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RESOLUTION NO. R-509-08

Awarding Bid No. 3075

Whereas, pursuant to the general competitive bid law, Sections 41-16-50 *et seq.*, Code of Alabama 1975, sealed bids were requested for Bid No. 3075 for the lease of seven knuckle boom loader trucks and dump bodies for a period of two years, with the equipment to be returned to the bidder at the end of the two year period; and

Whereas, bids were received, opened and read in public on December 16, 2008; and

Whereas, Ingram Equipment Co., P.O. Box 1907, Pelham, AL 35124, submitted the lowest bid which meets the City's requirements and specifications and is a responsible bidder; and

Whereas, NEAPA Coordinator Jim Barker has recommended that the bid be awarded to Ingram Equipment Co.;

Now, Therefore, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GADSDEN, ALABAMA, as follows:

1. The bid is awarded to Ingram Equipment Co.
2. The Mayor is authorized to enter into a contract for the labor, services, work, materials, equipment, supplies or other personal property specified in the bid documents.

I hereby certify that this resolution was duly adopted by the City Council of Gadsden, Alabama, at a meeting held on December 30, 2008.

Iva Nelson
Iva Nelson, City Clerk

Lease of Knuckle Boom Loader Truck & Dump Body BID PROPOSAL # 3075

# Units	Type Vehicle	Description	Your Bid Lease Each Unit for One Year
Seven with option to order additional units	Lease of Knuckle Boom Loader Truck & Dump Body	As per described in Specifications	\$29,712.00

Lease of Knuckle Boom Loader Truck & Dump Body

Project (Purpose)

Signature of Bidder

Bid # 3075

Sherry Williams

Bid Number

Name of Bidder (typed or printed)

Ingram Equipment Co., LLC

Sales Coordinator

Company Name

Title of Bidder

11 Monroe Drive

P.O. Box 1907

Street Address

Mailing Address

Pelham, AL 35124

Pelham, AL 35124

City, State, Zip

City, State, Zip

63-1228358

800-749-2783

Tax Identification Number

Telephone Number

Sherry Williams

sw@ingramequipment.net

205-663-4816

Contact & Email

Fax Number

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE SPECIFICATIONS AND AFFIRM THAT THE BID IS IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE SPECIFICATIONS.

NEAPA

Northeast Alabama Purchasing Association

REQUEST FOR BID

ATTENTION ALL BIDDERS

YOU MUST MARK ON THE ENVELOPE:

Lease of Knuckle Boom Loader Truck & Dump Body

SEALED BID # 3075

NEAPA is soliciting sealed bids for the above project.

Bids may be hand delivered to the following location;

**City of Gadsden Clerk's office
Room 401-4th Floor
90 Broad Street (City Hall)
Gadsden, Alabama 35902
ATTN: Iva Nelson**

Bids may be mailed to the following address;

**City of Gadsden Clerk's Office
P.O. Box 267
Gadsden, Alabama 35902
ATTN: Iva Nelson**

Bids will be received until 2:00 P.M., Tuesday, 16 December, 2008

Bids will be opened at the following location at the above stated time and date.

**City of Gadsden City Hall
Fourth Floor, Room 411
90 Broad Street
Gadsden, Alabama**

If you have any questions concerning terms and conditions, specifications, or any other aspects of the RFB or RFP, please contact the following:

Jim Barker, NEAPA Coordinator
Phone: 549-4705
Email: jbarker@cityofgadsden.com

Lisa Noah, NEAPA Secretary
Phone: 549-4705
Email: lnoah@cityofgadsden.com

Sharon McNair, NEAPA Representative
Phone: 549-4591
Email: smcnair@cityofgadsden.com

No faxed or email responses will be accepted

TO ALL BIDDERS

The attached RFB or RFP presents a cooperative proposal for the Northeast Alabama Purchasing Association (NEAPA) members below:

Big Wills Water Authority
City of Attalla
City of Gadsden
City of Gadsden Airport Authority
City of Gadsden Waterworks and Sewer Board
City of Glencoe
City of Hokes Bluff
City of Rainbow City
City of Sardis City
City of Southside
City of Springville
CREM Etowah County Water Authority
Etowah County
Etowah County Community Services
Etowah County Rescue Squad
Gadsden State Community College
Highland Water Authority
Sand Valley Vol Fire Dept
St Clair County
Town of Reece City

Other government entities within Etowah County and counties adjoining thereto may elect to participate in this cooperative bid. Vendors must agree that if any additional government entity does join the Association vendors will honor prices on this RFB or RFP for those additional entities that may join the Association.

The proposal award will be made by the City of Gadsden on behalf of the Association in accordance with the provision of the intergovernmental agreement between the City of Gadsden and the members of the Association. Each participating governmental entity of the Association will be responsible for issuing its own purchase orders, delivery instructions, invoicing, insurance requirements, and issue its own tax exemption certificate as required by vendors.

This cover letter is considered an integral part of the RFB or RFP document and shall be included by reference into any contract.

NEAPA
NORTHEAST ALABAMA PURCHASING ASSOCIATION
VENDORS for Lease of
KNUCKLE BOOM LOADER TRUCK & DUMP BODY
BID # 3075

COMPASS BANK
ATTN BOB WHEAT
PO BOX 10586
BIRMINGHAM, AL 35296

EXCHANGE BANK
230 N 3RD ST
GADSDEN, AL 35901

COMPASS BANK
601 BROAD ST
GADSDEN, AL 35901

THE EXCHANGE BANK OF ALABAMA
923 ATTALLA BLVD
ATTALLA, AL 35954

WACHOVIA COMMERCIAL LOAN SER
PO BOX 740502
ATLANTA, GA 30374-0502

SUNTRUST LEASING CORP
300 E JOPPA RD
SUITE 700
ATTN DOUG DILLON
TOWSON, MD 21286

REGIONS EQUIPMENT FINANCE CORP
1900 5TH AVE N
SUITE 2400
BIRMINGHAM, AL 35203

BANCORPSOUTH EQUIP FINANCE *
PO BOX 15097
ATTN BOB LEE
HATTIESBURG, MS 39404-5097

ASHFORD CAPITAL CORP
3880 DOWNING LANE
ATTN DENNIS MCDERMOTT
ATLANTA, GA 30319

BANC PARTNERS LEASINGS INC
100 CENTERVIEW DR
SUITE 240
ATTN TOM CHEEKS
BIRMINGHAM, AL 35216

HANCOCK BANK
113 DESIGNER CIR
ATTN STEVE COLE
DOTHAN, AL 36303

BAYSTONE FINANCIAL GROUP
1680 CHARLES PLACE
ATTN ANGIE MCILVAINE
MANHATTAN, KS 66502

BAKER CAPITAL CORP
3000 CACTUS DR
EDMOND, OK 73013

BANK ONE
1111 POLARIS PK WY
COLUMBUS, OH 43240

CENTER CAPITAL GROUP
2206 LAVISTA AVE
PENSACOLA, FL 32504

CHAMPION LEASING CO
7356 CEDARPOST RD
LIVERPOOL, NY 13088

COLONIAL BANK
401 BROAD ST
GADSDEN, AL 35901

FIRST GOVERNMENT LEASING CO
PO BOX 8331
ATTN PAUL GRAVER
NORTHFIELD, IL 60093

GE CAPITAL FLEET SERVICE
3 CAPITAL DR
EDEN PRAIRIE, MN 55344

GOVERNMENT LEASING
830 TENDERFOOT HILL
SUITE 301
COLORADO SPRINGS, CO 80906

HLC FINANCIAL SERVICES
PO BOX 1457
SOUTH HOLLAND, IL 60473

KEYSTONE EQUIPMENT LEASING
2877 RT 94
PO BOX 284
BLOOMING, NY 10914

LEASE FINANCE GROUP
7700 EQUITABLE DR
EDEN PRAIRIE, MN 55344

LEASING 2
1720 WEST CASS ST
TAMPA, FL 33606

LEASOURCE FINANCIAL SERVICES
1000 RIVE ROCK DR
FOLSOM, CA 95630

MUNICIPAL FINANCIAL GROUP
1132 LUTTRELL
SUITE A
BLUE SPRINGS, MO 64015

MUNICIPAL SERVICES GROUP INC
5125 S KIPLING
LITTLETON, CO 80127

SANDBAGGER CORP, THE
PO BOX 607
WAUCONDA, IL 60084

SOUTHERN BANK CO
221 S 6TH ST
GADSDEN, AL 35901

SUPERIOR BANK
701 FORREST AVE
GADSDEN, AL 35901

INGRAM EQUIPMENT CO
PO BOX 1907
11 MONROE DR
ATTN WILL HOVATER
PELHAM, AL 35124

JOE MONEY MACHINERY CO INC
PO BOX 997
BIRMINGHAM, AL 35201

KURT'S TRUCK & PARTS CO INC
PO BOX 2743
BIRMINGHAM, AL 35202

LONG LEWIS FORD
2800 WOODWARD AVE
MUSCLE SHOALS, AL 35661

ALTEC INDUSTRIES INC
PO BOX 11407
BIRMINGHAM, AL 35246

RAMER MANUFACTURING INC
520 PAULK RD
ATTN QUINN MILES OR
TONI SMITH
RAMER, AL 36069

SANSOM EQUIPMENT CO INC
PO BOX 360041
BIRMINGHAM, AL 35236

SOUTHLAND INTL TRUCKS INC
200 OXMOOR BLVD
BIRMINGHAM, AL 35209

CONSOLIDATED DISPOSAL SYSTEMS
PO BOX 813154
ATTN JOHN CHAMBERS
SMYRNA, GA 30081

OMAHA STANDARD *
2490 PINSON VALLEY PKWY
ATTN GENE HAMBY
BIRMINGHAM, AL 35217

LARRY PUCKETT CHEVROLET
PO BOX 680280
PRATTVILLE, AL 36068

PIERSON CHEVROLET (BIDS/VEHICLES)
PO BOX 589
ATTN LINDA ROWLAND
GADSDEN, AL 35999-0589

LIBERTY TRUCK SALES INC
401 DANIEL PAYNE DR
ATTN LARRY ACTON
BIRMINGHAM, AL 35214

TRUCK EQUIPMENT SALES INC
4700 RANGELINE RD
ATTN BOB FREY
MOBILE, AL 36619

LUCKY HYDRAULICS
PO BOX 3051
HUNTSVILLE, AL 35810

WORKTRUX
2800 POWELL AVE S
ATTN WESLEY ANDREWS
BIRMINGHAM, AL 35233

TEREX UTILITIES SOUTH
4120 LEWISBURG RD
BOX 1
ATTN DANNY AMARO
BIRMINGHAM, AL 35217

CUSTOM CAMPER COVERS
7955 HWY 72 W
MADISON, AL 35758

NEXTRAN TRUCK CENTER (AL)
3101 AIRPORT HWY
ATTN ROBERT PERRY
BIRMINGHAM, AL 35202

PAC MAC
PO BOX 3459
ATTN SHEA BOURLAND
BAY SPRINGS, MS 39422

INTERSTATE TRUCK EQUIPMENT INC
PO BOX 87457
COLLEGE PARK, GA 30337

CHEROKEE TRUCK EQUIPMENT
2001 RIVERSIDE DR
CHATTANOOGA, TN 37406

M-B COMPANIES INC
PO BOX 200
NEW HOLSTEIN, WI 53061

RANTOUL TRUCK CENTER (RTC)
892 W CHAMPAIGN
RANTOUL, IL 61866

RDK TRUCK SALES & SERVICE
3214 ADAMO DR
ATTN JEREMY TALLENT
TAMPA, FL 33605

EQUIPMENT TECHNOLOGY LLC
341 NW 122ND ST
OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73114

