

**INFORMAL BID  
CITY OF ST. LOUIS**

OFFICE OF THE SUPPLY COMMISSIONER  
1200 MARKET ST RM 324  
ST LOUIS MO 63103-2842



REQUEST FOR QUOTE  
**22013Q0140**

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5600 CLAYTON AVE  
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REPLY DUE BY: **05/07/13 12:00 O'CLOCK NOON**

NEEDED BY DATE	QUANTITY	UNIT	CAT. NO.	ITEM NUMBER	UNIT PRICE	AMOUNT
	REQ LINE NUMBER : 0001					
	12	EA	CITY	21323300		
	STRING TRIMMER, BRUSH CUTTER - STIHL MODEL #FS100 RX					
	SEE ATTACHED SPECS.					
	BIDDING: -----					
	REQ LINE NUMBER : 0002					
	1	EA	CITY	44559013		
	POLE SAW - EXTENDED LENGTH - STIHL MODEL #HT101					
	...OR ACCEPTABLE EQUAL. SEE ATTACHED SPECS.					
	BIDDING: -----					
	REQ LINE NUMBER : 0003					
	2	EA	CITY	54509057		
	CHAIN SAW - 16" BAR - STIHL MODEL #MS 290-16.					
	SEE ATTACHED SPECS.					
					<b>TOTAL</b> →	

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<p>BIDDING: -----</p> <p>REQ LINE NUMBER : 0004</p> <p>2 EA CITY 54509062</p> <p>BLOWER, HANDHELD - STIHL MODEL #BG 86 - SEE SPECS.</p> <p>BIDDING: -----</p> <p>DEPT. CONTACT: JOE VACCA 314-289-5300</p> <p>OR ACCEPTABLE EQUAL CLEARLY STATE MFG., NO. &amp; BRAND</p> <p>VENODR MUST SUBMIT DETAILED INFORMATION WITH BID ON PRODUCT OFFERED</p> <p>STATE BEST GUARANTEED DELIVERY: ----- A.R.O.</p> <p>ALL ITEMS SHALL BE F.O.B. DESTINATION</p> <p>IT IS THE POLICY OF THE SUPPLY DIVISION THAT ALL BIDS/ CONTRACTS AWARDED IN THE AMOUNT OF \$500.00 AND ABOVE ADHERE TO THE MAYOR'S EXECUTIVE ORDER #28 WHICH REQUIRES MINIMUM UTILIZATION OF MINORITY OWNED BUSINESSES OF 25% AND WOMEN OWNED BUSINESSES OF 5%. ALL VENDORS MUST COMPLY WITH THIS POLICY AND ALL OTHER PROVISIONS</p>						
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<p>OF EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 28.</p> <p>LIST ITEMS MANUFACTURED, ASSEMBLED OR PRODUCED IN A FOREIGN COUNTRY ON THIS FORM.</p> <p>IF FREIGHT OR DELIVERY CHARGE TO BE BILLED, IT MUST BE INCLUDED IN THIS QUOTE OR IT WILL NOT BE PAID.                      ( ) FREIGHT IS INCLUDED IN THE QUOTED UNIT PRICE.                      ( ) WE WILL CHARGE FREIGHT/DELIVERY IN THE AMOUNT OF:                      \$ _____</p> <p>PLEASE TYPE NAME OF CONTACT PERSON FOR THIS BID:                      NAME: _____                      FAX: _____                      E-MAIL: _____</p> <p>NOTICE RE: ORDINANCE #60643</p> <p>A CITY OF ST. LOUIS BUSINESS LICENSE IS REQUIRED IF YOU MEET ANY OF THE FOLLOWING (CHECK AS APPROPRIATE):                      ----- BUSINESS IS LOCATED WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS                      ----- DELIVERY WITHIN CITY LIMITS IS BY COMPANY TRUCK                      ----- SALES CALLS MADE WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS</p>						
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<p>*****NEW BIDDING INFORMATION*****</p> <p>FOR ALL BIDS, THE CITY RESERVES THE RIGHT TO MAKE A SPLIT AWARD. IF A BIDDER DOES NOT WISH TO ACCEPT A SPLIT BID AWARD, HE/SHE MUST STATE "ALL OR NONE" ON BID OFFER, SEE BELOW. BIDDER MUST CHECK ONE OF FOLLOWING:</p> <p>----- BIDDING "ALL OR NONE"</p> <p>----- SPLIT AWARD ACCEPTABLE</p> <p>*** BID RESULTS MAY BE AVAILABLE 30 DAYS AFTER OPENING DATE. IF YOU DESIRE BID RESULTS, PLEASE INCLUDE A SELF ADDRESSED STAMPED ENVELOPE WITH YOUR BID. ***</p> <p>+++++</p> <p>BIDS WILL BE AWARDED BASED ON OFFICIAL SPECIFICATIONS PROVIDED BY SUPPLY DIVISION ONLY &amp; ANY RELATED ADDENDA. ALL INQUIRIES MUST BE IN WRITING (LETTER/E-MAIL/FAX) TO THE FOLLOWING BUYER:</p> <p>LYNN CRAWFORD, CPPB - CRAWFORDL@STLOUIS-MO.GOV FAX# 314-622-4141 . . . . . PHONE# 314-622-4716</p> <p>+++++</p> <p>***** WEBSITE INFORMATION *****</p> <p>* * * * *</p> <p>* TO DOWNLOAD SUPPLY BIDS GO TO: * * * * *</p> <p>* * * * *</p> <p>* HTTP://STLOUIS-MO.GOV/SUPPLY/BID-NOTICES.CFM * * * * *</p> <p>* * * * *</p> <p>* CLICK ON BID NOTICES * * * * *</p> <p>*****</p>						
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# Line Trimmer / Brushcutter Specifications

