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MEMORANDUM FROM THE DIVISION OF PURCHASING

DATE: September 11, 2003

EDOM IN

TO: KRISTIE KROSLACK

COUNTY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

FROM: JANET SHEEHAN, CPPB

PURCHASING DIRECTOR

RE: BLUE SHEET # 20031087

PROJECT: Copy Papers and Fine Papers

<u>TYPE</u>: Project # Q-030713

AWARDED TO: Mac Papers, Inc.

If there are any questions or concerns with this package, please contact Chevone Peterson at 689.7385.

LEE COUNTY, FLORIDA TABULATION SHEET

FORMAL QUOTATION #Q-030713

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PROJECT NO.: Q-030713

OPEN DATE: SEPTEMBER 9, 2003

AND TIME: 2:30 P.M.

PRE-BID DATE: AUGUST 27, 2003

AND TIME: 10:00 a.m.

LOCATION: 3434 Hancock Bridge Pkwy. North Fort Myers, FL 33903

REQUEST FOR QUOTATIONS

THE PURCHASE OF COPY PAPERS AND FINE PAPERS

REQUESTER: LEE COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

DIVISION OF PURCHASING

MAILING ADDRESS

P.O. BOX 398

FORT MYERS, FL 33902-0398

PHYSICAL ADDRESS

3434 HANCOCK BRIDGE PKWY, #307 NORTH FORT MYERS, FL 33903

BUYER:

CHEVONE PETERSON

PHONE NO.: (239) 689-7385

GENERAL CONDITIONS

Sealed Quotations will be received by the DIVISION OF PURCHASING, until 2:30pm on the date specified on the cover sheet of this "Request for Quotations", and opened immediately thereafter by the Purchasing Director or designee.

Any question regarding this solicitation should be directed to the Buyer listed on the cover page of this solicitation, or by calling the Division of Purchasing at (239) 689-7385.

1. SUBMISSION OF QUOTE:

- a. Quotations shall be sealed in an envelope, and the outside of the envelope should be marked with the following information:
 - 1. Marked with the words "Sealed Ouote"
 - 2. Name of the firm submitting the quotation
 - 3. Title of the quotation
 - 4. Quotation number
- b. The Quotation shall be submitted in triplicate as follows:
 - 1. The original consisting of the Lee County quotes forms completed and signed.
 - 2. A copy of the original quote forms for the Purchasing Director.
 - 3. A second copy of the original quote forms for use by the requesting department.
- c. The following should be submitted along with the quotation in a separate envelope. This envelope should be marked as described above, but instead of marking the envelope as "Sealed Quote", please indicate the contents; i.e., literature, drawings, submittals, etc. This information should be submitted in duplicate.
 - 1. Any information (either required or in addition to that asked for by the specifications) necessary to analyze your quotation; i.e., required submittals, literature, technical data, financial statements.
 - 2. Warranties and guarantees against defective materials and workmanship.
- d. **ALTERNATE QUOTE:** If the vendor elects to submit more than one quote, then the quotes should be submitted in separate envelopes and marked as indicated above. The second, or alternate quote should be marked as "Alternate".
- e. **QUOTES RECEIVED LATE:** It is the quoter's responsibility to ensure that his quote is received by the Division of Purchasing prior to the opening date and time specified. Any quote received after the opening date and time will be promptly returned to the quoter unopened. Lee County will not be responsible for quotes

received late because of delays by a third party delivery service; i.e., U.S. Mail, UPS, Federal Express, etc.

- f. QUOTE CALCULATION ERRORS: In the event there is a discrepancy between the total quoted amount or the extended amounts and the unit prices quoted, the unit prices will prevail and the corrected sum will be considered the quoted price.
- g. **PAST PERFORMANCE:** All vendors will be evaluated on their past performance and prior dealings with Lee County (i.e., failure to meet specifications, poor workmanship, late delivery, etc.).
- h. **WITHDRAWAL OF QUOTE:** No quote may be withdrawn for a period of 90 days after the scheduled time for receiving quotes. A quote may be withdrawn prior to the quote-opening date and time. Such a request to withdraw should be made in writing to the Purchasing Director, who will approve or disapprove of the request.
- i. **COUNTY RESERVES THE RIGHT:** The County reserves the right to waive minor informalities in any quote; to reject any or all quotes with or without cause; and/or to accept the quote that in its judgment will be in the best interest of the County of Lee.
- j. **EXECUTION OF QUOTE:** All quotes shall contain the signature of an authorized representative of the quoter in the space provided on the quote proposal form. All quotes shall be typed or printed in ink. The bidder may not use erasable ink. All corrections made to the quote shall be initialed.

2. ACCEPTANCE

The materials and/or services delivered under the quote **shall** remain the property of the seller until a physical inspection and actual usage of these materials and/or services is accepted by the County and is to be in compliance with the terms herein, fully in accord with the specifications and of the highest quality. In the event the materials and/or services supplied to the County are found to be defective or do not conform to specifications, the County reserves the right to cancel the order upon written notice to the seller and return such product to the seller at the seller's expense.

3. <u>SUBSTITUTIONS</u>

Whenever in these specifications a brand name or make is mentioned, it is the intention of the County only to establish a grade or quality of materials and not to rule out other brands or makes of equality. However, if a product other than that specified is quote, it is the vendor's responsibility to name such product with his quote and to prove to the County that said product is equal to the product specified. Lee County shall be the sole judge as to whether a product being offered by the quoter is actually equivalent to the one being specified by the detailed specifications. (Note: This paragraph does not apply when it is determined that the technical requirements of this solicitation require only a specific product as stated in the detailed specifications.)

4. RULES, REGULATIONS, LAWS, ORDINANCES & LICENSES

The awarded vendor shall observe and obey all laws, ordinances, rules, and regulations, of the federal, state, and local government, which may be applicable to the supply of this product or service.

- a. Occupational License Vendor shall submit within 10 calendar days after request.
- b. Specialty License(s) Vendor shall possess at the time of the opening of the quote all necessary permits and/or license required for the sale of this product and/or service and upon the request of the County provide copies of licenses and/or permits within 10 calendar days after request.

5. RECYCLED PRODUCTS

It is the Lee County Board of County Commissioners' stated policy objective to "Ensure all departments are aware of the availability of recycled products..." (Administrative Code #AC-10-4). In an effort to provide the utmost opportunity for the use of recycled products by Lee County, vendors should list on their letterhead, all necessary information regarding any applicable recycled products they have available. Recycled products should meet all other specifications listed and have a minimum of 50%-recycled content. Whenever fiscally feasible, available recycled products will be purchased.

