

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**  
**Household Hazardous Waste Collection and Recycling Services for**  
**Butler County Recycling & Solid Waste District**

**COUNTY OF BUTLER**  
**BUTLER COUNTY GOVERNMENT SERVICES CENTER**  
**315 HIGH STREET**  
**HAMILTON, OHIO 45011**

SEALED PROPOSALS in duplicate for providing all equipment and staffing necessary for the safe collection, handling, storage, transportation and processing of residential Household Hazardous Waste will be received at Butler County Recycling & Solid Waste District, 5th Floor, Butler County Administrative Building, 130 High Street, Hamilton, Ohio 45011 until 10:30 a.m. local time on Tuesday, May 18, 2021 and will be opened shortly thereafter in the offices of Butler County Solid Waste District.

Copies of the Specifications/Contract Documents may be obtained from Butler County Recycling & Solid Waste District, 130 High Street, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Hamilton, Ohio, 45011 (513-887-3653) at no charge from April 6 to May 17, 2021. Specifications can also be found at <http://www.butlercountycommissioners.org> -- see Bid Opportunities. This advertisement is a request for proposals pursuant to Ohio Revised Code 307.862 and any reference to "bid" within this document may be read as "proposal".

Each proposal shall contain the full name and street address of the Bidder and every person or company interested in it. Each Bidder must submit evidence of its experience on projects of similar size and complexity. Each Bidder is required to complete the "Non Collusion Affidavit" accompanied by a Bid Guaranty for the full amount of the bid (issued by a Surety Company or Corporation licensed in the State of Ohio to provide said surety) or Certified Check upon a solvent bank for the sum of five (5%) of the amount of the bid submitted and made payable to "Butler County, Ohio, Board of County Commissioners," as a guarantee that if the bid is accepted, a contract will be entered into and performance properly secured by a performance bond from the successful bidder in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the amount of the contract.

The Board of Butler County Commissioners reserves the right to waive formalities, to reject any and all proposals, to accept the proposal which is in the best interest of the County as determined by the Board, and to hold proposals valid for thirty (30) days from the bid opening date.

The Board of County Commissioners will negotiate with the Bidder who submits the bid that is determined to be most advantageous to the County and may cancel negotiations if the bidder fails to provide the necessary information for negotiations in a timely manner or fails to negotiate in good faith.

The Board of County Commissioners reserves the right to reject any proposal where the bidder:

1. Takes exception to the terms and conditions of this request for proposals;
2. Fails to meet the terms and conditions of the request, including but not limited to, the standards, specifications, and requirements specified in the request for proposals; or
3. Submits prices that the contracting authority consider to be excessive, compared to existing market conditions, or determines exceed the available funds of the contracting authority.

While the award of this contract is assumed to be exclusive the County reserves the right to award this contract to multiple bidders if multiple awards are advantageous to the County.

Each proposal shall bear on its face the name and address of the bidder and shall be plainly marked **"PROPOSALS FOR HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION AND RECYCLING SERVICES."**

**BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF**  
**COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, BUTLER COUNTY, OHIO**  
**FLORA BUTLER, CLERK**