

**TOWN OF MOORESVILLE, INDIANA**  
**REQUEST FOR SEALED BIDS**  
**1985 PIERCE DASH ENGINE**



**REQUEST ISSUED: June 1, 2021**

**DEADLINE FOR SEALED BIDS:**

**June 30, 2021**

**4:30 pm (eastern)**

## PROPERTY DESCRIPTION

Under Ind. Code § 5-22-22-5, the Town of Mooresville, Indiana ("Town") is seeking sealed bids for a 1985/2002 Pierce Dash ("Engine"). The Engine is owned by the Town and is currently located at Mooresville Station 1, 415 E. State Road 144, Mooresville, IN 46158. A specific description of the Engine is included below:

- Make and model: Pierce Dash
- Year: 1985 and Refurbished in 2002
- Color: White/Red
- VIN: 1P9CT01D3FA040846
- Mileage: 27855
- 1000 pump / 750 tank
- The Town's decal, siren, and radio will be removed from the Engine.

If required by law or upon the successful bidder's request, the successful bidder shall remove the lamps from the Engine. A successful bidder who requests such accessories to remain on the Engine will agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Town for any actions or damages that may result.

Interested bidders may make an appointment for inspection of the Engine.







## **SEALED BID GUIDELINES**

The minimum bid is set at \$5,000.00 ("Minimum Bid"). All bids shall be submitted via mail or hand delivery to Mooresville Town Hall, 4 E Harrison St. Mooresville, IN 46158, on or before June 30, 2021 at 4:30 p.m. EST. Bids received after this time will not be accepted.

All bids shall be submitted in a sealed envelope labeled with the following: (1) Request for Sealed Bids- 1985/2002 Pierce Dash; and (2) the bidder's name and address.

All bids shall include a completed Bid Form (included in this Request for Sealed Bids). No bid shall be accepted if not submitted on the Bid Form, a submission of which constitutes a legally binding offer by the respective bidder. Any bidder desiring to raise its bid must submit a new Bid Form.

No bid security or bid bond is required.

A bidder shall have no right to assign its bid prior to closing without the express written consent of the Town. Any such assignment shall not release a bidder from the terms and conditions of its bid.

Bidders will be required to indicate whether Indiana law requires them to remove the Engine's lamps and will agree to hold the Town harmless from any actions or damages if these items remain on the Engine.

## **SALE INFORMATION**

All sealed bids shall be opened at a public meeting of the Town of Mooresville Council on or after July 6, 2021. The Town of Mooresville reserves the right to:

- Cancel the bidding process and reject any and all bids;
- Waive informalities and irregularities;
- Reject any bid that is incomplete, illegible, inadequate, or unresponsive;
- Seek or provide clarification or conduct discussions at any time with bidders; and/or
- Award sale of the Engine to the highest responsible bidder.

The Town is selling the Engine "as is". The Town will not provide any financing for the purchase of the Engine. All financing must be independently secured with payment made in full to the Town at or before the time of sale by a payment method acceptable to the Town. Transfer of title to the Engine shall be by quitclaim bill of sale,



and there are no warranties of any kind. The successful bidder shall be responsible for reporting any applicable sales tax.

Closing on any sale is anticipated to occur within 30 days of the bid deadline indicated below and shall be subject to final approval by the Town. Delivery of the Engine is the responsibility of the successful bidder and shall be made at such bidder's sole expense.

The condition of the Engine is subject to normal post-inspection wear and tear.

### **MISCELLANEOUS**

By submitting a bid, each bidder agrees that any action relating in any way to the bid process shall be brought either in an Indiana state court located in Morgan County, Indiana, or the United States District Court for the Southern District of Indiana. Indiana law shall govern all actions.

Questions regarding the sale of the Engine, this Request for Sealed Bids, or the terms and conditions thereof, may be directed during regular business hours to the Mooresville Fire Department, Fire Chief Dalton. Email: [mdalton@mooreville.in.gov](mailto:mdalton@mooreville.in.gov). Office phone: 317-831-5354, ext: 1.

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**BID FORM**

**1985/2002 PIERCE DASH ENGINE**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Agent (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Business/Government Agency (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Bid: \_\_\_\_\_

Does Indiana law require me to remove the Engine's lamps?: \_\_\_\_\_

By executing below and submitting this bid, I bind myself, individually or as an agent, as having made an offer to purchase the Town of Mooresville's 1985/2002 Pierce Dash Engine, in an amount equal to the bid indicated above.

By executing below and submitting this bid, I acknowledge that I have reviewed and understand the terms of the Request for Sealed Bids and agree to all terms and conditions contained therein. I acknowledge that I have the right and power to submit this bid, that I have had the opportunity to consult with independent legal counsel, and that I have executed this Bid Form voluntarily. All assertions contained in this Bid Form are accurate to the best of my knowledge.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date