

***BOROUGH OF ALLENDALE
500 WEST CRESCENT AVENUE
ALLENDALE, NEW JERSEY 07401***

**Notice to Bidders, Information for Bidders,
Form of Proposal, Contract Documents and Specifications**

***Furnishing & Delivering to the
Borough of Allendale Fire Department,
One (1) Used, 2007 American LaFrance
100' Platform Truck***

BID OPENING DATE: December 12, 2017

BID OPENING TIME: 11:00 a.m.

**LOCATION: Allendale Municipal Building
Conference Room
500 West Crescent Avenue
Allendale, New Jersey 07401**

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
BOROUGH OF ALLENDALE

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Borough of Allendale, County of Bergen, State of New Jersey for the ***Furnishing & Delivering to the Borough of Allendale Fire Department one (1) Used, 2007 American LaFrance 100' Platform Truck*** in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by the Borough of Allendale and opened and read in public at the Allendale Municipal Building, 500 West Crescent Avenue, Allendale, New Jersey 07401 on **Tuesday, December 12, 2017 at 11:00AM** prevailing time or as soon thereafter as the matter may be reached and then publicly opened and read aloud.

Information for Bidders, Form of Proposal, Specifications, and other Contract Documents may be examined by properly qualified contractors between the hours of 10:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M. daily, except Saturdays, Sundays, Holidays and on the day of receiving bids, in the Office of the Municipal Clerk located in the Allendale Municipal Building, 500 West Crescent Avenue, Allendale, New Jersey 07401 and copies may be obtained without charge upon proper notice.

Bids must be prepared on standard Proposal forms, provided by the Borough of Allendale, in the manner designated therein and required by the Specifications and must be enclosed in sealed envelopes bearing the name and address of bidder, and clearly marked, "BID ENCLOSED DO NOT OPEN - Furnishing & Delivering to the Borough of Allendale Fire Department, One (1) Used, 2007 American LaFrance 100' Platform Truck" in the lower-left corner, or they may not be considered.

Proposal must be accompanied by an executed Non-Collusion Affidavit and all other required documents and delivered to:

Ron Kistner
Administrative Officer
Borough of Allendale
500 W. Crescent Ave
Allendale, NJ 07401

The Borough of Allendale assumes no responsibility for bid returned by mail.

Bidders are required to comply with the requirements of P.L. 1975, c. 127.

The bidder shall also comply with P.L. 1977, Chapter 33, concerning identifying stockholders or partners as specified herein.

Bidders are required to comply with the requirements of N.J.S.A. 10:5-31 et seq. and N.J.A.C. 17:27.

The right is expressly reserved by the Borough of Allendale to reject any or all bids and waive any defects or informalities in any bid and to accept the bid to be in the best interest of the Borough of Allendale.

The Borough of Allendale reserves the right to hold awarding of the bid for sixty (60) days after formal opening of same.

Bid results can be obtained from the Office of the Municipal Clerk, Allendale Municipal Building, 500 West Crescent Avenue, Allendale, New Jersey 07401, when available.

By order of the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Allendale.

Anne Dodd, RMC
Municipal Clerk
Borough of Allendale

Date: November 27, 2017

BID DOCUMENT SUBMISSION CHECKLIST

***Furnishing & Delivering to the Borough of Allendale Fire Department
One (1) Used 2007 American LaFrance 100' Platform Truck***

Required by owner	Submission Requirement Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-23.1b	Initial each required entry and if required submit the item
<input type="checkbox"/>	Stockholder Disclosure Certification, Statement of Corporate Ownership pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:25-24.2	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Non-Collusion Affidavit (this form MUST be notarized)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Bid Proposal Form	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Equipment Certification	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Mandatory Affirmative Action Language	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Listing of Subcontractors as required by N.J.S.A. 40A:11-16	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Acknowledgment of Receipt of notice, revision, or addenda to advertisement, specifications or bid documents	
<input type="checkbox"/>	State of New Jersey Business Registration Certificate for Bidder and any/all subcontractors	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Certified Financial Statement prepared within the last twelve (12) months	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Certification of Bidder showing ownership of equipment	

SIGNATURE: The undersigned hereby acknowledges and has submitted the above requirements.

