

Public Works Department

April 14, 2025

To whom it may concern:

Please bid prices on the following articles F.O.B. Brewer Public Works Department, Brewer, Maine. Bids will close at 2:00 PM EST, on Wednesday, April 30th, 2025. Bids must be delivered to the office of the Public Works Purchasing Agent 221 Green Point Rd., Brewer, Maine 04412 before the date and time appointed. The bid opening will be held at the Public Works facility immediately following the closing.

We reserve the right to accept all, part, or decline the whole bid. Bids will not receive consideration unless submitted strictly in accordance with the following instructions. Bids shall be in individual sealed envelopes, one envelope for each vehicle bid. Mark individual

Envelopes Plainly – **“Bid for Public Works Pickup Truck”.**

1. Bids will be to furnish to the City of Brewer a bid for **one (1) new rear wheel drive, extended-cab pickup truck** in accordance with the attached specifications.

1. Bids shall be exclusive of all Federal and State sales tax and shall indicate list, discount (where applicable), allowances and net prices, F.O.B. Brewer Public Works Department, Brewer, Maine.

1. Bidder shall submit with proposals the latest printed specifications and illustrations as advertised by the manufacturer of all equipment quoted, and shall include warranty information on unit, and date of delivery.

1. Basic unit and shall be for the latest models available, fully tested, serviced, ready to operate and complete in accordance with the specifications, and satisfactory to the Director of Public Works and the City Manager.

1. All things not expressly mentioned in these specifications but involved in carrying out their intent are required by these specifications, and the Vendor shall perform the same as though they were specifically mentioned, described and delineated.

1. Bidder may be required to demonstrate (within the State of Maine) to the satisfaction of the City of Brewer, within 10 days following the opening of bids, that the equipment proposed will both meet the specifications and do the functions required.

1. In making awards, consideration will be given to price, quality, delivery time, parts availability and service offered. **Bidder receiving award shall supply free of charge on delivery, 1 paper copy, or an electronic equivalent of either DVD/CD or web-based site, of Operating, Shop Service, and Parts manual.** A retainer in the amount of 5% of the contract value will be held pending receipt of these manuals.

1. Bidder shall address each individual item on the attached specification sheets, indicating how it differs from the bid specifications. Any item omitted may result in the bid being rejected entirely.
2. By submission of this proposal or contract, the prospective participant certifies that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from doing business with any Federal department or agency. Furthermore, the prospective participant, if selected, agrees to ensure that any subcontractors it uses also meet this standard,

1. The City of Brewer is an Equal Opportunity Employer and Service Provider. The prospective participant, if selected, agrees that it shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of age, sex, race, creed, color, national origin, ancestry, marital status, or sexual orientation.

1. The City of Brewer, acting through the City Manager, reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids in whole or in part. The City of Brewer, acting through its City Manager, reserves to itself the exclusive right to accept high bids when the City Manager, in his sole discretion, believes it would be in the best interest of the City of Brewer. In making such a decision, the City Manager may consider, but not be limited to, any of the following factors: quality, quantity, specifications, availability, service and location of bidder and reputation of bidder.

Sincerely,

Thoma Noddin

Public Works Purchasing Agent

Cc: Public Works Director

**SPECIFICATIONS**

**EXTENDED CAB PICKUP TRUCK**

**GENERAL:**

All specified capacities mentioned in this section shall be considered minimum required capacities.

**CHASSIS:**

Truck shall be heavy duty model, 1/2-ton, extended cab four door pickup with 6 ½ foot body and shall conform to the following:

Wheel base – 143” Minimum

**ENGINE:**

Flexible Fuel V8 Eco engine- (SAE J1349)

Full Flow Oil Filter

Manual Gauges – Oil Pressure, Engine Temperature, & Charging Amps

Magnetic Oil Drain Plug

**TRANSMISSION:**

6 Speed Automatic

External Cooler Kit

**REAR AXLE**:

Rated Capacity - 3,750 lb.

Gear Ratio – 3.31 or 3.73 with Electric Locking Differential or equivalent

**FRONT AXLE:**

Rated Capacity: 3,600 lb.

**STANDARD G.V.W.**

6,400 lb.

**STEERING:**

Power

**BRAKES:**

Heavy Duty Power Anti-Lock Disc Brakes Front and Disc or Drum Rear

**ELECTRICAL:**

12 Volt System

135 Amp. Alternator

540 Amp. Cold Crank Reserve Battery

AM/FM Radio

Cruise Control

Back Up Alarm

LED Strobe Lights

Air Conditioning

Battery connector harness and cables for 500-AMP Safe-T booster set

Motorola CM 300 45 Watt 2‑Way FM Radio with antenna or equal (frequency available on request)

Electric Trailering Harness with Electric Brake Controller

Four (4) Auxiliary power switches in dash for warning lights

Outside Temperature Gauge

Back-up camera

**SUSPENSION:**

Heavy service front and rear suspension

Rear Overload Springs

Trailer Towing Package

**TIRES:**

LT 245/70 SR17 E Steel Belted Radials ‑ All Season

Full Size Spare

**CAB:**

4 Door Cab

40/20/40/ Split Bench Style Fabric Seat with center fold down storage armrest

Tinted Windshield with Intermittent Wipers

Interior and Exterior Rear View Mirrors

High Output Heater/Defroster

**BODY:**

6 1/2 Ft. Regular Bed Body with Tailgate

Front Bumper

Rear Step and Tow Bumper

Spray in bed liner (Armor Liners, Rhino Lining or equivalent)

Mechanical Tail-gate release

**PAINT:**

Dark Blue Metallic to match City’s Existing Fleet Colors

**OPTIONAL ADD-ONS:**

A. All warranty(s) options and cost of each.

**TRADE-IN:**

2015 F150 extended cab pickup truck, vehicle identification number 1FTEX1CF6FFA60474 with 107,552 miles on odometer. Vehicle can be seen between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. at Public Works, 221 Green Point Road. Trade‑in is offered "as is, where is", without warranty of any kind either expressed or implied. Trade condition may change depending on delivery date of new truck, as it will be continued to be used by the department until the new one arrives. The City may choose to refuse trade-in.

## PUBLIC WORKS EXTENDED CAB 2X2 PICKUP

# **SPECIFICATION SHEET**

(MUST BE COMPLETED)

**CHASSIS:**

**ENGINE:**

**TRANSMISSION:**

**REAR AXLE:**

**FRONT AXLE:**

**G.V.W.:**

**STEERING:**

**BRAKES:**

**ELECTRICAL:**

**SUSPENSION:**

**TIRES:**

**CAB:**

**BODY:**

**PAINT:**

**OPTIONAL ADD-ONS: (Warranties)**

## City Seal 1998Public Works Department

**Pickup Truck**

**Bids will close 2:00 PM on Wednesday, April 30th, 2025**

**(Must be completed)**

For furnishing all equipment, materials, and labor for one (1) new extended cab pickup truck.

1. Make, Model and Year of Pickup Truck: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

2. Purchase Price of Pickup Truck: $

3. Trade-in allowance: $

4. Total Bid Price: (Item 2 minus item 3): **$**

Optional add-on items:

5. A. Extended Warranty $

B. Extended Warranty $

B. Extended Warranty $

Delivery Date:

Firm Name:

Address:

Signed:

Print or Type:

Title of Signed:

Telephone No:

E-mail Address:

Date: