




Town of Sidney

Highway Department

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2024 ROAD GRADING PROPOSALS

The Board of Selectmen and the Road Foreman will be accepting sealed proposals for the grading of the Town's dirt roads. Listed below are a set of specifications to be followed:

1. The Town of Sidney has approximately 3.5 miles of dirt roads to be graded. All or portions of the following roads will be done: Tiffany Road, Philbrick Road, Blake Road, Mills Road, Bean Glen, Ferry Road, Norman Road, and Junction Road.
2. Roads are to be graded to the bottom of potholes whenever possible and built back up with a slight crown in the center of the road to allow water to run from the center of the road to the ditches.
3. Whenever the Road Foreman deems necessary, surface gravel will be hauled in to enhance the grading operation.
4. All graded roads will meet the satisfaction of the Road Foreman. If a disagreement in the grading process occurs between the Road Foreman and the contractor chosen, the Selectmen will settle the dispute.
5. The grading of dirt roads must begin as soon as road and weather conditions permit and be completed within one week of start date. The Road Foreman will determine the start date.
6. Proposals will be accepted at the Town Office until **4:30 p.m. on Friday, May 17, 2024**. The proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud on the evening of **Monday, May 20, 2024 at 7:00 PM**. Proposals are to be sealed in an envelope clearly marked - **"ROAD GRADING PROPOSAL."**
7. The contractor that is awarded the proposal will be required to provide adequate proof of liability insurance listing the Town Sidney as additionally insured to the Selectmen prior to the acceptance of the bid.
8. Proposals must give an hourly rate and the size of grader / equipment that will be used for the project.

Payment will be made upon the completion of the grading to the satisfaction of the Road Foreman.

For questions, please contact Leon Burgess can be reached at (207) 547-3913 or his cell (207) 557-3914.

Note: The Town of Sidney reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals and waive any or all formalities, or to accept the proposal determined to be the most advantageous to the Town of Sidney.