

Tender No. **2025-10**

Background

The Township of Whitewater Region is seeking bids one **(1) new 1/2 Ton crew cab 4x4 truck**. The lowest or any bid will not necessarily be accepted, and the Township reserves the right to award any portion of this tender. This offer shall be irrevocable for a period of sixty (60) calendar days following the date bids are to be received.

Registration and Communications

It is mandatory that you register as a bidder with the Township. Failure to register will result in non-acceptance of your submission.

Please remit Name of Company, Name of Contact Person, Contact Information to Sandra Moss, Purchasing Coordinator at smoss@whitewaterregion.ca.

Questions related to this tender or the requirements are to be received by 1:00 p.m. Friday, February 14, 2025.

Where a bidder finds discrepancies or omissions in the tender requirements or otherwise requires any clarification, the bidder should contact the Township in writing by email as noted above. Where the Township deems that an explanation or interpretation is necessary or desirable, an addendum may be issued.

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Scope of Tender

The tender will include the following task:

Task 1: Following the attached specifications, with the delivery of one (1) new 1/2 Ton crew cab 4x4 truck.

Specifications

A detailed list of specifications is attached. Potential vendors may provide alternatives in the event an equal or better-proven product or method is available. Evaluation of alternatives is the sole discretion of the Township.

Delivery and Official Closing Time of Proposals

All submissions shall be in a sealed envelope, clearly marked "2025-10 1/2 Ton Truck" and delivered to:

Township of Whitewater Region

44 Main Street

Cobden, ON K0J 1K0

or

Electronic Submission on biddingo.com

Tender submissions must be received not later than 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, March 5, 2025. The time clock in the Council Chambers at the Township Office is the official time for the deadline for submission. The

Township is not responsible for submissions which arrive late or are not properly marked. Submissions shall be officially opened after closing time.

Timeline

The expected timeline for selection is as follows:

February 7th, 2025	Tender Issued
February 14th, 2025	Deadline for Questions
February 18th, 2025	Township Published Addendum (if applicable)
March 5th, 2025	Closing Date for Tender Submissions
April 2nd, 2025	Estimated Award Date
July 1st, 2025	Delivery Deadline

Township's Purchasing Policies

The Township's Purchasing Policies form an integral part of this proposal and process. A copy is available upon request.



Company Information

1.	Company Name	
2.	Bidder's Contact Individual	
3.	Address (incl. Postal Code)	
4.	Office Phone #	
5.	Cellular #	
6.	Fax #	
7.	Email address	
8.	HST Account #	

I/We hereby submit the attached documents to satisfy the requirements as issued by the Township of Whitewater Region.

I/We agree that we have reviewed and understand the tender documents and I/We are capable and qualified to perform the requirements of the contract.

I/We agree that this offer shall be irrevocable from the time the quotations are opened and extended for a period of 60 days.

I/We agree that this offer acknowledges all addenda and that the pricing quoted includes the provision set out in such addenda.

Bid Submission

The undersigned affirms that they are duly authorized to execute this bid and that all costs associated with this proposal have been submitted in the fee envelope.

BIDDER'S SIGNATURE AND SEAL: _____

NAME AND POSITION: _____

WITNESS SIGNATURE: _____

NAME AND POSITION: _____

DATED AT: _____

THIS _____ DAY OF _____ 2025

Basis of Payment

The Bidder offers to provide the services detailed within the tender package and identified specifications as detailed in the Bidder's submission, to the acceptance of the Township for the following Cost.

