



# STATE OF LOUISIANA

## Competitive Contract

Vendor: 310004760  
Company  
ALLIED TUBE & CONDUIT CORP  
16100 S. Lathrop Ave.  
Harvey IL 60426  
Phone : 800-882-5543  
Fax : 877-696-2701

T Number:  
Version: 4  
LAPS Contract: No  
Fiscal Year: 2015  
Min.Ord.Value: 0.00  
Distributor Contract: No  
PCard:No  
Co-op Agreement:Yes

Contract number: 4400006555  
Description: DOTD Contract - Square Steel Sign Posts

### Buyer Information

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SEBD Vendor: No  
SEHI Vendor: No  
VSE Vendor: No  
DVSE Vendor: No  
Contract Valid Dates:  
05/22/2015 - 05/21/2017

**Supplier Text:** First Renewal of Annual contract to furnish Square Steel Tubular Sign Posts to various locations throughout the State. Original Contract Period- May 22, 2015 through May 21, 2016. First Renewal Period- May 22, 2016 through May 21, 2017.

The renewal period of May 22, 2016 through May 21, 2017 reflect a one percent (1%) price reduction from the original bid prices.

At the option of the Department of Transportation and Development and acceptance by the contractor, this contract may be extended for one (1) additional twelve (12) month period at the same prices, terms and conditions of the first renewal period. Contract not to exceed thirty-six (36) months.

Prior to exercising the Department's option to extend the contract, the Department will determine if an extension is in the best interest of the Department, taking into consideration current market trends, cost factors, price comparison with similar service in other States and various other factors as determined by the DOTD Procurement Director.

The Department of Transportation and Development reserves the right to cancel this contract with thirty (30) days written notice.

The quantities listed below are estimated usage only. No quantities are guaranteed. Only actual quantities needed will be ordered by DOTD. In the event a greater or lesser quantity is needed, the right is reserved by DOTD to increase or decrease the amount at the unit price stated in the bid.

Attached is a copy of MS 299-002, Revised 03/2012 and a District/Section Delivery and Contact list.

Recommending Approval:

Approved by:

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Products are subject to laboratory testing before final acceptance.

**DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS:**

Please see attached District/Section Delivery and Contact list for full delivery information. Shipments should not be limited to these locations.

Vendor must contact the District/Section at least twenty-four (24) hours prior to delivery. Deliveries are not accepted at any location on weekends, holidays, or during times of natural disaster.

**PAYMENT:**

In an effort to increase efficiencies and effectiveness as well as be strategic in utilizing technology and resources, DOTD strongly encourages vendors to participate in accepting Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) payments.

EFT payments are sent from the State's bank directly to the payee's bank each weekday. The only requirement is that you have an active checking or savings account at a financial institution that can accept Automated Clearing House (ACH) credit files and remittance information electronically. Additional information is available at <http://www.doa.louisiana.gov/OSRAP/EFTforWebsite.pdf>.

**Notice to Vendor:**

| Line | Material No.<br>-----<br>Supplier Part No.   | Description   | Prod. Cat. | UOM | Net Price | Discount |
|------|--|---|------------|-----|-----------|----------|
| 1    | 50500<br>Allied Tube /<br>Telespar<br>758725 | POST,SIGN,SQUARE,2"X2"X6',14 GAUGE<br>DOTD SPEC. MS 299-002, REVISED 3/2012 | 30102900   | EA  | 8.95000   |          |
| 2    | 50501<br>Allied Tube /<br>Telespar<br>759632 | POST,SIGN,SQUARE,2"X2"X7',14 GAUGE<br>DOTD SPEC. MS 299-002, REVISED 3/2012 | 30102900   | EA  | 10.78000  |          |
| 3    | 50502<br>Allied Tube /<br>Telespar<br>740344 | POST,SIGN,SQUARE,2"X2"X8',14 GAUGE<br>DOTD SPEC. MS 299-002, REVISED 3/2012 | 30102900   | EA  | 12.30000  |          |
| 4    | 50503<br>Allied Tube /<br>Telespar<br>745717 | POST,SIGN,SQUARE,2"X2"X9',14 GAUGE<br>DOTD SPEC. MS 299-002, REVISED 3/2012 | 30102900   | EA  | 14.07000  |          |
| 5    | 50504<br>Allied Tube /                       | POST,SIGN,SQUARE,2"X2"X10',14 GAUGE   | 30102900   | EA  | 15.58000  |          |

