

CALL FOR BIDS
County Legal/Display Advertising

Lincoln County is soliciting competitive bids from interest parties for the **county legal/display advertising** for the 1-year period of July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2021.

This contract shall include all legal/display advertising required by the county. The minimum qualifications for a newspaper bidding on this contract are:

- a. the newspaper must be published in the County;
- b. must be a general bona fide and paid circulation with second-class mailing privilege; and
- c. the newspaper must be of general circulation; and
- d. the newspaper has been published continuously at least once a week in the county for the 12 months preceding the awarding of the contract; and
- e. prior to July 1 of each year, has submitted to the clerk and recorder a sworn statement that includes:
 - i circulation for the prior 12 months;
 - ii a statement of net distribution;
 - iii itemization of the circulation that is paid and that is free; and
 - iv the method of distribution

The newspaper that is awarded the contract shall also be required to verify to Lincoln County that:

- a. the legal advertisement was published on the dates ordered by the county and in the style set by the board of county printing; and
- b. the price was not in excess of the maximum price set by the board of county printing.

Bidders must furnish a rate for both legal advertising and a rate for display advertising to be considered.

Any advertising that may be required in connection with the holding of county fairs and expositions is exempt from this bid award.

The Board of Commissioners reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Sealed bids must be received at the Clerk and Records Office, Lincoln County Courthouse, 512 California Avenue, Libby, MT 59923 no later than 11:00 a.m. local time on Wednesday, June 10, 2020. The envelope containing the sealed bid will be labeled "COUNTY LEGAL/DISPLAY ADVERTISING".

Bids will be opened and read aloud at the public meeting of the County Commissioners on that Wednesday, June 10, 2020 at 11:00 a.m. local time in the County Commissioners room, 512 California Avenue, Libby, MT.

Bids must be submitted on a bid form available from the Human Resources Office, 512 California Avenue, Libby, MT. For additional information, please contact Dallas Bowe at (406)283-2312, or email at dbowe@libby.org.

Legal Ad: The Western News

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