

CALL FOR SEALED BIDS & PROPOSALS

Aggregate for Bituminous Surface Treatment

Sealed bids will be received by the Department of Public Works, ATTN: Dan Bales, 1600 – 13th Avenue S, Kelso, Washington, 98626, prior to **1:30 o'clock p.m.**, the 2nd day of March 2026, at which time all bids received will be publicly opened and read for the purchase of approximately **12,970 tons of aggregate for bituminous surface treatment.**

OUTSIDE OF ENVELOPE MUST HAVE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

- 1) Mailing Address: Department of Public Works
ATTN: Dan Bales
1600 – 13th Avenue S
Kelso, WA 98626
- 2) Bid Description: Aggregate for Bituminous Surface Treatment
- 3) Date of Bid Opening: March 2, 2026

ALL BIDS MUST BE SUBMITTED ON THE ATTACHED PROPOSAL FORMS.

Specifications and proposal forms will be furnished, upon request, by the Department of Public Works, **1600-13th Avenue South, Kelso, WA 98626**, telephone (360) 577-3030. The bid proposal, bid specifications, and bid results may also be viewed on the Cowlitz County Department of Public Works internet website at www.co.cowlitz.wa.us/235/Public-Works.

Deviations or alternatives from the provisions of these specifications will be considered to permit manufacturers to follow their standard manufacturing processes. Such deviations or alternatives will be approved; however, only at the sole discretion of the County and only if, in their opinion, they do not adversely affect the strength, efficiency, effectiveness or life of the material. All proposed deviations or alternatives, with full details, must be listed on the attached proposal which is part of the bid, unless otherwise noted. The listing of such deviations or alternatives will indicate that the bid may be accepted only with such deviation. There shall be no deviations from the specifications, except those which are listed as deviations on said bidder's proposal and which are expressly approved as part of the Board's acceptance of the bid.

Payment for new materials will be made according to State Statute, in the month following date of delivery, provided a detailed invoice has been furnished by the supplier.

RCW 39.34 allows cooperative purchasing between public agencies in the State of Washington. Other public entities (cities, school districts, and so forth), which have filed an Interlocal

Cooperative Joint Purchasing Agreement with the County, may elect to purchase aggregate from the vendor based on the terms and conditions of this agreement, subject to vendor's consent.

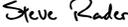
The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids, to waive any informalities in the bids, and to accept other than the low bid if it appears to be in the best interests of the County.

DATED this 10th day of February, 2026.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF COWLITZ COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Signed by:

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Richard R. Dahl, Chairman

Signed by:

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Steve Rader, Commissioner

Signed by:

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Steven L. Ferrell, Commissioner

ATTEST:

Signed by:

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Kelly Grayson, Clerk of the Board



PROPOSAL

Aggregate for Bituminous Surface Treatment

The undersigned bidder agrees to provide the materials listed below conforming to the specifications below at the prices stated.

Company Name: _____

Bid Submitted By: _____ Title: _____
(Name Printed)

Signature: _____ Date of Bid: _____

Address of Bidder: _____ Tax I.D. No. _____

Telephone: _____ UBI No. _____

Email: _____ Fax: _____

Pit Locations: _____

Addenda. The bidder acknowledges receipt of the following addenda: _____. (Insert number of any addenda received.)

SPECIFICATIONS

The "Aggregate for Bituminous Surface Treatment" shall meet the standards set forth in the State of Washington Standard Specifications **2025** English Edition, Section 9-03.4.

The unit price bid shall reflect the total cost of the product specified with delivery FOB to the stockpile site indicated. Washington State sales tax shall be added in accordance to the Washington State Administrative Code (WAC) in effect at time of bid. If WAC is modified during the term of this contract, the successful bidder shall modify the sales tax rate charged in accordance with the WAC in effect at time of delivery. No additional charges, surcharges, or other fees may be added.

This bid will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder for the sum of the four items.

ONLY END-DUMP PUP TRAILERS AND TRUCKS WILL BE PERMITTED.

The contractor shall stockpile the aggregate with their own loader and operator at the designated sites in the following order:

1. Longview Area
2. Kelso Area
3. Castle Rock Area
4. Kalama Area

The County will take and test random samples of aggregate periodically. Aggregate will be weighed in tons, by individual truck load, on a state certified scale at the bidder's expense. A separate scale slip, **signed by the County's designee**, for each load will be furnished to the County. Unsigned scale slips or scale slips for which the County does not have the duplicate copy will not qualify for payment.

Time is of the essence with respect to the scheduled delivery of aggregate under this contract. All material must be delivered to the stockpile sites by no later than May 31, 2026. To assure timely delivery, fifty percent (50%) of the material based on bid estimate quantities must be delivered by no later than May 15, 2026.

The County reserves the right to cancel the bid award under this contract immediately without prior notice in the event of failure to meet any of the requirements of this contract, including, but not limited to, timely delivery according to the schedule in the preceding paragraph.

All tonnages are approximate and some reductions or additional tonnage may be requested at bid unit price.

**Aggregate for Bituminous Surface Treatment
Stockpile Locations**

ITEM NO.	STOCKPILE SITE	DESCRIPTION	APPROX QUANTITY	UNIT PRICE	SALES TAX	TOTAL PRICE IN DESIGNATED STOCKPILE (Quantity x Unit Price + Sales Tax)
LONGVIEW AREA						
1	2690 Pacific Ave N & Pleasant Hill Rd Kelso, WA 98626	3/8" - #4	3035	\$	(7.7%) \$	\$
Total for Item 1						\$

ITEM NO.	STOCKPILE SITE	DESCRIPTION	APPROX QUANTITY	UNIT PRICE	SALES TAX	TOTAL PRICE IN DESIGNATED STOCKPILE (Quantity x Unit Price + Sales Tax)
KELSO AREA						
2	Kelso Shop Yard 2215 Talley Way Kelso, WA 98626	3/8" - #4	2908	\$	(8.1%) \$	\$
Total for Item 2						\$

ITEM NO.	STOCKPILE SITE	DESCRIPTION	APPROX QUANTITY	UNIT PRICE	SALES TAX	TOTAL PRICE IN DESIGNATED STOCKPILE (Quantity x Unit Price + Sales Tax)
CASTLE ROCK AREA						
3	5305 Spirit Lake Hwy Toutle, WA 98649 (Across from Drew's Grocery)	3/8" - #4	3845	\$	(7.7%) \$	\$
	Total for Item 3					\$

ITEM NO.	STOCKPILE SITE	DESCRIPTION	APPROX QUANTITY	UNIT PRICE	SALES TAX	TOTAL PRICE IN DESIGNATED STOCKPILE (Unit Price Times Quantity)
KALAMA AREA						
	Norris Pit Norris Pit Road Kalama, WA 98622	3/8" - #4	3182	\$	(7.7%) \$	
	Total for Item 4					\$
	TOTAL COST FOR BID ITEMS 1, 2, 3 & 4 (Incl Tax)					\$