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|      | Telespar<br>739312                           | DOTD SPEC. MS 299-002, REVISED 3/2012   |            |     |           |          |
| 6    | 50505<br>Allied Tube /<br>Telespar<br>745716 | POST,SIGN,SQUARE,2"X2"X11',14 GAUGE<br>DOTD SPEC. MS 299-002, REVISED 3/2012            | 30102900   | EA  | 16.82000  |          |
| 7    | 50506<br>Allied Tube /<br>Telespar<br>739311 | POST,SIGN,SQUARE,2"X2"X12',14 GAUGE<br>DOTD SPEC. MS 299-002, REVISED 3/2012            | 30102900   | EA  | 18.52000  |          |
| 8    | 50507<br>Allied Tube /<br>Telespar<br>759633 | POST,SIGN,SQUARE,2"X2"X13',14 GAUGE<br>DOTD SPEC. MS 299-002, REVISED 3/2012            | 30102900   | EA  | 20.18000  |          |
| 9    | 50508<br>Allied Tube /<br>Telespar<br>743335 | POST,SIGN,SQUARE,2"X2"X14',14 GAUGE<br>DOTD SPEC. MS 299-002, REVISED 3/2012            | 30102900   | EA  | 21.37000  |          |
| 10   | 50509<br>Allied Tube /<br>Telespar<br>739239 | POST,SIGN,SQUARE,2 1/4"X2 1/4"X3'<br>12 GAUGE, DOTD SPEC. MS 299-002, REVISED<br>3/2012 | 30102900   | EA  | 6.62000   |          |

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### Standard Terms and Conditions

1. THIS IS NOT AN ORDER TO SHIP (OR BEGIN SERVICE). A CONTRACT RELEASE OR PURCHASE ORDER MUST BE ISSUED BEFORE YOU ARE AUTHORIZED TO SHIP (OR BEGIN SERVICE).
2. THIS IS NOTICE THAT THE CONTRACT REFERENCED ABOVE HAS BEEN AWARDED TO YOU BASED ON THE BID (OR PROPOSAL) SUBMITTED. ALL TERMS, CONDITIONS, AND SPECIFICATIONS OF THE SOLICITATION WILL APPLY TO ALL ORDERS.
3. ANY AGENCY AUTHORIZED TO PURCHASE FROM THIS CONTRACT MUST ISSUE AN ORDER AND REFERENCE THE CONTRACT NUMBER, LINE NUMBER AND COMMODITY ITEM NUMBER FOR EACH ITEM.
4. CHANGES IN ITEMS TO BE FURNISHED ARE NOT PERMITTED (UNLESS APPROVED BY THE ISSUING AGENCY PRIOR TO DELIVERY). PRIOR APPROVAL MUST ALSO BE OBTAINED BEFORE DISTRIBUTORS CAN BE ADDED OR DELETED.
5. IF A DISTRIBUTOR LIST WAS SUBMITTED, CONTRACTOR MUST SEND COPIES OF THIS AWARD TO EACH DISTRIBUTOR.
6. QUANTITIES LISTED ARE ESTIMATED AND NO QUANTITIES ARE GUARANTEED (UNLESS "COMMITTED VOLUME" IS SPECIFICALLY STATED). CONTRACTOR MUST SUPPLY ACTUAL REQUIREMENTS ORDERED AT THE CONTRACT PRICE AWARDED.
7. COMPLIANCE WITH CIVIL RIGHTS LAWS.

THE CONTRACTOR AGREES TO ABIDE BY THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE FOLLOWING AS APPLICABLE: TITLE IV AND TITLE VII OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS ACT OF 1964, AS AMENDED BY THE EQUAL OPPORTUNITY ACT OF 1972, FEDERAL EXECUTIVE ORDER 11246, THE FEDERAL REHABILITATION ACT OF 1973, AS AMENDED, THE VIETNAM ERA VETERAN'S READJUSTMENT ASSISTANCE ACT OF 1974, TITLE IX OF THE EDUCATION AMENDMENTS OF 1972, THE AGE ACT OF 1975, AND CONTRACTOR AGREES TO ABIDE BY THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT OF 1990. CONTRACTOR AGREES TO NOT TO DISCRIMINATE IN ITS EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES, AND WILL RENDER SERVICES UNDER THIS AGREEMENT AND ANY CONTRACT ENTERED INTO AS A RESULT OF THIS AGREEMENT, WITHOUT REGARD TO RACE, COLOR, RELIGION, SEX, NATIONAL ORIGIN, VETERAN STATUS, POLITICAL AFFILIATION, OR DISABILITIES. ANY ACT OF DISCRIMINATION COMMITTED BY CONTRACTOR OR FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THESE STATUTORY OBLIGATIONS WHEN APPLICABLE SHALL BE GROUNDS FOR TERMINATION OF THIS AGREEMENT AND ANY CONTRACT ENTERED INTO AS A RESULT OF THIS AGREEMENT.

**LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND DEVELOPMENT  
DISTRICT/SECTION DELIVERY AND CONTACT INFORMATION**

**Vendor should contact the District/Section at least twenty-four (24) hours prior to delivery.  
Deliveries are not accepted on weekends, holidays or during times of disaster.**

| CONTACT PERSON     | SHIP TO ADDRESS  | BILL TO ADDRESS   | PHONE NUMBERS                   | DELIVERY DATES & TIMES   |
|--------------------|--|---|---------------------------------|--|
| Linda Paternostro  | DOTD District 02<br>1440 US Highway 90 West<br>Bridge City, LA 70096 | DOTD District 02<br>P.O. Box 9180<br>Bridge City, LA 70096-9180   | 504-437-3100 or<br>504-437-3106 | Monday - Friday<br>7:30 AM - 3:00 PM                           |
| Margaret Breaux    | DOTD District 03<br>428 Hugh Wallis Rd.<br>Lafayette, LA 70508       | DOTD District 03<br>P.O. Box 3648<br>Lafayette, LA 70502-3648     | 337-262-6100 or<br>337-262-6106 | Monday - Thursday<br>7:00AM - 3:00PM<br>No Friday Deliveries   |
| Kathleen Alsabrook | DOTD District 04<br>3339 Industrial Drive<br>Bossier City, LA 71112  | DOTD District 04<br>P.O. Box 38<br>Bossier City, LA 71161-0038    | 318-549-8300 or<br>318-549-8388 | Monday - Friday<br>7:00 AM - 4:00 PM                           |
| Dinah Gilliard     | DOTD District 05<br>8010 Desiard Road<br>Monroe, LA 71203            | DOTD District 05<br>P.O. Box 4068<br>Monroe, LA 71211-4068        | 318-342-0100 or<br>318-342-0104 | Monday - Friday<br>7:30 AM - 2:30 PM                           |
| Paul Gautreaux     | DOTD District 07<br>5827 Highway 90 East<br>Lake Charles, LA 70615   | DOTD District 07<br>P.O. Box 1430<br>Lake Charles, LA 70602-1430  | 337-437-9100 or<br>337-437-9106 | Monday - Thursday<br>7:00 AM - 3:00 PM<br>No Friday Deliveries |
| Paige Glenn        | DOTD District 08<br>3300 McArthur Drive<br>Alexandria, LA 71301      | DOTD District 08<br>P.O. Box 5945<br>Alexandria, LA 71307-5945    | 318-561-5100 or<br>318-561-5104 | Monday - Thursday<br>8:00AM - 4:00PM<br>No Friday Deliveries   |
| Kenneth Morris     | DOTD District 58<br>6217 LA 15 South<br>Chase, LA 71324              | DOTD District 58<br>P.O. Box 110<br>Chase, LA 71324-0110          | 318-412-3107 or<br>318-412-3106 | Monday - Thursday<br>7:00 AM - 3:00 PM<br>No Friday Deliveries |
| Wanda Jarreau      | DOTD District 61<br>8100 Airline Highway<br>Baton Rouge, LA 70815    | DOTD District 61<br>P.O. Box 831<br>Baton Rouge, LA 70821-0831    | 225-231-4100 or<br>225-231-4106 | Monday - Thursday<br>7:00AM - 3:30PM<br>No Friday Deliveries   |
| Philip Giaratano   | DOTD District 62<br>685 North Morrison Blvd.<br>Hammond, LA 70401    | DOTD District 62<br>685 North Morrison Blvd.<br>Hammond, LA 70401 | 985-375-0100 or<br>985-375-0119 | Monday - Thursday<br>7:00AM - 3:00PM<br>No Friday Deliveries   |
| Nikisha Garrett    | DOTD Section 45<br>7686 Tom Drive<br>Baton Rouge, LA 70806           | DOTD Section 45<br>7686 Tom Drive<br>Baton Rouge, LA 70806        | 225-935-0231 or<br>225-935-0177 | Monday - Friday<br>7:00AM - 3:30PM                             |

