

June 27, 2024 - Jay Fire District Commissioners Special Meeting

Commissioners present: Matt Miller, Kurt Williams, Kevin Lincoln, Scott McDonald

Commissioners absent: Morris Coolidge

Firemen Present: Jamie Coolidge

Meeting was opened by Matt at 6:35

Email was sent to attorney Dean Schneller for additional questions. The questions and responses are attached to minutes.

Review continued with the specs.

Matt made motion to adjourn meeting, Kurt seconded, all in favor 9:45 pm

**Deb**

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**From:** Dean Schneller <dean@schnellerlaw.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 27, 2024 12:06 PM  
**To:** Deb  
**Subject:** RE: Jay Fire District - truck bids

Deb,

Underlined responses below.

Thanks,  
Dean



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**From:** Deb <Deb@adkforester.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 26, 2024 9:13 PM  
**To:** Dean Schneller <dean@schnellerlaw.com>  
**Subject:** RE: Jay Fire District - truck bids

Dean,

After reviewing your replies, the commissioners voted tonight to reject all bids. They are working on updating the specs – adding clarity where needed and generalizing where needed. We are clearly marking **NO EXCEPTIONS** in bold in items that must be that exact item. In some others we are writing “Equivalent or greater” – is there a better expression?? That proposed language sounds good but I can also take a look at the revised Bid at the time before it goes out to see how it reads in context.

Do we notify the three bidders now that we have rejected all bids, or does it need to wait til 7/17. Can we rebid the truck prior to 7/17? The commissioners will likely have all the revised specs done tomorrow night and we were looking to set up our time frame for bids to be in and open. You can reject all now but in that rejection messaging, I’d suggest advising the two respondents to be on the look out for an imminent new RFP bid so they know to re-bid if they want.

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