Name of bidder: _____ Signature: _____

Print Name & Title: _____ Date: _____

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RECEIPT OF CHANGES TO BID DOCUMENTS FORM

***Furnishing & Delivering to the Borough of Allendale Fire Department
One (1) Used 2007 American LaFrance 100' Platform Truck***

Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-23.1a, the undersigned bidder hereby acknowledges receipt of the following notices, revisions, or addenda to the bid advertisement, specifications or bid documents. By indicating date of receipt, bidder acknowledges the submitted bid takes into account the provisions of the notice, revision or addendum. Not that the local unit's record of notice to bidders shall take precedence and that failure to include provisions of changes in a bid proposal may be subject for rejection of the bid.

Local Unit Reference Number or Title of Addendum/Revision	How Received (mail, fax, pick-up etc)	Date Received

Acknowledgment by bidder:

Name of bidder: _____

Authorized Representative: _____

Signature: _____

Print Name & Title: _____

Date: _____

INFORMATION FOR BIDDERS

RECEIPT AND OPENING OF BIDS: The Borough of Allendale, County of Bergen, State of New Jersey, (hereinafter called the Borough), invites bids on the forms attached hereto, all blanks in which must be appropriately filled in. Bids will be received by the Borough in the Office of the Municipal Clerk at the **Allendale Municipal Building, 500 West Crescent Avenue, Allendale, New Jersey 07401 on Tuesday, December 12, 2017 at 11:00am** prevailing time, or as soon thereafter as the matter may be reached and then publicly opened and read aloud. The envelopes containing bids must be sealed, bearing the name and address of bidder, and clearly marked, "BID ENCLOSED DO NOT OPEN - Furnishing & Delivering to the Borough of Allendale Fire Department, One (1) Used, 2007 American LaFrance 100' Platform Truck" in the lower-left corner. Proposals should be addressed to the attention of Ron Kistner, Administrative Officer.

The Borough may consider informal any bid not prepared and submitted in accordance with the provisions hereof, and may waive any informalities in or reject any and all bids, if it deems it in the best interest of the Borough.

PREPARATION OF PROPOSAL: Proposals must be submitted on the prescribed form. All blank spaces for bid prices must be filled in, in ink, with the unit prices for the item or the lump sum for which the proposal is made. Bids submitted on Form of Proposal detached from these specifications shall be declared informal.

The envelopes containing bids must be sealed, bearing the name and address of bidder, and clearly marked, "BID ENCLOSED DO NOT OPEN - Furnishing & Delivering to the Borough of Allendale Fire Department, One (1) Used, 2007 American LaFrance 100' Platform Truck" in the lower-left corner. Proposals should be addressed to the attention of Ron Kistner, Administrative Officer. If forwarded by mail, the sealed envelope containing the proposal, and marked as directed above, must be enclosed in another envelope addressed as specified in the proposal form, preferably by registered mail.

QUALIFICATIONS OF BIDDERS: The Borough may make such investigations as it deems necessary to determine the ability of the bidder to perform the work, and the bidder shall furnish to the Borough all such information and data for this bid if the evidence submitted by or investigation of such bidder fails to satisfy the Borough that such bidder is properly qualified to carry out the obligations of the Contract and to complete the work contemplated therein. Conditional bids will not be accepted. Bidders shall also submit with their bid documents, proof of registration with the State of New Jersey in the form of a copy of their "Business Registration Certificate" as issued by the Division of Revenue.

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The Contractor is to include, with their bid documents, copies of their Business Registration Certificate, as well as the Business Registration Certificates for all subcontractors to be utilized on the project. If no subcontractors are to be utilized, a certification to that effect **shall** be provided by the bidder.

While, under the provisions of the current State of New Jersey Local Public Contracts Law, the failure to provide, as part of the bid documents, the Business Registration Certificate, does not, in and of itself, warrant the automatic rejection of said bid, it **must** be provided prior to the municipality's award of a contract.

CONDITIONS OF WORK: Each bidder must inform himself fully of the conditions relating to the construction and labor under which the work will be performed. Failure to do so will not relieve a successful bidder of his obligation to furnish all material and labor necessary to carry out the provisions of the Contract Documents and to complete the contemplated work for the consideration set forth in his bid.

ADDENDA AND INTERPRETATIONS: No interpretation of the meaning of the plans, specifications or other Contract Documents will be made to any bidder orally. Every request for such interpretation shall be in writing addressed to: Ron Kistner, Administrative Officer, Borough of Allendale, 500 West Crescent Avenue, Allendale, New Jersey 07401 or ronkistner@allendalenj.gov. To be given consideration, such requests must be received at least five (5) days prior to the date fixed for the opening of bids. Any and all such interpretations and any supplemental instructions will be in the form of written addenda to the specifications which, if issued, will be mailed by certified mail to all prospective bidders not later than three (3) days prior to the date fixed for the opening of bids.

Failure of any bidder to receive any such addendum or interpretation shall not relieve any bidder from any of obligation under his bid as submitted. All addenda so issued shall become part of the Contract Documents.

STATE LAWS AND REGULATIONS: The bidder shall familiarize himself and comply with all federal, state and local by-laws, ordinances and regulations which in any manner affect those engaged or employed in the Work, the materials or equipment to be used, or that in any way affect the conduct of the Work. No plea of misunderstanding will be considered because of ignorance thereof.

METHOD OF AWARD: Bids will be compared on the basis of the totals of the schedule of quantities comprising all items at the unit and/or lump sum prices bid for these items. This contract will be awarded to that responsible bidder whose bid so determines totals the lowest number of dollars.

In the event there is a discrepancy between the unit prices and extended totals, the extended totals of the Proposal shall govern, and the unit prices will be changed proportionately so as to agree with said sum. The total amount of the bid as shown on the Proposal will govern in the awarding of the Contract.

The Borough of Allendale reserves the right to hold, for consideration for a period of sixty (60) days, the three (3) lowest bids and the check, cash or bid bond accompanying the same after which the said three (3) lowest bidders will be notified of the action of the Borough and the deposits of the unsuccessful bidders returned. The deposits of all other bidders will be returned within one (1) week of the opening bids.

The Borough reserves the right to hold awarding of the bid for sixty (60) days after formal opening of same.

TIME OF DELIVERY: Bidders shall include, in their proposal, the time frame for delivery of the vehicle to the Borough of Allendale Fire Department. Due to the need for this equipment, it shall be delivered no later than March 30, 2017.

In as much as the damage and loss to the Borough which will result from a failure by the vendor to deliver said vehicle within the period herein specified, including any extensions thereof, fixed and approved as herein after provided may include interest on monies borrowed, construction and loss from the inability of the Borough to enter into possession, the damages of the Borough for delay in a case of such failure or failures on the part of such vendor, shall be liquidated in the following sum for each consecutive calendar day (Sundays and Holidays included) by which such vendor shall fail to deliver said equipment in accordance with the provisions hereof, the intent being to compute, separately, per diem, liquidated damages in respective each contract, failure to deliver said vehicle \$250.00 per day.

If the vendor shall be delayed in delivery of said vehicle by reason of unforeseeable causes beyond his control and without his fault or negligence including but not restricted to acts of God or of the Public Enemy, acts or neglect of the Borough, fires, floods, epidemics, quarantine restrictions, strikes, riots, civil commotions or freight embargoes. Herein above specified for the delivery of said vehicle shall be extended by such time as shall be fixed by the Borough.

No such extensions of time shall be deemed a waiver by the Borough of its right to terminate the contract for abandonment or delay by the vendor as here it provided or alleviate the vendor from full responsibility for performance of his obligations hereunder.

LIQUIDATED DAMAGES: Liquidated damages in the sums set forth in the Form of Contract attached hereto will be assessed for each consecutive calendar day of delay in the completion of the work not excusable as provided in the Contract documents.

OBLIGATION OF BIDDER: At the time of the opening of bids each bidder will be presumed to have read and to be thoroughly familiar with the Plans and Contract Documents. The failure or omission of any bidder to receive or to examine any form, instrument, or document shall in no way relieve any bidder from any obligation in respect of his bid.

NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT: An executed Non-Collusion Affidavit shall accompany each proposal.

ENVIRONMENTAL REQUIREMENTS: The Contractor shall take all necessary steps possible to mitigate any adverse environmental effects, due to noise, dust or olfactory pollution.

TAXES: The Borough affirms that, in accordance with the New Jersey Sales and Use Tax Laws, it is exempt from said taxes. Bidders and their sub-bidders and suppliers shall not include in their proposals any New Jersey State Sales and Use Taxes relative to the performance of the proposed Contract.

EXEMPTION FROM TAXES: The Borough is not subject to State or Federal Taxes. All bids for basic units and equipment shall be submitted on that basis. All exemption certifications will be promptly executed upon delivery to the Borough of Allendale. The Federal Employer's Identification Number for the Borough of Allendale is #22-6001632.

OR APPROVED EQUAL CLAUSE: The mention in the specifications of apparatus equipment or material by brand name or by such specified description of same as is hereby made, is intended to convey to the bidders' understanding that the degree of excellence required. Any article, equipment or material which shall conform to the standards of excellence to perform the desired function, is deemed eligible for offer as a substitute.

The qualifications of the offering shall be judged as to their conformance with these specifications. Any equipment offered other than herein specified shall be subject to a competitive demonstration and evaluation by the using Department. Such demonstration to be provided on request within ten (10) working days after the receipt of bids. The result of that demonstration and evaluation shall be of prime importance in the recommendation to the Borough for the final contract award.

MANDATORY EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY LANGUAGE
N.J.S.A. 10:5-31 et seq. (P.L. 1975, C. 127)
N.J.A.C. 17:27
GOODS, PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AND GENERAL SERVICE CONTRACTS

During the performance of this contract, the contractor agrees as follows:

The contractor or subcontractor, where applicable, will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of age, race, creed, color, national origin, ancestry, marital status, affectional or sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, disability, nationality or sex. Except with respect to affectional or sexual orientation and gender identity or expression, the contractor will ensure that equal employment opportunity is afforded to such applicants in recruitment and employment, and that employees are treated during employment, without regard to their age, race, creed, color, national origin, ancestry, marital status, affectional or sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, disability, nationality or sex. Such equal employment opportunity shall include, but not be limited to the following: employment, upgrading, demotion, or transfer; recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship.

The contractor agrees to post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices to be provided by the Public Agency Compliance Officer setting forth provisions of this nondiscrimination clause.

The contractor or subcontractor, where applicable will, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the contractor, state that all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to age, race, creed, color, national origin, ancestry, marital status, affectional or sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, disability, nationality or sex.

The contractor or subcontractor will send to each labor union, with which it has a collective bargaining agreement, a notice, to be provided by the agency contracting officer, advising the labor union of the contractor's commitments under this chapter and shall post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment.

The contractor or subcontractor, where applicable, agrees to comply with any regulations promulgated by the Treasurer pursuant to N.J.S.A. 10:5-31 et seq., as amended and supplemented from time to time and the Americans with Disabilities Act.

The contractor or subcontractor agrees to make good faith efforts to meet targeted county employment goals established in accordance with N.J.A.C. 17:27-5.2.

The contractor or subcontractor agrees to inform in writing its appropriate recruitment agencies including, but not limited to, employment agencies, placement bureaus, colleges, universities, and labor unions, that it does not discriminate on the basis of age, race, creed, color, national origin, ancestry, marital status, affectional or sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, disability, nationality or sex, and that it will discontinue the use of any recruitment agency which engages in direct or indirect discriminatory practices.

The contractor or subcontractor agrees to revise any of its testing procedures, if necessary, to assure that all personnel testing conforms with the principles of job-related testing, as established by the statutes and court decisions of the State of New Jersey and as established by applicable Federal law and applicable Federal court decisions.

In conforming with the targeted employment goals, the contractor or subcontractor agrees to review all procedures relating to transfer, upgrading, downgrading and layoff to ensure that all such actions are taken without regard to age, race, creed, color, national origin, ancestry, marital status, affectional or sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, disability, nationality or sex, consistent with the statutes and court decisions of the State of New Jersey, and applicable Federal law and applicable Federal court decisions.

The contractor shall submit to the public agency, after notification of award but prior to execution of a goods and services contract, one of the following three documents:

**Letter of Federal Affirmative Action Plan Approval
Certificate of Employee Information Report
Employee Information Report Form AA302**

The contractor and its subcontractors shall furnish such reports or other documents to the Division of Purchase & Property, CCAU, EEO Monitoring Program as may be requested by the office from time to time in order to carry out the purposes of these regulations, and public agencies shall furnish such information as may be requested by the Division of Purchase & Property, CCAU, EEO Monitoring Program for conducting a compliance investigation pursuant to **Subchapter 10 of the Administrative Code at N.J.A.C. 17:27.**

Authorized Signature

Date

Title and Respective Entity

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION PROGRAM AFFIDAVIT

(To be completed by firms with Affirmative Action Programs in effect)

STATE OF _____)
COUNTY OF _____)

I, _____ of the _____
in the County of _____, State of _____, of full age, being duly
sworn according to law on my oath depose and say that;

1. I am _____ of the firm of _____ a
bidder making a proposal upon the above named project.
2. The firm of _____ has in effect an existing
Affirmative Action Program that is federally () approved or ()
sanctioned.

