

DATE: January 30, 2025

REQUEST FOR A PRICE PROPOSAL FOR TREE, BRUSH, & LEAF GRINDING

The City of Corning is requesting price proposals to sort, load, grind and pile the wood, brush, and leaves that are on our yard waste site. The site is located at the southeast corner of Rte. 414 and Winfield Street. The grinder should be fitted with a 2” by 2” screen. Your firm shall submit the pricing in the following ways:

1. Lump Sum Prices for:
 - a. Grinding of woody material pile (brush and log piles kept separate)
 - b. Grinding of leaf material pile
 - c. Grinding of both woody and leaf material creating separate piles of ground chips and ground leaves

2. Alternate Lump Sum Prices to include credit for contractor to take ownership and remove material from the site:
 - d. Grinding of woody material pile
 - e. Grinding of leaf material pile
 - f. Grinding of both piles creating separate piles of ground chips and ground leaves

Note: Alternate bid requires a small pile of each material type to remain on site. Each pile approximately 30 cubic yards.

Hand delivered proposals will be accepted at the Department of Public Works office at 381 East Market St. Ext. or may be mailed to 500 Civic Center Plaza, Corning, New York 14830 ATTN: Joseph Tongue. Proposals must be received by 11:00AM on Monday March 3rd, 2025, Proposals will be opened at 11:00AM on Monday in the Department of Public Works Office. Blank bid proposal forms may be picked up at the Public Works office. A site visit can be arranged by contacting Joseph Tongue, Superintendent of Public Works at 607-962-0340 ext. 1301. A Certificate of Insurance naming the City of Corning as additional insured must be on file before work is started along with proof of workers compensation insurance. The City of Corning reserves the right to reject any and all proposals.

Note: The finished products may be stockpiled in several neat piles to facilitate the grinding operations. The finished piles shall be located next to existing piles or as directed by the City. During the grinding of the woody material, the larger solid logs or blocks are to be separated to create a source for a separate pile of higher quality, double ground, wood chips. The hours of operations shall be between 7:00AM and 6:00PM; Monday through Friday, excluding holidays.

The project schedule is as follows:

1. Award project by March 7th 2025
2. Completion in 12 weeks