WARD INTERNATIONAL TRUCKS INC
2101 PERIMETER RD
MOBILE, AL 36615

ODB MUNICIPAL PRODUCTS
5118 GLEN ALDEN DR
RICHMOND, VA 23231-4305

SOUTHEASTERN TRUCK & BODY EQUIP
2006 FISHER ST
HUNTSVILLE, AL 35803

SOUTHLAND MACHINERY LLC
100 FOUR STAR LANE
ATTN CRAIG FORD
ODENVILLE, AL 35120

SOUTHERN TRUCK BODY & EQUIP
2084 FISHER ST
HUNTSVILLE, AL 35803

KENCO GROUP INC
PO BOX 1607
CHATTANOOGA, TN 37401

UTEC
1432 BRAOD ST
LAKE CHARLES, LA 70601

PENSKE TRUCK LEASING CO LP
3011 BARRETT LAKES BLVD
KENNESAW, GA 30144

VORTEX TRUCK & EQUIP INC
12268 LAVENDER HILL RD
ATTN DAN COX
MOUNDVILLE, AL 35474

PREMIER TRUCK CENTERS
1801 FULTON RD
ATTN BARRY DARBY
FULTONDALE, AL 35068

KENWORTH OF BIRMINGHAM INC
2220 FINLEY BLVD
ATTN RANDY HALL
BIRMINGHAM, AL 35234

NEAPA
NORTHEAST ALABAMA PURCHASING ASSOCIATION
GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

PLEASE READ

1. All bid openings and any scheduled pre-bid conferences will be held in the City Council conference room located on the fourth floor, room 411, City Hall, 90 Broad Street, Gadsden, Alabama. A pre-bid conference may be requested to review and answer any pertinent questions concerning the bid and the specifications.
2. Each bid must be submitted in a separate sealed envelope and received by the City of Gadsden, Alabama in the City Clerk's office, 90 Broad Street, P.O. Box 267, Gadsden, Alabama, 35902. All bidders must use our bid form and show on the envelope the bid number, name of project (purpose), and opening date. Any bid received after the opening date and time will not be considered. If it becomes necessary to revise any part of this bid, a written addendum will be provided to all bidders.
3. NEAPA encourages utilization of minority business enterprise in our procurement activities. NEAPA provides equal opportunities for all businesses and does not discriminate against any vendor regardless of race, color, creed, sex, national origin, disability, religion, or age in consideration for an award.
4. The attached specifications are being provided to potential bidders as guidelines, which describe the type and quality of equipment, supply, and/or service that NEAPA is seeking to purchase. The bidder must indicate compliance or list exceptions to each specification item for consideration. Failure to comply with this provision could be cause for rejection of the bid.
5. The name of a certain brand, make, manufacturer, or definite specification is to denote the quality standard of the article desired but does not restrict the bidder to the specified brand, make, manufacturer or specification names. It is set forth to convey the general style, type, character, and quality of the article desired by NEAPA. Whenever the words "or approved equal" appear in the specifications, they shall be interpreted to mean an item of material or equipment similar to that named, and which is suited to the same use as that named and which is approved by the Purchasing Department. Vendor shall incur all cost involved in obtaining an independent analysis if NEAPA deems it necessary to determine the suitability of items as being approved equal.
6. It will be assumed that all bids are based upon the specifications unless the bidder stipulates to the contrary on the proposal form; in which case, the bidder shall point out in detail any and all deviations from the specifications. Bidders having items, which do not meet the specifications may offer the same on an optional basis. Minor exceptions from the specifications may be considered if they do not alter the performance for the intended purpose.
7. All bids shall be typewritten or printed in ink on the form(s) prepared by NEAPA. Bids prepared in pencil will not be accepted. All proposals must be signed by officials of the corporation or company duly authorized to sign bids. Any bid submitted without being signed will automatically be rejected.
8. All corrections or erasures shall be initialed and dated by the person authorized to sign bids. If there are discrepancies between unit prices quoted and extensions, the unit price will prevail.
9. Prices quoted shall be delivered prices, exclusive of all federal or state excise, sales, and manufacturer's taxes. NEAPA will assume no transportation or handling charges other than specified in this bid. NEAPA is exempted from sales and use tax by 40-23-4(11) and 40-23-62(13), Alabama Code (1975).

10. Prices quoted to the NEAPA shall remain firm for a minimum of 90 days from the date of opening of the bid, unless so stated differently in the bid.
11. The delivery schedule, if any, must be entered in the appropriate space in order for the bid to be considered. If all items cannot be delivered on the same schedule, please note variances.
12. The bidder shall assume full responsibility for warranty of all components of the equipment. A statement shall be attached with the proposal setting out the conditions of the warranty. The manufacturer's standard warranty shall be furnished.
13. If the total amount of the bid exceeds \$10,000, an original bid bond in the amount of 5% (of the total bid) is required. In lieu of a bid bond, the bidder may submit a postal money order, certified check, or cashiers check in the required amount. The bid bond or other security shall be retained by the City until a contract is executed, a purchase order is issued, or in some cases, until materials and/or equipment is received. Failure to submit a bid bond when required will result in rejection of the bid.
14. NEAPA reserves the right to request a demonstration of any and all items bid before making the award.
15. NEAPA reserves the right to accept or reject any or all items covered in the request, or any portion(s) thereof, waive formalities, re-advertise and/or make the award on merit and/or features of design and quality, delivery, and availability of parts and service and/or take such other steps deemed necessary and in the best interest of NEAPA,
16. All bids will be awarded to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder. This determination may involve all or some of the following factors: price, conformity to specifications, financial ability to meet the contract, previous performance, facilities and equipment, availability of repair parts, experience, delivery promise, terms of payments, compatibility as required, other costs, and other objective and accountable factors which are reasonable. When bids are equal, local vendor shall be favored.
17. Unless Special Terms and Conditions of the bid specify otherwise, NEAPA reserves the right to make an award in whole or part to one or more bidders whenever deemed necessary and in the best interest of NEAPA.
18. The successful bidder agrees, by entering into this contract, to defend, indemnify, and hold NEAPA harmless from any and all causes of action or claims of damages arising out of or related to bidder's performance under this contract.
19. All items bid will be inspected by a representative of NEAPA upon delivery to ascertain compliance with the specifications. Items not in compliance with the specifications will be rejected until proper remedial measures are taken to assure compliance.
20. Bidders may be disqualified and bid proposals may be rejected for any of (but not limited to) the following causes:
 - a. Failure to use the bid forms furnished by NEAPA.
 - b. Lack of signature by an authorized representative on the bid form.
 - c. Failure to properly complete the bid form.
 - d. Evidence of collusion among bidders.
 - e. Unauthorized alteration of the bid form.
21. NEAPA assumes no legal liability to purchase items or services under any contract unless funds are appropriated for that particular fiscal year.