Model Type: Straight Shaft Commercial Duty

## 4 Cycle Engine Specifications

All bids must meet or exceed the following requirements.

FS 100 RX

### *Meets all current EPA Emission Regulations*

Engine Displacement:	1.9 cu. in. (31.4 cc)
Engine Power:	1.3 bhp
Weight:	Loop Handle 10.4 lbs.
Fuel Capacity:	18 oz.
Ignition:	Electronic / Governed Ignition
Carburetor:	Adjustable / All position / non-flooding purge pump
Choke Lever:	Protected / Positive stop
Throttle:	Protected trigger / throttle interlock
Throttle Cables:	Enclosed in protective conduit
Electrical Wires:	Enclosed with throttle cable in protective conduit
Intake:	Valve controlled/ Insolated intake flange
Piston:	2 Compression rings
Cylinder:	Long life chromium
Muffler:	Large 2 chamber FS USDA approved / easy access spark arresting screen
Clutch:	Heavy duty / Lifetime warranty
Starter:	Recoil
Air Filter:	Heavy duty 2 stage / easy access
Shaft:	Lightweight / Lifetime warranty
Handles:	Multi-position Loop or Bike Handle / Harness and Harness
Hook	
Throttle Handle: throttle interlock	Soft grip / Multi-function control switch / Integrated
Hanger:	Built-in
Easy Starting:	Flow through primer system
Anti Vibration:	Rubber shock mounts
Fasteners:	Torx screws w/holding teeth
Fuel Tank:	Upright-see through / retained fuel cap
Line Head:	Bump feed / 33' of .095" / Two line
Deflector:	Professional high visibility / Equipped with Line Limiter
Warranty:	(2) Year Warranty for Professional Use. Lifetime Warranty for Clutch, and Drive Shaft.

# Extended Length Pole Saw Specifications

## Model Type: Telescoping Shaft Commercial Duty

### 4 Cycle Engine Specifications

All bids must meet or exceed the following requirements.

HT 101 & 131

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#### *Meets all current & 2005 EPA Emission Regulations*

