

Manistee County Road Commission										
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No.	Item	Quantity	Michigan Cat (Novi, MI)		Heights Truck Equip. (Williamsburg, MI)		St. Regis Culvert (Charlotte, MI)		Wear Parts & Equipment (Aurora, CO)	
			Price per Piece	Weight per ft. (#)	Price per Piece	Weight per ft. (#)	Price per Piece	Weight per ft. (#)	Price per Piece	Weight per ft. (#)
1	7/8" x 5" x 48" Dual Carbide	120 pieces	No Bid		\$352.98	14.50	No Bid		\$380.00	14.60
					7/8" x 5" x 48"		Proprietary Item		7/8" x 5" x 48"	
					Black Cat Carbide				Black Cat Carbide	
					Inserted Blade				Inserted Blade	
					CICT754844-ACI				CICT754844-ACI	
2	3/4" x 6" x 48" Dual Carbide	120 pieces	No Bid		\$352.98	18.00	No Bid		See Alternate Bid #5	
					7/8" x 6" x 48"		Proprietary Item			
					Black Cat Carbide					
					Inserted Blade					
					CICT764844-ACI					
3	8" x 3/4" x 6' Single Beveled Curved Through Hardened	300 pieces	\$127.91	19.31	\$137.36	19.33	\$126.90	19.60	\$161.00	19.35
			Cat 314-7609				Vallite Blades		Black Cat Blade	
									Cat 5D955858CB	
4	8" x 3/4" x 6' Single Beveled Curved Surface Hardened (Alternate Bid)	300 pieces	No Bid		No Bid		No Bid		No Bid	
5	Additional Alternate Bid Provide Specifications		\$122.62	18.50	\$352.98	15.25	\$282.00	14.25	\$380.00	18.15
			8" x 3/4" x 6' Double		7/8" x 5" x 48"		5" x 7/8" x 48" Carbide		6" x 7/8" x 48"	
			Beveled Curved		Carbide Inserted		240 pieces		CICT764844-ACI	
			Through Hardened		Underbody Blade		Vallite Blades		Black Cat	
			300 pieces		Black Cat Blades		(Alternate for Item #1)		120 pieces	
			Cat 5D9558		CICT754844-CIUB		Blades do not have		(Alternate for Item #2)	
			(Alternate for Item #3)		(Alternate for Item #1)		1" strip of carbide			
		120 pieces			\$352.98	18.00				
					7/8" x 6" x 48"					
					Carbide Inserted					
					Underbody Blade					
					Black Cat Blades					
					CICT764844-CIUB					
					(Alternate for Item #2)					

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6	Additional Alternate Bid Provide Specifications		\$90.92	18.16	\$115.34	18.33	\$254.64	15.50	\$124.00	18.40
			8" x 3/4" x 6' Double Beveled Curved High Carbon Steel 300 pieces Cat 7T-1634 (Alternate for Item #3)		3/4" x 8" x 6' Curved Double Bevel Heat Treated Black Cat Blades CAT 5D9558 (Alternate for Item #3)		6" x 3/4" x 48" Carbide 240 pieces Vallite Blades (Alternate for Item #2) Blades do not have 1" strip of carbide		8" x 3/4" x 6' Double Beveled Curved Through Hardened CAT 5D9558 300 pieces (Alternate for Item #3)	
7	Additional Alternate Bid Provide Specifications		No Bid		No Bid		No Bid		No Bid	
8	Additional Alternate Bid Provide Specifications		No Bid		No Bid		No Bid		No Bid	
Terms of Sale & Discounts:			Net 30 Days From Invoice Date		Net 30 Days		Net 30 Days		Net 30 Days No Discounts	
Firm Price:			Until 12/31/23		Not indicated		30 Days from Bid Date		30 Days from Bid Opening	
Delivery:			Included per MCRC Bid Specs		Included per MCRC Bid Specs		Included per MCRC Bid Specs		Included per MCRC Bid Specs	
Delivery Date: (On or before 1/12/24 per Proposal Form)			Based on availability when order is placed		6-7 weeks A.R.O (After Receipt of Order)		10-12 weeks A.R.O. (After Receipt of Order)		Cannot meet the 1/12/24 Delivery Date Lead times are 6-8 weeks weeks & holidays may add additional delay of 1-2 weeks	
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	Warranties & Guaranties:	Warranty will cover any cutting edge if breakage occurs during normal operation	Not limited by time	The blades are warranted against defects in material and workmanship (See Black Cat Wear Parts Limited Warranty)	None	The blades are warranted against defects in material and workmanship (See Black Cat Wear Parts Limited Warranty)
	Miscellaneous:	Potential to extend pricing based upon supplier price increases			No Discounts	They will accept any single line or combination of lines as an award, for the quantity requested or greater only
Notes:						
1. All bids and blades must be evaluated in detail as the durability of the blades and frequency of blade changes must be considered.						
2. Blades that require frequent blade changes will require more labor and truck/equipment down time as compared to longer lasting blades						
3. MCRC is currently using the following blades from the vendors as noted:						
A. 6" x 3/4" x 48" dual carbide blades (Esco PAC5819) from Truck & Trailer Specialties of Boyne Falls (last ordered on 11/14/18)						
(26 Each left per 11/01/23 physical inventory) Note: The 2020 carbide blades were stockpiled over the 2018 carbide blades						
5" x 7/8" x 48" dual carbide blades (Esco-Bucyrus CB25628) from Truck & Trailer Specialties of Boyne Falls (last ordered on 11/11/20)						
(0 Each left per 11/01/23 physical inventory)						
B. 8" x 3/4" x 72" single beveled curved through hardened blades (VBL 34861SWCSB) from St. Regis Culvert (last ordered on 11/11/20)						
(162 Each left per 11/01/23 physical inventory)						
The bids were awarded to Heights Machinery and St. Regis Culvert, Inc. for the bid items and bid unit prices as shown in "Bold/Red" during the Manistee County Board of County Road Commissioners regularly scheduled board meeting on December 13, 2023.						
Summary By: MPS		Date: 11/28/23				
Checked By: GH		Date: 12/04/23				
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