Signature of Authorized Representative

Name and Title

Subscribed and sworn to
before me this ___ day
of _____, 20__

Seal Notary Public

My Commission Expires

CERTIFICATION OF BIDDER REGARDING EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY
INSTRUCTIONS

This certification is required pursuant to Executive Order 11246 (30 F.R. 12319-25). The implementing rules and regulations provide that any bidder or prospective contractor, or any of their proposed subcontractors, shall state and an initial part of the bid or negotiations of the contract whether it has participated in any previous contract or subcontract subject to the equal opportunity clause; and, if so, whether it has filed compliance reports due under applicable instructions.

Where the certification indicates that the bidder has not filed a compliance report due under applicable instructions, such bidder shall be required to submit a compliance report within seven (7) calendar days after bid opening. No contract shall be awarded unless such report is submitted.

CERTIFICATION BY BIDDER

Bidder's Name: _____

Address & Zip Code: _____

1. Bidder has participated in a previous contract or subcontract subject to the Equal Opportunity Clause.

Yes () No () (If answer is Yes, identify the most recent contract).

2. Compliance reports were required to be filed in connection with such contract or subcontract.

Yes () No () (If answer is yes, identify the most recent contract).

3. Bidder has filed all compliance reports due under applicable instructions, including SF-100.

Yes () No () None Required ()

4. If answer to Item 3 is "No", please explain in detail on reverse side of this certification.

Certification - The information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Name and Title of Signer

Signature

Date

DATA TO BE FURNISHED CONCERNING OWNERSHIP OF CORPORATION OR PARTNERSHIP

In accordance with P.L. 1977 Chapter 33 every corporation and/or partnership submitting a bid, shall prior to the receipt of the bid by the Municipality or accompanying said bid, submit a statement setting forth the names and addresses of all stockholders in the corporation, or partners in the partnership, who owns 10% or more of its stock, of any class, or of all individual partners in the partnership who owns a 10% or greater interest therein, as the case may be. If one or more such stockholder, or partner is itself a corporation, or partnership, the stockholders holding 10% or more of that corporation's stock, or the individual partners owning 10% or greater interest in that Partnership as the case may be, shall also be listed. This disclosure shall be continued until the names and addresses of every non-corporate stockholder, and individual partner exceeding the 10% ownership criteria established by this notice, shall have been listed.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>HOME ADDRESS</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Subscribed & sworn before me this ____ day of _____, 20____	_____ (Affiant)
(Notary Public)	_____ (Print Name & Title of Affiant)
My Commission Expires:	(Corporate Seal)

NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF New Jersey)
)ss:
COUNTY OF)

I, _____ of the _____ of _____ in the County of _____ and the State of _____ of full age, being duly sworn according to law on my oath depose and say that:

I am _____ of the firm of _____, _____ the bidder making the Proposal for the above named project, and that I executed the said Proposal with full authority so to do; that said bidder has not, directly or indirectly, entered into any agreement, participated in any collusion, or otherwise taken any action in restraint of free, competitive bidding in connection with the above named project; and that all statements contained in said proposal and in this Affidavit are true and correct, and made with full knowledge that the Borough of Allendale relies upon the truth of the statements contained in said Proposal and in the statements contained in this Affidavit in awarding the contract for the said project.

I further warrant that no person or selling agency has been employed or retained to solicit or secure such contract upon an agreement or understanding for a commission, percentage, brokerage or contingent fee, except bona fide employees or bona fide established commercial or selling agencies maintained by _____

Name of Contractor

Subscribed and sworn to
before me this ___ day
of _____, 20____

(Also type or print name of Affiant under Signature)

Notary Public of _____

My Commission expires: _____

FORM OF PROPOSAL

For the ***Furnishing & Delivering to the Borough of Allendale Fire Department one (1) Used, 2007 American LaFrance 100' Platform Truck*** including all related appurtenances.

