

To: All Potential Vehicle Bidders

From: John Burt, Otsego County Administrator

Date: February 27, 2014

Subj: Sheriff Vehicle Purchase, BID 2014-01

Otsego County is seeking bids for a 2014 Ford Utility Interceptor for its Sheriff's Office. All bids are to be based on the following minimum equipment standards:

Vehicle requirements:

2014 Ford Utility Interceptor All wheel Drive

Interceptor Optional features:

43D – Dark car Feature- Courtesy lamp disable when any door is opened

17T – Dome Lamp- Red/White light in cargo area

60A – Pre- wiring for grille lamp, siren and speaker

51Z – Spot lamp dual

60R – Noise suppression bonds

68G – Rear door handles inoperable/ locks inoperable

18W – Windows- rear window power delete, operable from front drivers side switches

86P – Front headlamp/ Police Interceptor housing only

47C- Police wire harness Connector kit – front

These are all the factory direct requirements including additional features.

Questions concerning the specifications should be directed to Undersheriff Matt Muladore at 989-732-3555 or email at usheriff69@otsegocountymi.gov.

Bids are **due by Friday, March 14 at noon** local time. Bids must be sealed and have Bid 2014-01 marked on the exterior. Bids can be mailed/dropped off at 225 W. Main Street, Room 203, Gaylord, MI 49735. There will be a public bid opening on Friday, March 14 at 1:00 pm at 225 W. Main Street in Room 212.

Bidders must complete the USDA Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion – Lower Tier Covered Transactions found on the following page.

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

**Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility
and Voluntary Exclusion - Lower Tier Covered Transactions**

This certification is required by the regulations implementing Executive Order 12549, Debarment and Suspension, 7 CFR Part 3017, Section 3017.510, Participants' responsibilities. The regulations were published as Part IV of the January 30, 1989, Federal Register (pages 4722-4733). Copies of the regulations may be obtained by contacting the Department of Agriculture agency with which this transaction originated.

(BEFORE COMPLETING CERTIFICATION, READ INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE)

- (1) The prospective lower tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any Federal department or agency.

- (2) Where the prospective lower tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

Otsego County
Organization Name

Patrol Vehicle #2
PR/Award Number or Project Name

Name(s) and Title(s) of Authorized Representative(s)

Signature(s)

Date