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REQUEST FOR BID # AA10-RH-3568

		RFB Opening Date & Time: November 5, 2009 @ 1:00 pm	
		Requested by: Carol Thurlow Department: Physical Plant Phone: 413-545-0363 Date Prepared: 10/19/2009	
	Description	Unit Price	Total Price
	BIDS ARE REQUESTED TO PROVIDE EIGHT (8) VEHICLES FOR THE PHYSICAL PLANT WITH TRADE-IN'S PER THE ATTACHED SPECIFICATIONS OR APPROVED EQUAL FOR THE BID OPENING ON NOVEMBER 5, 2009 @ 1:00 P.M.		
	TOTAL PURCHASE PRICE (Before Trade-In)		
	LESS TRADE-IN ALLOWANCE		
	TOTAL BID PRICE		
	Delivery Lead-time After Receipt of Order: _____		

PLEASE DIRECT ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS RFB TO: ROSEMARY A. HASSAY @ procurement@admin.umass.edu

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- It is the bidder's responsibility to insure that their bid is received in its entirety by the University of Massachusetts, Procurement Department, 407 Goodell Building, 140 Hicks Way, Amherst, MA 01003-9334 by 1:00 PM on the bid opening date specified above. Bids received after the specified date/time or at a location other than what is listed in the RFB will be rejected and placed unopened in the bid file.
- Bids may be faxed provided that they are followed up by a hard copy with written signature within 5 days of the bid date. All faxed bids must be received by the Procurement fax by the date and time of the bid above. **No electronic bids will be accepted.**
- All prices are FOB Destination, delivery free of all charges to: University of Massachusetts Amherst at a location specified on a purchase order.
- **Bidders must list their Taxpayer's Identification Number here:** _____
- Bid may not be materially altered after the bids have been opened. Only the Director of Procurement can determine what a material alteration is.
- All prices must be submitted on a Net Basis. Unit price shall prevail in case of mathematical error. **Payment 30 days.**
- Bids on items that differ from specifications will be rejected at the discretion of the Director of Procurement. Proprietary names are quoted for informational purposes only and are not meant to limit competition. The right is reserved to accept the bid deemed best for the University.
- Exceptions to any terms and conditions contained herein or in the bid specifications, must be noted by bidder in bid. The Director of Procurement reserves the right to reject any bid that does not conform to the specifications.

Vendor Name: _____

Address: _____ **City:** _____ **State:** _____ **ZIP:** _____

Telephone: _____ **FAX:** _____ **E-Mail Address:** _____

Name of Person Submitting Bid: _____

Authorized Signature: _____

R# 73049



**University of Massachusetts Amherst
Department of Procurement
Request for Bids:**

**Eight (8) Vehicles for the Physical Plant
per the attached specifications or approved equal**

RFB# AA10-RH-3568

Bid Opening Date – November 5, 2009 @ 1:00 p.m.

The Physical Plant at the University of Massachusetts Amherst is seeking bids to provide eight (8) vehicles per the following specifications or approved equals with the trade-in of other vehicles.

***Specifications - Vehicle # 1:* Chevrolet 2010 Express Passenger Van 2500 or approved equal with the
Trade-In – 1991 Ford Van – M-415 – VIN# 1FBHE21G8MHB30535**

One (1) Chevrolet 2010 Express Passenger Van 2500 RWD 135” LS – or approved equal

