

Warner Robins Housing Authority

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REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL FOR PEST CONTROL 2018

The Warner Robins Houston County Housing Authorities are currently soliciting proposals for Pest Control Services for a one (1) year period with the option for two one (1) year extensions.

The Authorities have 446 Units of Public Housing.

Interested and qualified pest control contractors who have successfully demonstrated their ability to perform any of the above listed work are invited to submit proposals. Small businesses, minority and women owned businesses are encouraged to respond.

Proposals will be received Monday, October 2, 2017 until Wednesday, November 29, 2017 at 4:00 PM ET at WRHA's Central Office located at 112 Memorial Terrace, Warner Robins, GA 31093. Bid packets may be downloaded from our website. Our website address is www.warnerrobinsha.com. ALL PACKETS MUST BE RETURNED IN A SEALED ENVELOPE, WITH "PEST CONTROL PROPOSAL" ON BOTH SIDES OF THE ENVELOPE. Unmarked packets or packets received before October 2, 2017 or after November 29, 2017 will not be considered. Only the successful bidders will be notified by phone and a follow up letter. Bid results will be posted to this website after a contract or contracts have been signed.

The purpose of the Request for Proposal is to select one or more contractors for the type of service requested and to enter into an agreement for performance of pest control.

WRHA is an EEO/ADA compliant employer and reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, to waive any informality in the specifications or proposal process or to cancel in whole or in part this Request for Proposal if it is in the best interest of WRHA to do so. The attention of proposers is directed to the fact that the proposed work will be financed in whole or in part with Federal Funds, and therefore, all applicable Federal Statutes, ruling and regulations will apply. WRHA also reserves the right to award multiple contracts for services if it is in the best interest of the Housing Authority to do so.

Contractors may withdraw a proposal either personally, by written request or by FAX at any time prior to the scheduled closing time of receipt of proposals. NO PROPOSAL SHALL BE WITHDRAWN FOR A PERIOD OF THIRTY (30) DAYS subsequent to the opening of Proposals without consent of WRHA.

Any questions or clarifications or request to visit the sites, may be directed to the attention of Oscar G. Mason, Director of Development at omason@warnerrobinsha.com.

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PROPOSAL REQUIREMENTS

SCOPE OF SERVICES

Contractor shall supply technicians trained to perform pest control maintenance, after all apartments have had an initial treatment. The contractor will also provide all required pesticides, equipment and other personnel if the technician is not capable of providing services alone. The exterminator (technician) is required to treat and control the pest as described below;

- a. Indoor populations of rodents, insects, cockroaches, bed bugs, arachnids & other arthropods.
- b. Out door populations of potentially indoor –infesting species that are within the property boundaries of the specified buildings.
- c. Nest of stinging insects within the properties boundaries of the specified buildings.
- d. Individuals of all excluded pest populations tat are incidental invaders inside the specified buildings.
- e. Birds, bats, snakes, and all other vertebrates including commercial rodents.
- f. Pest that feed on outdoor vegetation

Work Hours

The service hours for extermination are 8:00 AM until 5:00 PM, Monday through Thursday. The successful bidders must be able to complete services during this time frame. The technician will have to be able to knock on doors, enter apartments and treat them for pest. WRHA Staff will accompany technicians to apartments where the Residents are not home, once all apartments where the Residents are home have been treated.

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INSURANCE

The Contractor shall procure, at its own expense, and keep in full force during the term of this Service Agreement, Comprehensive and Automobile Liability Insurance and Workmen's Compensation as follows:

- (a) Automobile Liability on owned and non-owned motor vehicles used in connection with this Agreement and shall contain a limit of bodily injury of at least \$500,000 per person and a total limit per occurrence of at least \$500,000 and property damage limit of \$500,000 per accident.
- (b) Commercial General Liability with a combined single limit for bodily injury of not less than \$1,000,000 injury and \$500,000 property damage per occurrence to protect the Contractor against claims for bodily injury or death and damage to the property of others.
- (c) Worker's Compensation shall be maintained in accordance with the State of Georgia requirements.

The Housing Authority shall be named as an additional insured on each policy. The Contractor shall furnish WRHA (annually) certificates of insurance.

SELECTION CRITERIA

Service providers shall provide a company profile; number of employees; and the names of key personnel to contact for emergency purposes.

Selection will also be weighted as follows:

<u>Criteria</u>	<u>Percent Weight</u>
Per Unit Treatment Cost	40%
Availability on call	30%
Company Profile	15%
References	15%

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Bidders are to insure that they are capable of supplying services in sufficient quantity as needed to meet demand. Pre-qualifications, shall include but not limited to, number, capacity, and experience in servicing developments of a similar size.

The proposal will be awarded to the company submitting the most competitive proposal that includes price, qualifications and responsive service, and meets all the requirements and specifications.

Monthly statements will be mailed to **WRHA to the property manager of the site. Invoice should detail the cost per service performed. A separate statement for each site (properly identified) is required for WRHA's accounting and consumption records.** Invoices will be paid by WRHA monthly.

The bidder is solely responsible for the employment, uniform identification, control and conduct of his employees during the course of this contract.

The Contract will become effective on the date of signing for a period of one (1) year with the option for two one (1) year extensions. In the event the bidder does not perform the services as specified herein to the satisfaction of WRHA, the Authority reserves the right to cancel the contract at any time for cause, by giving at least fifteen (15) days written notice of the intent to cancel this contract.

SUBMITTAL REQUIREMENTS

1. Copy of Business License
2. Proposal Sheet
3. A list of three references with phone numbers.
4. All other documents will be gathered prior to the contract signing.

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In submitting this proposal, the undersigned agrees:

- (a) That the Owner reserves the right to waive irregularities, to reject proposals and to award the Contract to the most qualified contractor, should it be in the best interest of the Owner to do so;
- (b) That in the event the contractor does not perform the services as stipulated in the contract to the satisfaction of the Warner Robins Housing Authority Authority, the Authority may cancel the contract at anytime by giving at least fifteen (15) days written notice of the intent to cancel the contract; and
- (c) The contractor shall be responsible for the employment, control and conduct of his employees during the course of the contract.

The undersigned hereby designates his business structure and location:

Contractor is: (check one)

Sole Proprietor () Partnership () Corporation ()

If the Contractor is a Sole Proprietor, state the following:

Name(s) of Partners:

If the Contractor is a Corporation, state the following:

Organized under the laws of the State of _____

Name(s) and title(s) of officers authorized to sign the contract:

The Proposal is authorized and submitted by:

(Name of Firm)

Authorized Official (Please Print)

(Signature)

(Title)

(Date)

(Seal and attest Seal if Proposal is submitted by a Corporation)

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PROPOSAL SHEET

Initial treatment of all 446 apartments \$ _____

Bedbug treatment per unit cost \$ _____

Bird / snake / vermin removal cost per occurrence \$ _____

Per unit cost of treatment (roaches / insects) \$ _____

Proposal submitted by: _____

Company Name: _____

Date: _____

Phone number: _____

Email Address: _____