

BAD RIVER BAND OF LAKE SUPERIOR TRIBE OF CHIPPEWA INDIANS

CHIEF BLACKBIRD CENTER

P.O. Box 39 Odanah, Wisconsin 54861

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

FOR

Hazard Tree Removal on Madeline Island

Bad River Band of Lake Superior Tribe of Chippewa Indians is seeking proposals through solicitation for the removal of around **70 hazard trees** (between 5 and 22 inches in diameter) around 13 cabins on Madeline Island's north end (Amnicon Bay). An exhaustive tree list is attached to this RFP.

Proposals are required to contain the following information: **Total Cost, Cost per tree based on size and technical nature of removal, and a copy of the liability insurance certificate**

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.

Firms or persons applying for Indian preference must provide evidence in its proposal of 51% or more Indian ownership. In addition, the firm or person must provide evidence of structure, management and financing affecting the Indian character of the firm. Documentation of and compliance with Indian Preference must accompany the proposal.

Sealed bids must be labelled 'Hazard Tree Removal on Madeline Island 2027' and submitted by October 20, 2026 at 12:00 pm to:

Bad River Tribe
Chief Blackbird Center
Attn: Executive Secretary Prisscilla Dax
PO Box 39/72682 Maple St
Odanah, WI 54861

*****Hard Copies only – no emailed bids will be accepted!**

Questions regarding this project can be directed to Gena Abramson, Forestry Specialist
Forester@badriver-nsn.gov or 715-685-8929.

Bid opening will be in **Conference Room C at the Chief Blackbird Center/72682 Maple Street, Odanah, WI 54806 on October 21st at 1:30PM.**

Any or all bids may be rejected when in the best interest of the Bad River Tribe.

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