

**BERRIEN COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION**

**PROPOSAL AND SPECIFICATIONS**

**FOR**

**DENSE GRADED AGGREGATES**

**(M.D.O.T. SPEC. 22A)**

**&**

**(M.D.O.T. SPEC 23A)**

**BOARD OF COUNTY ROAD COMMISSIONERS  
OF THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN  
2860 EAST NAPIER AVENUE  
BENTON HARBOR, MI 49022**

# BERRIEN COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION

## NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received at the office of the Board of County Road Commissioners of the County of Berrien, 2860 East Napier Avenue, Benton Harbor, Michigan 49022 until 11:00 A.M., Thursday, May 28, 2015 at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud for the following:

1. **Concrete Pipe Products**
2. **Steel Beam Guardrail and Hardware**
3. **Dense Graded Aggregates**
4. **Aggregate Base Course 21.4 miles in Berrien County**
5. **HMA Crushing 12.4 miles in Berrien County**
6. **Non-Motorized Path Seal – Lincoln Township**
7. **Milburg Drive – Grind and Gravel – Project # P15015**

All bids will be tabulated and presented to the Board of County Road Commissioners at their next regular meeting.

All bids shall be signed in ink and sealed in an envelope with the name of the items bid upon and the name of the bidder plainly marked on the outside. Specifications and proposal blanks may be obtained at the office of the Berrien County Road Commission.

**The Road Commission reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, to waive defects in a proposal and to award the Bid in any manner deemed to be in the best interest of Berrien County.**

BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY ROAD COMMISSIONERS  
OF THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN

AUGUST ZIELKE  
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BENTON HARBOR, MICHIGAN

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## QUANTITY, SPECIFICATIONS & DELIVERY

1. Bids will be received for Processed Gravel delivered to the various sites listed in the price schedule.
2. The proposed gravel shall conform to the current 2012 Michigan Department of Transportation Standard Specifications for Construction 22A Material, and 23A Material. Table 902-1, footnote “f” modification. “For aggregates produced from sources in Berrien County, the loss by washing must not exceed 8 percent”.
3. The successful bidder shall upon award of the bid, contact the Berrien County Road Commission so that the Road Commission can obtain samples of the material to be furnished. The samples will be tested to confirm that the material meets the specifications.
4. The price per TON shall include all material, freight, loading & hauling. The bidder further agrees to do the hauling during Road Commission regular working hours, Monday thru Friday.
5. The quantities in the Price Schedule are estimated quantities only and may be increased or decreased with no change in the price per TON.
6. Payment shall be by the TON. All material delivered shall have a stamped weight ticket. Handwritten tickets will not be accepted. The gravel to be weighed on platform scales.
7. The gravel shall be dumped at stockpile in yards.
8. The gravel will be ordered by Berrien County Road Commission as needed at the various locations. The bid price shall remain firm until April 3, 2016.

**SPECIAL NOTE:** The Berrien County Road Commission Weighmaster will check load tickets upon delivery of commodities. The Road Commission WILL NOT PAY for any material above a legal load.

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## PRICE SCHEDULE MDOT 22A

<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>PRICE PER TON</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
Benton Harbor Yard 2860 E. Napier Avenue	3000 Ton \$ _____	\$ _____
Watervliet Yard 3377 Hennessey Road	1500 Ton \$ _____	\$ _____
Eau Claire Yard 760 Main Street	1500 Ton \$ _____	\$ _____
Baroda Yard 9200 Hills Road	3000 Ton \$ _____	\$ _____
Three Oaks Yard U.S. 12 East	1500 Ton \$ _____	\$ _____
Bakertown Yard 1940 Bakertown Road – S of U.S. 12	2500 Ton \$ _____	\$ _____

### ALTERNATE BID

**The following bid shall be to furnish gravel (MDOT Spec 22A) at a stockpile. The gravel will be loaded and hauled by Berrien County Road Commission forces. Scales shall be available at the stockpile site to weigh the gravel.**

