

# INVITATION TO BID

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Department of Administrative Services  
General Services Division  
Office of Procurement Services

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General Services Division Office of Procurement Services 4200 Surface Road Columbus, OH 43228-1395 Attn: Bid Desk		CITY STATE ZIP	
		COUNTY	MBE/EDGE CERTIFICATE NUMBER
		TELEPHONE NO. ( )	TOLL FREE NO. 1 - ( )
		CONTACT PERSON	FAX NO. ( )
REQ./INDEX NO. <b>GDC104</b>	BID NOTICE DATE <b>9/15/2015</b>	CONTRACTOR'S E-MAIL ADDRESS	
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<b>ADDENDUM FOR CHANGE</b> <b>ADDENDUM NO.: 2</b> <b>REVISION DATE: 10/06/2015</b>			
<b>THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES, OFFICE OF PROCUREMENT SERVICES IS SOLICITING BIDS FOR:</b>  <b>NEW, MODEL YEAR 2016 OR MANUFACTURER'S CURRENT PRODUCTION MODEL, AUTOMOBILES AND PASSENGER VANS</b>			
Attached are pages 1, 7 and 10 to this Invitation to Bid. Remove the corresponding pages from the existing bid and replace with the attached.			
As indicated herein this addendum is issued to extend the bid opening date, revise Special Terms and Conditions and revise Specifications.			

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<b>MINORITY SET-ASIDE BID IN ACCORDANCE WITH ORC CH. 125.081</b>			
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<b>TERM OF CONTRACT:</b> This Invitation to Bid is to establish a requirements contract to procure the described supplies or services on behalf of the above participating agency(ies). The agency(ies) may place orders against the Contract beginning <u>ASAP</u> or upon the date when DAS signs the Contract, whichever is later in time. The Contract will expire <u>09/30/16</u> unless DAS terminates the Contract based upon reasons set forth in Article I-C of the Standard Contract Terms and Conditions. No agencies may place purchase orders against the Contract beyond the expiration date unless DAS renews the Contract by amendment. The Contractor may begin performance under the Contract only upon receipt of a valid order from a participating agency.			
<u><a href="#">INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS AND CONTRACT TERMS AND CONDITIONS</a></u> , Revised 10/2013, are a part of this Invitation to Bid. Copies may be downloaded by clicking the link above. All prior versions of Instructions to Bidders, Contract Terms and Conditions are null and void.			
By submitting this Invitation to Bid, the Contractor certifies that Contractor has truthfully disclosed the location(s) where all services are to be performed; the location(s) where all applicable State contract data is to be maintained or made available; and the principal location of business for the Contractor and all subcontractors. The Contractor further certifies and acknowledges that Contractor will not change the country of the location(s) where services are performed and will not change the country of the location(s) where data is maintained or made available without prior written consent of the State.			
<b>INQUIRIES:</b> All inquiries should be submitted a minimum of five (5) working days prior to the bid opening date through the Procurement website, <a href="http://www.procure.ohio.gov">www.procure.ohio.gov</a> . Click "Find it Fast," select "Doc/Bid/Schedule#" in Step 1, enter the Bid Number in Step 2, click "Find it Fast." The "Submit Inquiry" button is at the bottom of the Opportunity Detail page. Bidders will not receive a personalized e-mail response to their question, nor will they receive notification when the question is answered. Responses may be viewed by clicking the "View Q & A" button located beneath the "Submit Inquiry" button.			
		AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE (ORIGINAL SIGNATURE ONLY) (Please sign in blue ink)	DATE

\*Indicates change.

SPECIAL CONTRACT TERMS AND CONDITIONS (Cont'd)

**CERTIFICATE OF TITLE:** The contractor must submit application for certificate of title within one (1) business day after delivery of vehicle(s) has been made to the ordering agency. The title shall be delivered within fifteen (15) days after delivery of vehicle(s) to the ordering agency.

**AGENCY REGISTRATION:** The contractor shall furnish the Title Documents for each new vehicle and deliver same to the Department ordering the vehicle, unless otherwise specified on purchase order. The contractor shall deliver with the necessary papers a \$5.00 per vehicle filing fee at time of vehicle(s) delivery to any agency authorized to complete their own title registration.

**ADVERTISEMENT:** Dealer name-signs shall not be affixed to any part of the delivered vehicle.

**DEALER LICENSE:** In reference to ORC [4517.12](#), DAS may ask for proof of a dealers written authority from the manufacturer or distributor to sell new vehicles.

**SALES LICENSE:** Contractor must be licensed to sell new motor vehicles pursuant to ORC [4517.01](#) and [4517.02](#).

In reference to OAC [4501:1-3-05](#), DAS may ask for proof of a salesperson's license after bid opening if not provided at bid opening. If requested, the dealer will have five (5) business days to respond.

**USAGE REPORTS:** Every six (6) months the contractor must submit a report (written or on disk) indicating sales generated by this contract. The report shall list usage by customer, by line item, showing the quantities/dollars generated by this contract. The report shall be forwarded to the Office of Procurement Services, 4200 Surface Road, Columbus, OH 43228-1395, Attn: Contract Analyst (GDC104).

Contractor is to submit two (2) separate reports, one (1) for state agencies purchases and the other report for political subdivision purchases.

INDEX NUMBER    CONTRACT NUMBER    CUSTOMER    ITEM NUMBER    # UNITS SOLD    \$ VALUE

**NOTE:** THE ENERGY POLICY ACT WAS SIGNED INTO LAW IN 1992. Under the act, state and federal government fleets must begin phasing in alternative fuel vehicles as replacements for petroleum fuel vehicles. The act recognizes methanol, ethanol and other alcohol-gasoline blends, natural gas, liquefied petroleum gas and other fuels as sources of replacement ("reformulated gasoline" and 10% ethanol are excluded from the definition of alternate fuels).

**\*MINORITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (MBE) SET ASIDE:** The State is committed to making more State contracts and opportunities available to minority business enterprises (MBE) certified by the Ohio Department of Administrative Services (DAS) pursuant to Section 123.151 of the Ohio Revised Code and Rule 123:2-15-01 of the Ohio Administrative Code. This solicitation is being issued as a minority set aside contract in accordance Section 125.081 of the Ohio Revised Code. All offerors/bidders must be an Ohio certified MBE as of the solicitation due/opening date. For more information regarding Ohio MBE certification requirements, including a list of Ohio certified MBE businesses, please visit the DAS Equal Opportunity Division web site at: <http://das.ohio.gov/Divisions/EqualOpportunity/MBEEDGECertification/tabid/134/default.aspx>.

SPECIFICATIONS (Cont'd)

\*C. The manufacturer has, upon occasion oversold their productive capability and could not deliver all of the contractor's orders that had been properly entered and acknowledged. When this occurs, the contractor cannot deliver for reasons beyond his control and cannot be held responsible. Usually the manufacturer will complete deliveries with the new model year vehicle at the contractor's bid price.

D. DELAYED DELIVERY:

1. Certain agencies may require delayed delivery on various items within this contract. For any vehicle order that requests delayed delivery, the storage charges per day shall commence seven (7) calendar days after agency contact person notification that vehicle(s) so ordered are serviced and ready for delivery. The rate of such charges shall not exceed 12% annual rate.
2. If ordering entities elect to take delivery at the contractor's place of business; pickup must be within seven (7) calendar days after notification that the vehicle is serviced and ready for pickup. If the vehicle is not picked up within the seven (7) calendar days after notification, the ordering entity is subject to a storage charge. The charge shall not exceed 12% annual rate for delayed pickup.

E. DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS:

The transporting and delivery of automobiles shall be accomplished by surface transport, or by being driven individually. Tow bar delivery is not acceptable. All deliveries shall be affected per bid commitment. Failure to meet delivery requirements may be cause for cancellation, only with the approval of the Office of Procurement Services.

F. MANUFACTURER'S PRODUCTION TERMINATION NOTICE (BUILD-OUT):

1. The contractor is required to notify the Office of Procurement Services when build out dates are released by the manufacturer. A Build Out Schedule is listed in the contract to assist entities in planning vehicle purchases. If an order is accepted by the contractor after the build out date and price protection for the new model year has not been established, the normal delivery timeline for delivery is required.
2. Orders prior to manufacturer production termination notice (build-out date): All orders placed against any contract resulting from this bid, shall be provided to the contractor no later than the manufacturer's build-out date. Agencies will be notified of these dates, but are urged to submit their orders as quickly as possible after receipt of the contract.
3. All orders received and accepted by the contractor on, or prior to, the build-out date shall guarantee delivery of the vehicle as described on the purchase order at the contract price.