To the Borough of Allendale, Bergen County, NJ:

Pursuant to and in compliance with your Advertisement for Bids and the Information for Bidders relating hereto, the undersigned hereby offers to furnish all plant, labor, materials, supplies, equipment and other facilities and things necessary or proper for or incidental to the manufacture and delivery as required by and in strict accordance with the applicable provisions of the specifications and of addenda issued by the Borough and mailed to the undersigned by certified mail with return receipt requested prior to the date of opening of bids, whether received by the undersigned or not, for the following unit and lump sum prices:

<u>ITEM NO.</u>	<u>UOM</u>	<u>QTY.</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>UNIT PRICE</u>	<u>TOTAL AMOUNT</u>
1.	Unit	1	Furnish & Deliver to the Borough of Allendale Fire Department One (1) Used, 2007 American LaFrance 100' Platform Truck	\$ _____	\$ _____
Total Amount of Bid					\$ _____

It is understood that the quantities stated above for the various items are estimated only and may be increased, decreased or omitted, no allowance being made for anticipated profit.

Accompanying this Form of Proposal is a duly executed Non-Collusion Affidavit.

The undersigned is (an Individual), (a Partnership), (a Corporation) under the laws of the State of _____, having principal offices at _____

(Contractor)

(Signed) _____

(Title) _____

Date: _____

Item #1 Furnishing & Delivering to the Borough of Allendale Fire Department one (1) Used, 2007 American LaFrance 100' Platform Truck:

SCOPE OF WORK: Under this item, the vendor shall furnish and deliver to the Borough of Allendale Fire Department one (1) Used, 2007 American LaFrance 100' Platform Truck.

It is the intent of these specifications to describe the minimum standards which must be met by a perspective vendor. The vendor is cautioned that the technical section of these specifications, indicating "compliance" with each section/subsection of these specifications, shall be completed.

Failure on the part of the contractor to complete said compliance statements may result in a bid's rejection. The vendor is further advised that any exception (non-compliance) item shall be explained, in detail, in writing. Again, failure on the part of the contractor to explain any exception/non-compliance may be considered reason for rejection of said bid.

Wherever in these documents, a particular brand make of material, device or equipment is shown or specified, such brand make of materials, device or equipment should be regarded merely as the standard. If two (2) or more brands, makes of material, or equipment are shown or specified, each should be regarded as the equal of the other. Any other brand, make of material, device or equipment which in the opinion of the Borough or its authorized agent is the recognized equal of that specified, considering quality, workmanship and economy of operation and is suitable for the purpose intended shall be accepted. All material and workmanship shall, in every respect, be in accordance with what, in the opinion of said Borough or its authorized agent is in conformity with approved modern practice. Whether the specifications or other documents or the direction of the Borough or its authorized agent admit of doubts of to what is permissible and/or fail to note the quality of work, that interpretation will be made by the Administrative Officer which is in accordance with the approved modern practice to meet the particular requirements of the contract.

The bidder shall, if requested, be able to demonstrate the exact equipment being offered within five (5) business days of the bid opening date. Equipment demonstrated shall be fully equipped with all accessories and components required in this specification. Bidders who have previously demonstrated to the Borough of Allendale may request a waiver of this requirement.

The intent of this contract is to require the vehicle to be complete in every detail whether or not shown or covered by these specifications shall be delivered complete and ready for operation including all specified accessories. Consequently, the municipality shall not be responsible for minor details, accessories or special items which the vendor may find necessary to properly construct and deliver this vehicle.

SPECIFICATIONS:

- 2007 American LaFrance 100' Platform Truck
- American LaFrance Chassis
- Detroit Series 60 515 HP Diesel Engine
- 300 Gallon Polypropylene Tank
- Electric Reels
- Federal Q Siren
- Allison EVS4000 Automatic Transmission
- Driver's Side Discharges: (1) 2 ½", (1) 4"
- Crosslays/Speedlays: Crosslays: (2) 1 ¾"
- Breathing Air
- Seating for 6; 2 SCBA Seats
- Hale 2000 GPM Side-Mount Pump
- Officer's Side Suction: (1) 6", (1) 5"
- Onan 15KW Generator
- Air Conditioning
- Length: 48' 11"
- Height: 10' 9"
- Equipment should be in good operating condition
- One year Warranty Included
- Under 60,000 miles

DELIVERY LOCATION:

Successful bidder will make delivery to the Allendale Fire Department, 1 Erie Plaza, Allendale, New Jersey 07401.