REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

Work Vehicles

Issued By:

Whitestown Building Department 6210 Veterans Dr Whitestown, IN 46075

PROPOSALS DUE:

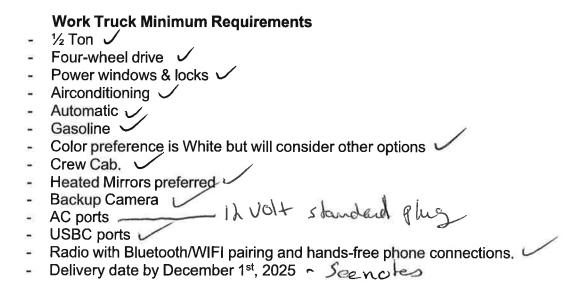
2:00 p.m., local time, August 21st, 2025

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SECTION 1. Introduction

The Town of Whitestown (the "Town") hereby requests proposals from interested persons ("Proposals") for two (2) work trucks ("Vehicles") with the following minimum specifications:



The purpose of this Request for Proposal ("RFP") is to attract qualified and experienced offerors ("Offerors") who will provide high-quality, well-built, and safe Vehicles in an economical manner. The Town's receipt of any Proposal does not bind or obligate the Town in any manner under any circumstances. The Town will not become legally obligated unless and until a contract to purchase the Vehicles is duly approved by the Town, in its absolute discretion, and is executed by the parties.

SECTION 2. RFP timeline

The schedule of events is as follows:

EVENT	DATE
RFP Issued	August 4th, 2025
Questions Due	Auguust 12th 2025 by 4 pm
Proposals due to Town	August 21st, 2025 by 2 pm
RFP review, Offeror selection /notification	By September 15th, 2025
and Contract negotiations finalized	

The dates set forth herein are merely estimates and the Town reserves the right, in its absolute discretion, to alter any of the dates and the proposed schedule set forth herein.

SECTION 3. Questions regarding RFP

Any questions concerning this RFP may be submitted to: Rachel Hammack, via email at rhammack@whitestown.in.gov. No interpretation, explanation, or clarification of the RFP, by any official, consultant, attorney, or other representative of the Town will be considered authoritative or binding on the Town unless contained in a written interpretation, correction, or addendum to this RFP. Official interpretations, corrections, or addendum to the RFP will be made available in writing to all potential Offerors that request copies of such documents.

Questions shall be received no later than 4 pm on August 12th, 2025.

SECTION 4. Pre-proposal meeting

There will be no pre-proposal meeting.

SECTION 5. Proposal submission

The Proposal must be submitted to:

Whitestown Building Dept.
Town of Whitestown
Whitestown Municipal Complex
6210 Veterans, Drive, Whitestown, IN 46075
Attention: Work Vehicle Proposal

All Proposals should be received not later than 2:00 p.m., local time, August 21st, 2025. Any Proposals received after the time specified for receipt may be rejected by the Town.

SECTION 6. Criteria used in evaluating Proposals

While cost of the Vehicles is an important criterion to the Town, it will not necessarily be the controlling evaluation factor. The Town will make a determination, in its sole and absolute discretion, as to the most appropriate response to the RFP. The Town requests the following information from the Offerors and such information will be used by the Town in making its final determination:

- (a) Adherence to minimum specifications
- (b) Expediency of delivery
- (c) Warranties included in the Proposal for the Vehicles
- (d) Price: include an all-inclusive price for the Vehicles
- (e) Describe any performance-enhancing, or cost-saving features of the Vehicles that the Offeror believes the Town should consider in making its selection.

SECTION 7. Proposal evaluation and selection process

The Proposals will be reviewed by an evaluation panel consisting of individuals selected by the Town.

Proposals will be reviewed using the following criteria:

- (a) Conciseness, responsiveness, and completeness of the Proposal to the information requested as outlined in the RFP;
- (b) Adherence to minimum specifications
- (c) Expediency of delivery
- (d) Warranties
- (e) Price: include an all-inclusive price for the Vehicles
- (f) Performance-enhancing, or cost-saving features of the Vehicles

At the Town's discretion, to further assist in evaluation, some, one, or all responding Offerors may be requested to participate in discussions or negotiations. At

the Town's discretion, the Town may directly negotiate with any one or all Offerors on specifications, price, or any other aspect of the Proposal. The Town may select multiple Offerors for the RFP. The Town may also consider alternative proposals if there is an opportunity for savings and other benefits accruing to the Town.

The Town may investigate the qualifications of any Offeror, require confirmation of information furnished, and require additional evidence of qualifications to provide the Vehicles requested by this RFP. The Town also reserves certain rights, including, but not limited to, the following: (a) Reject any or all Proposals; (b) Issue subsequent RFPs; (c) Cancel the entire RFP; (d) Remedy any errors in the RFP process; (e) Appoint evaluation committees to review qualifications and Proposals; (f) Seek the assistance of outside technical experts in evaluation; (g) Approve or disapprove of the use of particular subcontractors; (h) Establish a shortlist of eligible Offerors for discussions or negotiations after review of Proposals; (i) Negotiate with any or all Offerors: (j) Solicit best and final offers from all, some, or none of the Offerors; (k) Purchase the Vehicles from all, some, or none of the Offerors; (l) Waive informalities and irregularities in the RFP; and (m) Purchase the Vehicles without discussions or negotiations.

The Town's selection of a Proposal will be based on a determination as to which Proposal is in the best interest of the Town. Price will be an important factor in the Town's decision, but it will not be controlling. Any decision made by the Town, including selection of a Proposal, shall be final and is NOT SUBJECT TO APPEAL.

This RFP shall not, in any manner, be construed to be an obligation on the Town to enter a contract or purchase the Vehicles or result in any claim for reimbursement of cost for any efforts expended in responding to the RFP or in anticipation of any contract.

SECTION 8. Proposals

Offerors shall submit one (1) Proposal originally executed. The proposal must include Exhibit A Work Vehicles RFP Form, Exhibit B Non-Collusion Affidavit form, and the manufacture specification sheet for each of the Vehicles. The original should be submitted in a sealed envelope, conspicuously marked: "Work Vehicles Whitestown Building Department." Evidence of financial responsibility is not required to be submitted with the Proposal.

Proposals will be opened so as to avoid disclosure of contents to competing offers during the process of negotiation. However, all Proposals and other documentation arising out of this RFP may be public records that may ultimately be subject to disclosure under Indiana law. If an Offeror believes that any portion of its Proposal may contain proprietary information, then that portion of the Proposal shall be sealed separately and clearly marked "Proprietary Information" and contain a request that such information be treated as confidential. The Town will review and consider such requests, in its sole and absolute discretion.

Each Offeror must certify that it has not participated in collusion or other anticompetitive practices in connection with the RFP process by executing and returning with its Proposal the Non-Collusion Affidavit in the form of Exhibit B.

SECTION 9. General Terms and Conditions of the RFP process

9.1. Information provided

Offerors are solely responsible for conducting their own independent research, due diligence, investigations, and other work necessary for the preparation and submission of the Proposals.

9.2. Governing law

Indiana law shall govern this RFP and any purchase of Work Trucks resulting from it. The Town requires that all Proposals, comply with all applicable local, state and federal laws, ordinances, and regulations. Notwithstanding any other term or provision of this RFP, all terms and provisions of this RFP are intended to be and shall be construed and interpreted so as to comply with all applicable local, state, and federal laws, rules, regulations, and ordinances. If any provision of this RFP shall transcend the limit of validity prescribed by law, then such provision shall be reduced to the limit of such validity. The provisions of this RFP are severable. In the event one or more provisions contained in this RFP should be invalid or unenforceable, in any respect, the validity, legality, and enforceability of the remaining provisions contained herein, shall not in any way be affected or impaired and shall remain in full force and effect.

9.3. Covenant not to sue

It is an express condition of tender and consideration of any Proposal that the Offeror release the Town and all its elected and appointed officials, representatives, attorneys, accountants, engineers and employees from all causes of action, suits, claims or demands which may arise as a result of any decision made as a result of this RFP.

9.4. Costs and expense of Offerors

The Town does not accept any liability under any circumstances for any costs or expenses incurred by Offerors in acquiring, clarifying, or responding to any condition, request, or standard contained in this RFP, including, without limitation, mandatory meetings. Each Offeror that participates in this process does so at its own expense and risk and agrees that the Town shall not reimburse any costs incurred during this process, and each Offeror shall indemnify and hold harmless the Town from and

against any claims (including any costs and attorney's fees) for such reimbursement, directly or indirectly, made by or on behalf of such Offeror.

Thank you for your prompt consideration and response to this Request for Proposal.

TOWN OF WHITESTOWN

By:

Robert B. Laughlin Building Commissioner Date: August 5th, 2025



Pearson Ford Bid Proposal

for:

WHITESTOWN WORK VEHICLES

by

Chad Barkdull

Commercial Account Manager

Pearson Ford

cbarkdull@pearsonford.com

317-733-6028

Exhibit A

Work Vehicles RFP Form

1. Total RFP Price	\$ 95,565.68
2. Delivery Date(s)	Available Now
	47,782.84 per truck
Deviation(s) from Specifications:	
- NO AC port other	tuan (1) one 12 U plug
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. Window Sticker pg 2	
optional equipment pg38	