Engine Displacement:	HT 101 - 1.9 cu. in (31.4 cc) / HT 131 - 2.2 cu. in. (36.3 cc)
Engine Power:	HT 101 - 1.34 bhp / HT 131 - 1.9 bhp
Weight:	HT 101 - 16.2 lbs. / HT 131 - 17.2 lbs
Fuel Capacity:	18 oz. - View through tank with retainer on cap
Oil Capacity:	.51 pts. - View through tank with retainer on cap
Ignition:	Electronic / Governed Ignition
Carburetor:	Adjustable / All position / non-flooding purge pump
Choke Lever:	Protected / Positive stop
Throttle:	Protected trigger / throttle interlock
Throttle Cables:	Enclosed in protective conduit
Electrical Wires:	Enclosed with throttle cable in protective conduit
Intake:	Valve Controlled / Insolated intake flange
Piston:	2 Compression rings
Cylinder:	Long life chromium
Muffler:	Large 2 chamber FS USDA approved / spark arresting screen
Engine Clutch:	Extra Heavy Duty / Lifetime warranty
Gear Box:	Heavy duty magnesium / Stand and limb hook / Slip Clutch to prevent drive shaft damage under extreme torque conditions
Starter:	Recoil
Air Filter:	Heavy duty 2 stage / easy access
Shaft:	Heavy Duty / Telescoping / 7.5 ft. extends to 11.5 ft.
Harness:	Harness and Harness Hook
Throttle Handle:	Soft grip / Multi-function control switch / Integrated throttle interlock
Easy Starting:	Flow through primer system
Anti Vibration:	Rubber shock mounts
Fasteners:	Torx screws w/holding teeth
Bar:	.043" Gauge / 12" Length
Sprocket:	6 tooth-3/8" extended pitch - outboard with easy removable clip
Chain:	.043" gauge - equipped with oil-saving feature / reduced kickback / Narrow Kerf
Oil Pump:	Gear driven / automatic / speed driven / no feed @ idle
Warranty: Clutch	(2) Year Warranty for Professional Use. Lifetime Warranty for

\* 4180 Family series parts interchange with other units.

# Chain Saw Specification

## Model Type: Mid-Size

### 2 Cycle Engine Specifications

All bids must meet or exceed the following requirements.

MS 290

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Engine Displacement:	3.45 cu. in. (56.5 cc)
Engine Power:	3.75 bhp
Weight:	13.2 lbs.
Engine Speed:	Max. 12,500 rpm/idle 2,800 rpm – Limiter Caps
Main Bearings:	2 deep grooved ball bearings
Cylinder:	Long life – 4 transfer ports
Piston:	2 Compression rings
Carburetor:	All position/compensated - maintains constant RPM's
Intake:	Piston ported
Throttle Control:	Trigger w/throttle interlock, Master control switch
Fuel Tank Capacity:	1.18 pt. – <u>Toolless Fuel Cap</u>
Muffler:	FS USDA approved w/spark arresting screen
Ignition:	Electronic
Bar:	.063" gauge equipped with oil-saving feature
Bar Lengths:	16" to 20"
Clutch:	3 shoe (360-degree engagement)
Sprocket:	8 tooth-.325" pitch / outboard with easy removable clip
Chain: kickback	.063" gauge equipped with oil-saving feature / reduced
Chain Adjuster:	Side access
Chain Speed:	93.8 fps / 5633 fpm @ 13,000 rpm
Starter:	Recoil w/polymer pawls
Oil Tank Capacity:	.70 pt. – Toolless Oil Cap
Oil Pump: @ idle	Gear driven / automatic / adjustable / speed driven / no feed
Air Filter:	Heavy duty-Felt
Chain Brake:	Full 360-degree w/inertia and manual operation
Fastening Hardware:	Torx screws w/holding teeth
Anti Vibration:	Rubber anti-vibration mounts
Optional Features Available:	Shock absorber in starter handle / 3/8 Pitch

# Blower / Vacuum Specifications

Model Type: Mid-Size

## 2 Cycle Engine Specifications

All bids must meet or exceed the following requirements.

BG 86

### *Meets all current EPA Emission Regulations*

Engine Displacement:	1.66 cu. in (27.2 cc)
Engine Power:	1.1 bhp
Weight:	9.7 lbs.
Fuel Capacity:	14.9 oz.
Air Velocity:	190 mph (flat nozzle) 154 (round nozzle)
Air Volume:	359 cfm (flat nozzle) 459 (round nozzle)
Air Volume Vacuum:	353 cfm
Noise Level:	70 dB – ANSI-B175.2
Tube:	Telescoping
Nozzle:	Includes flat and round
Fan Wheel Air Intake:	Away from operator
Ignition:	Electronic / Governed Ignition
Stop Switch:	Always in on position
Carburetor:	Adjustable / All position / non-flooding purge pump
Choke Lever:	Protected / Positive stop
Intake:	Piston ported / Insolated intake flange
Piston:	2 Compression rings / Full Crankshaft
Cylinder:	Long life / 4 transfer ports
Crankshaft:	Extra Heavy Duty Crankshaft Bearing
Throttle Cables:	Enclosed in handle
Handle:	Soft Grip Professional Handle
Electrical Wires:	Enclosed with throttle cable in handle
Second Handle:	Built-In – Used in Vacuum Mode
Muffler:	FS USDA approved / Chamber for quiet operation / Spark arresting screen
Starter:	Recoil / shock absorber in starter handle
Air Filter:	Heavy duty 2 stage / Tool-less easy access
Easy Starting:	Flow through primer system / start up throttle lock
Throttle:	Trigger style
Anti Vibration:	4 spring
Fasteners:	Torx screws w/holding teeth
Fuel Tank:	Upright-see through / Retained fuel cap
Optional Features Available:	Rain Gutter attachment / Vacuum attachment
Warranty:	(2) Year Warranty for Professional Use.



