

CITY OF LOS BANOS

CALL FOR BIDS

Notice is hereby given that the City of Los Banos will receive sealed bids for the purchase of a new model John Deere (or equivalent) Gator type utility vehicle.

The Gator type utility vehicle supplied shall be a new 2008/09 Model and shall include the equipment shown on the attached specifications, but may not be limited to said equipment.

Bidders shall quote a purchase price, including taxes for:

This equipment must meet all California Emission Control Regulations, all Federal Safety Standards, and Department of Motor Vehicle Regulations.

The estimated delivery date shall be ninety (90) days or less from the date the bid is awarded.

In the event that the new Gator type utility vehicle has not arrived at the successful bidder place of business within ten (10) days after estimated date of delivery, as indicated on the bid form, the City of Los Banos shall have the option to consider the agreement between the successful bidder and the City to purchase a new Gator type utility vehicle as Null and Void.

In the event the successful bidder fails to provide the new equipment within the specified time or cannot meet the forgoing specifications, the City of Los Banos has the right to cancel the contract. The City of Los Banos may then enter into an agreement with the next lowest bidder for delivery of the new 2007/08 Gator type utility vehicle. **Bids shall be complete, based on the included specifications with no exceptions.**

Bids shall be submitted only on forms that may be obtained from the Office of the City Clerk of the City of Los Banos, City Hall, 520 J Street, Los Banos, California 93635.

Any questions about the specifications for the new 2007/08 Gator type vehicle should be directed to Mike O'Brien, Parks Services Supervisor at (209) 826-2207.

The City Council of the City of Los Banos reserves the right to reject any and all bids as it may deem appropriate. Late and incomplete bids will be deemed unacceptable and will not be considered.

Sealed bids shall be received by and in the hands of the City Clerk of the City of Los Banos, City Hall, 520 J Street, Los Banos, California 93635 on or before the hour of 2 PM on May 27, 2008, at which time all bids shall be opened. Please assure that "Utility vehicle Bid" is printed on the outside (front) of the bid envelope.