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**CITY OF SPARTA
REQUEST FOR BIDS
CHEMICALS FOR SPARTA WASTE-WATER AND WATER PLANTS
Bid Date 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, June 12th, 2025**

The City of Sparta is accepting bid proposals for the purchase of chemicals for the Sparta Waste-Water plant chemicals for the **fiscal year ending June 30, 2026**. Bid packages and information are available and can be obtained at Sparta City Hall, 6 Liberty Square, PO Box 30, Sparta, Tennessee 38583, telephone 931-836-3248. Sealed bids will be received until 2:00 p.m. on Thursday June 12th, 2025 at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

The City of Sparta reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive any irregularities in a bid, to make awards to more than one bidder, to accept any part or all of a bid, or to accept that bid, (or bids) which in the judgment of the Board of Mayor and Alderman of the City of Sparta is in the best interest of the City. The purchaser also reserves the right to require a bidder to submit evidence of qualifications as may be deemed necessary by the City Administrator.

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The City of Sparta, Tennessee will receive sealed bids for the purchase of the following chemicals until 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, June 12th, 2025 at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. All items are F.O.B. Sparta, Tennessee.

Water Plant Chemical Specifications

1. Liquid Fluoride (Fluorosilicic Acid) – 55 gals. drums. 12 drum purchase per delivery. Estimated use 4,500 gals. annually. Must deliver within 1 week of order date to Water Treatment Plant.
2. Sodium Hypochlorite 12.5%-15% - Maximum 1600-1800 gallons per delivery, approximately every 3 weeks. Estimated use of 26,000 gallons annually. Must deliver within 5 days of order date to Water Treatment Plant.
3. Kemira PAX-XL8 – Approximately 46,500 lbs. per delivery, every 2 months. Estimated use 279,000 lbs. annually. Must deliver within 5 days of order date to Water Treatment Plant. **No other product may be substituted!**

Sewage Treatment Plant Chemical Specifications

4. Chlorine – 150 lbs cylinders. Minimum delivery of 2 cylinders. Estimated use of 6 cylinders annually. Must deliver within 72 hrs. to Sewage Treatment Plant.
5. Sulfur Dioxide – 150 lbs. cylinders. Minimum delivery of 2 cylinders. Estimated use of 12 cylinders annually. Must deliver within 72 hrs. to Sewage Treatment Plant.
6. Superfloc C-1598 Polymer – 55 gal barrels – Minimum delivery of 1 barrel. Estimated use of 12 barrels annually. Must deliver within 72 hrs. to Sewage Treatment Plant. **No other product may be substituted!.**

7. Calcium Nitrate – 3,800 gal. dumped into 3 tanks located within the Sparta Collection System approximately every 2 months. Product must have the same chemical properties of existing product being used. Must deliver within 5 to 7 days to the locations above.

For our convenience, we do not wish to pay deposits on cylinders or drums. Empty drums may be picked up when deliveries are made.

All bid prices shall be firm for the entire period of July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2026. The award of bids may be split between two or more companies depending on prices of individual items, for example; one company may only be awarded bid for one item.

For each item bid, please include MSDS. Please list any other fees & their rates that may be charged such as fuel surcharges, freight, etc. in "Misc. Info" space provided. The City of Sparta shall pay no fees unless included in vendor's bid.

Bids are to be addressed to the City Administrator and delivered to the Sparta City Hall, 6 Liberty Square, PO Box 30, Sparta, Tennessee 38583.

Bids must be enclosed in a sealed envelope and must be marked **"Chemical Bid"** on the front of the envelope. All bids must be signed.

For further information and to obtain bid packages, contact the City Administrator at Sparta City Hall, 6 Liberty Square, PO Box 30, Sparta, Tennessee 38583, telephone (931) 836-3248.

For questions pertaining to chemicals for the Water & Sewer departments, please contact Public Works Director Dillard Quick @ 931.738.2281 or cell 931.212.7231.

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In order to be certified as an acceptable bid, all chemicals included in the bid proposal must be approved by the operators in charge of the Sparta water and wastewater plants and also the applicable personnel at the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation Regional Field Office, Cookeville, TN. Bids may be accepted subject to approval by city staff and TDEC personnel, but purchase orders will not be issued prior to chemicals being approved by personnel of the appropriate agencies. Letters of certification must accompany all chemicals which differ from those that were previously approved for use in Sparta Water & Sparta Wastewater systems.

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BID FORM

WATER PLANT CHEMICALS
CITY OF SPARTA
JULY 1, 2025 - JUNE 30, 2026

Please list price as per Gal or Per Lb. as requested.

Please include factors to convert all quantities from gallons to pounds, and vice versa according to each vendor's billing.

Liquid Flouride – 55 Gal. drums

\$ _____ per Gal.

My product meets specs - Yes or No?

Misc.

Info. _____

Sodium Hypochlorite - Bulk

\$ _____ per Gal.

My product meets specs - Yes or No?

Misc.

Info. _____

Kemira PAX-XL8 - Bulk
No other product meets specs.

\$ _____ per Lb.

My product meets specs - Yes or No?

Misc.

Info. _____

BID FORM

WASTE-WATER TREATMENT PLANT CHEMICALS
CITY OF SPARTA
JULY 1, 2025 - JUNE 30, 2026

Please list price as per Gal or Per Lb. as requested.

Please include factors to convert all quantities from gallons to pounds, and vice versa according to each vendor's billing.

Chlorine – 150 lb cylinders

\$ _____ per Lb.

My product meets specs - Yes or No?

Misc.

Info. _____

Sulfur Dioxide – 150 lb cylinders

\$ _____ per Lb.

My product meets specs - Yes or No?

Misc.

Info. _____

Polymer- Superfloc C-1598 – 55 Gal. drums
No other product meets specs.

\$ _____ per Gal.

My product meets specs - Yes or No?

Misc.

Info. _____

Calcium Nitrate – 3,800 Gal. Bulk

\$ _____ per Gal.

My product meets specs - Yes or No?

Misc.

Info. _____

**CITY OF SPARTA
 BID VERIFICATION
 CHEMICALS FOR SPARTA
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Iran Divestment Act Tenn. Code Ann. 12-12-106

By submission of this bid, each bidder and each person signing on behalf of any bidder certifies, and in the case of a joint bid each party thereto certifies as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of its knowledge and belief that each bidder is not on the list created pursuant to 12-12-106.

Bid submitted by:

Company _____

Date _____

Authorized Representative (Signature/Title):

Name (Printed or typed) _____

Email _____

Phone _____ Fax _____ Cell _____

Company Address _____

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For Title VI and IX compliance, it is requested that the following information be voluntarily disclosed and returned with your bid:

GENDER _____ Male _____ Female

RACE _____ Caucasian _____ African American

_____ Other (Please Specify)