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OFFICE OF THE SUPPLY COMMISSIONER**

**FREDDIE L. DUNLAP**  
SUPPLY COMMISSIONER

**FRANCIS G. SLAY**  
MAYOR

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ROOM 324  
ST LOUIS, MO 63103-2819  
(T): (314) 622-4580  
(F): (314) 622-4141

**ATTENTION BIDDERS**

*Please carefully review all information requested in this bid package.*

*Failure to submit requested samples, literature or any other requested information may result in disqualification of your bid or any portion of your bid.*

*Also the reasons indicated below may disqualify your bid. If you have any questions, call the buyer indicated in this bid package.*

**This form must be returned with your bid.**

- Two or more bids submitted for one item, unless instructed to do so. (item rejected)
- Signature missing on bid or any required form.
- Buy American Form not completed or returned. (may be rejected)
- M/WBE Form not completed or returned. (may be rejected)
- Altered or erased unit prices must be initialed.
- Faxed bid, unless specifically requested (will be rejected).
  
- FOR CONTRACTS ONLY: Please provide your DUNS # \_\_\_\_\_
- FOR CONTRACTS ONLY: Failure to submit required Bond by the date indicated.

***I certify that I have read and understand the information above.***

\_\_\_\_\_  
Manual Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

## ST. LOUIS DOMESTIC PRODUCTS PROCUREMENT ACT

The City of St. Louis has enacted an ordinance relating to the purchase of domestic products by City government, with penalty provisions. The ordinance amends Section 5.58.010 Revised Code of the City of St. Louis, 1986, as amended by adding thereto new subsections dealing with the requirement that the Supply Commissioner or his designee give preference to goods or commodities manufactured in the United States of America, stating exceptions to said policy. Sections one through six are reprinted below.

**Section One.** Section 5.58.010 Revised Code of the City of St. Louis is hereby amended by adding the following language: Each solicitation to bid and the method of describing the items to be bid upon of any goods or commodities sought to be purchased by the Office of Supply Commissioner, and any contract entered into by and on behalf of the City of St. Louis and executed by the Mayor and/or the Comptroller of the City of St. Louis wherein the construction, alteration, repair or maintenance of any public works is the subject of the contract so executed, shall contain a provision that the goods or commodities furnished or used in the furtherance of said project by any contractor or subcontractor, manufacturer or supplier as the case may be, shall be manufactured, assembled or produced in the United States, and said requirement as defined above shall be stated in said bid.

**Section Two.** The provision of Section One of this Ordinance shall not apply in the following instances:

- (i) Where the item purchased as the contract entered into for repairs or renovation is less than One Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars.
- (ii) Where no line of a particular good or product is manufactured, assembled or produced in the United States.
- (iii) Where the acquisition of United States manufactured or produced goods would increase the cost by more than (10%) percent.

**Section Three.** The certificate required by this section shall specify the nature of the contract, the product being purchased or leased, the names and addresses of the United States manufacturers and producers contracted by the Commissioner or the project architect or engineer, and an indication that such manufacturers or producers could not supply sufficient quantities or that the price of the products would increase the cost of the contract by more than ten percent.

**Section Four.** No public agency may authorize, provide for, or make any payment to any vendor or contractor upon any contract in violation of section 2 of this act. Prior to the awarding of the bid and before any public agency authorizes, provides, or makes payment to any vendor or contractor upon any contract to which section 2 or 6 of this act applies, the vendor or contractor shall provide proof of compliance with section 2, and, if applicable, section 6 of this act. Any vendor or contractor who knowingly misrepresents any material fact to the public agency concerning the origin of any manufactured goods or commodities shall be guilty of a Class A misdemeanor.

