

REVISED
TOWNSHIP OF BLOOMFIELD
Board of Health
PUBLIC NOTICE
Geese Control Services

The Township of Bloomfield is soliciting a request for Proposal (“RFP”) to provide Geese Control Services.

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Contract period: January 1, 2024- December 31,2024.

Sealed submissions will be received by the Township Clerk, or designated representative for the Township of Bloomfield, County of Essex, State of New Jersey on Thursday, November 30, 2023 at 2:00pm prevailing time, in Council Chambers, Municipal Building, Municipal Plaza, Bloomfield, New Jersey 07003, then publicly opened and read aloud. All proposals must be delivered to the Township Clerk’s Office, Township of Bloomfield, 1 Municipal Plaza, Room 214, Bloomfield, NJ 07003. **YOU ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT ONE (1) UNBOUND COPY OF THE PROPOSAL AND ONE (1) ELECTRONIC COPY ON A CD OR A THUMB DRIVE.**

All proposals shall include all of the information requested in the Standardized Submission Requirements and selection criteria, which is available on the internet at <http://www.bloomfieldtwpnj.com/main/services/bid-requests-rfps-and-rfqs>. Bids will be deemed incomplete if all of the documents are not submitted according.

All professional service contractors are required to comply with the requirements of N.J.S.A. 52:32-44 (Business Registration of Public Contractors), N.J.S.A. 10:5-31 et seq. and N.J.A.C. 17:27 et seq. (Contract compliance and Equal Employment Opportunities in Public Contracts).

Submissions by Corporations and Partnerships shall include a completed Disclosure of Ownership form (N.J.S.A. 52:25-24.2) and shall include a completed Non-Collusion Affidavit.

The Board of Health reserves the right to reject any or all submissions due to any defects or waive informalities and accept any submissions that in their judgment will be in the best interest of the Township. The Board of Health shall award the contract or reject all submissions no later than 60 days from receipt of same.

By authorization of the Board of Health of the Township of Bloomfield, Essex County, New Jersey.

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The Board of Health in the Township of Bloomfield intends to enter in to an agreement/contract with vendor(s) to provide geese control services that will encompass; Lions Gate, Brookside Park, Memorial Park, Wrights Field and Clarks Pond (Partial).

- Daily service shall be for 52 weeks commencing on January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024.
- Daily service shall be provided seven days per week, rain or shine, dawn till dusk at variable hours during the day.
- Must service each site in their entirety each visit.
- Dogs must be able to perform their techniques both on land and in the water. Dogs must enter water if commanded to do so by handler. Vendor shall determine the number of dogs to be used, a minimum of one dog per park, based on the size of the area and number of geese to be controlled.
- Vendor must be able to provide documentation to educate and inform both the public and/or press about the environmentally safe harassment and humane techniques being used
- Radio controlled boats and handler occupied kayaks may be used if deemed necessary by the vendor. There shall be no additional charge for these services
- Vendor must have experience with environmentally friendly harassment techniques for control of Canada Geese with properly trained dogs handlers and dogs, and have necessary support staff and equipment to provide required services.
- The Health Department will be responsible for registering with the US Fish and Wildlife service resident Canada goose nest egg registration.
- Vendor will be required to addle all eggs found on properties. Egg addling charges will be charged at an additional rate to the base monthly contract.
- Vendor must be familiar with Essex county and its surrounding neighborhoods.

Selection:

The Board of Health reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

Selection will be based on the following criteria, in order of rank:

1. Qualifications of the primary principal and support staff.
2. General experience of the firm.
3. Experience with communities the size and complexity of Bloomfield.
4. Familiarity with Bloomfield, Essex County and the State of New Jersey.
5. Rate Structure.

ALL RESPONSES MUST MEET THE ABOVE REQUIREMENTS AND THE REQUIREMENTS CONTAINED IN THE TOWNSHIP'S STANDARDIZED SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES.