

Notice of Bid

The City of Chelsea is accepting sealed bids for Home Weather Alert Monitors. Bid specs can be retrieved from the web site at www.cityofchelsea.com.

Bids will be opened at 10:00 a.m. on February 6th, 2009 at City Hall.

Contact Becky Landers, City Clerk, at (205) 678-8455 for hard copies of the bid specs.



City of Chelsea

Fire & Rescue

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Weather Alert Monitor – Specifications

January 20, 2009

Intent of Specifications

It shall be the intent of these specifications to provide a complete product that is ready to use by the citizens of our community.

Bids shall only be considered from companies that have an established (excellent) reputation in the field of weather alert devices, and have been in business for at least five years. They shall also show that they are in a position to provide prompt delivery and service in the agreed upon amount of time.

The quality and workmanship must be among the highest in the respective field.

Unit Specifications

- Size should be approximately 5 1/8" W x 2" H x 6 1/4" D
- Main power > 110 volt wall outlet adapter
- Jacks > DC power, External antenna and External alert
- Batteries > 3 "AA" batteries (included)
- Features should include:
 - S.A.M.E. (Specific Area Message Encoding)
 - 7 N.O.A.A. Channels
 - Up to 25 Programmable Counties
 - Time and Alarm Clock (with Time Display)
 - User-Selectable Warning System (siren/voice/LED)
 - Emergency Power Back-up

Also include pricing for optional "Strobe Light Visual Alert" for the hearing impaired.

Unit pricing should be applicable for quantities between 1,200 and 1,600 units.

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