**Section Five.** Sections 1 to 6 of this act shall apply only to contracts and subcontracts entered into after the effective date of this act, and shall not limit the use or supply of manufactured goods or commodities purchased or leased prior to the effective date of this act.

**Section Six.** Nothing in sections 1 or 6 of this act is intended to contravene any existing treaty, law, agreement, or regulation of the United States. All contracts under section 1 or 6 of this act shall be entered into in accordance with existing treaty, law, agreement, or regulation of the United States including all treaties entered into between foreign countries and the United States regarding export-import restrictions and international trade and shall not be in violation of sections 1 to 6 of this act to the extent of such accordance.

### Interpretations and Guidelines

**Section One:** "Shall be manufactured" is interpreted to mean to make or process a raw material into a finished product or to turn-out in a mechanical manner. "Assembled" is interpreted to mean to fit or to join together the parts, gather, or to congregate in a manufacturing environment. "Produced" is interpreted to mean to create by manual or physical effort, to make or yield to customary product or products.

**Section Two (I)** This is interpreted to mean less than one thousand dollars in aggregate (total purchases).

**(Iii)** When applying this subsection, multiply the cost of the foreign product by ten percent and compare the cost to the American product. If the American product cost is less than the sum of the cost of the foreign product plus ten percent, the award will be made to the vendor bidding the American product. The price paid by the City of St. Louis will be the actual price bid by the winning bidder.

**Section Three:** "Could not supply sufficient quantities" is interpreted to mean in order to meet the using agency's delivery schedule and in quantity specified.

**Section Four:** The vendor's authorized representative must complete a self-certification form, as required by the existing procedures previously indicated. These certification forms will be used to determine whether the manufacturer or producers could, or could not supply sufficient quantities, or the cost of the products would increase the contract by more than ten percent.

Prior to the City awarding the bid, the vendor shall provide certification that the product being bid is manufactured, assembled or produced in the United States or there is an existing treaty, law or regulation whereby the product bid shall be treated the same as product manufactured, assembled or produced in the United States. The procuring agency shall accept the self certification in order to apply the percentage differential that is applicable under this law. Failure to provide certification shall cause the city to presume that such product is not American made and preference shall not be considered for that product.

# CERTIFICATION FORM ST. LOUIS DOMESTIC PRODUCTS PROCUREMENT ACT (BUY AMERICAN)

Bidders are advised of legislation enacted by the City of St. Louis which requires all manufactured goods or commodities used or supplied in the performance of this contract or any subcontract to be manufactured, assembled or produced in the United States, unless obtaining American made products would increase the cost of this contract by more than ten percent.

Section Four requires the vendor or contractor to certify his compliance with this legislation and if applicable, Section Six, if preference is claimed.

This legislation does not apply if the total bid is less than one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00).

Bids received will be evaluated on the basis of this legislation. Certificates of compliance must be completed and returned to be considered for preference. Failure to provide certification shall cause the City to presume that such product is not American made.

**CERTIFICATION**

If **all** the specified goods or products are manufactured, assembled or produced in the United States, check box at left and complete certification at the bottom of this form.

**SECTION SIX CERTIFICATION**

If any or all of the specified goods or products are manufactured, assembled or produced in a country other than the "United States", and exemption is requested because such product is Fair Trade Product: (a) list the country, other than the United States, where each good or product you propose to furnish is manufactured, assembled or produced; (b) check box at left of this paragraph and list corresponding commodities and (c) complete Section Six Documentation portion below.

**Item Number(s)**

**Location Where Item Manufactured, Assembled or Produced**


**SECTION SIX DOCUMENTATION**

The specified goods or products are treated as manufactured, assembled or produced in the United States under an existing treaty, law, agreement or regulation of the United States regarding export-import restrictions and international trade. List item Number(s) and Treaties covering item below.

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**DEFINITIONS**

- MANUFACTURED** - to make or process a raw material into a finished product; create, or to produce or to turn-out in a mechanical manner.
- ASSEMBLED** - to fit or join together the parts in a manufacturing environment.
- PRODUCED** - create by manual or physical effort, to make or yield the customary product or products.

**MUST BE COMPLETED AND SIGNED**

I hereby certify that the above information is true and correct and further certify that this statement complies with all provisions of Section 5.58.010 Revised Code of the City of St. Louis, 1985, as amended.

