifications, hereby agrees to furnish two (2) new, LAKE BOAT DOCKS, to Loud Thunder Forest Preserve, Illinois City, IL, with the following specifications:

Dock #1

8' Wide Dock

(1) 8' wide x 40' long plus 4' wide x 8' long aluminum frame gangway so the total length of dock with gangway is 48ø long.

Dock & Gangway Specification

Aluminum trust frame dock 1" x 2" tube on top and the bottom along with a 5/8" aluminum rod woven in and out to give it the bridge/rafter design. The dock should be 13-1/2" tall with gussets welded in each corner for extra strength. **IMPORTANT NOTE** ó aluminum chair rail 4ø high that is 2ø back from outside dock edge.

Gangway

(1) 4' wide x 8' long aluminum frame gangway with a connection hinge to mount gangway to dock and should contain a transition plate from ground level to top of decking height.

Decking

Type - Power coated aluminum decking

Color - Eggshell white

Floats

(4) poly encapsulated floats - 48" x 96" x 12"

Cleats – Poly Fold Up Style

(8) cleats per dock ó owner to provide locations

Anchoring

(4) 2.5" spud collars

(2) 2" wide x 21' long schedule 40 galvanized pipe - lakeside of dock

(2) 2" wide x 10' long schedule 40 galvanized pipe - landside

(4) augers - bolt on type

Dock #2

6' Wide Dock

(1) 6' wide x 40' long plus 4' wide x 8' long aluminum frame gangway so the total length of dock with gangway is 48ø long.

Dock & Gangway Specification

Aluminum trust frame dock 1" x 2" tube on top and the bottom along with a 5/8" aluminum rod woven in and out to give it the bridge/rafter design. The dock should be 13-1/2" tall with gussets welded in each corner for extra strength. **IMPORTANT NOTE** ó aluminum chair rail 4ø high that is 2ø back from outside dock edge.

Gangway

(1) 4' wide x 8' long aluminum frame gangway with a connection hinge to mount gangway to dock and should contain a transition plate from ground level to top of decking height

Decking

Type - Power coated aluminum decking

Color - Eggshell white

Floats

(4) poly encapsulated floats - 48" x 72" x 12"

Cleats – Poly Fold Up Style

(8) cleats per dock ó owner to provide locations

Anchoring

(4) 2.5" spud collars

(2) 2" wide x 21' long schedule 40 galvanized pipe - lakeside of dock

(2) 2" wide x 10' long schedule 40 galvanized pipe - landside

(4) augers - bolt on type

All freight, labor to install per manufacture specifications for Dock #1 \$ _____

All freight, labor to install per manufacture specifications for Dock #2 \$ _____

Total Sum for Dock #1 & Dock #2 in US Dollars \$ _____

Warranty including pick-up, parts, & labor: _____

The TWO (2) LAKE BOAT DOCKS will be delivered within _____ days of receipt of the District's purchase order.

COMPANY NAME: _____ DATE: _____

ADDRESS: _____ CITY/ST/ZIP: _____

BID REPRESENTATIVE: _____ TITLE: _____

WEBSITE/EMAIL: _____

PHONE: _____ FAX: _____

COMMENTS: _____

(Please back of sheet if necessary)