

**TOWN OF EAST MONTPELIER
INVITATION TO BID FOR
WINTER ROAD SAND 2014-2015**

INVITATION TO SUBMIT SEALED BIDS

The Town of East Montpelier is seeking bids for the supply and delivery of winter road sand for the 2014-2015 season. The cut-off date for receiving **SEALED BIDS** is:

Thursday, May 1, 2014 at 3:00 p.m.
East Montpelier Municipal Office Bldg
40 Kelton Road
P.O. Box 157
East Montpelier, VT 05651

For further information contact Road Foreman Mike Garand at **223-5870**.

BID SPECIFICATIONS

The Town requests approximately **4000 cubic yards** of winter road sand for delivery no later than **September 12, 2014**. A late fee penalty of \$100/calendar day will be assessed. Please include bids for both washed and regular sand if available.

Prices should be provided for materials delivered to the Town Garage on Templeton Road next to the Fire Station as well as for materials picked up by the Town Road Crew at the bidder's pit. Hauling costs from pit to Town garage should also be addressed as a separate cost item in addition to the price of materials. Materials must meet the following specifications:

<u>Sieve Designation</u>	<u>Percent weight passing square mesh sieves</u>
1/2 inch	100%
3/8 inch	90-100%
No. 4	80-90%
No.100	2-10%

The Town may pick up samples of sand from the successful bidder for a sieve analysis prior to the award of a contract. The Town further reserves the right to sample any sand provided and to reject any that does not pass the above specifications. The successful bidder will be selected on the basis of price, environmental impacts, hauling costs, delivery arrangement, and quality of material. Sand will be accepted only on fair weather days as determined by the Road Foreman.

The Town, through the Selectboard, reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to select any bid deemed to be in the best interests of the Town of East Montpelier. A letter of acceptance/denial will be sent by mail.