**FIRM NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CITY:** \_\_\_\_\_ **STATE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **ZIP:** \_\_\_\_\_

**BY:** \_\_\_\_\_

(SIGNATURE and TITLE)

**CITY OF ST. LOUIS/SUPPLY DIVISION  
MINORITY/WOMEN BUSINESS ENTERPRISES FORM  
(M/WBE FORM)**

**A. Mayor's Executive Order #28, Section Six - Supply Contracts**

1. The goal of the City of St. Louis is that 25% of the value of all contracts let and purchases made by the Supply Commissioner shall be let or made with Minority Business Enterprises (MBEs) and that 5% of the value of all contracts let and purchases made by the Supply Commissioner shall be let or made with Women's Business Enterprises (WBEs).
2. All contracts let by the Supply Division for the purchase or lease of materials, equipment, supplies, commodities or services, the estimated cost of which exceeds \$500, shall be subject to this goal.
3. The methods by which the Supply Commissioner shall pursue this goal shall include but not be limited to the following:
  - a. The Supply Commissioner shall solicit bids from minority business enterprises and women's business enterprises certified to supply the required materials, equipment, supplies or services;
  - b. St. Louis Airport Authority (SLAA) shall provide the Supply Commissioner with a list of minority business enterprises and women's business enterprises qualified to provide each of those commodities that the Supply Commissioner indicates are required by the City;
  - c. The Supply Commissioner shall notify SLAA prior to solicitation of bids whenever no such qualified businesses are available;
  - d. SLAA shall attempt to identify such qualified businesses, and if successful, shall notify the Supply Commissioner of their availability; and
  - e. The Supply Commissioner shall provide such minority business enterprises and women's business enterprises every practical opportunity to submit bids.
4. Joint ventures or mentor-protégé relationships between prime contractors and subcontractors with local MBE and WBE firms are encouraged.
5. Participation of MBE and WBE firms located outside the St. Louis Metropolitan Statistical Area (SMSA) shall not count toward the goals established in this order.

**B. SUPPLY DIVISION POLICY**

It is the policy of the Supply Division that all bids/contracts awarded adhere to the Mayor's Executive Order #28. All vendors are encouraged to comply with this policy and all other provisions of Executive Order #28. A copy of Executive Order #28 is available upon request. Each Vendor/Contractor (bidder) must complete, sign and return this M/WBE Form. Failure to complete, sign and return the M/WBE Form will result in the bid being declared non responsive and your bid may be eliminated.

**C. OBLIGATION**

The bidder agrees to make a good faith effort to ensure that M/WBE businesses have an opportunity to participate in the performance of contracts or subcontracts financed in whole or in part with City funds. The bidder will take all necessary and reasonable steps to ensure that said businesses have an opportunity to compete for and perform under this bid/contract. The bidder shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin or sex in the award and performance of bids/contracts. The Directory of Disadvantaged, Minority and Women Owned Business Enterprises certified by the City of St. Louis, can be viewed at [www.mwdbe.org](http://www.mwdbe.org).

**CITY OF ST. LOUIS/SUPPLY DIVISION  
MINORITY/WOMEN BUSINESS ENTERPRISES FORM  
(M/WBE FORM)**

**D. BID/CONTRACT IDENTIFICATION**

Bid #: _____ or Contract Name: _____  Opening Date: _____ Your Bid Total: \$ _____  If your bid is \$500 or higher, please complete Section 'E'. We are NOT requesting information on how your company currently supports M/WBE suppliers. We want to know if there are opportunities you might consider to work with M/WBE suppliers for THIS SPECIFIC bid/contract.
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**E. ASSURANCE                      MBE/WBE Goal: 25% MBE and 5% WBE (Minimum Participation)**

I, acting in my capacity as an officer of the undersigned bidder(s) if a joint venture, hereby assure the City of St. Louis that on this bid/contract my company will: **(CHECK ONLY ONE)**

**Meet or exceed the M/WBE goal with: \_\_\_\_\_ % MBE and \_\_\_\_\_ % WBE Participation**

Proposed MBE Vendor Name: _____ Amount \$ _____  Item or materials to be supplied by MBE Vendor: _____  Proposed WBE Vendor Name: _____ Amount \$ _____  Item or materials to be supplied by WBE Vendor: _____
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**Fail to meet the M/WBE goal, but made a good faith effort to meet the goals as follows:**

\_\_\_\_\_ % MBE and \_\_\_\_\_ % WBE Participation (Enter Proposed Vendor information above.)

