## Storm Mountain P.I.D. #55 Is taking bids for:

Snow plowing contractor for 2019/2020 season

Bids due: September 25, 2019

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You can obtain this bid form by contacting us at the above email address.

## **Minimum requirements:**

- 1. F350 truck or equivalent (1 ton 4-wheel drive)
- 2. Bed mounted sander with at least 2-1/2 cubic yard capacity
- 3. Hydraulic cab operated plow of proper size
- 4. Rubber blade edge on plow to protect roads
- 5. PID #55 has approximately 28 miles of roads, mostly gravel, with a very small amount of pavement and chip seal. The elevation varies from about 6300' at the bottom of the access road to about 8500' at the highest point. The upper elevation roads within the Storm Mountain community often receive significantly more snowfall than the lower elevation roads, with 1-2 feet (occasionally more) not unusual. Therefore, the upper elevation roads more often than the lower elevation roads may require a specialized piece of equipment to properly maintain the roads at the required level of service. The contractor is required to have such equipment available throughout the snow season. Recommendations for such equipment would consist of a full-size four-wheel drive loader with snowplow, a six-wheel drive road grader with snowplow or similarly sized (min 24K lbs. operating weight) piece of equipment with an attached snowplow. The PID board will notify the contractor when heavier equipment is needed for any of the road areas.
- 6. Owner and operator to have suitable snow plowing experience.
- 7. Sand to be stored in covered and dry storage facility with salt added to keep sand from freezing in chunks.

PID board will evaluate bids based on contractor experience, ability of contractor to provide quality service to the community, and cost.

Once chosen, the contractor needs to meet Larimer County snow plowing insurance requirements The contract will be with Larimer County

## **Scope of work and plowing priority** (See accompanying map):

Snow will be removed from roads on an "on-call" basis. Contractor will be as prompt as possible in responding to call from the PID.

<u>Blue</u>: *Access road.* The 2.5-mile access road (from bridge off of CR 43 to the "T") is to be plowed and sanded as needed during or as soon as possible after a snow event.

<u>Green</u>: *Main Roads.* These roads should be plowed during or directly after a snow event so the snow depth does not exceed 6 inches; plowing will not begin if there is less than 4 inches.

<u>Red</u>: Secondary Roads. These roads should be plowed when snow depth exceeds 6 inches <u>Yellow</u>: No snow removal on these roads (not maintained by the PID).

Contractor shall communicate (phone or e-mail as appropriate) with the appointed board member when plowing commences and to provide any needed information.

## Financial:

- Bid to include one hourly rate for the plow truck that includes all labor and materials, no separate charges. This includes plowing and sanding.
- Hourly rate if different from plow truck rate, or rental for heavy equipment used for snow removal in upper filings of Storm Mountain

This page is to serve as bid form. By filling in my hourly rate (or rates) and signing my name I am agreeing that I can and will, if awarded the bid, meet the minimum requirements and perform to the standards set in the "scope of work." I fully understand that this is not a contract.			
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