22. NEAPA reserves the right to terminate, without cause, any award made as a result of this bid solicitation by providing a thirty (30) day letter of cancellation notification to the successful bidder. Failure on the part of the successful bidder to comply with all terms and conditions of this bid shall give cause for NEAPA to terminate the award immediately, and to relieve NEAPA of any and all legal obligations associated with the award. In the event the bidder cannot comply with the terms and conditions of a bid on a particular item or transaction, NEAPA reserves the right to obtain the particular item from other vendors.
23. NEAPA is to be protected against any increase above the price in the bid. Any bid containing an "Escalator Clause" will not be considered unless so stipulated in the Special Terms and Conditions.
24. In accordance with the Alabama Competitive Bid Law, as amended, NEAPA may enter into multi-year leases, purchase, and lease purchase contracts for the acquisition of goods, supplies, materials and all other types of personal property, real property and services for a period not to exceed three years with the following provisions:
 - (a) Prices quoted shall be effective for one (1) year beginning from the date of award with the option to renew for two additional year periods. Renewal for additional one years periods will require mutual agreement with NEAPA and the vendor with the bid price remaining the same.
 - (b) Contracts may provide for automatic renewal unless positive action is taken by the NEAPA to terminate such contract, and the nature of such action shall be determined by NEAPA and specified in the contract
25. NEAPA will not be responsible in the event the U.S. Postal Service or any other courier system fails to deliver the proposal to the City of Gadsden, office of the City Clerk, by the deadline stated in the bid request.
26. The vendor/bidder/contractor agrees to comply fully with the Americans With Disabilities Act and will indemnify and hold harmless NEAPA from all costs, including but not limited to damages as well as attorney's fees and staff time, in any action or proceeding brought alleging a violation of the American With Disabilities Act.
27. City Ordinances mandate that anyone who transacts business within the city limits of Gadsden by one or all of the following situations is subject to obtain a City of Gadsden business license.
 1. A physical location within the City.
 2. A representative of your company calls on customers or solicits business within the City.
 3. Merchandise is delivered into the City on a vehicle other than by common carrier.
28. Any Bidder affected adversely by an intended decision with respect to this bid shall file with the Finance Director of the City of Gadsden a written notice of intent to file a protest not later than five working days (excluding Saturdays, Sundays, and City of Gadsden holidays) after posting of the bid tabulation. Protest procedures may be obtained in the Purchasing Office.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THESE INSTRUCTIONS AND AFFIRM THAT I HAVE NOT BEEN IN ANY AGREEMENT OR COLLUSION AMONG BIDDERS OR PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS IN RESTRAINT OF FREEDOM OF COMPETITION. UPON AWARD OF THIS BID, I WILL NOT SUBSTITUTE ANY ITEM ON THIS BID UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES. I ALSO UNDERSTAND THAT THE GENERAL TERMS & CONDITIONS ARE STANDARD AND THAT ANY CONTRADICTING REQUIREMENTS OF THE SPECIAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS OR REQUEST FOR BIDS SUPERSEDE THESE GENERAL TERMS & CONDITIONS.

NEAPA
NORTHEAST ALABAMA PURCHASING ASSOCIATION
SPECIFICATIONS
Lease of Knuckle Boom Loader Truck with Dump Body
Bid # 3075

PLEASE INCLUDE THE MANUFACTURER'S MODEL NUMBER OR THE OPTION ORDER CODE (or "No" if option is not available) IN THE BLANK TO THE RIGHT OF THE PAGE

Specifications: Medium Duty Knuckle Boom Trash Loader Attachment	Mfg. Model No. _____
Example: Rotobec 60, Pac-Mac KB-20, Ramer 3500 or equivalent	
Cab & Chassis Specs: Wheelbase 256 in., Cab to Axle 188.9 in., Axle to frame 96.0	
Cab & Chassis Example; International 4400 or equivalent	_____
Quantity: 7(Seven) Units with option to lease additional units within a year	_____
Warranty: Parts and labor for two years or 3000hrs from delivery To include all cylinders, pumps, valves, structural components, materials and workmanship	_____

Mfg. Options Order Code

Pedestal Assembly:

All major construction components to use
A minimum of 165,000 PSI steel

To be constructed from 1" plate for the base
(FOUNDATION) and secured to truck frame with
a minimum of six 1" bolts Grade 8 on each side

Top plate for bearing support is
1 1/2" plate and is machined to a flatness of .005".

The rotation bearing for boom swing is piloted to
eliminate shear load on bolts.

Upper Bearing Support & Main Boom Yoke:

Yoke support plate is fabricated from 1 1/4" plate
high tensile steel and are machined to a flatness of .005

The yoke plates are fabricated from 1/2" plate welded to

the yoke support plate.

Boom Rotation:

Rotating boom is mounted on a min. 20 1/2" diameter heavy duty bearing with a min. gear width of 2"

Rotation torque capacity is available to swing maximum load with boom fully extended and loader positioned on a 30-degree slope.

Rotation of the boom is with a **planetary gearbox driven by a hydraulic motor.**

Boom Pivot Connections:

All boom connection points are equipped with Replaceable bronze bushings and grease fittings

Boom pivots to be a min. diameter of 2in.
Induction tempered pins.

Reach and Lift:

Total length is Min. 16'-0" and have a 4'-0" hydraulic boom extension. To be measured to the center of grapple rotation.

Min. lifting ability 3000 lbs at 16' in addition to the weight of the grapple The entire boom shall be designed with a 3 to 1 safety factor at the rated load capacity.

The boom extension cylinder hoses shall be mounted inside of knuckle boom and be well protected

Main Boom and Knuckle Boom:

The main boom to be fabricated from a min. of 6x8x3/8 high tensile steel.

The knuckle boom to be fabricated from a min. of 6x6x3/8 high tensile steel.

The main boom and knuckle boom cylinders are to be a min. of 5" I.D. x 5 1/2" O.D. with a 2 1/2" solid rod. And equipped with load holding valves.

Hydraulic System:

The hydraulic pump to be **2 stages** rated at 16 GPM per stage One stage to provide lift with other to provide swing. With a splined shaft and mounted direct to PTO. **No PTO shafts will be accepted.** The P.T.O. is a hot shift design with over-speed protection and dash-mounted on/off switch.

The hydraulic tank is min. 38-gallon capacity with internal suction filter, return line filter, with a cut off valves on each line.

The hydraulic tank has a **7" diameter clean out** access and a water tight cover, oil level and temperature gauges. Fill neck is to be located for easy access to fill from ground or operators platform with bed in the lowered position

Operating pressure set at 2000-psi

Loader Stabilizers:

The outriggers are to be designed with independent controls and warning alarms to alert operator of their position. Backhoe style will not be accepted

The outrigger cylinders are to be mounted inside of tubes for protection. Min. 3in. I.D

Operators Platform and Controls:

Loader is mounted behind the cab with **stand-up Joystick** controls useable from either side.

The walk-thru platform is a non-skid type with an access ladder and grab handles on each side as to ease entry and exit from cab

Hydraulic Hose & Fittings:

All hoses to be Aero-Quip or equivalent with a 4 to 1 burst safety factor

All hose ends to contain 37 degree JIC Fittings (No pipe fittings allowed)

Hoses from truck frame to valve body routed through pedestal center or attached to pedestal and have bearing type hydraulic swivels at the pedestal base.

Trash Grapple:

The grapple to be built by the loader manufacturer from high tensile steel.

Rotation is continuous by a hydraulic motor. **Blades to be bolt on for ease of replacement.**
Min. width 48in.- Min. opening 60in.
The cylinders are to be 3" diameter with 1 3/4" rod.

Engine Speedup:

Engine speed controlled by a switch located on Operator's platform.

PTO & Control System:

To include Chelsea Hot Shift constant mesh PTO direct mounted to transmission

To include over speed control for the PTO.

PTO to be compatible with Allison 3500RDS 6 speed Automatic

PTO to be wired through neutral safety switch to cause PTO to disengage when transmission is shifted into gear.

Loader Paint Color: Gadsden Titan Red

Manuals and Schematics:

All wiring and hydraulic schematics along with parts And repair manuals to be provided at time of delivery

Training:

The Manufacture shall provide an approved instructional program for the designated Operators and Maintenance personnel in the proper methods of operating, maintaining and servicing the equipment. It shall be divided into separate sections one for operators the other for maintenance personnel. To be conducted at time of delivery at the Fleet Management Facility.

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PLEASE INCLUDE THE MANUFACTURER'S MODEL NUMBER OR THE OPTION ORDER CODE (or "No" if option is not available) TO THE RIGHT OF THE PAGE

		Mfg. Model No.
Specifications;	Medium Duty Truck – Cab & Chassis	_____
Example:	International 4400 or equivalent	
Quantity:	Seven Cab & Chassis Units	
Description:	Cab & Chassis, Truck, Single Axle, for Dumping Trash Truck with Knuckle Boom Loader	
		Mfg. Options Order Code
Engine & Fuel System	255 HP –660 lb. ft. Torque International DT 466 or equivalent Engine Block Heater Engine Radiator – 630 sq. in. minimum Radiator Hoses Silicone with Long Life Coolant Shutdown, Low Oil Pressure, High Coolant Temp. & Low Coolant Level Alarm System Low-Oil/ High WaterTemp Fuel Filter, Twin with Water Separator & Indicator Lights Fuel Tank, 50-gallon minimum with Step	_____
Transmission;	Allison 3500RDS 6 speed Automatic Transmission Over-heat Warning Light <u>Synthetic Oil in Transmission</u>	_____
Frame Dimensions;	Wheelbase 256 in. Cab to Axle 188.9 in. Axle to Frame 96 in.	_____
Total GVWAR;	33,000 lb. minimum	_____
Frame, Truck;	RBM's 2,400,000 plus channel frame	_____
Front Axle GVWAR;	12,000 lb. Oil Filled Front Hubs Front Axle w/ Power Steering 12000 lb.	_____
Rear Axle GVWAR;	21,000 lb. Rear Axle Single Speed 6.50 to 1 ratio	_____

Front Suspension;	12,000 lb. with shock absorbers	_____
Rear Suspension;	23,500 lb. includes 4500 lb. Auxiliary Spg.	_____
Tire & Wheels;	Rims, Set of Six (6) 22.5x 8.25 Disc 10 hole ISO Hub Piloted 11R22.5 Goodyear Tires	_____
Electrical;	Battery Disconnect Switch Jump Stud Wiring Connection for Bodies Back up Alarm, Exceeds 90 DBA Alternator, 130 AMP Minimum	_____
Brakes & Air System;	Brakes, Air Dryer, Meritor-Wabco System Brakes, Moisture Ejector Extended Life Brake Lining (Q-Plus) Brakes, Auto Slack Adjuster all Wheel Omit Brake Dust Shields Brakes, Air Full (ABS) Air Compressor 13.2 CFM Minimum	_____
Cab & Interior / Exterior	Horn, Air Air Ride Driver's Seat Radio, AM-FM Air Conditioning with Cab Insulation Package Passenger Bench Seat Cab Grab Handles Both Sides Tow Hooks/ Front Horizontal Exhaust Intermittent Wipers, Electric Tinted Glass Mirror, Western 6'x16' with 5' convex spot	_____
Interior –	Grey	_____
Exterior –	Mfg. White	_____

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SPECIFICATIONS
BID # 3075

PLEASE INCLUDE THE MANUFACTURER'S MODEL NUMBER OR THE OPTION ORDER CODE (or "No" if option is not available) IN THE BLANK TO THE RIGHT OF THE PAGE

Specifications:		Mfg. Model No.
Specifications:	18 Foot Trash Dump Body	_____
Installation:	Installation to be included in bid	_____
Example:	Built by Boom Manufacture or Equivalent	_____
Quantity:	Seven with the option to order additional units within one year	
		Mfg. Option/ Order Code
Body Floor:	Single sheet 7 gauge min. smooth steel plate, Continuously welded to the sides	_____
Headboard:	11 gauge steel plate, continuously welded to the bed floor, Top rail to be 4 in. square x ¼ wall tubing min.	_____
Sides:	Front portion to be 42" high, angled to 60" at the rear of the body (for increased visibility) constructed of 11 gauge plate with top rails constructed of 4in square X ¼ wall tubing min. Continuously welded	_____
Cross members:	Constructed of minimum 3in. formed channel Iron no greater than 12 in. apart.	_____
Main seals:	To be constructed of min. 2 x 8 ¼ wall Rectangular Tubing	_____
Body Rear:	Rear of body to contain a "Scow Tail" extending no More than 16 ½ in. from body (no doors) constructed Of 2 in. by 4in., 10 gauge structural channel with ¼ in smooth plate fill.	_____
Hydraulic Hoist:	Twin cylinder lift with 20-ton capacity. Hoist must raise body to a minimum 45-degree angle without body touching the ground, lift cylinders to include safety lift stops for performing maintenance with the body raised.	_____

