

Lake Gaston Weed Control Council
J. Rives Manning, Jr. Treasurer
737 Franklin Street
Roanoke Rapids, NC 27870

REQUEST FOR CHEMICAL BID QUOTE - 2014

The Lake Gaston Weed Control Council (LGWCC) is the entity legally charged with funding weed control efforts on Lake Gaston. Lake Gaston is located in Brunswick Co. and Mecklenburg Co., Virginia and Halifax Co., Northampton Co. and Warren Co., North Carolina.

The LGWCC announces a request for Bid Quotes for Chemicals to treat approximately 1,500 acres of noxious aquatic weeds which currently infest the lake. Treatment will be applied during the **2014** treatment year. The list of Chemicals is listed below. Bids are to be returned to Lake Gaston Weed Control Council, c/o Clint Clary, 411 South Hicks St., Lawrenceville, VA 23868

All Bids are due in the office of the Clint Clary, Attorney, by Noon, **Thursday, April 3, 2014** where the sealed proposals will be opened and reviewed by the contract committee at 1:00 PM. All contracts will be awarded by the Lake Gaston Weed Control Council at the next LGWCC meeting following the Bid opening date.

The LGWCC will accept FREE chemicals from any bidder wishing to donate them. The Donation of FREE chemicals will NOT be taken into consideration of the awarding of a contract.

The LGWCC has not used some of the chemicals which we are asking for bids on but they have been suggested by TAG members as possible alternatives for controlling some of our problems. The LGWCC may or may not need or use some of those listed chemicals, so we are requesting bids on them. Availability and convenience of chemical delivery will be taken into consideration.

The contract for purchasing the chemicals will be awarded on the Lowest Cumulative Total Bid or the "lowest determined" bid. A "Lowest Determined Bid" will be established where the price is the same for two or more lowest bidders. The "Lowest Determined Bid" will be established by the bidders "drawing lots" or "drawing the lowest card" (ie. Bidder 3 drew the lowest number so his bid price was established as the lowest bid). If a Bidder submits his bid on time but is not present for the Bid Opening, someone else, not involved with the bidding, will "draw" a number for the missing bidder.

The LGWCC reserves the right to reject any and all proposals. Questions regarding this RFP should be directed to J. Rives Manning, Jr., LGWCC Treasurer, 737 Franklin St., Roanoke Rapids, NC 27870, (252) 519-0700, hfis@3rddoor.com or to Tom Winebrenner, LGWCC Secretary, 138 Gail Dr., Littleton, NC 27850, (252) 586-6852 tbwine@embarqmail.com.

Lake Gaston Weed Control Council List of Chemicals

- Reward in 120-gallon tote
- Cutrine Ultra in 275-gallon tote
- Nautique in 2 ½ gallon tote
- Nautique in 250 or 300-gallon tote
- Komeen in 2.5 gallon container
- Komeen in 250 or 300 gallon tote
- Aquathol K in Standard 250 gallon containers
- Aquathol Super K in Standard 25.0 lb. containers
- Clearcast in Standard 250 gallon containers
- Galleon in Standard 2.5 gallon containers
- 2,4-D (granular) in Standard 50 lb. containers
- 2,4-D (liquid) in Standard 2.5 gal. containers
- Peroxide in Standard 50 lb. containers
- Renovate in Standard 250 gal. containers
- Renovate OTF in Standard 40 lb. Containers
- Clipper in Standard 5 lb. Containers
- Clearigate in 55 gallon container
- Fluridone in standard packaging
 - o Sonar Q in standard 40 lb. packaging
 - o Sonar PR in standard 30 lb. packaging
 - o Sonar SRP in standard 40 lb. packaging
 - o SonarOne in standard 20 lb. packaging
- Fluridone in standard packaging
 - o AS 1 gallon container
- Cygnet Plus or Cidekick II – 30 gallon drum

Please bid on each item by indicating price per pound or gallon. Please indicate container size and quantity discount.

Additional Supplier Requirements

- All Products are to be of the most current label and of the current years production, and packaged to DOT specifications.
- All Products delivered will be in compliance with all applicable Federal and State laws and rules.
- The product supplier will need to deliver the required products to a designated warehouse. The total product amount must be available no later than June 1, 2012, based on the applicator's requirements.
- Supplier will move product to designated warehouses once a week, if necessary.
- Applicator will notify the Supplier 48 hours in advance for product needed for applications.
- Products ordered but not delivered within the 48-hour period will result in a 10% penalty for that order.
- The successful bidder will be required to pick up for recycling or returning to Vendor any and all empty product containers once a week.

- The Lake Gaston Weed Control Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids, to waive irregularity and/or informalities, and to make award in any manner deemed in the best interest of the public.

Payment and Terms

- Product will be invoiced monthly and due 10 days from the invoice date.
- All invoices are to be sent to the Lake Gaston Weed Control Council, with a copy to the Applicator.

Bid opening will be at 1:00 PM, **Thursday, April 3, 2014**, at the address below:

Bids should be sent or delivered to the address below:

Lake Gaston Weed Control Council
c/o R. Clint Clary, Attorney
411 South Hicks St.
Lawrenceville, VA 23868

For further info, contact:

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