

**RM OF BLAINE LAKE
No. 434**

Saskatchewan

Rural Municipality of Blaine Lake #434

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Mowing Tender 2021

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For the Mowing of Roadside and Ditches of Designated Roads of *approximately* 350 miles of Primary Grid, Grid, Main Farm Access and Local Farm Access roads located throughout the Rural Municipality of Blaine Lake No. 434.

Each Tender shall include the following information:

- Contractor to furnish all labour, competent supervision, materials and equipment to perform work as specified; a full list of equipment as well as the insurance coverage for the equipment/machinery is to be provided in the Tender.
- Contractor must submit a letter of good standing from WCB with Tender.
- Contractor must carry a minimum of \$2 million per incident in liability insurance, include proof of current liability insurance in the Tender submission
- Contractor to include an expected start and finish date with the Tender.
- The Contractor at his/her expense shall have all of the contractors employees and management covered under the provisions of the Saskatchewan's Worker's Compensation Act and property damage insurance which shall protect the Municipality against all claims for all damages or injury including death to any person of persons and for the damage to any property of the municipality, public or private property resulting from the performance of the services pursuant to this agreement.

Prior to submitting a Tender, please note the following:

- All mowers must blow and clean in each division, before transferring to another division, in a designated area, preferably at 4-corners where it is visibly marked, so that the RM of Blaine Lake #434 Weed Inspector is able to monitor the area at all times.
- That payment will be made by the Municipality on the basis of mileage completed as determined by the Municipality with a ten (10%) per cent holdback until all mowing has been completed to the satisfaction of the Municipality.
- The Rural Municipality of Blaine Lake No. 434 is not responsible for any damages incurred to the Contractors equipment.
- If a second cut is not required, the Rural Municipality of Blaine Lake No. 434 will notify the contractor thirty days in advance.
- Immediately report any damages to signs or culverts to the Administrator, within 48 hours.
- Respect any memorial sites.
- The contractor shall have their management and employees covered for Employment Insurance, Canada Pension Plan, Worker's Compensation and any/all other wages and/or deductions. The contractor agrees to provide a clearance certificate as proof of Worker's Compensation Coverage.
- "All Roads" shall mean both sides of actual roadway **including any unauthorized cropping.**
- "Full Width" shall mean all roads from the shoulder of the road to the fence line or back slope shoulder.
- Cuts shall be no higher than five (5) inches, where permissible, in height.
- Small trees and shrubs must be mowed off.
- Contract is for the 2021 season, but council may consider a 2-year agreement. Please provide 2 options, if a 2-year agreement is being offered to the RM #434.
- The Contractor shall not be entitled to assign this agreement without the written consent of the RM.
- No work shall be done until an agreement has been executed by both parties thereto.
- The administrator will provide marked division maps to the contractor, and the contractor will submit invoices by division when work is completed. (Council to provide maps and policy direction to Administration.)
- The lowest or any tender may not necessarily be accepted, and Council reserves the right to reject any and all tenders.