6. WARRANTY/GUARANTY (unless otherwise specified)

All materials and/or services furnished under this quote shall be warranted by the vendor to be free from defects and fit for the intended use.

7. **PRE-BID CONFERENCE**

A pre-bid conference will be held at the location, date, and time specified on the cover of this solicitation. Pre-bid conferences are generally <u>non-mandatory</u>, but it is highly recommended that everyone planning to submit a quote attend.

In the event a pre-bid conference is classified as <u>mandatory</u>, it will be so specified on the cover of this solicitation and it will be the responsibility of the quoter to ensure that they are represented at the pre-bid. Only those quoters who attend the pre-bid conference will be allowed to quote on this project.

8. <u>BIDDERS LIST MAINTENANCE</u>

A bidder should respond to "Request for Quotations" in order to be kept on the Bidder's List. Failure to respond to three different "request for quotations" may result in the vendor being removed from the Bidder's List. A bidder may do one of the following, in order to respond properly to the request:

- a. Submission of a quotation prior to the quote receipt deadline.
- b. Submission of a "no bid" notice prior to the quote receipt deadline.

9. LEE COUNTY PAYMENT PROCEDURES

All vendors are requested to mail one original invoice and one invoice copy to:

Lee County Finance Department Post Office Box 2238 Fort Myers, FL 33902-2238

All invoices will be paid as directed by the Lee County payment procedure unless otherwise differently stated in the detailed specification portion of this quote.

Lee county will not be liable for request of payment deriving from aid, assistance, or help by any individual, vendor, quoter, or bidder for the preparation of these specifications.

Lee County is generally a tax-exempt entity subject to the provisions of the 1987 legislation regarding sales tax on services. Lee County will pay those taxes for which it is obligated, or it will provide a Certificate of Exemption furnished by the Department of Revenue. All contractors or quoters should include in their quote all sales or use taxes, which they will pay when making purchases of material or subcontractor's services.

10. LEE COUNTY BID PROTEST PROCEDURE

Any contractor/vendor/firm that has submitted a formal bid/quote/proposal to Lee County, and who is adversely affected by an intended decision with respect to the award of the formal bid/quote/proposal, shall file with the County's Purchasing Director or Public Works Director a written "Notice of Intent to File a Protest" not later than seventy-two (72) hours (excluding Saturdays, Sundays and Legal Holidays) after receipt of a "Notice of Intended Decision" from the County with respect to the proposed award of the formal bid/quote/proposal.

The "Notice of Intent to File a Protest" is one of two documents necessary to perfect Protest. The second document is the "Formal Written Protest", both documents are described below.

The "Notice of Intent to File a Protest" document shall state all grounds claimed for the Protest, and clearly indicate it as the "Notice of Intent to File a Protest". Failure to clearly indicate the Intent to file the Protest shall constitute a waiver of all rights to seek any further remedies provided for under this Protest Procedure.

The "Notice of Intent to File a Protest" shall be received ("stamped in") by the Purchasing Director or Public Works Director not later than Four o'clock (4:00) PM on the third working day following the day of receipt of the County's Notice of Intended Decision.

The affected party shall then file its Formal Written Protest within ten (10) calendar days after the time for the filing of the Notice of Intent to File a Protest has expired. Except as provided for in the paragraph below, upon filing of the Formal Written Protest, the contractor/vendor/firm shall post a bond, payable to the Lee County Board of County Commissioners in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the total bid/quote/proposal,

or Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00), whichever is less. Said bond shall be designated and held for payment of any costs that may be levied against the protesting contractor/vendor/firm by the Board of County Commissioners, as the result of a frivolous Protest.

A clean, Irrevocable Letter of Credit or other form of approved security, payable to the County, may be accepted. Failure to submit a bond, letter of credit, or other approved security simultaneously with the Formal Written Protest shall invalidate the protest, at which time the County may continue its procurement process as if the original "Notice of Intent to File a Protest" had never been filed.

Any contractor/vendor/firm submitting the County's standard bond form (CSD: 514), along with the bid/quote/proposal, shall not be required to submit an additional bond with the filing of the Formal Written Protest.

The Formal Written Protest shall contain the following:

- ?? County bid/quote/proposal identification number and title.
- ?? Name and address of the affected party, and the title or position of the person submitting the Protest.
- ?? A statement of disputed issues of material fact. If there are no disputed material facts, the Formal Protest must so indicate.
- ?? A concise statement of the facts alleged, and of the rules, regulations, statues, or constitutional provisions, which entitle the affected party to relief.
- ?? All information, documents, other materials, calculations, and any statutory or case law authority in support of the grounds for the Protest.
- ?? A statement indicating the relief sought by the affected (protesting) party.
- ?? Any other relevant information that the affected party deems to be material to Protest.

Upon receipt of a timely filed "Notice of Intent to File a Protest", the Purchasing Director or Public Works Director (as appropriate) may abate the award of the formal bid/quote/proposal as appropriate, until the Protest is heard pursuant to the informal hearing process as further outlined below, except and unless the County Manager shall find and set forth in writing, particular facts and circumstances that would require an immediate award of the formal bid/quote/proposal for the purpose of avoiding a danger to the public health, safety, or welfare. Upon such written finding by the County Manager, the County Manager may authorize an expedited Protest hearing procedure. The expedited Protest hearing shall be held within ninety-six (96) hours of the action giving rise to the contractor/vendor/firm's Protest, or as soon as may be practicable for all parties. The "Notice of Intent to File a Protest" shall serve as the grounds for the affected party's presentation and the requirements for the submittal of a formal, written Protest under these procedures, to include the requirement for a bond, shall not apply.

The Dispute Committee shall conduct an informal hearing with the protesting contractor/vendor/firm to attempt to resolve the Protest, within seven working days (excluding Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays) from receipt of the Formal Written Protest. The Chairman of the Dispute Committee shall ensure that all affected parties may make presentations and rebuttals, subject to reasonable time limitations, as appropriate. The purpose of the informal hearing by the Dispute Committee, the protestor and other affected parties is to provide and opportunity: (1) to review the basis of the Protest; (2) to evaluate the facts and merits of the Protest: and (3) to make a determination whether to accept or reject the Protest.

Once a determination is made by the Dispute Committee with respect to the merits of the Protest, the Dispute Committee shall forward to the Board of County Commissioners its recommendations, which shall include relevant background information related to the procurement.

