ADVERTISED BID

CITY OF ST. LOUIS

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

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SHIP TO

PUB. UTILITIES-WATER DIVISION
CHAIN OF ROCKS WATER PLANT
CONSTRUCTION & MAINT. SECTION
10450 RIVERVIEW BLVD
ST LOUIS MO
63137

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DATE PRINTED	TERMS OF SALE	SHIP VIA	F.O.B.	FREIGHT TERMS
11/09/12				

REPLY DUE BY: 12/04/12 **12:00 O'CLOCK NOON**

NEEDED BY DATE	QUANTITY	UNIT	CAT. NO.	ITEM NUMBER	UNIT PRICE	AMOUNT
	REQ LINE NUMBER : 0001 1 EACH CITY 41572MF 72 INCH, FULL BORE MAGNETIC, FLOWMETER SHALL MEET MINIMUM SPECIFICATIONS AND POSSESS FEATURES AS PER ATTACHED SPECIFICATIONS. REGULAR REQUISITION ITEM TO BE DELIVERED TO CHAIN OF ROCKS WATER TREATMENT PLANT 10450 RIVERVIEW DR. ST. LOUIS, MO. 63137 DELIVERY TIMES 7:00AM-3:00PM MON-FRI EXCEPT HOLIDAYS. ********** WEBSITE INFORMATION ********** * * * TO DOWNLOAD SUPPLY BIDS GO TO: * * * * HTTP://STLOUIS-MO.GOV/SUPPLY/BID-NOTICES.CFM * * * * CLICK ON BID NOTICES * ********** OR ACCEPTABLE EQUAL CLEARLY STATE MFG., NO. & BRAND ---------- VENODR MUST SUBMIT DETAILED INFORMATION WITH BID ON PRODUCT OFFERED					
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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:
$

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 OF EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 28.

IMPORTANT REQUIRED BID FORM(S) ATTACHED:
VENDOR MUST COMPLETE, SIGN & RETURN THE ENCLOSED BUY AMERICAN FORM WITH THEIR BID.

BID REQUEST AND ATTACHED FORM/S MUST BE COMPLETELY FILLED OUT AND SIGNED.IF NOT, BID MAY BE REJECTED.
PLEASE QUOTE PRICES ON THIS FORM AND SIGN BID.

*
VENDORS SHOULD NOTE IF THEY ARE MINORITY OR WOMEN OWNED BUSINESS (CHECK)
MBE ---------- WBE----------

TOTAL →

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ALL BIDS MUST INCLUDE COMPLETED "BUY AMERICAN" AND "MINORITY/WOMEN UTILIZATION STATEMENT" FORMS, AND ANY SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION REQUIRED. ANY QUESTIONS SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO THE BUYER.

*** 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. ***

NOTICE RE: ORDINANCE #60643

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

PLEASE TYPE NAME OF CONTACT PERSON FOR THIS BID:
NAME: _____
FAX: _____
E-MAIL: _____

BIDS WILL BE AWARDED BASED ON OFFICIAL SPECIFICATIONS PROVIDED BY SUPPLY DIVISION ONLY & ANY RELATED ADDENDA.
ALL INQUIRIES MUST BE IN WRITING (LETTER/E-MAIL/FAX) TO THE FOLLOWING BUYER:
BILL FULKERSON - FULKERSONB@STLOUIS-MO.GOV
FAX# 314-622-4141 PHONE# 314-622-4250

TOTAL →

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72-Inch Full Bore Magnetic Flow meter

