

**RESOLUTION
ROCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

Sheriff Troy J. Knudson
INITIATED BY



Sgt. Christopher Krahn
DRAFTED BY

Public Safety and Justice Committee
SUBMITTED BY

February 25, 2020
DATE DRAFTED

AWARDING BID – DIAMONDBACK AIRBOAT PACKAGE (AIRBOAT AND TRAILER) FOR ROCK COUNTY SHERIFF’S OFFICE

- 1 **WHEREAS**, to better serve the citizens of Rock County, the Airboat will be utilized for, but not limited
- 2 to the enforcement of state and local laws, search and rescue, recovery; and,
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- 4 **WHEREAS**, the current Rock County Sheriff’s Office Airboat was purchased in 1987, and is scheduled
- 5 for replacement; and,
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- 7 **WHEREAS**, Rock County Purchasing Department did advertise and solicit bids from qualified vendors
- 8 for the 2020 Airboat package (Airboat and Trailer); and,
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- 10 **WHEREAS**, the bids received were reviewed by the Rock County Sheriff’s Office and the Rock County
- 11 Purchasing Manager with the recommendation that a contract be awarded to the lowest, most responsive
- 12 and responsible bidder, Diamondback Airboats; and,
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- 14 **WHEREAS**, the funding necessary for the 2020 Diamondback Airboat package is currently available in
- 15 the Rock County Sheriff’s Office 2020 budget.
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- 17 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Rock County Board of Supervisors duly assembled
- 18 this 12th day of March, 2020 that the bid for the 2020 Diamondback Airboat Package be
- 19 awarded to Diamondback Airboats of Cocoa, Florida in the amount of \$75,188.

Respectfully submitted,

PUBLIC SAFETY AND JUSTICE COMMITTEE

Mary Beaver
Mary Beaver, Chair

Terry Fell
Terry Fell

Ron Bomkamp
Ron Bomkamp

Brian Knudson
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Phillip Owens
Phillip Owens, Vice Chair

FISCAL NOTE:

Funding was included in the 2020 budget for the purchase of an airboat. The purchase is being funded by sales tax revenue.

Sherry Oja
Sherry Oja
Finance Director

LEGAL NOTE:

The County Board is authorized to take this action pursuant to secs. 59.01 and 59.51, Wis. Stats. In addition, sec. 59.52(29), Wis. Stats. requires the project to be let to the lowest responsible bidder.

ADMINISTRATIVE NOTE:

Recommended.

Josh Smith
Josh Smith
County Administrator

Richard Greenlee
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Corporation Counsel

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Executive Summary

Funds are included in the 2020 budget for the purchase of an Airboat to be used by the Rock County Sheriff's Office. Bids were solicited, and four dealers responded. Diamondback Airboats of Cocoa, Florida was awarded the bid.

To better serve the citizens of Rock County, this Airboat will be used for, but not limited to enforcement of state and local laws, search and rescue, and recovery of person(s). To accomplish this public service, the Sheriff's Office relies on a specially equipped Airboat to be ready in a moments notice.

The current Airboat was purchased in 1987, and is due for replacement. The current airboat will be placed on the Wisconsin Surplus Auction website and will be listed for sale once the new airboat is received.

An Invitation to Bid was issued for the needed Diamondback Airboat package, with four bids received. The Rock County Sheriff's Office and the Purchasing Manager reviewed the bids and are recommending Diamondback Airboats of Cocoa, Florida as the lowest, qualified bidder at \$75,188.



BID SUMMARY FORM

BID NUMBER 2020-21
BID NAME AIRBOAT AND TRAILER
BID DUE DATE FEBRUARY 4, 2020 – 1:30 P.M.
DEPARTMENT SHERIFF'S OFFICE

	DIAMONDBACK AIRBOATS COCOA FL	GTO PERFORMANCE AIRBOATS OCALA FL	PANTHER AIRBOAT CO COCOA FL	PANTHER AIRBOAT CO COCOA FL
AIRBOAT COST	69,758.00	78,274.00	77,335.17	82,771.17
TRAILER COST	5,430.00	6,200.00	5,911.18	5,911.18
TRADE-IN	-2,000.00	0	0	0
TOTAL COST	\$ 73,188.00	\$ 84,474.00	\$ 83,246.35	\$ 88,682.35
AIRBOAT MODEL	DIAMONDBACK	GTO ALASKAN SERIES MODEL 1896	PANTHER PCM LSX 525HP	PANTHER ST-4 650HP
TRAILER MODEL	RAM-LIN	B & S SPORTSMAN	B&S TRAILER	B&S TRAILER
AIRBOAT WARRANTY	3 YEARS	1-3 YEARS BASED ON PART	1-3 YEARS BASED ON PART	1-3 YEARS BASED ON PART
TRAILER WARRANTY	1 YEAR	2 YEARS	1 YEAR	1 YEAR
PICK-UP	90 DAYS	NOT LISTED	150 DAYS	150 DAYS
ADDENDUM ACKNOWLEDGEMENT	YES	NO	NO	NO

Invitation to Bid was advertised in the Janesville Gazette and on the Internet. Two additional vendors were solicited that did not respond. One vendor submitted a bid but it was not on the Bid Form as required in the specifications.

PREPARED BY: JODI MILLIS, PURCHASING MANAGER

DEPARTMENT HEAD RECOMMENDATION: purchase through Diamondback

SIGNATURE: [Signature]

DATE: 02/12/2020

GOVERNING COMMITTEE APPROVAL: _____

CHAIR

VOTE

DATE