



## ADVERTISEMENT – (LEGAL NOTICE TO BIDDERS)

Bids will be received until 2:00 PM, Local Eastern Time, on May 16, 2024, by the Tri-Cities Airport Authority (Owner) at the Tri-Cities Airport, Blountville, TN, in the Main Terminal Building Board Room 301 (second floor) for furnishing all labor, materials and equipment connected with the following projects:

1. Airport Maintenance – 2024 4x4 Pickup Truck
2. Airport Public Safety – 2024 4x4 Police SUV
3. Airport Airline Services – 2024 4x4 Pickup Truck
4. Airport Airline Services – 2024 Beltloader
5. Airport Airline Services – 2024 Baggage Tractor

Copies of the required equipment specifications will be available on the Airport's website at <https://flytri.com/business/about-tcaa/construction-development/> after April 15, 2024.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any and/or all proposals/bids, to waive any/all informalities and technicalities in the proposals/bids received, to the extent permitted by applicable law, and to accept any proposals/bids which, in its sole discretion, is in the best interest of the Owner, if permitted by applicable law. All bids must comply with applicable local, state, and federal laws.

Proposals/bids are required to remain open for acceptance or rejection for a period of ninety (90) days after the bid opening. The Owner will notify the successful bidder with a written, Notice of Award, no later than thirty (30) days after bid opening. If the Owner and apparent successful bidder cannot determine a date to furnish the required equipment, within ten (10) days after the Notice of Award is issued and has been received, the Owner may annul the bid. The Owner will provide a Purchase Order to the successful bidder after the June 27, 2024, Board of Commissioners meeting and approval.

Envelopes containing each bid item proposal must be sealed, contain a hard-copy, a digital copy on a USB flash drive, be addressed to the Tri-Cities Airport Authority, 2525 Highway 75, Suite 305, Blountville, TN 37617, and marked with the Vendor's name, address, date, phone number, email address, and one of the applicable project titles listed above.