1. **Color:** Solid White
2. **Engine:** Vortex 6.0L V-8 SFI Flex-fuel
3. **Transmission:** 6-Speed HD Automatic Transmission w/ Overdrive
4. **Rear Axle Ratio:** 3.42
5. **Emissions:** CT, ME, MA, NJ, NY
6. **Battery:** Heavy-Duty 770 cold-cranking amps, Maintenance-free
7. **Alternator:** 145-amps
8. **Brakes:** 4-wheel disc brakes / Anti-lock breaking system (ABS) 4-wheel
9. **Drive-Type:** Rear-wheel
10. **Wheelbase:** 135”
11. **Tires:** Five (5) - LT245 / 75SR 16E black wall all-season tires (one as a spare)
12. **Wheels:** Five (5) - 16” Grey Steel (one as a spare)
13. **Gross Vehicle Weight:** 8,600 GVWR
14. **Heating:** Rear auxiliary
15. **Air Conditioning:** **Front:** Manual / **Rear:** with separate controls
16. **Door Count:** Three (3) Doors – side and rear
17. **Rear Cargo Door:** Split / Swing Out
18. **Mirrors:** Dual Manual
19. **Interior Color:** Grey/Pewter
20. **Seating Capacity:** 12-Passenger (2-3-3-4 configuration)
21. **Seats:** Vinyl Seats / Vinyl Trim
22. **Lighting:** Auxiliary
23. **Visors:** Driver & front passenger, padded with cloth trim
24. **Floor Mats:** Rubber front and rear
25. **Audio System:** AM/FM Stereo Radio
26. **Back-up Alarm:** Installed

Specifications - Vehicle # 2: Chevrolet 2010 Express Passenger Van 2500 or approved equal with the Trade-In – 1988 Chevrolet 1-Ton Chassis – M-165 – VIN# 1GBGK34K9JE204987

One (1) Chevrolet 2010 Express Passenger Van 2500 RWD 135” LS – or approved equal

1. **Color:** Solid White
2. **Engine:** Vortex 6.0L V-8 SFI Flex-fuel
3. **Transmission:** 6-Speed HD Automatic Transmission w/ Overdrive
4. **Rear Axle Ratio:** 3.42
5. **Emissions:** CT, ME, MA, NJ, NY
6. **Battery:** Heavy-Duty 770 cold-cranking amps, Maintenance-free
7. **Alternator:** 145-amps
8. **Brakes:** 4-wheel disc brakes / Anti-lock breaking system (ABS) 4-wheel
9. **Drive-Type:** Rear-wheel
10. **Wheelbase:** 135”
11. **Tires:** Five (5) - LT245 / 75SR 16E black wall all-season tires (one as a spare)
12. **Wheels:** Five (5) - 16” Grey Steel (one as a spare)
13. **Gross Vehicle Weight:** 8,600 GVWR
14. **Heating:** Rear auxiliary
15. **Air Conditioning:** **Front:** Manual / **Rear:** with separate controls
16. **Door Count:** Three (3) Doors – side and rear
17. **Rear Cargo Door:** Split / Swing Out
18. **Mirrors:** Dual Manual
19. **Interior Color:** Grey/Pewter
20. **Seating Capacity:** 12-Passenger (2-3-3-4 configuration)
21. **Seats:** Vinyl Seats / Vinyl Trim
22. **Lighting:** Auxiliary
23. **Visors:** Driver & front passenger, padded with cloth trim
24. **Floor Mats:** Rubber front and rear
25. **Audio System:** AM/FM Stereo Radio
26. **Back-up Alarm:** Installed

Specifications - Vehicle # 3: Chevrolet 2010 Express Cargo Work Van 2500 or approved equal with the Trade-In – 1986 Chevrolet, G10 Sport Van – M-22 – VIN# 2GCEG25N8G4161890