**LOUISIANA  
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND DEVELOPMENT  
SPECIFICATIONS**

**SQUARE STEEL TUBULAR SIGN POSTS**

**DESCRIPTION:** This specification covers perforated galvanized square steel tubular sign posts.

**MATERIALS:**

**Posts:** Perforated steel posts shall conform to the standard specifications for hot rolled carbon steel, structural quality, ASTM A1011, Grade 50. Average minimum yield strength after cold-forming is 60,000 psi. The cross section of the perforated sign post shall be square tube formed and carefully rolled to size and shall be welded by high frequency resistance welding and externally scarfed to agree with corner radii and dimensional tolerances. Steel perforated sign posts shall be manufactured from hot-dipped galvanized steel conforming to ASTM A653, G90, Structural Quality, Grade 50, Class 1. The weld shall be hot zinc coated after the scarfing operation. The steel shall be coated with a chromate conversion coating and a clear organic polymer topcoat. Both the interior and the exterior of the perforated sign posts shall be galvanized.

Perforated sign posts shall be one or more of the following sizes. Length shall be specified by stock number.

| Material Master No. | Size (in.) | Length (ft.) | Specified Thickness (in. / gauge) | Thickness Tolerance (in.) | Min. Weight (lb/ft) |
|---------------------|------------|--------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------|
| 50500               | 2 x 2      | 6            | 0.083 / 14                        | ±0.008                    | 1.74                |
| 50501               | 2 x 2      | 7            | 0.083 / 14                        | ±0.008                    | 1.74                |
| 50502               | 2 x 2      | 8            | 0.083 / 14                        | ±0.008                    | 1.74                |
| 50503               | 2 x 2      | 9            | 0.083 / 14                        | ±0.008                    | 1.74                |
| 50504               | 2 x 2      | 10           | 0.083 / 14                        | ±0.008                    | 1.74                |
| 50505               | 2 x 2      | 11           | 0.083 / 14                        | ±0.008                    | 1.74                |
| 50506               | 2 x 2      | 12           | 0.083 / 14                        | ±0.008                    | 1.74                |
| 50507               | 2 x 2      | 13           | 0.083 / 14                        | ±0.008                    | 1.74                |
| 50508               | 2 x 2      | 14           | 0.083 / 14                        | ±0.008                    | 1.74                |
| 50509               | 2¼ x 2¼    | 3            | 0.105 / 12                        | ±0.010                    | 2.55                |

Holes shall be 7/16±1/64 inch in diameter on 1-inch centers on all four sides the length of the perforated sign post. Holes shall be on the centerline of each side in true alignment and opposite each other directly and diagonally. Holes shall be spaced so that when telescoping the sections together, the holes will line-up on all four sides.

The length of each perforated sign post shall have a permissible length tolerance of  $\pm\frac{1}{4}$  inch. The thickness shall have a permissible tolerance as shown above.

The finished perforated sign posts shall be straight and have a smooth, uniform finish. It shall be possible to telescope all consecutive sizes of square perforated sign posts freely and for not less than 10 feet of their length without the necessity of matching any particular face to any other face. All holes and ends shall be free from burrs and ends shall be cut square.

Tolerances on outside sizes shall be as follows.

| Nominal Outside Dimensions<br>(in.) | Outside Tolerances<br>(in.) |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 2 x 2                               | $\pm 0.008$                 |
| $2\frac{1}{4}$ x $2\frac{1}{4}$     | $\pm 0.010$                 |

Convexity and concavity when measured in the center of the flat sides shall be within  $\pm 0.010$  inch, determined at the corner.

Squareness of the sides and twist shall conform to the following table.

| Nominal Outside Dimensions<br>(in.) | Squareness Tolerance<br>(in.) | Twist Permissible in 3 feet<br>(in.) |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 2 x 2                               | $\pm 0.012$                   | 0.062                                |
| $2\frac{1}{4}$ x $2\frac{1}{4}$     | $\pm 0.014$                   | 0.062                                |

Variation in straightness shall be  $\frac{1}{16}$  inch in 3 feet.

Standard outside corner radius shall be  $\frac{5}{32} \pm \frac{1}{64}$  inch.

**CERTIFICATION:** The successful vendor(s) shall provide a letter of certification from the manufacturer with each shipment indicating that all materials meet the requirements of this specification.

**SAMPLING:** Acceptance will be based on visual inspection. The materials will be sampled only if the quality of the material is in doubt.