# CITY OF JOPLIN, MISSOURI

## BID PACKAGE

## #2024-03

for

## Ballistic Vest & Helmets

JOPLIN FIRE DEPARTMENT
**303 E 3rd St**
JOPLIN, MO 64801

# NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The City of Joplin, Missouri will accept sealed bid proposals until **10:00 A.M., Thursday, December 28, 2023** at the Joplin Fire Department located at 303 E 3rd St, Joplin, Missouri, 64801 to PURCHASE the following:

## Ballistic Vest & Helmets

Specifications and bid forms are available from **Dustin Lunow, Fire Department**, by calling **417-624-0820 Ext:1308** or by writing to the address indicated above. Any bids received after the specified deadline will be returned to the vendor.

The City reserves the right to evaluate all bids, to reject any or all bids and re-bid at a later date. The City may waive any irregularities in the bid or negotiate variances from specifications, and make awards that are in the best interests of the City. The City will have final decision in all matters regarding acceptance of bids and issuance of awards.

The City encourages minority and female owned businesses to submit bids on all City purchases.

Leslie Haase, CPA
Finance Director

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# INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

The City of Joplin, Missouri proposes to PURCHASE the following:

53 Tactical plate carriers with plates (front and back).

- Plate carrier color - BLACK
  - Side protection not required, if included must be removable.
- Minimum plate sizing of 10" x 12"
- Minimum level 3 protection
  - No steel plates allowed.
  - Composite, Ceramic, UHMWPE, or similar only
  - Weight not to exceed 4lbs per plate.
- Minimum 10-year service life on plates and carriers

10 Ballistic helmets

- Helmet size = Qty 7 XL, Qty 3 Large
- Helmet color – BLACK
- No "high cut" or "mid cut" allowed
- Minimum level 3A protection level
- Minimum 5-year service life

***MARK BID ENVELOPES: "BID #2024-03-BALLISTIC VEST & HELMETS, 10:00 A.M. THURSDAY, DECEMBER 28, 2023"***

Questions concerning the specifications and bidding procedures should be directed to Dustin Lunow, Joplin Fire Department at 303 E 3rd St, Joplin, MO, 64801 or by phoning 417-624-0820 Ext 1308.