One (1) Chevrolet 2010 Express Cargo Work Van 2500 RWD 135” – or approved equal

1. **Color:** Solid Summit White
2. **Engine:** Vortex 4.8L V-8 SFI Flex-fuel
3. **Transmission:** 6-Speed HD Automatic Transmission w/ Overdrive
4. **Rear Axle Ratio:** 3.42
5. **Emissions:** CT, ME, MA, NJ, NY
6. **Battery:** Heavy-Duty 770 cold-cranking amps, Maintenance-free
7. **Alternator:** 145-amps
8. **Differential:** Locking heavy-duty rear differential required (**NOT** limited-slip)
9. **Brakes:** 4-wheel disc brakes / Anti-lock braking system (ABS) 4-wheel
10. **Drive-Type:** Rear-wheel
11. **Wheelbase:** 135”
12. **Tires:** Five (5) - LT245 / 75SR 16E black wall all-season tires (one as a spare – located at rear underbody of the vehicle).
13. **Wheels:** Five (5) - 16” Grey Steel (one as a spare)
14. **Gross Vehicle Weight:** 8,600 GVWR
15. **Heating:** Rear auxiliary
16. **Air Conditioning:** **Front:** Manual / **Rear:** with provision
17. **Door Locks:** Power with lock-out protection
18. **Door Count:** Three (3) Doors – swing out passenger side, 60/40 split
19. **Rear Cargo Door:** Split / Swing Out
20. **Trim Panels:** Hinged rear side doors and hinged rear doors
21. **Glass:** Fixed Rear Doors/ Windows
22. **Mirrors:** Dual Manual / inside rearview manual day/night
23. **Interior Color:** Medium Pewter, custom vinyl seat trim
24. **Seating Capacity:** 2-Passenger – high back buckets, adjustable – Center Console, DDF12
25. **Seats:** Vinyl Seats / Vinyl Trim
26. **Lighting:** Auxiliary
27. **Visors:** Driver & front passenger, padded with cloth trim
28. **Floor Mats:** Rubber Floor - installed
29. **Audio System:** AM/FM Stereo Radio
30. **Back-up Alarm:** Installed – 97 Decibels
31. **Amber Strobes:** Hide-away amber strobes, front and rear
32. **Roof Ladder Rack:** Grip Tight
33. **Inside Cabinets Installed:** 2252G Electrical Contractor Package with Cargo Divider
34. **Preferred Equipment Group**
35. **Heavy-Duty Trailering Equipment:** Includes trailering hitch platform, 2.5" receiver with 2" adapter, 7-wire harness (harness includes wires for: park lamps, backup lamps, right turn, left turn, electric brake lead, battery and ground) with independent fused trailering circuits mated to a 7-way sealed connector, wiring harness for after-market trailer brake controller (located in the instrument panel harness) and single wire for center high-mounted stop lamp. Also includes heavy-duty rear automatic locking differential and Integrated Trailer Brake Controller. Class IV receiver-style hitch.

Specifications - Vehicle # 4: Chevrolet 2010 Express Cargo Work Van 1500 AWD or approved equal with Trade-In – 1993 Chevrolet Lumina Sedan – M-244 – VIN# 2G1WL54T1P1113644

One (1) Chevrolet 2010 Express Cargo Work Van 1500 AWD 135” – or approved equal

1. **Color:** Solid Summit White
2. **Engine:** Vortex 5.3L V-8 SFI Flex-fuel
3. **Transmission:** 4-Speed HD Automatic Transmission w/ Overdrive
4. **Rear Axle Ratio:** 3.42
5. **Emissions:** CT, ME, MA, NJ, NY
6. **Battery:** Heavy-Duty 770 cold-cranking amps, Maintenance-free
7. **Alternator:** 145-amps
8. **Brakes:** 4-wheel disc brakes / Anti-lock breaking system (ABS) 4-wheel
9. **Drive-Type:** All-wheel
10. **Wheelbase:** 135”
11. **Tires:** Five (5) - LT245 / 70SR 17E black wall all-season tires
(one as a spare – located at rear underbody of the vehicle)
12. **Wheels:** Five (5) - 17” Grey Steel (one as a spare)
13. **Gross Vehicle Weight:** 7,300 GVWR
14. **Heating:** Rear auxiliary
15. **Air Conditioning:** **Front:** Manual / **Rear:** with provision
16. **Door Locks:** Power with lock-out protection
17. **Door Count:** Three (3) Doors – swing out passenger side, 60/40 split
18. **Rear Cargo Door:** Split / Swing Out
19. **Trim Panels:** Hinged rear side doors and hinged rear doors
20. **Glass:** Fixed Rear Doors - Windows
21. **Mirrors:** Dual Manual / inside rearview manual day/night
22. **Interior Color:** Medium Pewter, custom vinyl seat trim
23. **Seating Capacity:** 2-Passenger – high back buckets, adjustable – Center Console, DDF12
24. **Seats:** Vinyl Seats / Vinyl Trim
25. **Visors:** Driver & front passenger, vinyl
26. **Floor Mats:** Rubber Floor - installed
27. **Audio System:** AM/FM Stereo Radio
28. **Back-up Alarm:** Installed – 97 Decibels
29. **Amber Strobes:** Hide-away amber strobes, front and rear
30. **Roof Ladder Rack:** Installed - Grip Tight
31. **Inside Cabinets Installed:** 2252G Electrical Contractor Package with Cargo Divider
32. **Preferred Equipment Group**

Specifications - Vehicle # 5: Chevrolet 2010 Silverado Truck 1500 2WD or approved equal with the Trade-In – 1984 Chevrolet 1-Ton Cab/Chassis, C30 PU – M-32 – VIN# 1GBGC34M3EV132656

One (1) Chevrolet 2010 Silverado 1500 2WD Reg Cab 133.0” Work Truck – or approved equal

1. **Color:** Solid Summit White
2. **Engine:** Vortex 4.3L V-8 SFI Flex-fuel
3. **Transmission:** 4-Speed HD Automatic Transmission w/ Overdrive
4. **Rear Axle Ratio:** 3.23
5. **Emissions:** CT, ME, MA, NJ, NY
6. **Battery:** Single 730 cold-cranking amps
7. **Differential:** Locking heavy-duty rear differential required (**NOT** limited-slip)
8. **Brakes:** front disc – rear drum / Anti-lock breaking system (ABS) 4-wheel and driveline
9. **Drive-Type:** Rear-wheel
10. **Wheelbase:** 133.0”
11. **Tires:** Five (5) - P245 / 70SR 17 black wall all-season tires (one as a spare)
12. **Wheels:** Five (5) - 17 x 7.5” (43.2 CM x 19.1 CM) steel, 6-lug painted steel, solid (one as a spare)
13. **Gross Vehicle Weight:** 6,400 GVWR
14. **Pickup Box:** Regular
15. **Heating:** Climate Control
16. **Air Conditioning:** Single zone manual
17. **Doors:** 2 Doors / Tailgate
18. **Glass:** Rear window protector, installed
19. **Mirrors:** Outside high-visibility vertical camper-style, black
20. **Seating:** 3-Passenger /Front – 40/20/40 split bench seating–driver and front passenger manual reclining
21. **Seats:** Dark Titanium, Cloth seat trim
22. **Seat Adjuster:** Manual lumbar control on the driver-side
23. **Visors:** Driver & front passenger, vinyl
24. **Floor Mats:** Rubber front
25. **Audio System:** AM/FM Stereo Radio
26. **License Plate Bracket:** Front
27. **Back-up Alarm:** Installed – 97 Decibels
28. **Amber Strobes:** Hide-away amber strobes, front and rear; installed
29. **Work Truck Preferred Equipment Group**
30. **Suspension Package:** Heavy-duty handling / trailering
31. **Bed Liner:** Installed – over the rail
32. **Pipe Rack:** Installed – heavy pipe rack and tie-down
33. **Heavy-Duty Trailering Equipment:** Includes trailering hitch platform, 2.5" receiver with 2" adapter, 7-wire harness (harness includes wires for: park lamps, backup lamps, right turn, left turn, electric brake lead, battery and ground) with independent fused trailering circuits mated to a 7-way sealed connector, wiring harness for after-market trailer brake controller (located in the instrument panel harness) and single wire for center high-mounted stop lamp. Also includes heavy-duty rear automatic locking differential and Integrated Trailer Brake Controller. Class IV receiver-style hitch.

Specifications - Vehicle # 6: Chevrolet 2010 Silverado Truck 2500HD 4WD Reg Cab 133" Work Truck or approved equal with:

Trade-In – 1987 Chevrolet Crew Cab C20 PU – M-39 – VIN# 1GCGR23K7HS167212

1. **Color:** Solid Summit White
2. **Engine:** Vortex 6.0L V-8 SFI Flex-fuel – Variable valve timing
3. **Transmission:** 6-Speed Heavy-duty Automatic Transmission w/ Overdrive
4. **Rear Axle Ratio:** 4.10 ratios
5. **Emissions:** CT, ME, MA, NJ, NY
6. **Battery:** Auxiliary heavy-duty 600 cold-cranking amps, maintenance free
7. **Differential:** Locking heavy-duty rear differential required (**NOT** limited-slip)
8. **Alternator:** 160-amps
9. **Brakes:** Four-wheel disc brakes / Anti-lock breaking system (ABS) 4-wheel
10. **Drive-Type:** Four-wheel drive
11. **Wheelbase:** 133.0"
12. **Tires:** Five (5) – LT 245 / 75R 16.0E black wall all-terrain tires (one as a spare)
13. **Wheels:** Five (5) - 16 x 6.5" (40.6 cm x 16.5 cm) steel, 8-lug painted steel, solid (one as a spare)
14. **Gross Vehicle Weight:** 9,200 GVWR
15. **Heating:** Climate Control
16. **Air Conditioning:** Single zone manual
17. **Doors:** 2 Doors / Tailgate
18. **Mirrors:** Black Camper-Style High-Visibility Outside Mirrors Vertical. Includes manual folding and extension and lower convex spotter glass.
19. **Seating:** 3-Passenger /Front – 40/20/40 split bench seating–driver and front passenger manual reclining
20. **Seats:** Vinyl front seat upholstery; Dark Titanium
21. **Flooring:** Vinyl/rubber floor covering
22. **Audio System:** AM/FM Stereo Radio with seek-scan
23. **License Plate Bracket:** Front
24. **Back-up Alarm:** Installed – 97 Decibels
25. **Amber Strobes:** Hide-away amber strobes, front; installed / Amber Strobes, rear of body; installed / Roof mounted amber strobe 360 degree visibility
26. **Work Truck Preferred Equipment Group**
27. **Pickup Box:** **Delete**
28. **Tail Lamp:** **Delete**
29. **Heavy-Duty Trailering Equipment:** Includes trailering hitch platform, 2.5" receiver with 2" adapter, 7-wire harness (harness includes wires for: park lamps, backup lamps, right turn, left turn, electric brake lead, battery and ground) with independent fused trailering circuits mated to a 7-way sealed connector, wiring harness for after-market trailer brake controller (located in the instrument panel harness) and single wire for center high-mounted stop lamp. Also includes heavy-duty rear automatic locking differential and Integrated Trailer Brake Controller.

Class IV receiver-style hitch.
30. **Snow Prep-Package:** Includes 10-amp power for backup and roof emergency light, high-flow front bumper, forward lamp wiring harness and instrument panel jumper wiring harness for electric trailer brake controller. Provision for Cab Roof Mounted Lamp/Beacon - Provides an instrument panel-mounted switch and electrical wiring tucked beneath the headliner for a body upfitter to connect a body-mounted warning or emergency lamp. Snow Prep-Package also includes the **Skid Plate Package:** Includes frame-mounted shields, front underbody shield starting behind front bumper and running to 1st cross-member, protecting front underbody, oil pan, differential case and transfer case. 160 Amps Alternator.

31. Plow: Eight-foot Fisher Minute Mount Plow with Fish Stick controls

32. Side Step: Tubular; black

Special Additions:

- Utility Body with pipe rack, installed, painted Summit White
- Utility Body, Omaha Standard Service Body, 8-foot body with V-configuration doors; no top opening; standard middle compartment and a recessed bumper.
- All galvanized steel; 14-gauge A-40 two-sided galvanized zinc coated steel.
- Complete automotive-type undercoating of body underside for total rust protection.
- Distinctive die-formed automotive-style fender providing tire clearance.
- Heavy-duty treadplate steel flooring with drain opening at base of bulkhead.
- “V” configuration with two (2) full height vertical compartments
- Hinged recessed cover, bumper

Specifications - Vehicle # 7: Chevrolet 2010 Silverado Truck 2500 4WD Crew Cab 153" Work Truck or approved equal with :