1. **General:**
   a. Vendor shall state delivery lead time for meter, grounding rings, and cathodic protection flange kits.
   b. Function: Measure, indicate, and transmit the process flow in a full pipe. Meter must be a full bore meter with the magnetic field traversing the entire cross-section of the flow tube. Insertion magmeters or multiple single point probes inserted into a spool piece are **not** acceptable.
   c. Type: Magnetic flowmeter, operating based on Faraday's law, using a pulsed dc type coil excitation with high impedance electrodes.
   d. Parts: Flow tube, remote transmitter, interconnection cable.
   e. **Additional items to be included in bid and supplied to the Water Division**: two stainless steel grounding rings with bolt-hole pattern to match flowmeter flanges with protruding tab for electrical connection to grounding rods; 2 each, cathodic protection kits (one for each flange); each kit shall include (1) insulating gasket, insulating bolt sleeves (sleeve length shall accommodate the lay length of three each 1/8" rubber flange gaskets, insulating gasket and SS grounding rings), and insulating washers for the 72" flange. **Components of the cathodic protection kits shall be submitted to the Water Division for approval prior to their delivery.**
   f. **Note**: **Meter to be installed in a steel pipe line with cathodic protection.**
2. **Service:** Raw Missouri river water, temperature range 32° to 95° Fahrenheit.
3. **Performance**
   a. Range: 1500 to 1
   b. Accuracy: 0.15% of rate.
   c. Repeatability: ±0.05% or ±0.0008ft/s, whichever is greater.
   d. Calibration: 3 point.
   e. Flow range: 10 to 140 million gallons per day.
4. **Process Connection**
   a. Meter Size: 72" inside diameter.
   b. Connection Type: 72", flat-faced, AWWA C207 Class B flanges.
   c. Flange Material: Carbon steel.
   d. Pressure Rating: 86 psi. meter system must be fully rated to the same design pressure as the flanges.
5. **Flow Tube:**
   a. Meter Tube Material: 304 stainless steel.
   b. Liner Material: Elastomer. WRAS potable water approval.
   c. Electrode Type: Conical self cleaning.
   d. Electrode Material: 316L SS measurement electrodes.
   e. Enclosure Classification: Standard as submersible and buriable (IP68, NEMA 6P).
   f. Housing Material: Epoxy coated steel. Paint coating ≥ 70 µm thick RAL 9002 (light grey).
   g. Grounding: two 316SS grounding electrodes are required.
   h. Submergence: Continuous to 30ft and direct burial 3 to 16 ft IP68/NEMA6P
   i. Sensors shall be full bore design to reduce head loss.
   j. Terminal box material: stainless steel.
6. **Transmitter**
   a. Remotely mounted.

b. Power: 120VAC 60Hz.
c. Display: Three line back-lit graphical display with capacitive keys; allows for external configuration without removing covers and compromising the integrity of environmental classifications.
d. Bi-directional flow: Forward and reverse flow indication; total and rate 2x10-digit user configurable display.
e. Totalizers: Three 9 digit totalizers for forward, reverse and net.
f. Enclosure: Transmitter made of Aluminum.
g. "Through The Glass Control" (no key pad; capacitance keys).
h. HART protocol standard: Digital Outputs; 3 configurable pulse/frequency and alarm outputs: Current output; 4-20 mA.
i. IP 67 transmitter enclosure rating.
j. Calibration shall be per OIML R49 Type P standards.
k. Type "P" continuous self checking capabilities (not just on start-up).
l. Redundant data storage in sensor and transmitter with continuous replication of calibration factors, meter size, serial numbers, and site-specific settings.
m. Infrared service port for meter configuration and diagnostic interrogation. Shall have capability to hook to laptop. Shall be able to configure as keypad image, Hart, or Hyper Terminal. Shall be able to do remote trouble shooting from remote location with computer laptop packages such as PC anywhere.
n. Cable: Meter loop shall only require one cable and conduit between primary Sensor and transmitter.
o. Cable supplied: Estimated cable length is 325ft. Confirm cable length with Water Division prior to placing order.

7. Calibration

a. Test Mode: Provide the ability to verify the accuracy of the unit and the integrity of the current loop without any external equipment.
b. Meter calibration shall be compliant to OIML R49 Type P, self-calibration requirements.
c. Meter must be able to generate periodical simulated signals that verify that the output is within predefined limits.
d. Coil inductance and resistance along with electrode voltage and impedance must be verifiable through diagnostic functionality.
e. Warnings and Alarms: Shall be classified to NAMUR NE 107 standards. Meter must have ability to display severity of warning with "maintenance, check-function, failure and out of spec" warning indications.
f. Alarm priorities shall be classified as: "None; Maintenance; Out-of-spec; Function check; and Error."
g. The duration of an alarm, time-summation for that alarm and time elapsed since last alarm message must be recorded and accessible.
h. All replacement transmitters shall be interchangeable without need for programming sensor calibration factors, meter size, site information, and serial numbers.
i. Insitu Calibration Verification software: This system shall be used to verify in a quantifiable manner the meter's current conditions vs. the meters condition when originally manufactured. This calibration verification of the meter shall be performed without the need for physical access to the meter flow tube. Method will check over 20 groups (200 Values). Method must be able to print out hard copy of verification and diagnostic reports for regulatory compliance.

j. Meters to be designed, manufactured, and calibrated in an ISO9001, UKAS/NAMAS, NIST, or NATA certified facility. Flow facility must be certified by volume or weight certified provers. Facility must have the capability to hold the flow rate at the specified calibration points for a minimum of five minutes to allow stabilization for flow and repeatability point checks.

8. Manufacturers

a. ABB 72" WaterMaster or approved equal.
b. Provide two year warranty as Standard.
c. Manufacturer of the flow meter shall have a minimum of five years experience in the production of direct buried, magnetic, 72-inch full bore, flow meters for the water and wastewater utilities industry.

End of Specification

CITY OF ST. LOUIS
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE
OFFICE OF THE SUPPLY COMMISSIONER

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FRANCIS G. SLAY
MAYOR

1200 MARKET STREET
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.

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.

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: _____

☐ **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