	<u>PRICE PER TON</u>	<u>LOCATION OF STOCKPILE</u>
Baroda Area	\$ _____	_____
Eau Claire Area	\$ _____	_____
Benton Harbor Area	\$ _____	_____
Watervliet Area	\$ _____	_____
Three Oaks Area	\$ _____	_____
Niles-Buchanan Area	\$ _____	_____

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## PRICE SCHEDULE MDOT 23A

<u>LOCATION</u>		<u>PRICE PER TON</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
Benton Harbor Yard 2860 E. Napier Avenue	1500 Ton	\$ _____	\$ _____
Watervliet Yard 3377 Hennessey Road	750 Ton	\$ _____	\$ _____
Eau Claire Yard 760 Main Street	1000 Ton	\$ _____	\$ _____
Baroda Yard 9200 Hills Road	1500 Ton	\$ _____	\$ _____
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## PROPOSAL

**It is understood and agreed that this proposal is submitted with the understanding that an award of purchase will be made on the basis of the bid on the specific material required at each location.**

TERMS: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

### SUPPLIER

a) Name \_\_\_\_\_

b) Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

c) City and State \_\_\_\_\_

### NAME AND ADDRESS OF BIDDER

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

STREET ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY AND STATE \_\_\_\_\_

BID SUBMITTED BY: \_\_\_\_\_

(Authorized Signature)

TELEPHONE \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

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## **TITLE VI CONTRACT REQUIREMENTS**

During the performance of this contract, the contractor, for itself, its assignees and successors in interest (hereinafter referred to as the “contractor”) agrees as follows:

1. **Compliance with Regulations:** The contractor shall comply with the Regulations relative to non-discrimination in Federally-assisted programs of the Department of Transportation, Title 49, code of Federal Regulations, Part 21 as they may be amended from time to time, (hereinafter referred to as the Regulations), which are herein incorporated by reference and made a part of this contract.
2. **Non-discrimination:** The contractor, with regard to the work performed by it during the contract, shall not discriminate on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in the selection and retention of subcontractors, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment. The contractor shall not participate either directly or indirectly in the discrimination prohibited by section 21.5 of the Regulation, including employment practices when the contractor covers a program set forth in Appendix B of the Regulations.
3. **Solicitations for Subcontracts, Including Procurements of Materials and Equipment:** In all solicitations either by competitive bidding or negotiation made by the contractor for work to be performed under a subcontract, including procurements of materials or leases of equipment, each potential subcontractor or supplier shall be notified by the contractor of the contractor’s obligations under this contract and the Regulations relative to non-discrimination on the grounds of race, color, or national origin.
4. **Information and Reports:** The contractor shall provide all information and reports required by the Regulations, or directives issued pursuant thereto, and shall permit access to its books, records, accounts, other sources of information, and its facilities as may be determined by the **BERRIEN COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION** to be pertinent to ascertain compliance with such Regulations or directives. Where any information required of a contractor is in the exclusive possession of another who fails or refuses to furnish this information, the contractor shall so certify to the State highway department, or the Federal Highway Administration as appropriate, and shall set forth what efforts it has made to obtain the information.
5. **Sanctions for Non-compliance:** In the event of the contractor’s non-compliance with the non-discrimination provisions of this contract, the **BERRIEN COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION** shall impose such contract sanctions as it or the Federal Highway Administration may determine to be appropriate, including, but not limited to:

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- (a) Withholding of payments to the contractor under the contract until the contractor complies, and/or
- (b) Cancellation, termination or suspension of the contract, in whole or in part.

**6. Incorporation of Provisions:** The contractor shall include the provisions of paragraphs (1) through (6) in every subcontract, including procurement of materials and leases of equipment, unless exempt by the Regulations, or directives issued pursuant thereto. The contractor shall take such action with respect to any subcontract or procurement as the **BERRIEN COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION** may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for non-compliance: Provided, however, that, in the event a contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or supplier as a result of such direction, the contractor may request the **BERRIEN COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION** to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the County, and, in addition, the contractor may request the State highway department to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the State and/or the United States to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the United States.