**Not meet the M/WBE goal for the following reasons(s): (Check All That Apply)**

	Our Company is an MBE certified by the State of: _____
	Our Company is a WBE certified by the State of: _____
	We have contacted suppliers listed in the SLAA Directory but have received no reply
	There are no subcontracting opportunities for this bid/contract
	We are a Dealer and the order will be drop-shipped from the manufacturer to the user
	We are the manufacturer and the order will be drop-shipped from the factory to the user
	A letter of explanation is attached
	Other reason: _____ _____

FIRM NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ FEDERAL ID NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_  
 SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ FAX NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_  
 PRINTED NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_  
 TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

**CITY OF ST LOUIS, MISSOURI**  
**INSTRUCTION TO BIDDERS (for request for quotations - RFQs)**

VENDORS SHOULD CAREFULLY READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS AND TERMS AND CONDITIONS, BEFORE SUBMITTING QUOTATION. **CAUTION: THIS IS NOT AN ORDER**

- Quotations will only be accepted on this form which must be returned in a **sealed envelope**. *The upper left corner of the envelope must include the following information: Vendor Name, Quotation Number and the Due By Date.* This information is also required on any mail delivered next day or overnight.
- Quotations should be typewritten or in ink. Altered or erased unit price(s) must be initialed. One copy of Quotation Sheet must be submitted, please retain a copy for your files.
- The Supply Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
- The Supply Commissioner reserves the right to make awards on an item basis or on a total basis.
- Bidders must quote Unit Price(s) and Extension on each item. When an error appears on an extension, the Unit Price(s) will govern.
- When Quotation Sheet requests item(s) by brand name and your quote is for an alternate brand – show brand name(s) with model number(s) and attach full specifications.
- When Quotation Sheet has only a general description(s) of item(s) required – show brand name with model number(s) and attach full specifications.
- Suppliers shall not offer more than one bid on each item. Two or more quotations on the same item may cause a rejection of the bid. Suppliers must determine which one of their many styles or types fully meet the specification.
- Freight or delivery charges must be included in quote, or shown separately on quote, so bid can be evaluated.
- **Bids must arrive no later than NOON** on the date stated or will be rejected. Faxed or E-mailed bids are not accepted unless specifically requested.
- Bids will be publicly opened on the date specified beginning at NOON.
- Prices quoted will be considered firm.
- Bids having an acceptance limit of less than 30 days after opening date may be rejected.
- Time of proposed delivery must be stated in definite terms.
- Failure of Bidder to understand the item(s) requested or any part of the specifications will not be a valid reason for bidding on the wrong item(s). Any questions regarding description of item(s) requested should be cleared with the Buyer listed in the bid document.
- **Samples** when requested must be delivered before actual time of bid opening with each sample plainly tagged showing the name of Bidder, Quotation Number, Brand Name and lot number or quality. Submission of samples does not relieve bidder from meeting the specifications as outlined in the Bid Documents unless the bidder specifically states they are bidding on an alternate.
- All samples are to be submitted to the address listed below unless otherwise stated in Bid Documents.
- Deliveries must be accompanied by a packing slip or invoice, listing the Department, Quotation Number, and the exact quantities of each item included in the shipment.
- ONLY U.S.P., N.F., OR N.N.D. DRUGS ARE ACCEPTABLE. ALL DRUGS MUST COME IN MANUFACTURER'S ORIGINAL PACKAGES, PROPERLY SEALED.
- In the event the successful bidder fails to make delivery of any item or items that meet the conditions and requirements as outlined in this proposal within 7 days of time stated by bidder on face of this quotation sheet, the City reserves the right to purchase said item or items on the "OPEN MARKET" and charge any costs above the BID PRICE to the bidder.
- The laws of the State of Missouri provide that the City of St. Louis pay no State Sales or Use Tax or Federal Excise Taxes and these taxes should be excluded from your bid price. Federal Excise Tax Exemption Certificates will be furnished to successful bidder.
- Suppliers shall save harmless the City of St. Louis from the payment of any and all claims or demands arising out of any infringement, alleged infringement, or use of any patent or patented device, article, system, arrangement, material or process used by him in the execution of this contract.
- Supply Division hours are Monday through Friday – 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. Main Number: 314-622-4580.

**All bids must be submitted in a SEALED ENVELOPE and mailed to:**

SUPPLY COMMISSIONER  
1200 MARKET ST RM 324  
ST LOUIS MO 63103-2842