Trade-In – 1990 Chevrolet V2500 Suburban – M-284 – VIN# 1GNGV26K9LF135054

1. **Color:** Solid Summit White
2. **Engine:** Vortex 6.0L/ 366 CID V-8 SFI Gas
3. **Transmission:** 6-Speed Heavy-duty Automatic Transmission w/ Overdrive, electronically controlled
4. **Rear Axle Ratio:** 4.10 ratios
5. **Emissions:** CT, ME, MA, NJ, NY
6. **Battery:** Auxiliary heavy-duty 600 cold-cranking amps, maintenance free
7. **Differential:** Locking heavy-duty rear differential required (**NOT** limited-slip)
8. **Alternator:** 160-amps
9. **Brakes:** Four-wheel disc brakes / Anti-lock breaking system (ABS) 4-wheel
10. **Drive-Type:** Four-wheel drive
11. **Wheelbase:** 153.0"
12. **Tires:** Five (5) – LT 245 / 75R 16.0E black wall all-terrain tires (one as a spare)
13. **Wheels:** Five (5) - 16 x 6.5" (40.6 cm x 16.5 cm) steel, 8-lug painted steel, solid (one as a spare)
14. **Gross Vehicle Weight:** 9,200 GVWR
15. **Heating:** Climate Control
16. **Air Conditioning:** Single zone manual
17. **Doors:** 2 Doors / Tailgate
18. **Mirrors:** Black Camper-Style High-Visibility Outside Mirrors Vertical. To include manual folding and extension and lower convex spotter glass.
19. **Seating:** 3-Passenger /Front – 40/20/40 split bench seating–driver and front passenger manual reclining
20. **Seats:** Vinyl front seat upholstery; Dark Titanium
21. **Flooring:** Vinyl/rubber floor covering
22. **Audio System:** AM/FM Stereo Radio with seek-scan
23. **LPO:** assists steps, chromed tubular, 3" round
24. **Back-up Alarm:** Installed – 97 Decibels
25. **Amber Strobes:** Hide-away amber strobes, front and rear; installed / Cab – Roof mounted amber strobe 360 degree visibility
26. **Plow:** Eight-foot Fisher Minute Mount Plow with Fish Stick controls
27. **Bed-Liner:** Over the rail; installed
28. **Work Truck Preferred Equipment Group**
29. **Snow Prep-Package:** Includes 10-amp power for backup and roof emergency light, high-flow front bumper, forward lamp wiring harness and instrument panel jumper wiring harness for electric trailer brake controller. Provision for Cab Roof Mounted Lamp/Beacon - Provides an instrument panel-mounted switch and electrical wiring tucked beneath the headliner for a body upfitter to connect a body-mounted warning or emergency lamp. Snow Prep-Package also includes the **Skid Plate Package:** Includes frame-mounted shields, front underbody shield starting behind front bumper and running to 1st cross-member, protecting front underbody, oil pan, differential case and transfer case. 160 Amps Alternator.
30. **Heavy-Duty Trailering Equipment:** Includes trailering hitch platform, 2.5" receiver with 2" adapter, 7-wire harness (harness includes wires for: park lamps, backup lamps, right turn, left turn, electric brake lead, battery and ground) with independent fused trailering circuits mated to a 7-way sealed connector, wiring harness for after-market trailer brake controller (located in the instrument panel harness) and single wire for center high-mounted stop lamp. Also includes heavy-duty rear automatic locking differential and Integrated Trailer Brake Controller.

Class IV receiver-style hitch.

**Specifications - Vehicle # 8: Chevrolet 2010 Silverado Truck 3500 4WD Reg Cab & Chassis/ Dump Truck
137" WB; 59.9C/ Fleet Model # CK3103 or approved equal with
Trade-In – 1969 International Flatbed Truck – VIN# 426700C039747**

