



**REQUEST FOR QUOTES
DULUTH TRANSIT AUTHORITY
PRIVATE FIRE SERVICE MAINS INSPECTIONS**

The Duluth Transit Authority is seeking quotes from qualified firms to perform annual maintenance inspections on two private fire hydrants at the Duluth Transit Authority Operations Center, 2402 West Michigan Street. Inspections shall be conducted in accordance with NFPA 25 requirements and City of Duluth Standards.

Quotes are due at 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, May 17, 2022. Quotes shall be an all-inclusive price to perform inspections and provide a Report of Inspection. Quotes may be emailed in a .pdf attachment to nbrown@duluthtransit.com.

All inspections are to be conducted during business hours and must be completed no later than June 15, 2022. For more information or to arrange a tour of the facilities, please contact Nancy Brown at 218-623-4329.

The DTA reserves the right to accept or refuse all quotes in the interest of the DTA.

SCOPE OF WORK

1. Definitions

Inspection A visual examination of a system or portion thereof to verify that it appears to be in operating condition and is free of physical damage or deterioration.

NFPA 25: Inspections must comply with Section 507.5.3, "Private Fire Service Mains and Water Tanks."

2. Background: The DTA has two private fire hydrants at the rear of the DTA Operations Center, 2402 West Michigan Street, Duluth, MN. The hydrant located on the east side of the rear lot was replaced in July 2021. There has not been any repairs to the hydrant on the west side of the lot in the past several years.

3. Contractors may arrange a tour to gather information on the hydrants prior to submitting a quote by making an appointment with Nancy Brown, 218-623-4329 or nbrown@duluthtransit.com.

3. Inspection shall include, but not be limited to inspection of the hydrants and exposed pipes for cracks or corrosion, inspection and maintenance of main piping strainers, 5-year flow test, and all other requirements to comply with applicable Codes and standards.

4. Inspection must be completed by June 15, 2022. Within 15 days of the inspection, the selected Contractor shall supply a written summary of inspection findings, including recommended repairs, and email the report to the DTA Director of Maintenance, Mark Ness, mness@duluthtransit.com or 218-623-4331.

5. All procedures and recommendations must comply with industry standard and NFPA safety requirements.

6. Inspections must be done Monday through Friday between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Contractor must coordinate access to the hydrants with the DTA Director of Maintenance. High visibility vests are required while working around the DTA Operations Center.

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Date: _____

All-inclusive price to inspect 2 private fire hydrants in accordance with applicable NFPA-25 standards at the DTA Duluth Operations Center, 2402 W. Michigan Street, Duluth, MN and provide a Report of Inspection to the DTA Director or Maintenance no later than June 15, 2022:

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Signed: _____

Company: _____

Phone: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____