

Edenville Township
Invitation to Bid
Tree Evaluation and Remediation
Edenville Township Old Cemetery
455 W. Curtis Rd
Edenville, MI 48620
Bids Due; February 6, 2025, 5:00pm

SPECIFICATONS

Edenville Township is accepting bid proposals for the evaluation and recommendation for remediation of blighted tree growth in the Old Edenville Township Cemetery. All work **MUST** be done with no disturbance to grave sites and markers. Any disturbed soil must be repaired to its original state. Bids must include a date of completion. The bids are two-fold.

The first evaluation should include a recommendation for trimming and/or removal of any wooded growth that is blighted to the extent that it has become a danger to the public rights-of-way throughout the cemetery and the public streets on the perimeter, to include, but not inclusive to all of the following:

From the southwest going counter clockwise around cemetery road.

Pruning:

Major deadwood (3" in diameter or larger) and elevation of large Red Oak.

Removal of 2 small Boxelder trees for driveway clearance(southside).

Removal of 1 small dead Maple, one medium dead Maple and one dead limb all near the road lamp powerline and over the road.

Taking down of a very dead Locust tree in the south ravine leaning toward road lamp powerline and road (not hauling away but taking down safely).

Removal of removing of 1 dead Pine limb hanging over road near south steel fence and road.

Pruning:

Elevation of large Sugar Maple for road clearance on the hill.

1 large dead White Pine limb over the road near concrete erosion wall near road area.

Removal of one very dead Spruce near north entrance road, flush cutting the stump (no stump grinding).

Pruning major:

Deadwood (3" dia. or larger) and elevation for road clearance of 2 large Silver Maples over the northwest road.

In addition, there should be included a second recommendation for the trimming and/or removal of the wooded growth that is blighted to the extent that it has become a danger to persons traversing the interior of the cemetery property, to include but not inclusive to all of the following:

In the south east fenced area, removal of 3 very dead broken Ash trees, one large very dead Birch tree, and removing of one very large Hemlock top hanging above one of the dead Ash trees within the head stone area. Flush cutting all stumps with no grinding, haul away all brush and wood.

Each of these recommendations should include **separate pricing**.

VENDOR COMPLIANCE

The Township of Edenville requires bidders to submit documentation indicating they are licensed in the State of Michigan to perform the work recommended.

INDEMNITY

The Contractor shall, at Contractor's own expense, protect, defend, indemnify and hold harmless Edenville Township, and its officers, employees, agents, or representatives, from and against all claims, damages, liabilities, losses and expenses, including reasonable attorney's fees, resulting from the acts, omissions, or negligence of the Contractor, or any of Contractor's officers, employees, agents, representatives, or subcontractors, in any way connected or otherwise related to their performance or nonperformance of this Contract.

EVIDENCE OF BIDDER'S QUALIFICATIONS

Bidders may be required to submit satisfactory evidence that they have been regularly engaged in the business and are reasonably familiar therewith, and that they are fully prepared with the necessary capital, materials, and machinery to complete the work.

TRANSFERS PROHIBITED

The assignment or transfer of any contract, or interests in the contract are prohibited unless approved by Edenville Township.

INSURANCE

Certificates of insurance are required to be turned in to the Township Clerk. It is the responsibility of the insured contractor to confirm proofs of insurance are on file with the Township.

FORMS OF BIDS

1. Bids submitted in response to this notice shall be submitted in ink or typewritten.
2. Bids must contain the bidder's name, address, and telephone number. Email is desired.
3. Bids must be signed in ink and dated.
4. Any addendum must be signed, dated and returned with bid.
5. All erasures or corrections must be initialed in ink.
6. All bids must be submitted to the Township Office by the date and time specified on the solicitation.

Edenville Township reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or parts thereof. Any rejection of bids will be made only if there is a sound and documented reason.

BIDS ARE ACCEPTED AT THE EDENVILLE TOWNSHIP OFFICE, IN PERSON OR BY MAIL. 467 MOORE ST., P.O. BOX 24, EDENVILLE, MI 48620.

QUESTIONS CONCERNING THE BID SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO EDENVILLE TOWNSHIP CLERK TAMIE LUTY AT 989-689-3655, OR BY EMAIL AT CLERK@EDENVILLETWP.ORG.