



**Boulder County Purchasing
1325 Pearl Street
Boulder, CO 80302**

SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

Reference Number: SOQ-021-23

Project Name: Parks and Open Space Department Maintenance, Repair, and Construction Rental Equipment

Background:

The Boulder County Parks and Open Space Department (BCPOS) is accepting bids from qualified vendors for pricing on rental equipment for use in the maintenance, repair, construction, agricultural, and operations projects during 2024.

Vendors are instructed to submit daily, weekly, and monthly rental rates for all types and sizes of equipment they can supply. Vendor's standard published line card is acceptable as a bid document. Vendors should also include information on available discounted rates or government pricing, and delivery/pickup or transport fees. Vendors are required to include a copy of the Terms and Conditions for Rental Reservations with their submittal.

Boulder County reserves the right to negotiate rental rates on individual pieces of equipment based upon availability, season, hours of usage and/or other factors that may apply. Boulder County will reject equipment that is judged to be in poor condition or have limited operability.

Additionally, vendors should submit their company insurance requirements and whether the option exists to purchase insurance coverage.

Boulder County reserves the right to retain more than one (1) vendor for rental services and additionally acknowledges that the preferred vendor contact list does not constitute a guarantee that vendor will receive any requests for Projects or Work.

The Vendors acquired from this Solicitation for Qualifications will be added to the list of qualified vendors from which County employees are able to access for rental equipment needs and will be valid January 1, 2024, to December 31, 2024.

Instructions:

Boulder County uses a Bonfire portal <https://bouldercounty.bonfirehub.com/> for accepting and evaluating proposals digitally:

- To post the Proposal
- To receive any questions or inquiries
- To issue any associated addenda
- To post award notices

Proposals must be submitted electronically on or before the Close Date at <https://bouldercounty.bonfirehub.com/>. **Submissions will not be accepted by email, fax or hand-delivery; unless otherwise noted.**

Documents should not be embedded within uploaded files, as the embedded files will not be accessible or evaluated.

Contact:

To contact Boulder County Purchasing or ask questions in relation to this proposal, respondents must register on <https://bouldercounty.bonfirehub.com/> and initiate the communication electronically through the **Vendor Discussions** or the **Ask a Question** feature.

All questions must be received on or before the Deadline for Submission of Clarifications, as specified in the Schedule of Events. Boulder County will not accept any respondent's communications by any other means, except as specifically stated in this proposal.

Addendum:

At any time prior to the Close Date, Boulder County may alter, clarify, amend, delete or add to, in whole or in part, any terms or provisions of this proposal.

In order to afford the Bidders a reasonable time for taking into account a material amendment (the materiality of which Boulder County in its own discretion may determine) or for any other reason, Boulder County may, at its own discretion, extend the Close Date.

For the most up-to-date project information refer to our Bonfire portal.

All vendor submissions may be amended, but only before the Close Date on <https://bouldercounty.bonfirehub.com/>.

Need Help:

To assist with registration and submission of responses, learn how to get started with Bonfire, watch this [5 minute training video](#). For questions or support when using the platform, [access the Bonfire online knowledge base](#), search the FAQ or contact the Bonfire support team at support@gobonfire.com.

Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA): Americans with Disabilities Act: If you need special services provided for under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), please contact the Boulder County ADA Coordinator or Human Resources office at (303) 441-3525 as soon as possible to allow sufficient time for service delivery ahead of applicable due dates.