BAD RIVER BAND OF LAKE SUPERIOR
CHIPPEWA INDIANS

CHIEF BLACKBIRD CENTER
P.O. Box 39 Odanah, Wisconsin 54861

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS
FOR
Land Clearing & Preparation, Construction of Fire Pit Area & Wood Storage

Bad River Band of Lake Superior Tribe of Chippewa Indians is seeking proposals through solicitation for land clearing and preparation of a fire area and wood storage.

Proposals are required to contain the following information.: 

1. Clearing the specific area of land behind the Zhawenindig Building on Oak Street, Odanah; this does include clearing specific trees in this area.
2. Removing the trees and debris that has been cleared from the location to an approved waste management location.
3. Level the specific area of land for the fire pit area and wood storage sections and for the future sweat lodge area.
4. Create a fire pit area for programmatic purposes; to include grandfathers, sand, and other materials for an all-season fire pit.
5. Build a weatherproof section to store the wood that will be used for the ceremonial fires; including sand, lumber, nails, tarps, roofing material, or other products required for the wood storage purposes.

Proposals are required to contain the following information: A budget detailing the cost per each number listed above, labor cost and a total cost for this Zhawenindig Building Cultural Plan. Submit verification of liability insurance.

The Bad River Band of Lake Superior Tribe of Chippewa Indians is a federally recognized Indian Tribe organized under Section 16 of the Indian Reorganization Act of 1934, U.S.C. Section 476. This entitles the Tribe to government pricing and exempts the Tribe from state sales and use taxes and from federal excise taxes. Therefore, price quotations should not include such taxes.

This Request for Proposals is open to all qualified, responsive bidders. Indian Preference will apply in the selection process in accordance with the Tribal Employment Rights Ordinance (TERO) or the Indian Preference Act of 1934 (Title 25, USC, Section 47), based on funding source requirements. Questions regarding TERO, and if the TERO fee applies to the RFP, may be directed to the Bad River Band’s Human Resource office at 715-682-7111.

Sealed bids must be labeled “Zhawenindig Building Cultural Plan” and submitted by July 18, 2022, at 11:45 am to Blackbird Center Barb Smart, Executive Secretary.

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Chief Blackbird Center
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Questions or to view the specific land regarding this project can be directed to Hiedi-Beth Burns, Zhawenindig Program Services Manager 715-682-7151 or email at brdan@badoriver-nsn.gov Bid opening will be scheduled on July 19, 2022 at Blackbird Center lunch room at 9: 30 AM. Any or all bids may be rejected when in the best interest of the Bad River Tribe.