

ADVERTISEMENT OF INVITATION FOR BIDS
Rear Engine Transit Bus
River Cities Public Transit

BID CLOSE: June 25, 2020 – 1:00 p.m. CDT

River Cities Public Transit (RCPT) request bids for the manufacture and delivery of a rear engine transit bus in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in the Invitation for Bids (IFB) for Rear Engine Transit Bus. RCPT is requesting the following type of Vehicle:

- Rear Engine Transit Bus

Bid documents may be obtained electronically at <https://www.rcptransit.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/05/RearEngineBusIFB.pdf>

Questions regarding obtaining bid documents can be directed to Andy Sharp at 605-945-2360.

Inquiries regarding the IFB will be directed, in writing, to Andy Sharp, River Cities Public Transit 1600 East Dakota Ave. Pierre, SD 57501 or andy.sharp@midconetwork.com. All inquiries, request for clarifications and request for exclusions or alternates must be received by June 8, 2020.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received at River Cities Public Transit, 1600 East Dakota Ave, Pierre, South Dakota, until 1:00 p.m. CDT on the 25th day of June 2020. Envelopes or boxes containing a bid shall be sealed and clearly labeled "Rear Engine Transit Bus." Oral, telegraphic, email or telephone proposals and modifications will not be considered. Bids received after said time will be returned unopened.

In the Dakota Room at River Cities Public Transit, at 2:00 p.m. CDT, June 25, 2020 bid proposals will be opened publicly and read aloud. Bids submitted on forms other than ones provided will not be considered. Bids shall not be withdrawn by any bidder for a period of 60 calendar days after opening bids. RCPT will review the bids received and select a vendor no later than June 25, 2020. RCPT reserves the right to reject any and all proposals, to accept proposals it deems to be in its best interest and to waive any or all informalities in bidding procedures.

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Andy Sharp, Operations Supervisor - May 28, 2020

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