



WASHBURN COUNTY

FORESTRY DEPARTMENT

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Advertisement for Bids
Spider Lake Loop ATV Trail Bridge
SENW Sec 2 T37N-R10W
Town of Birchwood (S); Washburn County; Wisconsin

The Washburn County Forestry Department will receive sealed bids for the Spider Lake Loop ATV Trail Bridge until **4:30 p.m. April 15, 2025**. Bids are to be submitted to **Washburn County Forestry, 1760 Roundhouse Road, Spooner, WI 54801**. Bids will be opened and reviewed before the Forestry, Parks and Recreation Committee at the Forestry Office at 8:30 a.m. on April 16, 2025.

The work for which bids are asked includes the following:

- Design, build, and place a clear span bridge on wood sills over a wetland on part of the Spider Lake ATV Loop in Section 2 T37N-R10W. (see attached location map)
- Bridge to be 30 feet long, a minimum of 12 feet wide, and a load capacity minimum of 25,000 pounds (AASHTO H- Vehicle Loading).
- Bridge to be set on s 12" x 12" by 12' treated wood sills
- Washburn County to remove and dispose of existing bridge and bridge materials
- No materials to be placed in the wetland.
- Bridge materials shall be self-weathering steel with self-weathering steel guardrails. Guardrails shall be a minimum of 42 inches in height above the deck. Guardrails shall have a spacing of no greater than 6 inches between rails. Guardrails shall be designed to withstand a minimum of a 200 pound load applied in any direction at any point.
- Minimum bridge decking standard shall be two layers of 2 inch - nominal treated southern yellow pine, providing a combined effective thickness of no less than 3 inches. The top course of decking to be placed parallel to bridge direction. Other proposed decking material may be considered at the discretion of Washburn County. Decking shall be sufficiently fastened to minimize warping.
- The bridge, footings, and installation shall conform to the requirements of Wisconsin DNR Publication CF-005-2017 entitled "Bridge Guidelines for New and Replacement Snowmobile and All-Terrain Vehicle Bridges".
- It is the Contractor's responsibility to ensure that no materials are deposited into wetland areas around the bridge. Netting or other materials to prevent materials from falling are not required by Washburn County but may be placed at the discretion of the Contractor.
- Washburn County desires this bridge to be completed on or before November 1, 2025
- There is not a navigable stream associated with this bridge and no permits should be required for bridge placement.

- Bidder to supply a conceptual drawing of bridge with the bid proposal. Conceptual drawings must adequately represent the proposed materials to be used.
- Bidder must supply stamped, engineered plans for the pilings, abutments and bridge prior to contract award.
- Washburn County will review proposals based on economic feasibility, and the most appropriate design of abutments and bridge.
- **Washburn County reserves the right of up to 30 days after the bid opening to review bids and to accept a successful bidder or reject all bids. A contract will be issued after submission of stamped, engineered bridge plans considered as satisfactory to Washburn County. Plans must be submitted to Washburn County within 30 days of notice of accepted bid.**
- **Bids must be accompanied with a bid security in the amount of 10% of the bid amount. Bid bond shall be cash, certified check, or Irrevocable Letter of Credit. A 100% performance bond will be required from the successful bidder as part of a construction contract.**

Bid Form
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TIME: Sealed bids must be received in the Washburn County Forestry Office, 1760 Roundhouse Road, Spooner, WI 54801 **no later than 4:30 p.m. April 15, 2025.** Bids will be opened and reviewed by Washburn County Forestry at approximately 8:30 a.m. April 16, 2025 at the Forestry Office. Washburn County reserves the right to reject any or all bids and accept the bid most advantageous to the County. Washburn County reserves up to 30 days to make a final decision on bid award.

PRICE: County pays this amount to bidder for the designing, building and placement of a steel framed bridge 30 feet long, 12 feet wide, 25,000 lb. capacity, including sills in accordance with the advertisement for bids.

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BID DEPOSIT: Bidder to submit a bid deposit in the amount of 10% of the bid price.

MATERIALS & DESIGN: (please provide brief summary and attach conceptual plans and design)

PROPOSED COMPLETION DATE:_____
Contractor to provide stamped, engineered bridge plans within 30 days of bid award.

NAME OR COMPANY:_____.

ADDRESS:_____.

PHONE:_____.

Signature of representative date

Bridge Project Location
Section 2 T37N-R10W

