

TECHNICAL SUBMITTAL

I-1. Requirements.

A. Specific Requirements.

Statement of Intent

The intention of these specifications is to describe an emergency disease response enclosed tow-behind trailer to be used by the Bureau of Animal Health & Diagnostic Services (BAHDS) within the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture. These specifications are to be considered minimum requirements. The finished trailer shall be compliant with all current DOT and Pennsylvania laws and regulations, as well as Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards.

- 10 ply radial tires
- >10,000 lbs trailer rating
- 20' exterior box, 7'10" exterior width, 20' length
- Heavy duty rear ramp door w/ spring assist
- Shore power capability
- Overhead exhaust fan
- 60 PSI on demand pump, 6.0 Gpm, 60 cord, 115V ½ Fpt
- Honda 663610 generator, EB10000 Portable, 10k watt
- ¾" plywood sub floor
- Aluminum tread plate flooring 1/8"
- All wheel electric breaks w/ 12v breakaway switch, battery included
- Aluminum fenders
- Conspicuity reflective tape
- Caster wheel on tongue jack
- LED running lights & turn signals
- Interior LED light strips
- 48" curbside door w/ cam bark lock
- 12 volt quartz lights wired as backup lights
- 2 5/16" ball coupler
- 2 non power roof vents
- 13,500 BTU Minimum A/C unit w/ heat strip
- Thermostat for A/C
- R-5 fiberglass ceiling insulation
- R-5 fiberglass wall insulation
- White vinyl ceiling liner
- White vinyl interior walls
- Attached 23ft awning for both sides of trailer
- Mini fridge w/ freezer
- Installed shelving
- Installed tool chest
- Flood 3ton jack

- 65 gallon water tank (for foamer)
- Sink w/ hand washing station, water source & gray water storage

Offerors shall submit the technical specifications/detailed descriptions of the supply(ies) that are proposed in response to this RFP. Documentation related to specific requirements must be provided with the response.

Offeror Response

B. General Requirements

- a. Cost/Prices. The proposal submitted by the selected Offeror will be incorporated into any resulting Contract and the Offeror will be required to provide the awarded item(s) at the prices quoted in its proposal.
- b. Approved Equal. Whenever an item is defined in this RFP by trade name and catalogue number of a manufacturer or vendor, the term “or approved equal,” if not inserted therewith shall be implied. Any reference to a particular manufacturer’s product either by trade name or by limited description is solely for the purpose of more clearly indicating the minimum standard of quality desired, except where a “no substitute” is requested. When a “no substitute” is requested, the Issuing Office will consider only proposals for the referenced product only. The term “approved equal” is defined as meaning any other make which, in the sole opinion of the Issuing Office, is of such character, quality, and performance equivalence as to meet the standard of quality of products specified for which is to be used equally as well as specified. An Offeror quoting on a product other than the referenced product shall: a) furnish complete identification in its proposal of the product it is offering by trade name, brand and/or model number; b) furnish descriptive literature and data with respect to the substitute product it proposed to furnish; and c) indicate any known specification deviations from the referenced product.
- c. New Equipment. Unless specified in this RFP, all products offered by the Offeror must be new or remanufactured. A “new” product is one that will be used first by the Commonwealth after it is manufactured or produced. A “remanufactured” product is one which: 1) has been rebuilt, using new or used parts, to a condition which meets the original manufacturer’s most recent specifications for the item; 2) does not, in the opinion of the Issuing Office, differ in appearance from a new item; and 3) has the same warranty as a new item. Unless otherwise specified in this RFP, used or reconditioned products are not acceptable. This clause shall be construed to prohibit Offerors from offering products with recycled content, provided the product is new or remanufactured.

- d. Post-Submission Descriptive Literature. The Commonwealth may, during its evaluation of the proposed product(s), require the Offeror to submit cuts, illustrations, drawings, prints, test data sheets, specification sheets and brochures which detail construction features, design components, materials used, applicable dimensions and any other pertinent information which the Issuing Office may require in order to evaluate the product(s) offered. The required information must be submitted within two (2) business days after notification from the Issuing Office. Failure to submit the required information prior to the expiration of the second business day after notification shall result in the rejection of the proposal as non-responsive.