Upon receiving the recommendation from the Dispute Committee, the Board of County Commissioners shall conduct a hearing on the matter at a regularly scheduled meeting. Following presentations by the affected parties, the Board shall render its decision on the merits of the Protest.

If the Board's decision upholds the recommendation by the Dispute Committee regarding the award, and further finds that the Protest was either frivolous and/or lacked merit, the Board, at its discretion, may assess costs, charges, or damages associated with any delay of the award, or any costs incurred with regard to the protest. These costs, charges or damages may be deducted from the security (bond or letter of credit) provided by the contractor/vendor/firm. Any costs, charges or damages assessed by the Board in excess of the security shall be paid by the protesting contractor/vendor/firm within thirty (30) calendar days of the Board's final determination concerning the award.

All formal bid/quote/proposal solicitations shall set forth the following statement:

"FAILURE TO FOLLOW THE BID PROTEST PROCEDURE REQUIREMENTS WITHIN THE TIMEFRAMES AS PRESCRIBED HEREIN AND ESTABLISHED BY LEE COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, FLORIDA, SHALL CONSTITUTE A WAIVER OF YOUR PROTEST AND ANY RESULTING CLAIMS."

11. PUBLIC ENTITY CRIME

Any person or affiliate as defined by statute who has been placed on the convicted vendor list following a conviction for a public entity crime may not submit a bid or a contract to provide any goods or services to the County; may not submit a bid on a contract with the County for the construction or repair of a public building or a public work; may not submit bids or leases of real property to the County; may not be awarded or perform works as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or consultant under a contract with the County, and may not transact business with the County in excess of \$25,000.00 for a period of 36 months from the date of being placed on the convicted yendor list.

12. **QUALIFICATION OF QUOTERS** (unless otherwise noted)

Quotes will be considered only from firms normally engaged in the sale and distribution or provision of the services as specified herein. Quoters shall have adequate organization, facilities, equipment, and personnel to ensure prompt and efficient service to Lee County. The County reserves the right before recommending any award to inspect the facilities and organization; or to take any other action necessary to determine ability to perform is satisfactory, and reserves the right to reject quotes where evidence submitted or investigation and evaluation indicates an inability of the quoter to perform.

13. MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEETS

In accordance with Chapter 443 of the Florida Statues, it is the vendor's responsibility to provide Lee County with Materials Safety Data Sheets on quoted materials, as may apply to this procurement.

14. **MISCELLANEOUS**

If a conflict exists between the General Conditions and the detailed specifications, then the detailed specifications shall prevail.

15. WAIVER OF CLAIMS

Once this contract expires, or final payment has been requested and made, the awarded contractor shall have no more than 30 days to present or file any claims against the County concerning this contract. After that period, the County will consider the Contractor to have waived any right to claims against the County concerning this agreement.

16. **AUTHORITY TO PIGGYBACK**

It is hereby made a precondition of any quote and a part of these specifications that the submission of any quote in response to this request constitutes a quote made under the same conditions, for the same price, and for the same effective period as this quote, to any other governmental entity.

17. COUNTY RESERVES THE RIGHT

a) State Contract

If applicable, the County reserves the right to purchase any of the items in this quote from State Contract Vendors if the prices are deemed lower on State Contract than the prices we receive in this quotation.

b) Any Single Large Project

The County, in its sole discretion, reserves the right to separately quote any project that is outside the scope of this quote, whether through size, complexity, or dollar value.

c) Disadvantaged Business Enterprises

The County, in its sole discretion, reserves the right to purchase any of the items in this quote from Disadvantage Business Enterprise vendor if the prices are determined to be in the best interest of the County, to assist the County in the fulfillment of any of the County's grant commitments to federal or state agencies.

The County further reserves the right to purchase any of the items in this quote from DBE's to fulfill the County's state policy toward DBE's as outlined in County Ordinance 88-45 and 90-04, as amended.

d) Anti-Discrimination

The vendor for itself, its successors in interest, and assignees, as part of the consideration there of covenant and agree that:

In the furnishing of services to the County hereunder, no person on the grounds of race, religion, color, age, sex, national origin, handicap or marital status shall be excluded from participation in, denied the benefits of, or otherwise be subjected to discrimination.

The vendor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, religion, color, age, sex, national origin, handicap or marital status. The vendor will make affirmative efforts to insure that applicants are employed and that employees are treated during employment without regard to their race, religion, color, age, sex, national origin, handicap or marital status. Such action shall include, but not be limited to, acts of employment, upgrading, demotion or transfer; recruitment advertising; layoff or termination, rates of pay or other forms of compensation and selection for training, including apprenticeship.

Vendor agrees to post in a conspicuous place, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices setting forth the provisions of this anti-discrimination clause.

Vendor will provide all information and reports required by relevant regulations and/or applicable directives. In addition, the vendor shall permit access to its books, records, accounts, other sources of information, and its facilities as may be determined by the County to be pertinent to ascertain compliance. The vendor shall maintain and make available relevant data showing the extent to which members of minority groups are beneficiaries under these contracts.

Where any information required of the vendor is in the exclusive possession of another who fails ore refuses to furnish this information, the vendor shall so certify to the County its effort made toward obtaining said information. The vendor shall remain obligated under this paragraph until the expiration of three (3) years after the termination of this contract.

In the event of breach of any of the above anti-discrimination covenants, the County shall have the right to impose sanctions as it may determine to be appropriate, including withholding payment to the vendor or canceling, terminating, or suspending this contract, in whole or in part.

Additionally, the vendor may be declared ineligible for further County contracts by rule, regulation or order of the Board of County Commissioners of Lee County, or as otherwise provided by law.

The vendor will send to each union, or representative of workers with which the vendor has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract of understanding, a notice informing the labor union of worker's representative of the vendor's commitments under this assurance, and shall post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to the employees and the applicants for employment.

The vendor will include the provisions of this section in every subcontract under this contract to insure its provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor. The vendor will take such actions with respect to any subcontractor, as the contracting agency may direct, as a means of enforcing such provisions, including sanctions for non-compliance.

18. AUDITABLE RECORDS

The awarded vendor shall maintain auditable records concerning the procurement adequate to account for all receipts and expenditures, and to document compliance with the specifications. These records shall be kept in accordance with generally accepted accounting methods, and Lee County reserves the right to determine the record-keeping method required in the event of non-conformity. These records shall be maintained for two years after completion of the project and shall be readily available to County personnel with reasonable notice, and to other persons in accordance with the Florida Public Disclosure Statues.

19. DRUG FREE WORKPLACE

Whenever two or more quotes/proposals, which are equal with respect to price, quality and service, are received for the procurement of commodities or contractual services, a quote/proposal received from a business that certifies that it has implemented a drug-free workplace program shall be given preference in the award process. In order to have a drug-free workplace program, a business shall comply with the requirements of Florida Statutes 287.087.

20. REQUIRED SUBMITTALS

Any submittals requested should be returned with the quote response. This information may be accepted after opening, but no later than 10 calendar days after request.

21. TERMINATION

Any agreement as a result of this quote may be terminated by either party giving thirty (30) calendar days advance written notice. The County reserves the right to accept or not accept a termination notice submitted by the vendor, and no such termination notice

submitted by the vendor shall become effective unless and until the vendor is notified in writing by the County of its acceptance.

The Purchasing Director may immediately terminate any agreement as a result of this quote for emergency purposes, as defined by the Lee County Purchasing and Payment Procedure Manual.

Any vendor who has voluntarily withdrawn from a formal quote/proposal without the County's mutual consent during the contract period shall be barred from further County procurement for a period of 180 days. The vendor may apply to the Board of Lee County Commissioners for waiver of this debarment. Such application for waiver of debarment must be coordinated with and processed by Purchasing.

22. **CONFIDENTIALITY**

Vendors should be aware that all submittals (including financial statements) provided with a quote/proposal are subject to public disclosure and will **not** be afforded confidentiality.

23. ANTI-LOBBYING CLAUSE

All firms are hereby placed on formal notice that neither the County Commissioners nor candidates for County Commission, nor any employees from the Lee County Government, Lee County staff members, nor any members of the Qualification/Evaluation Review Committee are to be lobbied, either individually or collectively, concerning this project. Firms and their agents who intend to submit qualifications, or have submitted qualifications, for this project are hereby placed on *formal notice* that they are *not* to contact County personnel for such purposes as holding meetings of introduction, meals, or meetings relating to the selection process outside of those specifically scheduled by the County for negotiations. Any such lobbying activities may cause immediate disqualification for this project.

24. **INSURANCE (AS APPLICABLE)**

Insurance shall be provided, per the attached insurance guide. Upon request, an insurance certificate complying with the attached guide may be required prior to award.

LEE COUNTY, FLORIDA PROPOSAL QUOTE FORM FOR THE PURCHASE OF COPY PAPERS AND FINE PAPERS COUNTY-WIDE

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VENDOR NAME:	
TO: The Board of County Lee County Fort Myers, Florida	Commissioners
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The undersigned acknowledge	es receipt of Addenda numbers:
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GRAND TOTAL (SI	ECTIONS I & II): \$
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	UNIT PRICE/ 69 CARTONS: \$
	UNIT PRICE/ 10 + CARTONS: \$
	MILL BRAND NAME:
	MANUFACTURER:

2. 8-1/2 X 11" WHITE 3 HOLE DRILLED	UNIT PRICE/ 1-5 CARTONS: \$
	UNIT PRICE/ 6-9 CARTONS: \$
	UNIT PRICE/ 10 + CARTONS: \$
	MILL BRAND NAME:
	MANUFACTURER:
3. 8-1/2 X 11" COLORS	UNIT PRICE/ 1-5 CARTONS: \$
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TOTAL FOR SECTION II: \$	
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NON-STOCK: WITHIN	WORKING DAYS
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Yes No	- . .
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Each ream and carton shall be end-labeled to show size, color, number of sheets and substance.

ATTACHMENT A LOCAL VENDOR PREFERENCE QUESTIONNAIRE (LEE COUNTY ORDINANCE NO. 00-10)

Instructions: Please complete either Part A or B whichever is applicable to your firm

PART A: VENDOR'S PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS IS LOCATED WITHIN LEE COUNTY (Only complete Part A if your principal place of business is located within the boundaries of Lee County)

		physical location of your principal place of business that is located oundaries of Lee County, Florida?
Wha	What is the size of this facility (i.e. sales area size, warehouse, storage y	
L	EE COU	'S PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS IS NOT LOCATED WITH JNTY OR DOES NOT HAVE A PHYSICAL LOCATION WITHI
L	EE COU	JNTY (Please complete this section.) How many employees are available to service this contract?
L	1.	How many employees are available to service this contract? Describe the types and amount of equipment you have available to se this contract.

4.	Have you provided goods or services to Lee County on a regular basis for the preceding, consecutive five years?	ling,
	Yes No	
	If yes, please provide your contractual history with Lee County for the past five, consecutive years. Attach additional pages if necessary.	
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INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS - MINOR CONTRACT

- 1. These are minimum requirements, which are subject to modification in response to operations involving a higher level of loss exposure.
 - a. <u>Workers' Compensation</u> Statutory benefits as defined by FS 440 encompassing all operations contemplated by this contract or agreement to apply to all owners, officers, and employees regardless of the number of employees. Individual employees may be exempted per State Law. Employers' liability will have minimum limits of:

\$100,000 per accident \$500,000 disease limit \$100,000 disease limit per employee

b. <u>Commercial General Liability</u> - Coverage shall apply to premises and/or operations, products and/or completed operations, independent contractors, contractual liability, and broad form property damage exposures with minimum limits of:

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\$100,000 bodily injury per person (BI) \$300,000 bodily injury per occurrence (BI) \$100,000 property damage (PD) or \$300,000 combined single limit (CSL) of BI and PD

2. <u>Verification of Coverage:</u>

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 - 2. Lee County will be given thirty (30) days notice prior to cancellation or modification of any stipulated insurance. Such notification will be in writing by registered mail, return receipt requested and addressed to the Risk Manager (P.O. BOX 398 Ft. Myers, FL 33902).

3. Special Requirements:

- a. An appropriate "Indemnification" clause shall be made a provision of the contract.
- b. It is the responsibility of the general contractor to insure that all subcontractors comply with all insurance requirements.

LEE COUNTY PURCHASING - BIDDERS CHECK LIST

_ Please read carefully and reture ach of the following items as t				
 1. The Quote has been signed	l.			
 2. The Quote prices offered have been reviewed.				
 3. The price extensions and totals have been checked.				
 4. The original (must be many	ually signed) and 2 cop	pies of the quote have been submitted.		
 5. Three (3) identical sets of a have been submitted under se	· ·	rochures and/or data (if required)		
 6. All modifications have bee	n acknowledged in the	space provided.		
 7. All addendums issued, if a	ny, have been acknowl	edged in the space provided.		
 8. Erasures or other changes a person signing the quote.	nade to the quote docu	ment have been initialed by the		
 9. Bid Bond and/or certified Check, (if required) have been submitted with the quote in amounts indicated.				
 10. Any Delivery information required is included.				
 11. The mailing envelope has been addressed to:				
MAILING ADDRE Lee County Purchasi P.O. Box 398 Ft. Myers, FL 33902	ng or	PHYSICAL ADDRESS Lee County Purchasing 3434 Hancock Bridge Pkwy #307 N. Ft. Myers, FL 33903		
 12. The mailing envelope MU Quote Number Opening Date and/or		xed with:		
 13. The quote will be mailed opening date and time. (Other		be received no later than the specified considered or accepted.)		
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Company N	ame and Address:			

239.689.7385

August 27, 2003

FORMAL QUOTE NO.: Q-030713 LEE COUNTY ADDENDUM NUMBER ONE FOR THE PURCHASE OF COPY PAPERS AND FINE PAPERS

QUOTERS MUST ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF THIS ADDENDUM ON THE REVISED PROPOSAL QUOTE FORM, PAGE 11A.

The following changes have been made to this specification:

<u>SEE ATTACHED PAGES 11A – 29A WHICH INCLUDE CHANGES MADE TO</u> THIS QUOTE.

DELETE PAGES 11 - 25 AND REPLACE WITH PAGES 11A - 29A.

If you have any questions concerning this addendum, please contact me at the number listed above.

DIVISION OF PURCHASING

Chevone Peterson Buyer

LEE COUNTY, FLORIDA PROPOSAL QUOTE FORM FOR THE PURCHASE OF COPY PAPERS AND FINE PAPERS COUNTY-WIDE

DATE SUBMITTED:
VENDOR NAME:
TO: The Board of County Commissioners Lee County Fort Myers, Florida
Having carefully examined the "General Conditions", and the "Detailed Specifications", all of which are contained herein, the Undersigned proposes to furnish the following which meet these specifications:
The undersigned acknowledges receipt of Addenda numbers:
TOTAL FOR SECTION I: \$
TOTAL FOR SECTION II: \$
TOTAL FOR SECTION III: \$
TOTAL FOR SECTION IV: \$
TOTAL FOR SECTION V: \$
GRAND TOTAL (SECTIONS I - V): \$

SECTION I

20 LB. CUT SIZE, REGULAR GRADE, UNWATERMARKED, GRADE 4, RECYCLED BOND:

1. 8-1/2 X 11" WHITE 3 HOLE I	DRILLED
	UNIT PRICE/ 10 + CARTONS: \$
	MILL BRAND NAME:
	MANUFACTURER:
2. 8-1/2 X 11" COLORS	UNIT PRICE/ 10 + CARTONS: \$
	MILL BRAND NAME:
	MANUFACTURER:
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3. 8-1/2 X 14" WHITE	UNIT PRICE/ 10 + CARTONS: \$
	MILL BRAND NAME:
	MANUFACTURER:
4. 8-1/2 X 14", COLORS	UNIT PRICE/ 10 + CARTONS: \$
	MILL BRAND NAME:
	MANUFACTURER:
5. 11 X 17", COLORS	UNIT PRICE/ 10 + CARTONS: \$
	MILL BRAND NAME:
	MANUFACTURER:
6. 11 X 17" WHITE	UNIT PRICE/ 10 + CARTONS: \$
	MILL BRAND NAME:
	MANUFACTURER:

60 LB. CUT SIZE, REGULAR GRADE, RECYCLED OFFSET:

7. 8-1/2 X 11", COLORS, OFFSET, OPAQUE	
011021, 0111202	UNIT PRICE/ 10 + CARTONS: \$
	MILL BRAND NAME:
	MANUFACTURER:
8. 11 X 17", WHITE	
OFFSET, OPAQUE	UNIT PRICE/ 10 + CARTONS: \$
	MILL BRAND NAME:
	MANUFACTURER:
9. 11 X 17", COLORS,	
OFFSET, OPAQUE	UNIT PRICE/ 10 + CARTONS: \$
	MILL BRAND NAME:
	MANUFACTURER:
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10. 8-1/2 X 11" BRISTOL, ALL COLO	DRS
	UNIT PRICE/ 10 + CARTONS: \$
	BRAND NAME:
	MANUFACTURER:

TOTAL FOR SECTION I: \$_____

SECTION II

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	MILL BRAND NAME:
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#60, 8-1/2 X 14", COLORS,	PRICE/1000 SHEETS: \$
OFFSET, OPAQUE, RECYCLED	MILL BRAND NAME:
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TOTAL FOR SECTION III: \$_____

SECTION IV

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SECTION V

<u> 20 LB. CUT SIZE, REGULAR GRAD</u>	<u>E, UNWATERMARKED, GRADE 4, RECYCLED BOND:</u>
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If at any time the quality of the paper provided by the vendor is such that it causes excessive "JAMMING" of County copier/printing equipment, then the vendor will be required to provide a substitute paper of equal or better quality than that specified, at the same price.

REQUIRED SAMPLES AND SUBMITTALS

Lee County reserves the right to request samples of the products quoted by a vendor. Upon request, the vendor shall supply the samples within 10 calendar days to Lee County Purchasing. The requested samples shall be new and current production items at the time of this quote. All samples shall be clearly marked with vendor's name.

Quoters shall provide with their quote proof their product meets the recycled content requirement, as outlined in these quote specifications.

COLORED PAPER SPECIFICATIONS

For the colored papers offered, the vendor should have at least ten different colors available for each product. Lee County will ask the awarded vendor to provide a list of the colors available for each product.

MAJOR BREAKDOWNS/NATURAL DISASTERS

Lee County requires that the awarded vendor provide the name of a contact person and phone number which will afford Lee County access twenty-four hours per day, 365 days per year, of this product or service in the event of major breakdowns or natural disasters.

Lee County reserves the right to purchase the product or service listed in this quotation elsewhere in an emergency situation.

LOCAL BIDDER'S PREFERENCE

Note: In order for your firm to be considered for the local vendor preference, you must complete and return the attached "Local Vendor Preference Questionnaire" with your quotation.

The Lee County Local Bidder's Preference Ordinance No. 00-10 is being included as part of the award process for this project. As such, Lee County at its sole discretion, may choose to award a preference to any qualified "Local Contractor/Vendor" in an amount not to exceed 3 % of the total amount quoted by that firm.

"Local Contractor / Vendor" shall mean: a) any person, firm, partnership, company or corporation whose principal place of business in the sole opinion of the County, is located within the boundaries of Lee County, Florida; or b) any person, firm, partnership, company or corporation that has provided goods or services to Lee County on a regular basis for the preceding consecutive five (5) years, and that has the personnel, equipment and materials located within the boundaries of Lee County sufficient to constitute a present ability to perform the service or provide the goods.

The County reserves the exclusive right to compare, contrast and otherwise evaluate the qualifications, character, responsibility and fitness of all persons, firms, partnerships, companies or corporations submitting formal bids or formal quotes in any procurement for goods or services when making an award in the best interests of the County.

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

NOTE: Not all of the following technical specifications may apply to all of the papers listed on the proposal quote form; however, it is the quoter's responsibility to ensure that the papers quoted meet the appropriate requirements as listed below.

Papers shall be Grade #4 (as applicable).

Any drilling requested shall be standard three-hole spacing; all holes shall be clean, sharp, and free of torn or ragged edges. Drilling through ream-wrappers is <u>UNACCEPTABLE</u>.

Paper variation shall not exceed \pm 1/32" in either direction. On successive sheets within a ream, size variation shall not exceed \pm 1/64". Paper sizes that do not meet this size requirement will be unacceptable to Lee County.

Paper shall be uniform in texture, finish, caliper, free of lint, dust, wrinkles, folds, scuff marks, and shall lie flat. Ream edges shall be straight, not fluted or wavy.

Paper shall be cut squarely on all sides and free of knife markings and ragged or torn edges.

The paper shall be mill-cut, unless otherwise specified, with grain running lengthwise the sheet.

Paper variation shall not exceed +/- 1/32" in either direction. On successive sheets within a ream, size variation shall not exceed +/- 1/64". Paper sizes that do not meet this size requirement will be unacceptable to Lee County.

Paper shall be securely ream-wrapped in moisture resistant wrapping material at the mill. Carton containers are to be industry standard for contents, and shall not exceed standard ten (10) reams per carton, 8-1/2" x 11" and 8-1/2" x 14", five (5) reams per carton, 11" x 17" sizes. Cartons shall be free of loose sealing and strapping and free of bulges and distortion.

Each ream and carton shall be end-labeled to show size, color, number of sheets and substance.

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ATTACHMENT A LOCAL VENDOR PREFERENCE QUESTIONNAIRE (LEE COUNTY ORDINANCE NO. 00-10)

Instructions: Please complete either Part A or B whichever is applicable to your firm

PART A: VENDOR'S PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS IS LOCATED WITHIN LEE COUNTY (Only complete Part Λ if your principal place of business is located within the boundaries of Lee County)

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V	What is the s	size of this faci	ility (i.e. sale	es area size, v	varehouse	e, storage y	vard, etc.)
_ 'B:	LEE CO	R'S PRINCIPA UNTY OR DO UNTY (Please How many	OES NOT H	IAVE A PHY his section.)	YSICAL I	LOCATI	ON WITHI
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•	outive five years?	to Lee County on a regular basis to	or the preceding
	Yes	No	
	please provide your contractutive years. Attach additional	tual history with Lee County for pages if necessary.	r the past fiv
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INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS - MINOR CONTRACT

- 1. These are minimum requirements, which are subject to modification in response to operations involving a higher level of loss exposure.
 - a. <u>Workers' Compensation</u> Statutory benefits as defined by FS 440 encompassing all operations contemplated by this contract or agreement to apply to all owners, officers, and employees regardless of the number of employees. Individual employees may be exempted per State Law. Employers' liability will have minimum limits of:

\$100,000 per accident \$500,000 disease limit \$100,000 disease limit per employee

b. <u>Commercial General Liability</u> - Coverage shall apply to premises and/or operations, products and/or completed operations, independent contractors, contractual liability, and broad form property damage exposures with minimum limits of:

\$100,000 bodily injury per person (BI) \$300,000 bodily injury per occurrence (BI) \$100,000 property damage (PD) or \$300,000 combined single limit (CSL) of BI and PD

c. <u>Business Auto Liability</u> - The following Automobile Liability will be required and coverage shall apply to all owned, hired and non-owned vehicles use with minimum limits of:

\$100,000 bodily injury per person (BI) \$300,000 bodily injury per occurrence (BI) \$100,000 property damage (PD) or \$300,000 combined single limit (CSL) of BI and PD

2. <u>Verification of Coverage:</u>

- a. Ten (10) days prior to the commencement of any work under this contract a certificate of insurance will be provided to the Risk Manager for review and approval. The certificate shall provide for the following:
 - 1. "Lee County, a political subdivision and Charter County of the State of Florida, its agents, employees, and public officials@ will be named as an "Additional Insured" on the General Liability policy.
 - 2. Lee County will be given thirty (30) days notice prior to cancellation or modification of any stipulated insurance. Such notification will be in writing by registered mail, return receipt requested and addressed to the Risk Manager (P.O. BOX 398 Ft. Myers, FL 33902).

3. Special Requirements:

- a. An appropriate "Indemnification" clause shall be made a provision of the contract.
- b. It is the responsibility of the general contractor to insure that all subcontractors comply with all insurance requirements.

LEE COUNTY PURCHASING - BIDDERS CHECK LIST

		fully and return with your bid p ing items as the necessary action	
	1. The Quote has	s been signed.	
	2. The Quote pri	ces offered have been reviewe	d.
	3. The price exte	ensions and totals have been ch	ecked.
	4. The original (must be manually signed) and	2 copies of the quote have been submitted.
		ntical sets of descriptive literatu tted under separate cover.	are, brochures and/or data (if required)
	6. All modificati	ons have been acknowledged i	n the space provided.
	7. All addendum	s issued, if any, have been ack	nowledged in the space provided.
	8. Erasures or of person signing th	-	document have been initialed by the
	9. Bid Bond and amounts indicated	- 1	d) have been submitted with the quote in
-	10. Any Delivery	information required is includ	ed.
	11. The mailing e	envelope has been addressed to	:
	Lee Cou P.O. Bo	NG ADDRESS inty Purchasing x 398 or rs, FL 33902-0398	PHYSICAL ADDRESS Lee County Purchasing 3434 Hancock Bridge Pkwy #307 N. Ft. Myers, FL 33903
	Quote N	envelope <u>MUST</u> be sealed and fumber ; Date and/or Receiving Date	marked with:
		ll be mailed or delivered in tim time. (Otherwise quote canno	e to be received no later than the specified t be considered or accepted.)
	and chec	a "NO BID" please write quote one of the following: Do not offer this product Unable to meet specifications of the company Name and Address:	Insufficient time to respond. (why) nce requirement.
		Company Traine and Address.	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·

FORMAL QUOTE NO.: Q-030713

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I LEE COUNTY, FLORIDA PROPOSAL QUOTE FORM FOR THE PURCHASE OF COPY PAPERS AND FINE PAPERS COUNTY-WIDE

DATE SUBMITTED: September 8, 2003
VENDOR NAME: Nac Papers
TO: The Board of County Commissioners Lee County Fort Myers, Florida
Having carefully examined the "General Conditions", and the "Detailed Specifications", all of which are contained herein, the Undersigned proposes to furnish the following which meet these specifications:
The undersigned acknowledges receipt of Addenda numbers:
TOTAL FOR SECTION 1: \$ 289.5
TOTAL FOR SECTION II: \$ 306, 22
TOTAL FOR SECTION III: \$ 65,28
TOTAL FOR SECTION IV: \$ 21,94
TOTAL FOR SECTION V: \$ 23,21
GRAND TOTAL (SECTIONS 1 - V): \$

Douglan R. Cator 9/08/03

SECTION I

20 LB. CUT SIZE, REGULAR GRADE, UNWATERMARKED, GRADE 4, RECYCLED BOND:

1.8-1/2 X 11" WHITE 3 HOLE DRILLED

UNIT PRICE/10+CARTONS: \$ 23.63/c+n

MILL BRAND NAME: Recycled Husky Xevocopy

MANUFACTURER: Weyer haesuer

2. 8-1/2 X 11" COLORS

UNIT PRICE/10 + CARTONS: \$ 26.44/ctu DRC

MILLBRAND NAME: Exact Multi Pupurpose,

MANUFACTURER: Wausau

3. 8-1/2 X 14" WHITE

UNIT PRICE/10 + CARTONS: 5 27.90 ktu DRC

MILL BRAND NAME: Recycled Husky Xerocopy

MANUFACTURER: Weyerhacuser

4. 8-1/2 X 14", COLORS

UNIT PRICE/10+CARTONS: \$ 33.64/ctn

MILL BRAND NAME: Exact Multipurpose

MANUFACTURER: Wausau

5. 11 X 17", COLORS

UNIT PRICE/10+CARTONS: \$ 26,44/eta

MILL BRAND NAME: Exact Multipur pose

MANUFACTURER: Wausau

6. 11 X 17" WHITE

UNIT PRICE/10 + CARTONS: \$ 21.94/cfh

MILL BRAND NAME: Recycled Husky Xerocopy

MANUFACTURER: Weyer haeuser

60 LB. CUT SIZE, REGULAR GRADE, RECYCLED OFFSET:

7. 8-1/2 X 11", COLORS, OFFSET, OPAQUE	unit price/10+cartons: <u>\$ 35.18/6</u> to mill brand name: <u>Exact Offset</u> Opaque manufacturer: <u>Wausau</u>
8. 11 X 17", WHITE OFFSET, OPAQUE	UNIT PRICE/10+CARTONS: \$ 33,22/cfu
	MILL BRAND NAME: Exact Opaque *
	MANUFACTURER: Wausau ** For Lynx. by Weyerhaeuser or Accent by I.F.
9. 11 X 17", COLORS, OFFSET, OPAQUE	UNIT PRICE/10 + CARTONS: \$ 35,18/ch
	MILLBRAND NAME: Exact Offset Opaque
	MANUFACTURER: Wausau
67 LB. REGULAR GRADE, RECYCLED:	
10. 8-1/2 X 11" BRISTOL, ALL COLO	ORS
	UNIT PRICE/10+CARTONS: \$ 25.94/cfa
•	BRAND NAME: Exact Vellum Bristol

MANUFACTURER: Wausau

SECTION II

20 LB. CUT SIZE, REGULAR GRADE, UNWATERMARKED, GRADE 4, RECYCLED BOND:

1. 8-1/2 X 11" WHITE 3 HOLE DRILLED

UNIT PRICE/1-9 CARTONS: \$ 24,99/ctu

MILL BRAND NAME: Recycled Husky Xerocopy

MANUFACTURER: Wegerhaeuser

2. 8-1/2 X 11" COLORS

UNIT PRICE/1-9 CARTONS: \$ 27,97/cfw

MILL BRAND NAME: Exact Multipurpose

MANUFACTURER: Wausau

3. 8-1/2 X 14" WHITE

UNIT PRICE/1-9 CARTONS: \$ 29.52/cfn

MILL BRAND NAME: Recycled Husky Xovocopy

MANUFACTURER: Weyerhaeuser

4. 8-1/2 X 14", COLORS

UNIT PRICE/1-9 CARTONS: \$ 35,57/etn

MILL BRAND NAME: Exact Multipurpose

MANUFACTURER: Wousau

5. 11 X 17", COLORS

UNIT PRICE/1-9 CARTONS: \$ 27,97/ctn

MILL BRAND NAME: Exact Multipurpose

MANUFACTURER: Wausau

6. 11 X 17" WHITE

UNIT PRICE/1-9 CARTONS: \$ 23,21 /ctu

MILL BRAND NAME: Recycled Husky Xerocopy

MANUFACTURER: Weyerhaeuser

60 LB. CUT SIZE, REGULAR GRADE, RECYCLED OFFSET:

7. 8-1/2 X 11", COLORS,	
OFFSET, OPAQUE	UNIT PRICE/1-9 CARTONS: \$ 37,22/cfu
	MILL BRAND NAME: Exact Offset Grayue MANUFACTURER: Wausau
	MANUFACTURER: Wausau
8. 11 X 17", WHITE	
OFFSET, OPAQUE	UNIT PRICE/1-9 CARTONS: \$ 35.11/ctv
	MILL BRAND NAME: Exact Opague *
	MANUFACTURER: Waysau X or Lynx by Weyerhaenser or Accent by I.F
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9. 11 X 17", COLORS, OFFSET, OPAQUE	UNIT PRICE/1-9 CARTONS: \$ 37.22/ctn
	MILL BRAND NAME: Exact Offset Ogaque
	MANUFACTURER: Wausau
67 LB. REGULAR GRADE, RECYCLED:	
10. 8-1/2 X 11" BRISTOL, ALL COLO	ORS

UNIT PRICE/1-9 CARTONS: \$ 27.49

BRAND NAME: Exact Vellum Bristol

MANUFACTURER: Wallsau

TOTAL FOR SECTION II: \$ 306.22

SECTION III

OFFSET AND HARDWORKING, RECYCLED:

#60, 8-1/2 X 14", COLORS,	PRICE/1000 SHEETS: _\$ _ 9.48 / M
OFFSET, ORAQUE, RECYCLED	MILL BRAND NAME: Exact Offset Opague
	MANUFACTURER: Wau Sau
#60 TEXT; 8 1/2 x 11"; BRIGHTS; (BRITEHUE, ASTROBRITE, CROSS POINT, OR APPROVED EQUAL); ALL COLORS; RECYCLED	PRICE/1000 SHEETS: \$ 11,20/M BRAND NAME: Astrobrights MANUFACTURER: Waysay
#60 TEXT; 11 X 17"; BRIGHTS; (BRITEHUE, ASTROBRITE, CROSS POINT, OR APPROVED EQUAL); ALL COLORS; RECYCLED	PRICE/1000 SHEETS: \$ 22.40 BRAND NAME: Astrobrights MANUFACTURER: Wausau
#65 COVER; 8-1/2 X 11"; BRIGHTS; (BRITEHUE, ASTROBRITE, CROSS POINT, OR APPROVED EQUAL); ALL COLORS; RECYCLED	PRICE/1000 SHEETS: \$ 22.20 BRAND NAME: Astrobrights MANUFACTURER: Wausau

TOTAL FOR SECTION III: \$ 65,28

SECTION IV

20 LB. CUT SIZE, REGULAR GRADE, UNWATERMARKED, GRADE 4,	
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4,	TOTAL TOTAL BOND:

8-1/2 X 11," WHITE

UNIT PRICE/10+CARTONS: \$ 21.94/cfn

MILL BRAND NAME: Recycled Hurky Xerocopy
MANUFACTURER: Weyerhapuser

TOTAL FOR SECTION IV: \$_21.94

SECTION V

<u> 20 LB. CUT SIZE, REGULAR GRAI</u>	DE, UNWATERMARKED, GRADE 4, RECYCLED BOND:
8-1/2 X 11" WHITE	UNIT PRICE/1-9 CARTONS: \$ 23.21/cth
<i>F</i>	MILL BRAND NAME: Recycled Husky Xerocopy
	MANUFACTURER: Weyerhaeuser

TOTAL FOR SECTION V: \$ 23.21

is your firm interested in being considered for the Local Vendor Preference?
Yes No
If yes, then read the paragraph entitled "Local Vendor Preference" included in these specifications. Also complete the Local Vendor Preference Questionnaire and return with your quotation.
Quoters should carefully read all the terms and conditions of the specifications. Any representation of deviation or modification to the quote may be grounds to reject the quote.
Are there any modifications to the quote or specifications:
Yes No
Failure to clearly identify any modifications in the space below or on a separate page may be grounds for the quoter being declared non-responsive or to have the award of the quote rescinded by the County.
MODIFICATIONS:

Quoter shall submit his/her quote on the County's Proposal Quote Form, including the firm name and authorized signature. Any blank spaces on the Proposal Quote Form, qualifying notes or exceptions, counter offers, lack of required submittals, or signatures, on County's Form may result in the Quoter/Quote being declared non-responsive by the County.

ANTI-COLLUSION STATEMENT

THE BELOW SIGNED QUOTER HAS NOT DIVULGED TO, DISCUSSED OR COMPARED HIS QUOTE WITH OTHER QUOTERS AND HAS NOT COLLUDED WITH ANY OTHER QUOTER OR PARTIES TO A QUOTE WHATSOEVER. NOTE: NO PREMIUMS, REBATES OR GRATUITIES TO ANY EMPLOYEE OR AGENT ARE PERMITTED EITHER WITH, PRIOR TO, OR AFTER ANY DELIVERY OF MATERIALS. ANY SUCH VIOLATION WILL RESULT IN THE CANCELLATION AND/OR RETURN OF MATERIAL (AS APPLICABLE) AND THE REMOVAL FROM THE MASTER BIDDERS LIST.

FIRM NAME Mac Papers, Inc.
BY (Printed): Douglas R. Caton
BY (Signature): Newstan R. Catton
TITLE: Sales Representative
FEDERAL ID # OR S.S.# 59-1059698
ADDRESS: 634/ Topaz Ct.
Flyers, Pla. 33912
PHONE NO.: 239-939-9948
FAX NO: 239-939-2282
cellular phone/pager no.: Doug Caton 239-986-6962 Pager
11 11 11 910-6022 cell
LEE COUNTY OCCUPATIONAL LICENSE NUMBER: 960745
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E-MAIL ADDRESS: doug. caton @ macpapers, com
REVISED: 7/28/00

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ATTACHMENT A LOCAL VENDOR PREFERENCE QUESTIONNAIRE (LEE COUNTY ORDINANCE NO. 00-10)

Instructions: Please complete either Part A or B whichever is applicable to your firm

PART	A: VENDOR'S PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS IS LOCATED WITHIN LEE COUNTY (Only complete Part A if your principal place of business is located within the boundaries of Lee County)
1.	What is the physical location of your principal place of business that is located within the boundaries of Lee County, Florida?
	6341 Topaz Ct. Ft. Myevs, Fla. 33912
2.	What is the size of this facility (i.e. sales area size, warehouse, storage yard, etc.) 8,000 square for et
	2 store employees + 1 part time 2 outside sales reps. living in Lee Com
PART	B: VENDOR'S PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS IS NOT LOCATED WITHIN LEE COUNTY OR DOES NOT HAVE A PHYSICAL LOCATION WITHIN LEE COUNTY (Please complete this section.)
	1. How many employees are available to service this contract?
	2. Describe the types and amount of equipment you have available to service this contract.
	3. Describe the types and amount of material stock that you have available to service this contract.

Have you provided goods or services to Lee County on a regular basis for the precedit consecutive five years?	ng,
Yes No	
If yes, please provide your contractual history with Lee County for the past fir consecutive years. Attach additional pages if necessary.	
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Currently under PO# 46450	

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