VEHICLE DESCRIPTION F-150

2025 F-150 4X4 SUPERCREW 157" WHEELBASE 3.5L V6 ECOBOOST ELEC TEN-SPEED AUTO TRANS

STANDARD EQUIPMENT INCLUDED AT NO EXTRA CHARGE

EXTERIOR OXFORD WHITE INTERIOR DARK SLATE VINYL 40/20/40

Fuel Economy and Environment Fuel Economy

EPA DOT

Gasoline Vehicle

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24 MPG 16

Standard Pickup Trucks range from 12 to 87 MPG. The best vehicle rates 140 MPGe,

average new vehicle. compared to the

5.3 gallons per 100 miles

highway

city

combined city/hwy

more in fuel costs over 5 years

\$4,250

∾ spend

Fuel Economy & Greenhouse Gas Rating (talpipe only) Smog Rating (talpipe only Annual fuel COSt

\$2,750

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This vehicle emits 467 grams CO2, per mile, The best emits 0 grams per mile (tallpipe only), Producing and distributing fuel also create emissions; learn more at fueleconomy,gov.

Actual results with any for many reasons: including driving conditions and low you drive and maintain you worlde. The average new vehiele gets 28 MPG and costs \$5.500 to tiel over 5 years. Cost estimates are smalled The order of 18 MPG and costs \$5.500 to tiel over 5 years. Cost estimates are marked on 18.000 miles par year at 35.50 per agalom. NPGes as miles per gasoline gallon equivalent. Vehide antissions are a significant cause of climate change and smog.

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EXTERIOR - BATTME RINNING LAMPS - BASY FUEL® CAPLESS FILLER - FULLY BOXED STEEL FRAME - HEADLAMPS - AUTO HIGH BEAM - HEADLAMPS - AUTOLAMP - LED REFLECTOR HEADLAMPS - LOCKING REMOVABLE TALLGATE - MANULA FOLD FOWNEN MIRRORS - POWER MIRRORS - POWER MIRRORS - POWER MIRRORS - FOWNEN FALLGATE - FOWNEN FALLGAT

INTERIOR

- GRUSE CONTROL

- DOOR LOCKS - POWER

- BULM SUMNSORS

- ILLIAMINATED ENTRY

- MESSAGE CTR - OUTSIDE TEMP,

COMPASS, THP COMPUTER

- ILLIAMINED FOR STR - COLUMN

- AM/FM STEREO

· AUTO HOLD

ADVANCETIAC™ WITH RSC®
ARBAGS - FRONT SEAT
MOUNTED SIDE IMPACT
ATRAGS - SAFETY CANOPY®
- CITE HIGH MOUNT STOP LAMP
PERIMETER ALARM • SECURE PKG 1 YR INCLUDED • SOS POST-CRASH ALERT SYSTM • TIRE PRESSURE MONIT SYS LANE-KEEPING SYSTEM
POST-COLLISION BRAKING
PRE-COLLISION ASSIST WAEB
REVERSE SENSING AND
REAR VIEW CAMERA
SELECTULE DRIVE MODES
SYNCØ4 WIENT 12" SCREEN CLASS IV TRAILER HITCH W/ SMART TRLR TOW CONNECTOR • CURVE CONTROL • FORDPASS™ CONNECT 5GWI-FI HOTSPOT TELEMATICS MODEM BUS W/CROSS-TRAFFIC ALERT

• 37R/36,000 BUMPER / BUMPER • 57R/60,000 POWERTRAIN • 57R/60,000 ROADSIDE ASSIST • 87R/100,000 HYBRID BATTERY

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> \$50,075,00 1,035,00 51,110.00

PRICE INFORMATION BASE PRICE TOTAL OPTIONS/OTHER

(MSRP)

INCLUDED ON THIS VEHICLE EQUIPMENT GROUP 101A TOTAL VEHICLE & OPTIONS/OTHER DESTINATION & DELIVERY

250.00 NO CHARGE 785.00

285.70F 17 BSW ALL-TERRAIN
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22.55 ELECTROING LOOK RR AXLE
7209 GWR PACKAGE
BLACK PLATTORM RUNNING BOARDS
50 STATE BMSSONS
TOWNHALL PACKAGE
TOWNHALL PACKAGE
EXTENDED RAINE BRAKE CONT
EXTENDED RAINE SBGAL FUEL TANK
VINYL 40/20/40 FRONT SEAT

NO CHARGE NO CHARGE

OPTIONAL EQUIPMENT/OTHER .17" SILVER STEEL WHEELS 3.5L V6 ECOBOOST

NO CHARGE

GOVERNMENT 5-STAR SAFETY RATINGS

**** **Overall Vehicle Score**

Driver Frontal

Based on the combined ratings of frontal, side and rollover. Should ONLY be compared to other vehicles of similar size and weight.

