

# LEGAL NOTICE

## INVITATION to BID

The **Town of Ridgefield** invites all interested parties to submit sealed bids on the following:

**Bid Due Date:** September 28, 2017  
**Bid Due Time:** 11:00 a.m.  
**Bid Item:** 2017 model year or newer Ford Model E-450  
Cutaway Van Ambulance - **No "Or Equals"**  
Trade-in of existing Town of Ridgefield Ambulance  
Written Questions via [purchasing email](#) (see below)  
**Bid Number:** 18-07

Terms and conditions as well as the description of items being bid are stated in the specifications.  
**Specifications may be obtained at the following address:**

**Town of Ridgefield  
Kenneth T. Sandberg  
400 Main Street  
Ridgefield, CT. 06877  
203-431-2720**

Or downloaded from [www.ridgefieldct.org](http://www.ridgefieldct.org) in "Governments" "View All Departments" –  
"Purchasing" – "Bid Notices"

The return bid envelope must be marked and addressed to the following:

**TOWN OF RIDGEFIELD  
DIRECTOR OF PURCHASING  
BID NUMBER: 18-07  
400 MAIN STREET  
RIDGEFIELD, CT. 06877**

Proposals must be received no later than the date and time stated above at the Director of Purchasing's office on the second floor. **For further information**, please call **Kenneth T. Sandberg** at (203) 431-2720 or E-Mail at [purchasing@ridgefieldct.org](mailto:purchasing@ridgefieldct.org)

**Bid Documents available at [www.ridgefieldct.org](http://www.ridgefieldct.org) in "Governments" "View All Departments" –  
"Purchasing" – "Bid Notices"**

**Bid Results may be viewed at [www.ridgefieldct.org](http://www.ridgefieldct.org) in "Governments" - "View All Departments" –  
– "Purchasing" – "Bid Results"**

# Town of Ridgefield Connecticut

## BOARD OF SELECTMAN

### INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

1. Submit proposals in a sealed envelope plainly marked with bid number to identify this particular proposal.
2. Withdrawals of or amendments to bids received later than the time and date specified for bid opening will not be considered.
3. The Board of Selectman of the Town of Ridgefield reserves the right to accept or reject any or all options, bids or proposals; to waive any technicality in any bid or part thereof, and to accept any bid deemed to be in the best interest of the Town of Ridgefield, Connecticut.
4. Bidders may be present at the opening of bids.
5. Bids may be held by the Town of Ridgefield for a period not to exceed sixty (60) days from the opening of bids for the purpose of reviewing the bids and investigating the qualifications of bidders prior to the awarding of the contract.
6. Insurance requirements, if any, must be submitted with the bid. This includes any Hold Harmless requirements as well as Certificates of Insurance, if required, for the full amounts specified. **Unauthorized changes** to these forms, i.e. adding, striking out and/or changing any words, language or limits **will cause the bidder to be disqualified**.

**Please Note:** Certificates of Insurance, if required, **MUST** name the Town of Ridgefield as "**Additional Insured**". Failure to do so may mean disqualification from the Bid.

## APPENDIX - HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

The undersigned covenants and agrees to and shall at all times indemnify, protect and save harmless the Town of Ridgefield from and against all costs or expenses resulting from any and all losses, damages, detriments, claims, demands, cost and charges including attorney's fees the Town of Ridgefield may directly or indirectly suffer, sustain or be subjected to by reason or on account of the work to be performed pursuant to this Contract or any activities in connection with said Contract whether such losses and damages be suffered or sustained by the Town of Ridgefield directly or by its employees, licenses or invitees or be suffered or sustained by other persons or corporations who may seek to hold the Town of Ridgefield liable therefore.

The Contractor shall comply with the Provisions of the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986 effective and enforceable as of June 6, 1987 which Act makes unlawful the hiring for employment or subcontracting individuals failing to provide documentation of legal eligibility to work in the United States. The Contractor shall hold the Town of Ridgefield harmless for the failure of the Contractor to comply with the provisions of said Act.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have set their

hand and seal this the \_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Company Business Name

Signed, Sealed and Delivered in the  
Presence of:

\_\_\_\_\_

Signed:

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name

**Town of Ridgefield**  
**Fire Department**  
**Bid Due: September 28, 2017 at 11:00 a.m.**  
**Bid: 18-07**

The Town of Ridgefield is requesting sealed bids from vendors for providing one 2017 model year or newer Ford Model E-450 Cutaway Van Ambulance. See Full Specifications for new ambulance in separate link on Town Purchasing web page for Bid 18-07. **The Town will not consider or equal brands.** The Fire Department will be trading-in their existing ambulance as part of this bid. A description and photos of the trade-in ambulance follow on the next 3 pages. Price shall include delivery to the Fire Department at 6 Catoonah Street, Ridgefield, CT. Price may be quoted on your company's letterhead or complete the lines below.

One 2017 model year or newer  
Ford Model E-450 Cutaway Van  
Ambulance

Price: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Less Trade-in (2010 Ford E-450  
Super Duty Lifeline Type 3  
Ambulance 1FDXE4FPXADA16188)

Price: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Net Cost**

Price: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Vendor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Sealed Bids (on company letterhead) must be received by September 28, 2017 by 11:00 a.m. where they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Vendors shall state expected delivery time from when the order has been given. A timely award is anticipated.

If any or all of the items are beyond existing available funds, then any or all bids may be rejected.

Trade-in Ambulance  
2010 Ford E450 Super Duty Lifeline Type 3 Ambulance  
VIN: 1FDXE4FPXADA16188

Photo 1 – Ambulance

Photo 2 Dashboard/Mileage



