Roadside Chemicals and Herbicides

IFB#15IFB116, Contract Term July 14,2015 through July 13, 2016

Recommended Award: Red River Specialties; Secondary Award: Crop Production Svc

PRIMARY

SECONDARY

				VM Dis	it		Red River S	Spec	Cr	op Producti	on Svc		VetCo	orp	1	Winfield So	lution
	Est Qty	Unit	Min Purch Qty	Price Per Unit	cost	Min Purch Qty	Price Per Unit	cost	Min Purch Qty	Price Per Unit	cost	Min Purch Qty	Price Per Unit	cost	Min Purch Qty	Price Per Unit	cost
Ranger Pro	2700	GAL	120	\$12.50	\$33,750.00	30	\$10.80	\$29,160.00	30	\$10.94	\$29,538.00	5	\$16.89	\$45,603.00	2.5	\$13.90	\$37,530.00
Element 3A	50	GAL	2.5	\$47.50	\$2,375.00	5	\$43.15	\$2,157.50	2.5	\$43.26	\$2,163.00	5	\$47.06	\$2,353.00	2.5	\$44.44	\$2,222.20
Dupont Perspective TM	25	LBS	5	\$77.46	\$1,936.50	5	\$77.46	\$1,936.50	5	\$77.46	\$1,936.50		No Bid		1.25	\$77.46	\$1,936.60
Opensight Herbicide	20	LBS	10	\$82.00	\$1,640.00	7.5	\$95.94	\$1,918.80	1.25	\$82.00	\$1,640.00		No Bid		1.25	\$82.00	\$1,640.00
Esplanade TM 200 SC	15	GAL	2.5	\$1,044.48	\$15,667.20	5	\$1,044.48	\$15,667.20	2.5	\$1,044.48	\$15,667.20		No Bid		2.5	\$1,044.48	\$15,667.20
Powerline	350	GAL	2.5	\$63.50	\$22,225.00	5	\$53.00	\$18,550.00	2.5	\$52.96	\$18,536.00		No Bid		2.5	\$71.56	\$25,046.00
Invade 80 Surfactant	80	GAL		No Bid		5	No Bid		2.5	No Bid			No Bid		2.5	No Bid	
Trooper P+D	25	GAL		No Bid		5	No Bid		2.5	No Bid			No Bid		2.5	No Bid	
			·		\$77,593.70			\$69,390.00			\$69,480.70			N/A			\$84,042.00

Red River and VM Distribution Partners, who are the overall lowest bidders with exactly the same pricing, were contacted by the Director of Road and Bridge in order to clarify the quantities they bid. Red River bid minimum quantity 40 lbs. on item 3, which is almost twice as much as Williamson County's yearly estimated quantity purchased. They were asked if they could ship in 5 lbs. increments for the price they bid and they confirmed.

VM Distribution Partners bid a minimum quantity too large for the County to store at once (120 gallons for item 1). They were asked if they could supply in 30 gallon increments, for the price they bid, however responded that they could not deviate from their bid quantity.

In order to keep all items with one supplier, it is the recommendation to award this contract to Red River as the primary supplier and Crop Production as the secondary supplier. Although Crop Production is \$90 higher overall than VM Distribution, the County simply does not have storage capability for 120 gallons of Ranger Pro at a time.