

## **LEGAL NOTICE**

The Carrollton Exempted Village School District will accept sealed proposals for the purchase of new diesel powered buses. The district will purchase two (2) new buses and may purchase an additional four (4) buses, pending the ability to obtain financing.

Proposals will be accepted by U.S. mail at 252 Third Street NE, Carrollton, OH 44615 or by special courier/hand delivery at 207 Scio Road, Carrollton. Proposals must be received by noon on Friday, March 6, 2009. Proposals will be opened the same date at 12:30 p.m. in the Margaret Blosser Conference Room located in the Technology and Learning Center at 252 Third St NE, Carrollton.

Instructions to bidders, conditions for submitting bids, specifications and bid proposal forms are on file and may be obtained at the Bus Garage located off Fourth Street NW, Carrollton, Ohio (330)-627-4044 or bidders may visit the Transportation Department link on the school district web site at [www.carrollton.k12.oh.us](http://www.carrollton.k12.oh.us).

The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

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**SEE FOLLOWING PAGES FOR INSTRUCTIONS AND BID FORMS**

## **INSTRUCTIONS AND CONDITIONS FOR SUBMITTING BIDS**

Below are the forms for submitting bids on a school bus chassis and chassis/body combined. These bids must comply with all school district specifications, all safety regulations and the current Ohio minimum standards for school bus construction pursuant to Section 4511.76 of the ORC and all other pertinent provisions of the law. The bus must meet all Federal specifications at the time of delivery.

1. Bids must be made in triplicate on the forms supplied below.
2. The envelope containing the bids must show the name and address of the bidder and indicate "BID" in the lower left hand corner of the envelope.
3. All prices must be firm. Check your bid carefully as it cannot be corrected after bids are opened. Bidders must deliver at prices quoted even if quotes are in error.
4. Please be specific in your price for both standard equipment and THE OPTIONS, so that we will be able to consider your bid.
5. We require all factory warranties on equipment and also a parts list on replacement parts for the same.
6. We require a list of specified items, which are included in the Base Bid Price.
7. There will be three (3) International/Carpenter and three (3) International/Bluebird buses with diesel engines and automatic transmissions to be considered for trade-in.
8. Cash discounts of 10 days or less will be considered in determining the final net price of the bid. Cash discounts will be considered earned if payment is made within the time stipulated after acceptance of the goods or receipt of a correct invoice, whichever is later.
9. School districts are tax exempt. Therefore, these will not be included in the bid cost.
10. Bidders shall supply with their bid either a bid bond, certified check or cashier's check made payable to Carrollton Board of Education, in an amount equal to 10% of the bid submitted.
11. Bidders are required to certify that they have no delinquent taxes.
12. The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all bids and may waive defects in a bid when no prejudice will result in infringing on the rights of any bidder or the public.

SEE BID FORMS ON NEXT 2 PAGES

**CARROLLTON EXEMPTED VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
**252 Third St. N.E.**  
**Carrollton, Ohio 44615**

**CHASSIS REQUIREMENTS**

**FORM T-4**

Diesel Engine  
In-line six cylinder 230 H.P. 620 lb. torque  
With exhaust brake (Jacob) – engine brake  
Engine retarder

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Automatic Transmission  
Allison MD 3060 w/ transynd

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Options**

Two rear tow hooks / cross member between  
Frame rails

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Two front tow hooks

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Front axle 10,000/ rear 19,000 min

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Rear Air Ride suspension

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Leece Neville 160 Amp Alternator Min

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

295-75 22.5 (steering)

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

295-75 22.5 (Lug Tire)

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Oil lubed front wheel bearings

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Wheels Pilot Budd Wheels (Gray)

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Rear Axle Ratio 5:33

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Mirror Brackets & Hardware to be stainless steel

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL\$ \_\_\_\_\_**

