

August 5, 2025

# INVITATION TO BID **BP25-07**

The City of Marguette will receive sealed bids for:

#### WATER AND WASTEWATER TREATMENT CHEMICALS

The bid deadline and bid opening will be on September 10, 2025, at 10:00 a.m. local time. The location of the bid opening will be at Marquette City Hall, 300 W. Baraga Avenue, Financial Services, Conference Room 103. Bids must be in sealed envelopes clearly identifying the bid number and title. No fax or electronic bids will be accepted.

Mail bids to:

City of Marquette

Attn: Christina Tyynismaa, Finance Department

300 W. Baraga Avenue Marquette, MI 49855

The City of Marguette reserves the right to reject any and all bids if judged not to be in the best interest of the City.

For technical inquiries or further information, contact: Mark O'Neill, Director

City of Marquette

300 W. Baraga Avenue Marquette, MI 49855

(906) 225-4054

moneill@marquettemi.gov

#### **BP25-07 WATER TREATMENT CHEMICALS**

#### **INTENT**

It is the intent of the City of Marquette to contract with a vendor and establish a price for furnishing water treatment chemicals for the Water Filtration Plant and the Wastewater Treatment Facility.

#### **DELIVERY**

All prices bid shall include any shipping and handling. The materials shall be shipped in vehicles equipped with a hydraulic lift for removing pallets, cylinders and drums.

### **CONTRACT TERM**

The Contract term shall be for one year beginning October 1, 2025 and ending September 30, 2026. The city shall retain the right to cancel the contract at any time by giving the vendor 30 days written notification.

## **QUANTITIES**

The quantities listed in the Proposal Section of these specifications represent estimated quantities only. The total should not be construed to be guaranteed minimum or maximum to be purchased under the contract. Unit price bids will be used to determine the low bid. **Do not leave blank lines on the Price Proposal Sheet. Bidder should write "No Bid" if not bidding on specific chemicals.** 

#### **EXPRESS WARRANTIES**

All water treatment chemicals furnished during the term of the contract must be fully warranted for effectiveness.

In the event city operations require a different treatment, the city reserves the right to change the quality of chemicals herein and negotiate a new price or re-bid the contract.

### **AWARD**

The City of Marquette intends to award contracts to the bidder with the lowest unit bid price for each of the products listed as items I-VII but reserves the right to award single or multiple contracts, by group or in total, in the best interest of the city.

#### **CLARIFICATIONS**

Questions regarding ambiguities or the propriety of these specifications shall be addressed in writing to Mark O'Neill, Director of Municipal Utilities (<a href="mailto:moneill@marquettemi.gov">moneill@marquettemi.gov</a>), prior to the formal bid opening. Such questions will not be entertained after said bid opening.

Item No.	Chemical	Technical Description	Load Volume	Estimated Annual Volume Consumed	Bid
I	Liquid Hydrofluosilicic Acid	NFS/ANSI/CAN 60 23.0% to 26.0% to HSF	4,500 - gallon bulk delivery as needed	48,000 lbs.	Per pound
II	Sodium Bisulfite	Minimum 38.0% Sodium Bisulfite solution	4,500 - gallon bulk delivery	4,500 gallons	Per pound
III	Water Softener Salt	99.5% (± 0.5%) pure, Pellets	50-pound bags	Approximately one full truckload (18 pallets)	Per pound
IV	Sodium Hydroxide	NFS/ANSI/CAN 60 50% caustic soda	4,500 - gallon bulk delivery	4,500 gallons	Per gallon
V	Sodium Aluminate	(Technical Grade) 38%	4,000 - gallon bulk delivery as needed (annual use)	20,000 gallons A Certificate of Analysis must accompany each delivery	Wet Ton
VI	Liquid Ferric Chloride	(Technical Grade) 32% to 42%	275-gallon totes	10,000 gallons	Per gallon
VII	Liquid Sodium Hypochlorite	12% - 15% CL2	4,000 - gallon bulk delivery as needed	28,000 gallons	Per gallon

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