

Bi-County SWM

Wheel Loader Questions

1. Question Hydraulic Tank; Min. 80 Gallon ; Would you except a 21 Gallon tank? **Must Meet or Exceed Specifications**

Preparing to Bid a Hitachi ZW160-7 from State contract SWC225. Unit In stock for your Review.

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2. I would like to know what is the most important feature or spec per say. The bucket cubic yardage which is the goal of a wheel loader to move a desired amount of material per pass or is it the 6 cylinder engine, powershift transmission and operating weight? **Quality and service of machine**
3. If we were to submit pricing on a wheel loader with an operating weight less than 28,000 lbs. Does this automatically disqualify our loader from consideration of being awarded the bid? **Must meet or exceed specifications**
4. If we were to submit a wheel loader proposal with a 4 cylinder engine instead of a 6 cylinder engine. Does this spec disqualify our loader from consideration of being awarded the bid? **Must meet or exceed specifications**
5. Our wheel loader is hydrostatic drive transmission with a powerful "rimpull or tractive effort" pushing power for dozing the material in the transfer station. Does this spec disqualify our loader from consideration of being awarded the bid since we cannot offer a powershift transmission? **Must meet or exceed specifications**
6. In Summery will a wheel loader with a 3Cy bucket, 4 cylinder engine, hydrostatic transmission and less operating weight even be considered knowing it could save the county money at the same time achieving desire hourly production? **Must meet or exceed specifications**