1. **Color:** Solid Summit White
2. **Engine:** Vortex 6.0L/ 366 CID/ V-8 Gas SFI/ Variable valve timing
3. **Transmission:** 6-Speed Heavy-duty Automatic Transmission w/ Overdrive, electronically controlled and tow/haul mode
4. **Rear Axle Ratio:** 4.10 ratios
5. **Emissions:** CT, ME, MA, NJ, NY
6. **Battery:** Auxiliary, heavy-duty 600 cold-cranking amps, maintenance free
7. **Differential:** Locking heavy-duty rear differential required (**NOT** limited-slip)
8. **Alternator:** 160-amps
9. **Brakes:** Four-wheel disc brakes / Anti-lock breaking system (ABS) 4-wheel
10. **Drive-Type:** Four-wheel drive / Dual Rear Wheel
11. **Wheelbase:** 137.0"
12. **Tires:** Five (5) – LT 225 / 75SR 17.0E black wall all-terrain tires (one as a spare)
13. **Wheels:** Five (5) - 17 x 6.5" steel, 6-lug painted steel, solid (one as a spare)
14. **Gross Vehicle Weight:** 12,000 GVWR
15. **Heating:** Climate Control
16. **Air Conditioning:** Single zone manual
17. **Doors:** 2 Doors / Tailgate
18. **Mirrors:** Black Camper-Style High-Visibility Outside Mirrors Vertical. To include manual folding and extension and lower convex spotter glass.
19. **Seating:** 3-Passenger /Front – 40/20/40 split bench seating–driver and front passenger manual reclining
20. **Seats:** Vinyl front seat upholstery; Gray/pewter
21. **Flooring:** Vinyl/rubber floor covering
22. **Audio System:** AM/FM Stereo Radio with seek-scan
23. **LPO:** assists steps, chromed tubular
24. **Back-up Alarm:** Installed – 97 Decibels
25. **Amber Strobes:** Hide-away amber strobes, front; installed / Roof mounted amber strobe 360 degree visibility . Amber strobes rear of dump body
26. **Plow:** Nine-foot Fisher Minute Mount Plow with Fish Stick controls
27. **Fuel Tank:** ~~Delete~~, Rear
28. **License Plate Bracket:** Front
29. **Safety Reflector Triangle Kit**
30. **Rugby Eliminator:** 2-3 yard dump body
31. **Head Board:** Full head board with roll tarp
32. **Work Truck Preferred Equipment Group**
33. **Snow Prep-Package:** Includes 10-amp power for backup and roof emergency light, high-flow front bumper, forward lamp wiring harness and instrument panel jumper wiring harness for electric trailer brake controller. Provision for Cab Roof Mounted Lamp/Beacon - Provides an instrument panel-mounted switch and electrical wiring tucked beneath the headliner for a body upfitter to connect a body-mounted warning or emergency lamp. Snow Prep-Package also includes the **Skid Plate Package:** Includes frame-mounted shields, front underbody shield starting behind front bumper and running to 1st cross-member, protecting front underbody, oil pan, differential case and transfer case. 160 Amps Alternator.
34. **Heavy-Duty Trailering Equipment:** Includes trailering hitch platform, 2.5" receiver with 2" adapter, 7-wire harness (harness includes wires for: park lamps, backup lamps, right turn, left turn, electric brake lead, battery and ground) with independent fused trailering circuits mated to a 7-way sealed connector, wiring harness for after-market trailer brake controller (located in the instrument panel harness) and single wire for center high-mounted stop lamp. Also includes heavy-duty rear automatic locking differential and Integrated Trailer Brake Controller. Class IV receiver-style hitch.

A purchase order will be issued to the successful bidder after analysis of the bids.

The vendor is to provide a completed RMV-1 Form and certificate of origin or title upon delivery.

Deliver: FOB Destination: Amherst, MA 01003

All pricing is to include all deliveries and pickups to the University of Massachusetts.

Delivery of the vehicle is to be made to:

University of Massachusetts
Fleet Services
360 Campus Center Way
Amherst, MA 01003

The University of Massachusetts Amherst is responsible for registration and inspection.

Contact Fleet Services to arrange inspection and sign-off on all vehicles.
Call either: Mike Szady @ 413-545-6488 or Jim Kudrikow @ 413-545-0606.

Payment will be made after delivery and inspection of the vehicle.

The University reserves the right to purchase the vehicles with or without the trade-in of vehicles.

The trades are the vehicles to be replaced by the new ones which are currently all in service. Many of the vehicles can be viewed at the Physical Plant before 7:00 am; during lunch from 12:00 pm – 12:30 pm; or after 3:00 pm; Monday through Friday. ***All trade-in vehicles can be viewed by appointment only.*** Contact Pam Monn @ 413-545-1270 to schedule an appointment to view these vehicles.

Special Note: If you are submitting a bid on an “approved equal” all detailed information on the product must be included within the bid. Failure to include this information may disqualify the bid.

All responses to this bid shall be made on the following Bid Response Sheet or an exact facsimile thereof. Responses on a form which significantly deviates from the stated response parameters will not be reviewed and may be grounds for disqualification at the University’s sole discretion. Special Note: be sure to include full itemization of the specifications being bid upon for each vehicle, including all warranty information and delivery lead-time after receipt of order.