of similar size and weight Based on the risk of injury in a frontal impact Should ONLY be compared to other vehicles Passenger Crash

**** Front seat

Rear seat Crash Side

*** Rollover

Star ratings range from 1 to 5 stars (★★★★★), with 5 being the highest.
Source: National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA).
www.safercar.gov or 1-888-327-4236

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\$53,105.00

TOTAL MSRP

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Optional Equipment Pricing

Spray in	liher - \$599	6

NEW FORD WARRANTY COVERAGE

- New Vehicle Limited Warranty: 3 years/36,000 miles
- Powertrain Warranty: 5 years/60,000 miles
- Start Date: The warranty begins on the date you take delivery of the vehicle

Opt2: Ordered truck

Exhibit A

Work Vehicles RFP Form

1. Total RFP Price	s_99, 93 9
2. Delivery Date(s)	Est January 2026
	144,477 per truck
Deviation(s) from Specifications:	
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- NO AC port obner tran - January 2026 Delwey	Pate
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- Window Sticker on pase ?	
- See optional item pricing	on page 3



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Preview Order 0806 - W1L - 4x4 XL SuperCrew: Order Summary Time of Preview: 08/06/2025 15:24:43 Receipt: NA

Dealership Name: Pearson Ford, Inc.

Sales Code: F47489

Dealer Rep.	Chad Barkdull	Type Fleet	Vehicle Line F-150	Order Code 0806
Customer Name	Whitestown	Priority Code	Model Year 2025	Price Level 565

DESCRIPTION	MSRP	DESCRIPTION	MSRP
F150 4X4 SUPERCREW XL - 145	\$47980	3.55 RATIO REGULAR AXLE	\$0
145 INCH WHEELBASE	\$0	6650# GVWR PACKAGE	\$0
TOTAL BASE VEHICLE	\$47980	FORD FLEET SPECIAL ADJUSTMENT	\$0
OXFORD WHITE	\$0	JOB #2 ORDER	\$0
VINYL 40/20/40 FRONT SEAT	\$0	50 STATE EMISSIONS	\$0
MEDIUM DARK SLATE	\$0	EXTENDED RANGE 36GAL FUEL TANK	\$0
EQUIPMENT GROUP 101A	\$0	SPECIAL DEALER ACCOUNT ADJUSTM	\$0
.XL SERIES	\$0	SPECIAL FLEET ACCOUNT CREDIT	\$0
.17" SILVER STEEL WHEELS	\$0	FUEL CHARGE	\$0
2.7L V6 ECOBOOST	\$0	NET INVOICE FLEET OPTION (B4A)	\$0
ELEC TEN-SPEED AUTO TRANS	\$0	ADVERTISING ASSESSMENT	\$0
.265/70R 17 BSW ALL-TERRAIN	\$0	DESTINATION & DELIVERY	\$2195

MSRP

TOTAL BASE AND OPTIONS

\$50175

DISCOUNTS

NA

TOTAL

\$50175

ORDERING FIN: QX562 END USER FIN: QX562

Customer Name:

Customer Email:

Customer Address:

Customer Phone:

Customer Signature

Date

This order has not been submitted to the order bank.

This is not an invoice.

Optional Equipment Pricing

Bedliner - \$599
Running Boards - 1250 Trailer Brake Controller - 1275
Trailer Brake Controller - \$275
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NEW FORD WARRANTY COVERAGE

- New Vehicle Limited Warranty: 3 years/36,000 miles
- Powertrain Warranty: 5 years/60,000 miles
- Start Date: The warranty begins on the date you take delivery of the vehicle

Exhibit B

NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT

The individual person(s) executing this Proposal, being first duly sworn, depose(s) and state(s) that the Offeror has not directly or indirectly entered into a combination, collusion, undertaking or agreement with any other offeror or person (i) relative to the price(s) proposed herein or to be bid by another person, or (ii) to prevent any person from submitting a Proposal, or (iii) to induce a person to refrain from submitting a Proposal; and furthermore, this Proposal is made and submitted without reference to any other proposals and without agreement, understanding or combination, either directly or indirectly, with any persons, with reference to such proposals in any way or manner whatsoever.

[Signature by or on behalf of the Offeror in the spaces provided below shall constitute

execution of each and every part of this Proposal. <u>SIGNATURE MUST BE PROPERLY</u>			
NOTARIZED.]			
Written Signature: Saykell			
Printed Name: Chad Backdull			
Title: Commercial Acct Manager			
Important - Notary Signature and Seal Required in the Space Below			
STATE OFN			
COUNTY OF Hamilton SS:			
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of 1000,			
20225			
My commission expires: May 31, 3038 (Signed)			
Residing in Hamilton County, State of N			