

**CITY OF PATERSON
NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received at the Purchasing Office, 4th Floor, City Hall, 155 Market Street, Paterson, New Jersey on **WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 27, 2006 at 11:00 A.M.** For the following:

**THE PURCHASE OF ONE (1) RAYCO RG 1672DXH
STUMP CUTTER OR EQUAL
BID NO. 07.22**

Specifications and related materials may be obtained from the Purchasing Agent at:
Division of Purchasing
4th Floor, City Hall
155 Market Street
Paterson, New Jersey 07505

A Non Refundable fee of \$15.00 in a check or money order is required for this bid payable to the City of Paterson

Bids must be submitted on the form supplied in a sealed envelope bearing the name and address of the bidder, the name of the bid and the bid number must be clearly marked on the envelope and addressed to the Purchasing Agent, City of Paterson and delivered or presented at the date and time set at the place herein. Bids sent by mail must be received by the Purchasing Agent prior to the time set for receiving bids.

Each bidder must deposit with his bid security in the amount of not less than ten percent (10%) of the bid in the form of a bid bond, certified check, or cashier's check, and subject to the conditions provided in the "Instruction to Bidders". Checks are to be made payable to the City of Paterson. In no case shall the bid deposit exceed \$20,000.00.

The City of Paterson requires that a bidder awarded a contract, which exceeds \$24,000.00, submit a Performance Bond in the full amount of the award from a Company doing business in the State of New Jersey. This bond shall be made to the City of Paterson and shall be held as security for the performance of the contract. **The performance bond shall be submitted within ten (10) days of the date of the award letter.**

It is required that this bid must be accompanied by a certificate of guarantee bond from a surety company duly authorized to do business in this state & satisfactory to the City of Paterson, stating that such surety company will provide the bidder with a guarantee bond or other surety as a guarantee indemnification. This certificate will not be required if the total bid submitted by the bidder is less than \$21,000.00 Failure to include this item will mandate rejection of a bid.

Bidders are required to comply with the requirements of P.L. 1975, C 127. (N.J.A.C. 17.27 et seq.).

Bidders are required to comply with the requirements of P.L.2004,c57,(NJ Contractor Business Registration Act).

Prior to awarding a contract, the City of Paterson will investigate apparent low bidders for any delinquent taxes or other Municipal charges including but not limited to sewer charges, demolition liens, etc. owed on any City of Paterson property by said proposed vendor or its principals.

Any such delinquent taxes or other Municipal charges would disqualify such bidders from bidding on or being awarded a City contract.

The City Council of the City of Paterson reserves the right to consider the bids for sixty (60) days after receipt thereof, and further reserves the right to reject any and all bids, waive informalities, and make such awards or take action as may be in the best interest of the City of Paterson.

Bidder must not submit bids with qualifying conditions or provisions.

Harry Cevallos, QPA, R.P.P.S.
Purchasing Agent
City of Paterson