Each bidder is solely responsible for the accuracy and completeness of its bid. Errors or omissions may be grounds for rejection, or may be interpreted in favor of the University. The University will not increase the purchase order to the successful vendor for omissions or oversights not due to the fault of the University or its agents. All changes must be approved in writing.

The successful bidder will be required to provide original signed W-9 form to the University if they are not already a recognized University vendor. A copy of this form can be accessed at: www.umass.edu/procurement - Click on “Forms” – Click on “University of Massachusetts Substitute W-9 Form”.

Bidders shall deliver **two (2) copies** of their bid response to the following address by Thursday, November 5, 2009 at 1:00pm, at which time the bids will be opened and publicly read. Bids shall be clearly marked and addressed to:

University of Massachusetts
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 407 Goodell Bldg. ~ 140 Hicks Way
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 Fax 413-545-1643
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All questions from prospective vendors regarding this Request for Bid shall be referred to the Purchasing Manager in the Procurement Department by email or fax only, by Wednesday, October 28, 2009 at 2:00 PM. No telephone calls will be entertained. Inquiries received after the specified date and time will not be accepted. The University will E-Mail its response to all questions to all bidders of record by formal addendum by Thursday, October 29, 2009. The contact information for this individual is:

University of Massachusetts Amherst
 Rosemary A. Hassay, Purchasing Manager
 Fax: (413) 545-1643
 Email: procurement@admin.umass.edu

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Bid Response Sheet

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 per the attached specifications or approved equal**

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		Price
	2010 Chevrolet Express Passenger Van 2500 or approved equal	
Vehicle # 1	Less: Trade-in-1991 Ford Van-M 415-VIN# 1FBHE21G8MHB30535	
	Total Bid Price for Vehicle # 1	
	2010 Chevrolet Express Passenger Van 2500 or approved equal	
Vehicle # 2	Less: Trade-in - 1988 Chevrolet 1-Ton Chassis - M 165 - VIN# 1GBGK34K9JE204987	
	Total Bid Price for Vehicle # 2	

	2010 Chevrolet Express Cargo Work Van 2500 or approved equal	
Vehicle # 3	Less: Trade-In – 1986 Chevrolet, G10 Sport Van – M-22	
	VIN# 2GCEG25N8G4161890	
	Total Bid Price for Vehicle # 3	
	2010 Chevrolet Express Cargo Work Van 1500 AWD or approved equal	
Vehicle # 4	Less: Trade-In – 1993 Chevrolet Lumina Sedan – M-244	
	VIN# 2G1WL54T1P1113644	
	Total Bid Price for Vehicle # 4	
	2010 Chevrolet Silverado Truck 1500 2WD or approved equal	
Vehicle # 5	Less: Trade-In – 1984 Chevrolet 1-Ton Cab/Chassis, C30 PU – M-32	
	VIN# 1GBGC34M3EV132656	
	Total Bid Price for Vehicle # 5	
	2010 Chevrolet Silverado Work Truck 2500 HD 4WD Reg Cab 133" or approved equal	
Vehicle # 6	Less: Trade-In – 1987 Chevrolet Crew Cab C20 PU – M-39	
	VIN# 1GCGR23K7HS167212	
	Total Bid Price for Vehicle # 6	
	2010 Chevrolet Silverado Work Truck 2500 HD 4WD Crew Cab 153" or approved equal	
Vehicle # 7	Less: Trade-In – 1990 Chevrolet V2500 Suburban – M-284	
	VIN# 1GNGV26K9LF135054	
	Total Bid Price for Vehicle # 7	
	2010 Chevrolet Silverado Dump Truck 3500 HD 4WD Reg Cab 137" or approved equal	
Vehicle # 8	Less: Trade-In – 1969 International Flatbed Truck –VIN# 426700C039747	
	Total Bid Price for Vehicle # 8	
Total Purchase Price for all Vehicles (Before Trade-in)		
Less: Total Trade-in Allowance for all Vehicles		
Total Bid Price for all Vehicles		

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