Lights & Reflectors:

Meeting Federal lighting standards to be installed on body, armored. All lights to be LED type

Tail lights:

Turn signals, & back-up lights to be installed in bed rear sills and must be LED type

Paint:

Body primed with a high-grade rust preventive primer. Exterior panels to receive two coats of red enamel. Paint color to be Gadsden Titan Red, paint code will be provided by the city

Attachments:

Rear bumper to meet Federal under-ride safety specifications, mud flaps behind rear tires

Tow Hooks:

Mounted to truck frame to be installed by body installer

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SPECIAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. All equipment shall be new and unused unless otherwise stated in the specifications.
2. The Northeast Alabama Purchasing Association reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
3. Vehicle pricing to include delivery to NEAPA Member ordering agency. All equipment and vehicles to have original manufacturers identification tags attached and installed original position complete with serial numbers on all vehicles and components delivered to NEAPA. Northeast Alabama Purchasing Association

LEASE PERIOD

NEAPA is soliciting bids for the lease of Knuckle boom Loader Trucks. Lease of new knuckle boom loader trucks shall be for a period of two years.

LEASE TERMS

At the end of the two-year period the Knuckle boom Loader Truck will remain the property of the lessor (equipment dealer/ lease company) and the lessee (NEAPA Member) will build no equity in the machine.

Hours of use for each unit shall not to exceed 1600 hours per year and total use during lease period not to exceed 3200 hours per unit.

Bids lease prices shall be in effect for one year beginning from the date of award.

LEASE PAYMENT METHODS

Bids for this two-year lease are made by bidding the complete price for one year. The total cost for this two-year lease can be determined by multiplying the bid figure by two.

Quarterly payments - Four equals payments due four times per year

First lease payment to be due at time of equipment delivery.

LESSEE RESPONSIBILITY

NEAPA Members using this lease are responsible for proper maintenance and upkeep of this equipment. Lessee (NEAPA Member) must show proof of insurance against loss or damage during the lease period.

EQUIPMENT SURRENDER METHOD

At the end of the lease period lessor will inspect the equipment at the NEAPA Member location for any damage beyond normal that results in a less than normal resale value notifying lessee in

writing of any such conditions, allowing lessee ample time to make any necessary repairs before surrender.

BID REJECTION

The Northeast Alabama Purchasing Association reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

DELIVERY OF EQUIPMENT

Vehicle pricing to include delivery to NEAPA Member ordering agency.

WARRANTY

The contractor warrants that each vehicle and all its component parts comply with the Federal Motor Vehicle Standards, and these specifications. The warranty must cover the vehicle(s) OEM components as follows:

_____	Entire Vehicle:	24 months/ unlimited miles
_____	Entire Chassis:	24 months / unlimited miles
_____	Cab Structure & Frame:	24 months / unlimited miles
_____	Front & Rear Axles	24 months / unlimited miles
_____	Engine: Engine, Engine Electronics,	
_____	Injectors, turbo	24 months / unlimited miles
_____	Transmission:	24 months / unlimited miles
_____	Towing:	24 months / unlimited miles
_____	Body Structure:	24 months/ unlimited miles
_____	HVAC:	24 months / unlimited miles

PERFORMANCE OF WARRANTY WORK

The City of Gadsden or NEAPA Member may perform warranty work on site, by certified mechanics and be reimbursed at the rate of \$65.00 per hour. The City of Gadsden or NEAPA Member will be trained on warranty filing, and documentation. In the event that warranty work can not be performed by a City of Gadsden or NEAPA Member certified mechanic, and if the vehicle is inoperable, it will be towed to the nearest dealership for repair. The City of Gadsden or NEAPA Member will be notified upon completion of vehicle.

Lease of Knuckle Boom Loader Truck & Dump Body BID PROPOSAL # 3075

# Units	Type Vehicle	Description	Your Bid Lease Each Unit for One Year
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Seven with option to order additional units

Lease of Knuckle Boom Loader Truck & Dump Body

As per described in Specifications

Lease of Knuckle Boom Loader Truck & Dump Body

Project (Purpose)

Signature of Bidder

Bid # 3075

Bid Number

Name of Bidder (typed or printed)

Company Name

Title of Bidder

Street Address

Mailing Address

City, State, Zip

City, State, Zip

Tax Identification Number

Telephone Number

Contact & Email

Fax Number

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE SPECIFICATIONS AND AFFIRM THAT THE BID IS IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE SPECIFICATIONS.