

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The City of Camden, New Jersey shall receive sealed bids at Office of the Purchasing Agent, C/O City Clerk's Office, City Hall, 520 Market Street, Room 105, Camden, New Jersey until **11:00 A.M. prevailing time, on Tuesday, June 16, 2026**, and then publicly open, and read aloud in the Council Chambers for the following:

BID 26-05 COLLECTION OF SOLID WASTE AND RECYCLABLE MATERIALS.

All Vendors must obtain bid packages from the City of Camden, Purchasing Bureau, through download at <https://camden.bidsandtenders.net/Module/Tenders/en>.

REPRODUCTION OR REDISTRIBUTION OF THE CONTENTS OF THIS BID PACKAGE BY A PARTY OTHER THAN THE CITY OF CAMDEN IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED. Bids may be received at no cost to potential Bidders. Bids received from vendors that did not obtain bid packages from the City of Camden Purchasing Division will not be considered.

There will be a **Non-Mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting** for all interested bidders at 11:00 A.M. on Monday, April 20, 2026 in the City Hall, Council Chambers, 520 Market Street, Second Floor, Camden, New Jersey 08102. **All Bidders** are strongly encouraged to attend.

Bids must be submitted on the standard Proposal Form provided by the City of Camden in the manner designated therein, and must be enclosed in a sealed envelope bearing the title of the bid, name and address of the bidder on the outside; addressed to Ms. Lateefah Chandler, and delivered to the above address on or before the date and time set at the place herein defined. The City of Camden is not responsible for any hand delivered or third party delivered bids which do not arrive at the proper time or location. Any such bid will be returned unopened to the vendor. All documents contained in this bid package must be returned to the City of Camden in their original form. No substitutions, alterations, or modifications of any of the bid documents are permitted.

The City of Camden requires that a bidder must submit, with their bid, a Bid Guarantee in the form of a bid bond, certified check, or cashier's check in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the bid, along with Consent of Surety from a Bonding Company. However, in no case shall the Bid Guarantee exceed \$20,000.00.

The bid must be accompanied by a Surety company certificate (known as a Consent of Surety) duly authorized to do business in this State and satisfactory to the City of Camden, stating that such Surety company will provide the successful bidder with a bond or other Surety as a guarantee for the performance of the Contract. The Consent of Surety will confirm that the bidder to whom the contract is awarded will furnish the necessary Performance Bonds. **Failure to include this item will mandate rejection of bid. N.J.S.A. 40A:11-23.2**

Bidders are required to comply with the requirements of Mandatory Equal Employment Opportunity Language N.J.S.A.10:5-31et seq., N.J.A.C. 17:27-1.1 et seq. and NJ Contractor Business Registration Certificate N.J.S.A.52:32-44.

In order to perform public work, the Successful Bidder and Subcontractors prior to contract award shall hold or obtain such licenses as required by State Statutes, and federal and local Laws and Regulations.

The Bidder must produce current “Certificates of Registration” from the New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development for itself and each of its subcontractors.

Bidders shall not submit bids with qualifying conditions or provisions.

The City Council of the City of Camden reserves the right to consider the bids for sixty (60) days after receipt thereof, and the award will be made to the lowest responsible bidder in accordance with applicable law.

The right to reject all bids pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-13.2 and to award the contract to the lowest responsive, responsible bidder in accordance with applicable law is expressly reserved by the authority of the City Council of the City of Camden.

Any questions, contact City of Camden Purchasing Bureau at 856-757-7159

Lateefah Chandler
Purchasing Agent
April 14, 2026