## REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL GOLDEN BELT AND HILLCREST MEMORIAL PARKS FENCE PAINTING PROJECT

Barton County is soliciting proposals to paint or powder coat the fences at the two county owned memorial parks located north of Great Bend. At Hillcrest, the fences to be painted are located on the south and west sides. At Golden Belt the fences to be painted are located on the north and west sides of the park.

Work to be completed includes removing or cleaning rust from fence surfaces,

If painting, priming all steel fence surfaces, and painting the fences with black epoxy paint. The primer must be as described on the attached PPG High performance coatings Pittlane ultra 95-812 series. The paint must be as described on the attached PPG High performance coatings multi-prime EFD 94-109 series.

If powder coating, the vendor must remove or clear rust from the fence surfaces, to prime the fences and to powder coat the fences black. Primer described above.

The County believes the length of the fences to be as follows:

Golden Belt Cemetery, totaling 1,171 feet

North Fence Center Section 424 Ft. North Fence West Section 087Ft. West Fence 660Ft.

Hillcrest Cemetery, totaling 1,376 feet

South Section East Side 200Ft. South Section West Side 200Ft. West Section 976Ft.

However, the bidder is responsible to measure the fences and to bid based on the vendor's measurements.

Work to be done for each project includes furnishing all labor, materials, construction equipment and incidentals necessary to construct the project. The contractor, by submitting a proposal, warrants and agrees that all work will be done in a workmanlike manner consistent with industry standards.

Vendors who decide to submit proposals shall provide the following:

On a separate sheet of paper, the cost of the primer and the price of the paint / power coating.

The bidder shall then state the cost of labor and other incidentals. The bidder shall then state a total price.

Proof of liability insurance in an amount not less than \$1,000,000.00 (one million dollars).

Proof that the vendor has worker's compensation coverage as required by Kansas law or proof satisfactory to the County that the vendor is not required to maintain Worker's Compensation insurance.

A statement, signed by the bidder, that the project will be completed by November 1, 2016.

It is critical to the county that the project be completed before Veterans Day 2016. The County will access liquidated damages in the sum of 10% of the bid price if the project is not completed on or before that date, to the satisfaction of the county, unless the County has granted an extension, in writing, to the successful bidder.

Any vendor's proposal not including these requirements will not be considered.

The successful vendor will be required to sign a form provided by the County's insurance carrier that the vendor is an independent contractor and not an employee of Barton County.

Barton County reserves the right to accept or reject all proposals and to accept the proposal most in keeping with the needs of the county.

At the request of the successful bidder, Barton County will advance up to 40% of the project bid for purchase of supplies. However, the successful bidder is responsible to purchase all necessary supplies. The remainder of the bid price will be paid upon completion of the project. The project will be considered completed when the County certifies in writing the project is successfully completed.

Vendors shall submit a sealed envelope to the Barton County Clerk at her office at 1400 Main, Room 202, Great Bend Kansas either in person or by mail no later than 2 p.m., August 17, 2016. The envelope shall clearly state "Memorial Parks Fence Painting Project" on the face of the envelope. Proposals inconsistent with these requirements will not be considered.

Questions may be directed to Dale Phillips, the Barton County Road and Bridge Director/Noxious Weed Director, at 620-793-1936.