Price: \$ _____

HST: \$ _____

Total Price: \$ _____
(including HST)



1. Year, Make & Model	
The vehicle shall be a 4X4, minimum 2024 or newer 1/2 Ton crew cab. Used or demos will not be accepted. Specify the make and model.	Yes: Make: Model:
2. Vehicle Weight	
GVWR 3,175 kg (7000 lbs.) minimum. A tag shall be supplied showing the GVWR as it is equipped.	Specify: Yes:
3. Body	
Pick up type with internal fenders. Box shall be a minimum of 5'8". Full width hinged manual operating tailgate.	Yes: Yes: Specify length: Yes:
4. Axles	
Front and rear axles Rear axle shall have a limited slip differential. Differential Axle ratio of 3.55 or greater	Specify: Yes: Specify:
5. Brakes	
Four (4) wheel disc power assisted with ABS (Antilock Braking System) shall be supplied.	Yes:
6. Chassis & Suspension	
Crew cab wheel base of 160 inches Standard front bumper with 2 tow hooks. A trailer towing package (hitch, wiring harness, cooling package and factory installed electric brake controller etc.) shall be supplied. A class III (minimum) weight carrying hitch shall be supplied.	Specify: Yes: Yes: Yes:

	Yes:
<u>7. Wheels & Tires</u>	
Four (4) LT all terrain steel belted radial tubeless black wall tires shall be supplied.	Specify:
Four (4) rims complete with tire pressure monitoring system (TPMS) shall be supplied.	Yes:
One (1) full size spare tire and wheel rim, mounted on the rear under the frame shall be supplied.	Yes:
<u>8. Engine</u>	
Eight (8) cylinder gasoline engine with a minimum 350 horsepower	Specify:
Twelve (12) volt electrical system shall be supplied with minimum 200 Amp alternator.	Specify:
A 400-watt immersion type block heater shall be supplied.	Yes:
A heavy duty battery with a minimum of 700 CCA (cold cranking amps) shall be supplied.	Specify:
<u>9. Transmission & Transfer Case</u>	
A minimum of Eight (8) speed electronic automatic transmission with Tow/Haul mode shall be supplied.	Yes:
Two speed transfer case within cab electronic controls shall be supplied.	Yes:
<u>10. Steering</u>	
Power steering shall be supplied.	Yes:
<u>11. Interior</u>	
A crew cab with four (4) full-size doors shall be supplied.	Specify:
Front seat shall be a 40/20/40 split bench with 8-way minimum power driver seat.	Yes:
vinyl upholstery shall be supplied.	Yes:
Tilt steering wheel shall be supplied.	Yes:
Intermittent wiper system shall be supplied.	Yes:
Floor shall be rubber/vinyl.	Yes:
8" minimum diagonal touchscreen infotainment screen with AM/FM radio with Bluetooth technology shall be supplied.	Yes:

Electronic speed control shall be supplied.	Yes:
Power windows and power door locks with keyless entry shall be supplied.	Yes:
Heater/defroster with air conditioning shall be supplied.	Yes:
Gauges/Info center shall include at minimum, speedometer/odometer, oil pressure, engine temp, outside temp and voltmeter	Yes:
Back up camera shall be supplied.	Yes:
Rear window shall be equipped with window defroster.	Yes:
<u>12. Exterior</u>	
The body paint shall be Red.	Specify:
Heated mirrors shall be supplied.	Yes:
<u>16. Warranty</u>	
Factory three (3) year 60,000km bumper to bumper factory warranty for all parts and labour shall be supplied.	Specify:
Factory powertrain warranty shall be a minimum of five (5) years or 160,000km including all parts and labour.	Specify:
<u>17. Documentation</u>	
All operating, maintenance, service and parts manuals shall be supplied in hardcopy and electronic format.	Yes:
Two (2) sets of keys (minimum) shall be supplied,	Yes:
<u>18. General Specifications</u>	
<p>Vehicles must be supplied with suitable components to comply with these specifications in all aspects.</p> <p>Where minimums are called for, the vehicles must meet or exceed the capacity, size and performance specified.</p> <p>These specifications only list the major details of a unit; therefore, it is the suppliers responsibility to deliver fully equipped vehicles with compatible components, to provide dependable, efficient service.</p> <p>Vehicles must meet the provisions of the Canada Motor Vehicle Safety Act and the regulations made there under, which are in effect on the date of manufacturing of each vehicle.</p> <p>All specifications shall be considered factory unless stated otherwise.</p>	